



Welcome to FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF GASTON

- **May 4** New Members Class 9:45 in the Fellowship Hall
- **May 4** Grief Gathering Group at 3:00 pm
- **May 4** Summersalt Meeting at 5:00 pm in the Upper Room
- **May 7** Spiritual Warriors Luncheon at 11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall
- **May 8** Family Matters 1.0 at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall, sign up in the Welcome Center
- **May 11** Happy Mother's Day, parent/baby dedication during the service
- **May 12** VBS Meeting at 6:00 pm for ALL Workers in the Fellowship Hall

DEACON ON CALL

May 4 Chris Vidrine 803 513-4915

May 11 Allen Ott 803 960-6820

EXTENDED CARE TEAM

May 4 Collette Knight, Jo Lynn Martin,
Wendy Sanford, Patti Reynolds,
Pam Thomas, Erin Taylor

May 11 Amie Cobia, Marissa Bailey,
Rhonda Smith, Christian Chavis,
Sammy Smith, Ally Sanford

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

May 4 Sunnie Gail Pound, Amber Bachelder,
PJ Hathway

May 11 NO Children's Worship
Happy Mother's Day

\$2,001.00 was given towards the
Field of Dreams Giving Initiative

Church Staff:

Rev. Brady Henderson, Senior Pastor 803-509-3521
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Sunday, May 4th, 2025



Gather. Grow. Go.

BIBLICAL

A verse-by-verse
series through the
book of Ezra

BUILDING



TODAY'S SERMON:

'WHEN GOD MOVES GOVERNMENT!'

EZRA 1:1-11



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Call To Worship

"10,000 Reasons" - Praise Team

Welcome & Scripture

Rev. Steve Kittrell - Psalm 136:1-2

Worship in Song

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

"How Great Thou Art"

Prayer

Mr. Walker Spires

Praise Song

"This Is Our God"

Message

Rev. R. Brady Henderson

Invitation

"Have Thine Own Way"

Benediction

Sermon #2 in the Biblical Building Sermon Series

'When God Moves Government!'

Ezra 1:1-11

Rev. R. Brady Henderson

Question to Ask: How does this passage of scripture reveal that God can and does move earthly Governments for His Glory?

Truth #1: The *Probing* of God. (v. 1)

Truth #2: The *Proclamation* Made. (vv. 2-4)

Truth #3: The *Provision* of God through Others. (vv. 5-11)



Mother's Day is NEXT Sunday. I am super excited that during our service we will be having a parent/baby dedication. In addition, for the first time ever, we will have a Mother's Day Panel in which I will interview several Mothers in our congregation from the pulpit and talk about what it means to Biblically try to raise Children in the ways of the Lord. You do not want to miss Mother's Day 2025 at FBCG! Also, Family Matters 1.0 is this coming Thursday at 6:30 PM. Sign up today!

