



Welcome to  
**FIRST BAPTIST  
CHURCH OF GASTON**

First Baptist Church  
Gaston

**Sunday, May 17th, 2026**  
**Graduate Recognition**  
**Sunday**



- May 17 Choir practice today at 5:00 pm
- May 18 Women on Mission at 6:00 pm, speaker will be Melissa Goff
- May 22 RA Camp at church, grades 1-6th. Drop off 5:30-7:00 pm
- See Troy Peele for information
- May 24 New Members Class at 9:45 am in the Fellowship Hall
- May 24 White Table presentation & grave decoration at 5:00 pm
- May 25 Church office is closed for Memorial Day
- May 26 Men's Ministry Meeting at 7:00 pm, Terry Pound will be Speaker
- \*Children's Choir Practice every Wednesday at 6:00 pm\**

**CHURCH MEMBERS IN SERVICE:**

**DEACON ON CALL THIS WEEK:**

**May 17** Keith Ray (423) 823-2555

**May 24** Chris Vidrine (803) 513-4915

**EXTENDED CARE TEAM TODAY & NEXT WEEK:**

**May 17** Collette Knight, Jo Lynn Martin, Erin Taylor, Wendy Sanford, Patti Reynolds, Pam Thomas

**May 24** Nicole McLeod, Rhonda Smith, Ally Smith, Tina Sandstrom, Sammy Smith

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP TODAY & NEXT WEEK:**

**May 17** Sunnie Gail Pound, Amber Bachelder, PJ Hathway

**May 24** Sandy Drawdy, Sherry Rampey

**WELCOME TEAM NEXT WEEK:**

**May 24** Keven Caldwell, Collette Knight, Irene Lail, Eddie Knight, Tommi Caldwell, Heather Schoolcraft

**Weekly Schedule**

**Sunday**

9:30 AM Men's Prayer Group

9:45 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Morning Worship

**Monday**

12:30 PM Motivational Monday

**Wednesday**

6:00 PM Family Supper

7:00 PM Midweek Worship,

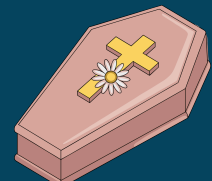
Youth Service, GA, RAs, Mission

Friends & Acteens

**May 10th, 2026**

154 in Small Groups    252 in Worship

148 in Midweek Worship



**SERMON #15**

**'FEAST OR FUNERAL?'**

**1<sup>ST</sup> CORINTHIANS 5:1-13**

Stewardship Report from Sunday, April 26th (doesn't include online giving yet):

\$1,185.00 Given Towards the Field of Dreams Giving Initiative.

\$9,747.30 Given Towards the 2026 Church Budget.

**Church Staff:**

Rev. R. Brady Henderson, Senior Pastor 803-509-3521

Rev. Steve Kittrell, Associate Pastor 803-261-7943

Mrs. Sherrell Ott, Minister of Music 803-622-0982

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Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026

## Sermon #15 in Advance Sermon Series

(1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians)

'Feast or Funeral?'

1st Corinthians 5:1-13

### Call To Worship

Jesus Crew

### Welcome & Opening Scripture

Rev. Steve Kittrell - Isaiah 26:3-4

### Worship through Song

'In Christ Alone'

### Procession of Graduates

### Recognition & Charge to Graduates

Mr. Adam Callahan, Youth Director

### Time of Prayer Over Graduates

Rev. R. Brady Henderson

### Worship through Song

Jesus Crew

### Message

Rev. R. Brady Henderson

### Invitation

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus'

### Benediction

Rev. R. Brady Henderson

### Sermon in a Sentence:

The way that a Church handles sin that involves Church Discipline directly reveals whether they feast on the sin of others (allow it) or mourn over it (fix it).

### Question to Ask:

How do we handle the case of sexual immorality (incest) that Paul brings forward to the Corinthians in a matter of Church Discipline in keeping Christ Church, Holy?

Truth #1: **Mourn** Over the Sin. (vv. 1-2)

Truth #2: **Make** Decisions About Sin. (vv. 3-5)

Truth #3: **Move** the Sin out of the Church. (vv. 6-13)



Feast



or Funeral?

