

Children's Church (Ages 4 thru 3rd Grade)

- Aug 3 Scott & Georgianna McGuinty
& Mark & Kate Courson - Puppet Ministry
- Aug 10 Cedric & Sharon Lavender-Bread From Heaven #4
- Aug 17 Chris & Mary Williamson - The Righteous Judge #38
- Aug 24 Luann & Melanie Williard- Elijah #29
- Aug 31 Furman & Maxine Peebles- A Life and Seth Situation #45



Sundays at Six &
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Deacon's Meeting

Tuesday, August 5th 7:00 p.m

Sunday, August 10th

Church Council 5:00 p.m.
Church Conference
after the 6:00 p.m. Service

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Another summer has come and gone. It's back to school for the kids and the teachers and staff and getting in that routine the school year brings. Please pray for our students, teachers and school staff as they prepare for another year. Pray that God will place a hedge of protection around our school and keep all kinds of evils away from our children as they try to learn. Pray for our school teachers as they teach our kids...that God will grant them the wisdom and patience that they need. Pray for the school administration as they do the necessary things to maintain a smooth and stress-free working environment. On Sunday night, August 3rd, our worship service will be a time of prayer

for the new school year. Join us as we pray!!

I want to highlight the 2nd Saturday event in downtown Rochelle. This is an event that our Wilcox County Chamber of Commerce sponsors on the 2nd Saturday of the month. Each month, we have various food trucks and vendors that set up in the grassy area by Mashburn and Fitzgerald. They sponsor this event to bring people downtown to our local businesses. It runs from 10 to 2. Our church has a bounce house and our church tent set up to evangelize. The reason we do this is that we want to shine the light of Jesus every opportunity we get within our community. Stop by the businesses and then come by our tent as we spend time loving on our community in the name of Jesus!!



Sunday, August 24, will be our Team Jesus Sunday!! Each year, we highlight our sports teams within our service as they begin another year, whether it's our local Patriots, favorite college team or professional team. We will have a

"tailgate party" from 9:00-9:45 in the fellowship hall. This will consist of breakfast pastries and coffee and juice. Once our "tailgate party" is over, then we can all go and be a part of a Sunday School class and then go into church where we will celebrate Team Jesus Sunday!!! Everyone is invited to come on out!!

Our church year begins on the 1st Sunday in September and I want to thank everyone who stepped up to be apart of our ministry teams, committees or be a Sunday School teacher for this next church year!! You are needed to make sure the ministries happen here at First Baptist Church of Rochelle.

*God bless,
Pastor Richard*



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*But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you;
And you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem,
and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.*

Acts 1:8

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 1 Haley Rodgers	August 18 Pam Sutton
August 1 Barbara Land	August 19 Jaydon Coleman
August 4 Ginny Clack	August 21 Suzanne Tripp
August 6 Raymond Cason	August 22 Cynthia Holt
August 7 Luann Willard	August 23 Regina Lovett
August 7 Ashlyn Gaines	August 26 Robin McGuinty
August 9 Lucy Lee	August 26 Bristol Peterson
August 10 Sue Lee	August 27 Julian Pittman
August 12 Amanda Brown	August 29 Bethany Garrett
August 12 Marilyn Morrison	August 30 Christy Compton
August 14 Luke Brown	August 31 Jack Laster
August 14 Berry Collier	

Happy Anniversary

August 5 Jack & Sheila McDonald
 August 8 Randall & Susan Stubbs
 August 18 Don & Toni Woods
 August 25 Chad & Aimee Hughes
 August 29 Bobby & Myra McGuinty

Flowers

August 3 Royal Brown
 August 10 Haley Rodgers
 August 17 Jackie McWhorter
 August 24 Team Jesus
 August 31 Jan Brown



Question: How is your walk with our Lord going? Is your intimacy with Him as vibrant as you desire it to be? Allow God to use our upcoming Ladies Conference on Saturday, August 2nd to refuel your passion for seeking Him and restart your intimate pursuing Him so that you can have that abundant life He has promised us in John 10:10. Our pursuing the John 10:10 life is equally as important for our children and grandchildren as for us so that they can see its evidence in our lives and know it is possible and real. Their intimate faith walk will depend largely on the example we live before them and how they see the Bible's promises play out in our lives. Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego all probably saw this evidence in their parents' lives. My heart's desire is for my children and grandchildren to have the firm faith that these four Hebrew boys had. So, please make God's plans for you on Saturday, August 2nd at FB Rochelle a priority so that you will understand better we are God's miracles "For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago" (Eph. 2:10). Out of our Lord's great love for us and desire that we be all He has predestined for us in that abundant life, He has given Joyce Compton just what He would have for us that day. We look forward to seeing you! Coffee, a delectable breakfast bar, and registration begin at 9:00 with the conference starting at 10:00 to 3:00 which includes

a delicious lunch and many door prizes. The cost is \$10 at the door and we are asking if possible to RSVP to the church office at 229-365-7286 as soon as possible for preparation of food. Please pray for Joyce, for Basik Truth who will be leading our music, for all the ladies who will hear and heed God's call to come, and for those who would like to but are not able due to illness.

NAMB Prayer Focus-Texas: Duane and Iris Blue are evangelism missionaries serving through Victory Baptist Church in Scurry, Texas. Duane shared, "Iris is losing her vision. She has lost all her vision in one eye and almost 60 percent in the other. Pray for her and that God would lead us and give us wisdom."

IMB Prayer Focus-European Peoples: Pray Russian speaking women of Eastern Europe would clearly hear the gospel, repent, and believe as they interact with women from a local church plant through a group for moms. Pray they would turn to Christ and follow Him and that those in their households would follow Him also. Also, please continue to pray for our Macey Sutton in Cologne, Germany as she serves our Lord there in spreading the gospel "to the ends of the earth" (Acts 1:8).

*In Christ's Service,
Sibbie*



**Combined
WMU Groups
August 19, 2025
7:00 p.m.**

Men's Ministry

There were 26 men present at the July meeting. Stevie Harden gave a short devotion after then all enjoyed breakfast and fellowship. The next meeting will be August 10th.

Call Out To Him

O God, have mercy! I look to you for protection... I cry out to God most High, to God who will fulfill his purpose for me. Psalm 57:1-2

Are there obstacles or difficulties that seem to block you from fulfilling God's purposes for your life? Perhaps you've worried, planned, and toiled but have ultimately failed to achieve what you desire, and despair is beginning to settle in. If so, it is time for you to stop doing and begin asking.

Friend, the Lord Your God is sovereign. He can soften hearts that you could never touch, change circumstances beyond your control, provide resources you can't even dream of attaining, and untangle messes that seem unredeemable. And He is waiting for you to cry out to Him for deliverance.

Friend, it is sheer pride that keeps you relying on yourself rather than depending on and obeying your heavenly Father, who wants to be your strength, your life, and your all. Stop trying to figure everything out. Kneel before Him and leave all that concerns you in His hands. He will not fail you.

In His Presence...

trust Him to fulfill His purposes for you.

Donnie Clack



Food Ministry

Food Packing **August 21st**
 Food Distribution **August 23rd**

Don't Forget To Tithe

There are several ways to do this:

- Put in offering boxes between Sunday School Rooms & Sanctuary
- Mail a check to P.O. Box 566
- Give online at fbcofrochelle.com
- Use the offering plate as it is passed
- Text "GIVE" to 229-466-4681 and follow the prompts
- Scan the QR code and follow the prompts.



Ladies Conference 2025

August 2, 2025

9:00am-3:00pm

Speaker: Joyce Compton
Music: Basik Truth

- Door Prizes
- Great Food
- Bible Study
- Fellowship

\$10
at the door

TEAM JESUS

Come dressed in your favorite team jersey or apparel

August 24th 11:00 a.m.

Tailgate Party **9:00 a.m.**
 Fellowship Hall

Brotherhood Breakfast

August 10th 9:00 a.m.

All Men Are Invited



Baby Shower

Mary Kate Courson

Fellowship Hall

August 10th 2:00-3:30 p.m.



Family Night

August 13th 7:00 p.m.

Bring Your Favorite Dish

Bridal Shower

Meredith McGlamory

Kimbrel

Fellowship Hall

August 17th 2:30-3:30 p.m.

