



First Baptist Surfside

March 20, 2025 Newsletter

New Young Adult Small Group!

At First Baptist Surfside, small groups are the core ministry of our church. Second only to our time of corporate worship, small groups are the most important time in our weekly schedule. We believe small groups are not just a ministry but the foundation of all ministry in our church.

Why should you be a part of a small group? Simply, a small group is a small gathering of believers (some on campus and some off) that gather for intentional Bible study, fellowship, prayer, encouragement and accountability. Why is small group important? It is a place to belong! It is a small family of believers who know your name, know your struggles, and are there for you through life.

Our goal is to provide small groups of all ages and seasons of life. That's why we are excited that on April 6th Austin and Ally Handy as well as Terry and Debbie Kirby will be launching a new small group for adults in their 20s and 30s. It will meet during the 10:30am hour in the library.

With this group we will now have 16 small groups that meet throughout the week. With that many options there is a place for you! If you are not a part of group, let me encourage you to stop by our Connect Wall this Sunday and find a place you belong!

In Christ,

Pastor Nathan

Sunday's Worship Guide

Unashamed Of The Gospel
Where's Your Joy?; Romans 5:1-11

- I. Forgiveness From The Past (1, 6-11)**
- II. Peace In The Present (2-5)**
- III. Hope For The Future (2)**

Weekly Schedule

Sundays

- 9:00 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups
- 10:30 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups
- 4:00 PM: Choir Practice
- 5:00 PM: Students
- 5:00 PM: Surfside Kids
- 5:30 PM: Adults

Tuesdays

- 7:00 AM: Men's Bible Study/Breakfast at Bob Evans
- 6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

Wednesdays

- 10:00 AM: Prayer Meeting

Small Groups Meet Throughout the Week at Various Locations

Upcoming Schedule

Saturday, March 22

- 2:00 PM: Mother/Son Nerf War

Friday, March 28

- 1:00 PM: Food Pantry

Sunday, March 30

- 11:45 AM: Discover Lunch for New and Prospective Members

Friday, April 11

- 1:00 PM: Food Pantry

Saturday, April 12

- 8:00 AM: Men's Breakfast
- 10:30 AM: wMu

Wednesday, April 16

- 3:00 PM: NHC

Saturday, April 19

- 10:00 AM: Easter Extravaganza Hunt and Games

Sunday, April 20

- 6:30 AM: Sunrise Service at the Surfside Beach Pier
- 7:45 AM: Light Easter Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall
- No PM Activities

Friday, April 25

- 1:00 PM: Food Pantry

Welcome New Members



Please join us in welcoming
Zeke and Caren Pittard
to our
First Baptist Surfside family.

New Member Commissioning

We believe that the Bible emphasizes the importance of church membership. On Sunday **April 6**, we will present all of our new members to the church. If you have begun the membership process but have **not** been presented to the church, please contact the church office or Pastor Nathan.



Mother/Son Nerf War Saturday, March 22 at 2 PM

Ages 2-12

Bring Your Own Nerf Gun (extra available at church)



Discover Lunch

Sunday, March 30 at 11:45 AM

For New and Prospective Members

Call the office to reserve your spot!

Easter Extravaganza Egg Hunt and Games

Saturday, April 19 at 10 AM

Candy and Plastic Egg Donations by April 13

(Drop off in lobby or office)



Easter Sunrise Service

Sunday, April 20 at 6:30 AM

Surfside Pier

(Park Free at River City or Metered Areas Until 8 AM)



Light Easter Breakfast

Sunday, April 20

7:45—10 AM Fellowship Hall

Call the Office to Sign-up



Save the Date

Vacation Bible School

Wonder Junction

June 8-12 6-8 PM

FOOD
Pantry



Surfside Community Ministry Food Pantry

2nd and 4th Fridays at 1 PM

Pantry Needs (Non Perishable Items)

Please no outdated items!

Boxed rice
Bottled juice
Canned fruit

Crackers
Jelly
Noodles

Spaghetti Sauce
Soup
Boxed or canned milk

Canned veggies
Canned meat (SPAM, chicken, etc.)
Instant mashed potatoes