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## June / July / August

Save the Date

**June** - VBS 6/1-6/5

Ages 4 by 9-1-19—5th Grade

**July**- Passport Camp 3rd—5th grade 7/11—7/14

St. Andrews College Laurinburg, NC

**August**—

Promotion Sunday 8/9 (All kids move to the next grade level class)

Growing In Grace resumes 8/12 (Ages 3 by 9/1/19—5th Grade)



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### A Message from Rebecca Hughes

Our Wednesday night programming has had a big change this year as we have begun a new children’s program called “Growing in Grace”. The name comes from our curriculum that we are using which features wonderful songs rooted in scripture with interactive activities and devotions to reinforce truths from the Bible. Since the start of our Growing in Grace program in August, we have seen wonderful growth, not only in the number of children attending, but in the spiritual lives of our children and teachers. We are truly growing every Wednesday night in God’s amazing grace! We have been blessed with so many wonderful teachers and helpers on Wednesday nights. They thoughtfully plan and prepare for every week and lead with a servant’s heart and so much joy. If you are interested in being a part of our team, please contact us. As our program grows, we are always looking for more leaders!

As we look to the future of our Growing in Grace program, there are exciting things on the horizon! We are looking at new and innovative ways to organize our time on Wednesday nights to best meet the needs of all of our children, and make the most of every moment we have together. We are also excited about adding in a music moment for our youngest children starting in the fall.

God is doing great things at FBC Augusta! What an amazing time to be a part of this church body as we grow together!

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### Ministry Activities

#### Children’s Worship

8:30 and 11:00 Sunday

Children’s Building

K-4th Grade

#### Preschool Worship Care:

8:30 and 11:00 Sunday

Preschool Building

Infants—4 years

#### Bible Study:

9:40 Sunday

Infants—4 years-  
Preschool Building

K-5th Grades—  
Children’s Building

#### Growing In Grace:

6:00 PM Wednesdays

Infants—2 years child-  
care Preschool Building

3 years—4 years Choir

Preschool building

K-5th Grade Choir

Children’s Building



### Upcoming Small Group Opportunities

#### What Happy Couples Know

Small group Marriage Study for Couples Wednesday Evenings March 4, 11, 18 & 25 6-7 PM Adult Bldg. Room 203 Cost is Free.



### March

Bowling Nights at Stars & Strikes—\$15 per person

Mother/Son March 6

Father/Daughter March 7

Register by March 1st

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### April

VBS online Registration opens April 1st! Must be 4 by 9/1/19 to 5th grade. VBS Dates—June 1st—5th

VBS Planning Meeting April 19th 4:00—5:15 pm Walton 101. We still need Adult and Youth volunteers!



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**Breathing Room**—Small Group Women’s Study Wednesday Evening 6-7 & Thursday Morning 9:30—10:30 Weeks of April 15, 22, 29 & May 6 Adult Bldg. Room 203 Cost of book is \$13.00



Mystery Trip for 2nd—5th grade

March 13 & 14 \$130.00 Registration is closed for this trip.

Mystery Trip Parent meeting March 8th at 12:05 in Children’s Worship Area. Trip Clue/overnight adventure will be full of bubbles!

Register by March 2nd for Marriage Small Group and by April 5th for Women’s Small Group study.

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Childcare is available for Wednesday Evening Studies



Summer Playcation & Climbers Club Registration opens March 30th.

See website for more information. DiscoverFBC.org

Mystery Day Trip K-1st grade April 25th. 10:30 AM —4:00 PM

Regular attendance on Sunday or Wednesday night and participate in at least 2 mission projects to attend. Cost is \$30. Register by April 19th. Trip Clue-Our Mystery Day will be filled with Adventure and fun!



**Bible Skillz and Thrillz**—April 26th for 4th and 5th grade children. Come explore the Bible with Fun games. Dress in your best glow in the dark clothes as we learn how to find the fun and amazing facts about God and Jesus. We will play games, have dinner, and explore the thrilling stories about Jesus! Register by April 22nd!

### May

#### Growing in Grace-

May 3rd—End of year program at 5:00 in the Sanctuary. First Grade Bible Presentation will also be that evening. 1st graders will receive an invitation to participate. Please RSVP per instructions on invitation.

May 6th— End of Year parties for Growing in Grace. Last Wednesday night of kids programming for the school year. Growing in Grace will resume on August 12th.

May 10th—Parental Dedication - 8:30 or 11:00 Worship Services. A time for parents to bring their children to dedicate their families to learning and serving God. Invitation letters will be sent to all new parents.

May 17th- Bible Boot Camp 1st—3rd grade 4:30—7:00 pm. Pizza dinner will be served. Come explore the Bible with fun games and activities. We will have scavenger hunts, Minute to Win it games and more. All activities are geared to help children familiarize them-

selves with their Bible and learn more about God’s word. Wear camo if you have it. Register by May 13th. (This will be different from our last Boot Camp. We invite kids that participated in the last one to come to this one as well!)



VBS Prep Days—May 27-29 9:00—1:00 Childcare provided with RSVP to Leah Galey lgaley@fbcaugusta.org

#### Summer Children’s Worship Schedule—July 12,19,26 & August 2

We will have a revised worship schedule on the above dates. Children will begin worship with their parents during both services. Children’s Worship leaders will be available to sit with your child if you are serving in some capacity during that time. At the designated time (usually after the offering) the children will exit the room and go to children’s worship space for their sermon while parents and other adults remain in their Worship Service. We are choosing these 4 Sundays to help transition rising 5th graders into the corporate worship with their parents beginning in August and also for our younger worshippers to get the chance to worship with their families.

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