

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SUFFOLK

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By His *Grace*
For His *Glory*

FROM YOUR PASTOR'S HEART

I am excited to be back with you this Sunday, after a wonderful time with family. I'm so thankful to Pastor David and Jeff Mingee for the messages they have brought the past two Sundays to kick off **Who's Your One?**

We are going to continue that theme this Sunday, as I bring a message called **"Sharing The Good News"** from **2 Kings 6:24-7:11**.



We have been given so many spiritual riches in Christ, all by His grace. Let us not hoard those riches, but share them! Let us broadcast the good news that God has done a miracle for us in sending His Son! That begins with sharing with one person. Who's your one?

Also, this Sunday we will have a **combined Sunday School** in which I'll be teaching on the subject, **"How To Share Your Faith Naturally And Effectively."** For many believers, personal witnessing is a personal "hangup." We all know that Jesus has commanded us to share the gospel, but we feel stuck and never get started. What I am going to show you is that you can share the gospel in a way that feels natural...but which has a supernatural impact.

By His Grace, For His Glory, To The Nations,

Pastor Thurman

Dr. Thurman Hayes, Jr.

EVANGELISM AND DISCIPLESHIP



Adults Joint Sunday School - 30 Days of Prayer

This Sunday, March 10 our Adult Sunday School classes, College/Young Adults and up, will gather together for a joint Sunday School class in the Sanctuary at 9:00am. Pastor Thurman will be sharing about how to share your faith naturally.

Through the month of March, we are continuing to intensely pray for lost people in our lives, with a view toward sharing the gospel with them and inviting them to church.

Prayer guides are available in the Family Gathering Area. Prompts for each day will be posted on social media.

EVENTS

THIS SUNDAY MORNING



"Sharing The Good News"
2 Kings 6:24-7:11



TIME CHANGE

Reminder to set your clocks ahead one hour this Saturday evening, March 9.



EASTER WORSHIP

Join us Sunday, March 31 for Easter worship at 10:30am, as we celebrate the resurrection of Christ. Be sure to invite your family, friends, and neighbors to join you!

EASTER HOLIDAY

In observance of Easter the church office will be closed Monday, April 1.

ATTENDANCE

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024
9:00 AM Sunday School 222
10:30 AM Morning Worship 231 (correction 2/25/24 was 300)

GIVING REPORT

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024

MISSIONS

Week of Prayer & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
March 3-10 FBC Goal \$8,000.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FBCSTUDENTS»

Sunday School

Join us Sunday mornings from 9:00-10:15am in the Student Center. A great time of age and gender specific Bible study groups for students grades 6-12.

Midweek

Join us from 6:00-7:30pm in the Student Center. A great time of Bible study and fellowship for students grades 6-12. Pizza is available for \$1.00 a slice!

FUGE Camp 2024 - REVIVAL GENERATION

Dates: July 15-19, 2024 **Ages:** 6-12 Grade
Location: Ridgecrest Conference Center, Ridgecrest, NC

FBCKIDS»

Sunday School

Our children's Sunday School meets Sunday mornings on the 3rd floor hallway from 9:00-10:10am. Our classes are arranged in K-2nd and 3rd-5th grade groups.

Wednesday Night

Awana for children 3 years old-5th grade from 6:00-7:30pm.

CENTRIKID Camp 2024 - WOW FACTOR

Dates: June 17-21, 2024 **Ages:** 3-5 Grade
Location: Eagle Eyrie Conference Center, Lynchburg, VA

FBCPRESCHOOL»

Sunday School

Preschool & nursery Sunday mornings 9:00am.

Parents - Important reminder

Please remember to check in at the Preschool Check-in desk.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

“BIBLICAL MEDIATION AND THE ARTS” - LADIES

Dates: Beginning April 3, 2024
Time: 6 weeks, Wednesdays 6:00-7:30pm
Teacher: Beth Blanchard
Location: F19 FLC Art Room

Book: God’s Battle Plan for the Mind: The Puritan Practice of Biblical Meditation by David W. Saxton
Art Element: Beginner Drawing and Oil Painting

Delve into the lost *art* of Biblical meditation while practicing beginner exercises in drawing and oil painting. This class is for those ladies who desire to deepen their affection and joy in God and His Word through the discipline of meditation exemplified in the Puritan’s Christian life and walk. See how meditation is a precursor to expressions of art, poetry, music, and dance. The drawing and painting lessons are designed for the beginner with little to no experience. Space is limited! Max: 12 students.
Cost: \$25 for supplies, book is optional

PSALM 23 - LADIES

Teacher: Kitty Thomsen
Location: T212 (2nd floor Traylor Bldg)
Time: 6:00pm

DANIEL - COED

Teachers: Dr. Thurman Hayes, Jr. and Dr. David Edgell
Location: Sanctuary
Time: 6:00pm

COALITION AGAINST POVERTY MEALS

We will be providing meals for the homeless who are staying in the Suffolk Winter Shelter program for CAPS and Beacon of Hope. Sunday school classes will be providing meals from March 11- 17. Thank you to each class who has stepped up to help provide this wonderful gift to the homeless in our community.

SCA - SUSTAINING THE VISION BANQUET

You are invited to Suffolk Christian Academy’s *Sustaining the Vision Fundraising Banquet* Friday, March 22 at 6:00pm in the FLC. The banquet dinner is free of charge. Please RSVP to Leslie Adams 757-538.7154 or ladams@scaknights.org.

31ST ANNUAL PAUL ROBERTSON MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Suffolk Golf Course, 1227 Holland Rd., Suffolk, Friday, April 26. Check-in time: 12:00 noon, Lunch provided by Chick-fil-A, Shotgun Start: 1:00pm. Brochures with information and registration are located in the Family Gathering Area. **Entry deadline is Wednesday, April 24.** Mail checks made payable to: FBC Suffolk, 237 N. Main St., Suffolk, VA 23434.

BSF - WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP

“John’s Gospel - The Truth.” Women & children (ages 0-18) are invited to BSF’s interdenominational, multi-generational, in-depth Bible study Tuesdays, 9:30-11:00am at First Baptist. For more information & to register, visit bsfinternational.org.

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