

# March 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Sunshine Grp Mall Mondays 9 am	3	4 Ladies Crochet Group 12:30 pm Truth/Training Team Mtg 7:30 pm	5	6	7
8 Deacon's Meeting 8:30 am Community Music/ Fellowship 6 pm	9 Sunshine Grp Mall Mondays 9 am	10	11 Ladies Crochet Group 12:30 pm	12	13	14
15 Deacon Luncheon 11:30 am Admin Team Meeting 5 pm	16 Sunshine Grp Mall Mondays 9 am	17 St. Patrick's Day 	18 Ladies Crochet Group 12:30 pm	19	20 	21 Ladies Thrift Tea Party 10 am-12 pm
22	23 Sunshine Grp Mall Mondays 9 am	24 Kickball begins	25 Ladies Crochet Group 12:30 pm	26	27	28
29 Palm Sunday Spring Fling 4 - 6 pm	30 Sunshine Grp Mall Mondays 9 am	31 				

## The Good News of Second Baptist Church



### March 2026

#### PASTORAL STAFF

**Daniel Harding**  
Pastor

**Clint & Harriet  
Bowman**  
Mission Development

**Mike Carter**  
Minister of Music

**Joey Fitzgerald**  
Student Minister

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#### From the Pastor

As the weather warms, many of our schedules begin to fill quickly. The needs of our families, jobs, community, and even the church can leave us feeling stretched and distracted. Below are three meaningful opportunities our church will be leading or participating in during the month of March. Additional details for each event can be found on the following pages of this newsletter.

#### **March 14–20 | Puerto Rico Mission Trip**

For the second year in a row, Bro. Clint will be leading a group from our church to spend a week ministering, working, sharing the Gospel, and planting seeds of hope in Puerto Rico. Through Bro. Joey's leadership at South Georgia State College in the Baptist College Ministry, participants from our church will be joined by high school and college students from other churches in our area. This team will consist of 12 individuals. As their church family, we have a significant responsibility to pray for them and encourage them as they prepare and travel.

#### **March 21 | Ladies' Thrift-Tea Party**

All ladies are invited to gather for a delightful time of food, games, and fellowship. This tea party will celebrate creativity and simplicity—using items we already have, can borrow, or find second-hand. It is a wonderful opportunity to connect with other women in our church, enjoy food and fun, and consider inviting a friend or coworker to Second Baptist.

#### **March 24 | Kickball Begins**

Our young adults in the community have a genuine need for fun and healthy interactions with peers and mentors. As a church blessed with space and facilities, we are uniquely positioned to help meet this need. Whether they are just out of high school and discerning what comes next, or have returned to Waycross as part of our local workforce, young adults need places where their energy and creativity—gifts from God—are welcomed and encouraged. This ministry offers us a meaningful opportunity to become a gathering place where they are loved, supported, blessed, and challenged. Please encourage any young adults you know to sign up and join us for these evenings.

Each of these dates represents a real opportunity for our church to reach far beyond the address of 301 Tomberlin Road. We ask you to commit to praying for these efforts and to join us where you are able, as together we seek to reach beyond our walls and live out the calling God has placed before us.

Bro. Daniel

## Ministry Schedule

Please go to the Church website at [secondbaptistwaycross.com](http://secondbaptistwaycross.com) for access to videos and class schedules.

## Ministry Supper

Supper is served each Wednesday evening in the Fellowship Hall from 5:30 to 6:00 pm. **Suggested donations - \$5.00 per person or \$15.00 per family.** Take-out plates are \$6.00 per plate.

## Menu

- March 4 ~ Tacos
- March 11 ~ Hamb./Hot Dogs
- March 18 ~ Pancake Breakfast
- March 25 ~ Chicken Tenders



## Music Ministry ~ Mike Carter

Greetings Church family,

We will have some special musical programs during the months of March and April. On March 8th, we will have a combined choir and orchestra with Sweat Memorial Baptist Church. That worship event will start at 6 pm. In April, we will be leading worship with some special Easter music. Come join us as we sing about our Savior!! See Bro. Mike for any questions you have about the Music ministry at Second. Praising Him! Mike Carter

## Deacon Luncheon

**Sunday, March 15 @ 11:30 am**

Widows & Widowers who are being served by our Deacons are invited to attend. All inactive deacons and their families are also welcome.

## Spring Fling ~ March 29

**4:00 - 6:00 pm at the Property**  
**Egg Hunt at 4:30 pm for kids thru 5th grade ~ Eat at 5 pm**

Hamburgers and Hot Dogs will be served. Bring your favorite sides/desserts. Please enter at Riley Rd. and drive slowly in consideration of our neighbors.



## Ministry Schedule

### SUNDAY

Sunday School	9:30 am
<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>
Children's Church	
<b>No Evening Worship</b>	

### WEDNESDAY

Ministry Supper	5:30 - 6:00 pm
OASIS Kids	6:15 - 7:30 pm
Youth	6:15 - 7:30 pm
Adult Prayer & Bible Study	6:15 - 7:15 pm
Adult Choir Practice	7:30 pm

## Church Staff

<b>Misty Perkins</b>	Financial Secretary
<b>Belinda Thompson</b>	Secretary/Receptionist
<b>Bonnie Crews</b>	Church Custodian
<b>Henry Ross</b>	Maintenance

## Monthly Stewardship Report

Month of February

S. S. Attendance Average	151
Contributions	\$ 27,404.83



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## Deadlines

Items for the April 2026 Newsletter are DUE by March 20.  
 All items for the Sunday Bulletins are DUE each Wednesday.

## CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

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[www.secondbaptistwaycross.com](http://www.secondbaptistwaycross.com)

### Our Purpose Statement

Second Baptist Church unites in fellowship and love to exalt our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, to evangelize the lost, and to edify and equip the saints for the work of the ministry.

### Our Vision Statement

Second Baptist Church, as an Acts 1:8 church, seeks to honor God and join Him in growing Kingdom Ministry in the Waycross/Ware County Area, Georgia, America and the World through: Exciting Worship, Challenging Discipleship, Effective Evangelism.



Please join us for a

# Thrift-Tea Party

Second Baptist Church  
 March 21, 2026  
 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

*Where elegance meets bargains*

All women are invited to come dressed in her best *Thrifted* fancy with teacup in tow!

Want to share what is already in your closet with others? You can place them on the clothing rack in the social hall.

*Childcare not provided*  
*Sign-up sheet is in the hallway or Register Here*



## Missions & Outreach ~ Clint Bowman

Again, a big thanks to our wheelchair ramp crew for the good but hard work on the Pierce county ramp project on last March 19th. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are believers and their church in Homerville got behind supporting them in that project by paying for the wood. Our team was a huge blessing to them.

Please keep our Puerto Rico team in your prayers as we travel March 14th and return March 20th. We are excited about where we are going and how the Lord has formed this team for this specific task. We are actually going to assist Send Relief and a type of Called to Care organization! The country coordinator called and asked if we would be willing to change from going back to the city of Ponce and instead go to another part of the island for this special project. Keep us in your prayers, please.

Men, mark your calendars for April 17th. We are planning a men's outing to watch a semi pro baseball game in Jacksonville. We are leaving to head to the game at 4pm that afternoon. This might be a good time to invite a friend who needs a church home to come and hang out with us.

Our annual Annie Armstrong emphasis will be held the month of April. Throughout that month, please be praying often for our home missionaries as they labor here in the US. Many of them work in large cities and among peoples that the general church often overlooks. This isn't always easy work. An example is Kirk Kellog who weekly hosts a table in the student center area of a large eastern university in Virginia. He offers Bibles and other materials to anyone who wants to stop and talk with him and he often is engaged in conversation by Muslim students. Kirk is a "part time" home missionary who splits his time between working with the North American Mission Board of the SBC and the Global Gates missionary organization. Our goal this year is \$4,300. Last year our goal was \$3,800, I believe. We exceeded that goal by a good bit. If 86 of us give \$50 we will meet this year's goal. Think of the impact your gift could have for a young Muslim female student attending that university on a student visa who, for the first time, is in an environment where she can explore the Christian faith on her own without the threat of immediate and severe persecution from her family. We will put out the Annie Armstrong offering envelopes at the end of March. Please plan and pray now for how you will help in this special offering.

I am planning for us to do a door to door outreach effort in a local neighborhood the first Saturday in April (the 4th) at 11am. We will hand out gift bags and invite them to the Easter service on Sunday the 5th. Let me know if you would be willing to help with that effort. We will prepare the gift bags on Wednesday evening after prayer meeting; should only take about 20 minutes. If you are in the choir, go ahead to the choir and the rest of us will prepare the bags. We only need about 10 folks to do this.

## Memorials

In Memory of Claud P. Goble, Jr.  
by The Bereavement Committee

In Memory of Jerry L. Lariscy, Sr.  
By The Bereavement Committee

In Memory of Elon Gillis Galloway  
By The Bereavement Committee

## Sunshine Group Mall Mondays

We meet at the mall at 9 am and walk until 9:30 am, then meet at Hog-n-Bones at 9:45 am for breakfast. Put on your walking shoes and come join us!



We have a class for you!

## Ladies Ministry

Ladies, expand your faith; experience God's fire. We will soon begin a new Bible study by Priscilla Shirer called Elijah, April 9 - May 21.

We will meet each Thursday morning at 10:00 am to 11:30 am in Room 304.

All ladies are invited to attend!

Please sign up in middle foyer.

Study guides are \$17 each.

Ladies' crochet group meets every Wednesday from 12:30-2:30 pm. We have recently donated 15 stuffed animals to Called to Care.

Below are some of our crocheted animals that were donated. We crochet items that we choose individually and would love to teach you how to crochet as well. We would love to have you ladies come join us!



The Deacons will meet on Sunday, March 8 at 8:30 am.

## Student Ministry News ~ Joey Fitzgerald, Student Minister

### Psalm 23:3

3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. What a wonderful thought. When we've been depleted, our Lord restores to bring glory to himself!

Upward basketball was once again a great time to be together as a family and church community. Many thanks go to all of the volunteers that make the Upward season. Our D-Now Weekend was great! We had a great opportunity to worship and share in worship with other Baptist youth groups in our community.

We have some family and community fun coming up in our adult coed kickball league. If you're 15 or older and interested in joining in on some healthy fun, be sure to register on our church website: [www.secondbaptistwaycross.com](http://www.secondbaptistwaycross.com)

Please be in prayer for our upcoming mission trip to Puerto Rico. Thank you all for the generous support you've given. We once again look forward to serving the people of Puerto Rico!

Put it on your calendars: teen camp is set for the 2nd week of June!

Thank you for all the goodness you share! God Bless! Pastor Joey

Wednesdays  
6:15 - 7:30 pm



Kids thru  
5th Grade



Registration for the Adult Kickball League will now open. Please go to [secondbaptistchurch.com](http://secondbaptistchurch.com) to register.

Our first game will be March 24.

You have to be at least 15 years old to play.