

Ministry Councils

Christian Formation-Adults

Leader: Paul Grass, 18
Laura Addis, 20
David Bourne, 19
Susan Blackmon, 18
Martha Ann Callahan, 20
Marsha Lipe, 19
Patricia Glazener, 19
Jeff Gorsuch, 20
Ed Graham, 18
*Tommy Bratton

Christian Formation-Children & Students

Leader: Bob Gilkeson, 18
Cady Bell, 19
Sarah Garbee, 20
Hannah Lim, 19
Julie Lovin, 18
Chris Monkaitis, 20
Melanie Pitrolo, 20
Anne Raybon, 18
*Casey Callahan, * Amy Stertz

Congregational Worship

Leader: Jamie Gorsuch, 18
Marilyn Bollinger, 19
Sam Cobb, 20
Debbie Goodwin, 20
Ruth Lennon, 18
Donna Lewis, 18
Mike Lewis, 19
Tara Pratt, 19
Allison Royal, 20
*Clark Sorrells

Missions & Hands-On Ministry

Leader: Cliff Christian, 20
Susan Burns, 18
Sandy Carter, 19
Creighton Cornett, 18
Margaret Henderson, 19
Kara Kelley, 19
Daniel Lewis, 18
Clark Pennell, 20
Jim Worley, 20
*David Blackmon

Communications & Outreach

Leader: Mary Green, 19
Leesa Brandon, 20
Laura Bratton, 18
Buddy Corbin, 20
Scott Embley, 20
Molly Gorsuch, 18
Michael Krooss, 19
Alice Lewis, 19
Tim Wilson, 18
*Leah Brown



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First Baptist Church of Asheville is committed to working with church leaders to creatively and effectively share the events and ministries of our church and our members and the greater community, and to encourage involvement.

We are grateful to leaders who help envision and implement these ministries of our church and want to partner with them to make each ministry an opportunity for spiritual growth in our church family

First Baptist Church of Asheville is a caring and compassionate church which, like Jesus, accepts everyone, and is committed to serving our neighbors, community, and world.



2017-2018 LEADERSHIP GUIDE

Church Staff

Pastoral & Senior Adult Ministries

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Maintenance: Lucile Geter

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Church Leadership

Leadership Terms

The terms for all leadership positions begin in September and end on August 31 of each year. New leaders will begin their service on September 1, 2017. Years listed alongside designate the year the term ends.

Board of Deacons

| Terms Expire 2018 | Terms Expire 2019 | Terms Expire 2020 |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| George Bashor | Kelly Belcher | Mary Cunningham |
| Jan Busey | Jesse Chapman | Jamie Gorsuch |
| Debra Collazo | Bill Clontz | Creighton Cornett |
| Mark Emblar | Frances Corbin | Judson Rotan |
| Buffy Fowler | Carl Dougherty | Beattie Logan |
| Brenda Gorsuch | Jennifer Edney | Bob Gilkeson |
| Bud Hughes | Charlie Glazener | Revonda Young |
| Julianne Lewis | Donna Lewis | Scott Hughes |
| Sandra Martin | Bill Newman | Terry Hamrick |
| Steve Miller | Betty Towery | Darlene Schleider |
| Life Deacon | | |
| Katherine Beaver | Lib Broadway | Everette Clark |
| Dot Hampton | Wade Hampton | Richard Hart, Sr. |
| Wayne Jewsbury | Bill Shackelton | Glenn Wilcox, Sr. |

Deacon Officers

Steve Miller - Chair
Mary Cunningham - 1st Vice-Chair/Chair Elect (Personnel)
Scott Hughes - 2nd Vice-Chair (Leadership Selection)
Brenda Gorsuch - 3rd Vice-Chair (Collaborative Ministry)
Terry Hamrick - 3rd Vice-Chair Elect (Deacon Service)
Kelly Belcher - Secretary

Church Officers

Church Clerk - Cornelia Garbee
Church Historian - Wayne Caldwell

Support Committees

Finance

Chair: Bill Arledge, 20
Bill Clark, 19
Steve Miller, Deacon Chair
Jess Chapman, 18
Nancy Flippin, 20
Wendy Hines, 18
Linda Hughes, 18
Melissa Ledford, 19
Tom Redinger, 20
*Mack Dennis, David Blackmon, Wally Davids

Personnel

Chair: Mary Cunningham, 1st
Vice Chair of Deacons
Jim Baley, 18
Bob Busey, 19
Steve Miller, Deacon Chair
Bill Alredge, Finance Chair
Wayne Jewsbury, 20
Stephanie Kiser, 18
Sandra Martin, 20
Bob Porter, 19
*Mack Dennis, David Blackmon, Wally Davids

Building & Grounds

Chair:
George Bashor, 20
Ron Butler, 18
Nancy Chapman, 20
Dennis Hill, 19
Craig Hopkins, 18
Sam Lewis, 19
Bob Morris, 18
Karen Schneider, 20
Jack Sorrells, 19
*Wally Davids

Endowment

Chair: Dot Goulas, 20
Bill Arledge, 18
Anne Bamberger, 20
Steve Miller, Deacon Chair
Bill Arledge, Finance Chair
Dianne Hughes, 18
Wade Hampton, 19
TBD - Vice-Chair Budget Pledging
*Leah Brown

Child Development Center

Chair: TBA
Tina Bashor, 19
Scott Bell, 20
Marilyn Bollinger, 20
Martha Ann Callahan, 18
Melinda Hopkins, 19
*Tommy Bratton

One Oak

Chair: Bill Anderson, 18
Woody Bolinger, 19
Ron Butler, 20
Ginny Morris, 21
Carole Martin, 22
Roy Feringa (Building Supervisor)
Bob Freeman (Legal)
Steve Miller, Deacon Chair
Martin Lewis (Lewis Real Estate)
*David Blackmon, Wally Davids

Leadership Selection

Chair: Scott Hughes, 2nd Vice
Chair of Deacons
Selected in December 2017