

At First Baptist Church we as a congregation commit ourselves to:

- ♥ being Open and Inclusive
- ♥ striving for unity through Diversity
- ♥ being a supportive extended family
- ♥ being mindful to the power of prayer
- ♥ lifelong Christian Education
- ♥ helping each other through everyday life
- ♥ using our talents and resources to glorify God!

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Worship Service 10:30 am
Summer Service 9:30 am



We invite you to join us for worship and any of the many ministries of our church. All are welcome.



Who are we that call ourselves Baptists?

First Baptist Church of Nashua (FBC) is a part of the Baptist denomination known as American Baptists. As American Baptists we are a self-governing local church, therefore we have no hierarchical governing body. We own our land and buildings and seek to live out the mission and ministry that Christ has given to our church. As American Baptists, we work together with other churches to accomplish the work of Christ in our world.

You can learn more about the American Baptists at www.abc-usa.org or www.abcvnh.org

First Baptist members seek to obey Christ's final command to His followers, namely, to make disciples of all peoples everywhere.

What happens at FBC?

Sunday School

- Infant/Toddler care during worship
- Age 3 -Grade 7 join us in worship through the Children's Message, then leave for their own classrooms
- Grades 8 - 12 and adults at 9:15

Youth Ministry

Choir

- Children's Choir (Grades 2-7)
- Adult Chancel Choir

Tuesday Evening Prayer Meeting

7-8p.m. A time of singing praise to our God, reflection on the Bible and prayer for our world, our church and personal concerns.

Alpha Program

A 10 week course on the basics of the Christian faith for all people who are just wanting to learn more about Christianity. Those new to the faith and also for those who have been Christians for many years.

Coffee Hour:

Coffee Hour: Following each service, we gather to share stories, and strengthen the bonds of fellowship.

Outreach and community support:

- The Nashua Food Pantry
- The Nashua Interfaith Hospitality Network
- The Nashua Soup Kitchen
- The Crop Walk
- And many more



**Who leads
our worship?**

Rev. Dr. Mark Jackson

Mark was born and grew up in Oxford, Mississippi. He holds a BA in Business Administration with a minor in Psychology from the University of Mobile, in Mobile, AL; a Master of Arts in Religious Education from Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth, TX, and a Doctorate in Worship Studies from Northern Seminary in Lombard, IL. Mark was called to FBC in July 2002. Prior to this he served as Chaplain at the Baddour Center in Senatobia Mississippi (a residential facility for adults diagnosed with mild and moderate mental retardation), Knollwood Baptist Church of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, The First Baptist Church of Sedalia, Missouri and North Irving Baptist Church in Irving, Texas.

Mark has served as conference leader, retreat leader, and Bible study leader for many churches, retreats and numerous Christian Education and denominational conferences. He also is a Charter member of the American Association of Christian Counselors.

Mark enjoys snow skiing, traveling, tennis and just being out of doors. He is married to Laura Harrison Jackson and they have daughter, Alyssa.