

Monday

Upward:

Confession: Isaiah 1:18

“Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.”

Praise: 1 Timothy 1:17

To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Inward:

Colossians 3:16

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

- Pray for Will Dyer, Pastor, and Jim Walls, Associate Pastor.
- Pray for Jennifer Huston, Melissa Willis, Lori McPherson and Leah Galey as they lead our weekday and children’s ministries. Pray God will equip them as they lead, giving them His wisdom and discernment.
- Pray our Sunday School teachers will teach God’s truth.
- Ask God to grow our members into a mature faith and knowledge of Scripture to learn to be united. And teach us to be willing to give up ourselves for others.
- Pray for these committees: Hospitality/Reception Ministry Team, Activities Committee, Worship Care Ministry Team, Preschool Children's Committee, and Scholarship/Education Committee
- Sunday School Classes: Preschool (babies-K), Collins Class, Friendship Class, Young Adults, Grades 1-5)
- Pray for our ministries of care to our homebound members.
- Pray for our ministries of care to people in the hospital, the flower committee members, church staff, and caring friends.
- Pray for specific deacons that you personally know.
- Pray for Passport Kids Cmp and Vacation Bible School.
- Pray the FBC will show the love of Christ in each of our Mission Ministries.
- Pray for the hiring and transition of a new Director of Weekday Education.

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Upward:

Confession: Matthew 22:37-39

And he said to him, You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Praise: Revelation 1:5b-6

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen

Inward:

Colossians 1:9-11

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy.

- Pray that our Ministers, Church Staff, Church Moderators, and Church Leaders will trust in the Lord with all their hearts.
- Pray that we do not compromise on the doctrinal absolutes that unite all true believers, for the gospel is the Truth.
- Pray that our regular attendees will communicate with members who have been absent from worship services and Bible Study.
- Pray for our Administrative Support Staff: George Berry, Cyndi Busby, Elizabeth Chao, Luci Worthington, Tommy Payne, Susan Jones, Shirley Lescantz, Lavinia Polatty and Leah Galey.
- Pray for Kurt Wachtel, Minister of Music, Dan Gaudinier, Minister of Contemporary Worship, Rebecca Hughes, Interim Children's Music Coordinator, Les Reagan, pianist, Wayne Lord, organist, the orchestra and handbells as they lead our Music Ministry.
- Pray that our musical offerings will glorify God.
- Pray that God would inspire our teachers and raise up new teachers so that all age groups would have classes that are Biblical, practical and application-based.

Prayers for your family:

Prayers for your church:

Wednesday

Upward:

Confession: 1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Praise: Jude 1:24,25

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

Inward:

Ephesians 4:22-24

Put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.

- Pray that our marriages and families will grow strong in grace, forgiveness, and Christ-like love, and to unify the family structure in our country.
- Pray for these committees and councils: Committee on Committees, Ministers' Advisory Council, Missions Development Council, Baptismal Ministry Team, and Adult Bible Study Committee.
- Pray that the people of FBC Augusta will continue to reflect, listen, and be obedient to God's calling in our personal efforts of using our time, talent, treasures and testimony.
- Pray for these Sunday School classes: Esther Class, Thankful Class
- Pray for members of our Membership Ministry Team to develop a real passion for reaching out to visitors, showing them God's presence and love.
- Pray that our Church would be disciples of Christ, believers who intentionally seek to follow Him and grow in their relationship with Him.
- Pray for Moderator, Les Powell, 1st vice moderator, Beth Becton, and 2nd vice moderator, Nan Shaefer, for wisdom and discernment as they lead.
- Pray for the Sizemore children, Madeline, Chase and Graham

Friday

Upward:

Confession: Psalm 32:1-2

Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

Praise: 2 Peter 3:9

The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.

Inward:

Ephesians: 3:15-19

From whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

- Teach us to submit to the Lordship of Christ.
- Pray for the following committees: By-laws and Standing Rules Committee, Personnel Committee, Investment Committee, Music Committee, Scholarship/Education Committee, Lord's Supper Ministry Team
- Pray for the following church leadership: Sunday School Director, Joe Hardy, our Church Administrator, Kelly Rose, and Senior Adult Director, Paul Moller.
- Pray for the following Sunday School Classes and Communities: George Perkins Community, Bannister Community, Francis Community and Hicks Class.
- Pray for our church's "Green Envelope" support of community, regional, and global missions.
- Pray for more volunteers to serve the golf cart and parking lot crews.

Thursday

Upward:

Confession: Psalm 51:1,2

Have mercy on me, O Lord, according to your steadfast love: according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

Praise: Psalm 34:8

Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!

Inward:

John 15:12,13

This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends

- Pray for the Lord's Supper Committee members as monthly they prepare the elements for communion.
- Pray that the Holy Spirit will convict us individually and corporately of any sins that may be separating us from God.
- For our men's and women's Bible studies -- that they would be successful in discipling, and that more members would be drawn in to the blessing of in-depth study of God's Word
- Pray that our corporate worship would be Holy Spirit directed. Pray that we would worship God both for who He is and for what He does.
- Pray for: Trustees, Finance Committee, Greeters Committee, Wedding Committee, Senior Adult Advisory Council, Memorial Garden Committee
- Pray that our youth would know how much they are loved and cherished by Jesus, their families, and the church. Pray will be bold in their witness for Christ. Pray they will face the many battles that surround them with a shield of faith! Pray that they will not be afraid to be different as they stand for Christ, and that they will own who they are and not rely on the approval of others but on the approval of the One who died for us all.
- Pray for progress in designing a plan to better integrate visitors and new members into the life of our church.
- Pray for all Sunday School/Community groups to intentionally welcome and follow up with visitors, so the visitors will want to become involved at FBC.
- For church debt to be paid off quickly so that our financial focus can be missions and ministry.