

THE LEAF

NEWS AND NOTES FROM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FOREST PARK

Green Balls

At FBC Forest Park we have **1 Vision** to see **200 baptisms** through the ministry of our church. That's **1 Percent** of Forest Park! How are we going to achieve that goal? **1 Person** at a time! Put a green ball in the bucket for every person you invite to church. We are **1 Church** united around **1 Mission!**

J.O.Y. Club

At FBC Forest Park we do not have old people. We have Just Older Youth! If you are older in years but still young at heart you are invited to meet us at **Outback** (200 N Park Ct, Stockbridge, GA) on **Tuesday, Apr. 29 at 11:00**. We will gather for food and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there!

First And Foremost

Every **first Sunday** we invite you to return to the church at 4:00 for a time of prayer. Meet us in the chapel and we will guide you as you spend time in the presence of God.



Ask Us Anything

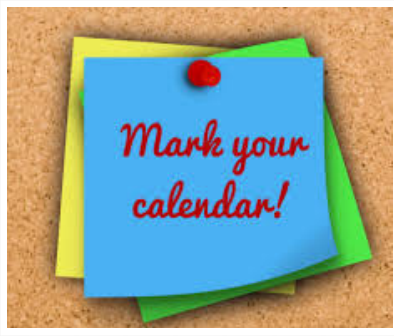
Bring your questions and let's talk about Jesus!

We want First Baptist Church Forest Park to be a place where people are comfortable asking questions and can find answers that satisfy. So, no matter where you are on your spiritual journey, come join us **next Sunday at 4:00 for Ask Us Anything**. This is a laid back informal event where you ask questions and we do our best to answer them. We hope to see you there as together we talk about the Bible, learn about God, and discover His plan!

Food Truck Friday

Join us in the park!

Friday, May 2nd is **Food Truck Friday** in Forest Park. There will be local vendors, music, and an outdoor movie. We need volunteers to setup, help make friendship bracelets, play games, and meet people in our community. These outreach events are so important as we continue to seek 200 baptisms through the ministry of our church. Every baptism is a testimony of Jesus changing someone's life! Every testimony begins with an invitation to church.



Upcoming Events

Apr. 20	- Easter Sunday
Apr. 27	- Ask Us Anything
Apr. 29	- J.O.Y. Club
May 2	- Food Truck Friday
May 4	- First and Foremost Prayer Service
May 11	- Mother's Day
May 18	- Graduate Recognition
May 25	- Ask Us Anything
May 27	- J.O.Y. Club
May 28	- Summer Kick Off Party
June 1	- Lord's Supper - First and Foremost Prayer Service
June 4	- Church Conference
June 6	- Food Truck Friday
June 11	- Wacky Wednesday
June 24	- J.O.Y. Club
June 25	- Wacky Wednesday
June 27-29	- Raceway Ministries Atlanta
July	- No Children's Church on Sundays
July 6	- First and Foremost
July 9	- Wacky Wednesday
July 11	- Food Truck Friday
July 23	- Wacky Wednesday

Role Model Revolution

Join the revolution Wednesday nights at 6:00!

Jesus tells us in Matthew 28:19 to "go and make disciples." What does it mean to "make disciples?" Paul says in 1 Corinthians 11:1, "imitate me as I imitate Christ." Titus is instructed to "teach the older men to exercise self-control, to be worthy of respect, and to live wisely. They must have sound faith and be filled with love and patience." Furthermore "teach the older women to live in a way that honors God. They must not slander others or be heavy drinkers. Instead, they should teach others what is good. These older women must train the younger women." Wow!

To use a modern term, we are called to be role models to others. Every **Wednesday**, we are going to learn how to become role models. We will have a men's group and women's group meeting each Wednesday night.

Join the **Role Model Revolution** on **Wednesdays** at **6:00!**

Calling All Disciple Makers

It's time to get serious about making disciples

Role Model Revolution is off to a great start but that is just the beginning of the movement! BetterMan and Spiritual Mothering are teaching us *how* to make disciples. It's time to start looking ahead to the next phase and actually start *making* disciples!

We are looking for leaders who are ready to invest their time, energy, and resources into discipleship. Here is the commitment:

1. Attend Sunday morning worship services.
2. Attend weekly leadership meetings on Sunday evening beginning Sunday, June 1st.
3. Read a leadership book and be ready to discuss the material at each leadership meeting.
4. Facilitate a Role Model Group table on Wednesday evenings.
5. Meet weekly with 1 or 2 individuals for 1 on 1 discipleship beginning in the Fall semester.

If this excites you and you are ready to get serious about making disciples, please see Elliott for more information.