

## First Baptist Church Profile

At First Baptist, our mission is to exalt God by providing a place where believers can be involved in genuine worship, fellowship, prayer, learning God's Word, and presenting the gospel to the surrounding area and to the world. We strive to achieve our mission by being a family friendly, biblically conservative, evangelism-oriented church that focuses on strong discipleship, missionary outreach, and promoting the Good News of the gospel of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. For more information about our story click here: ([https://www.fbcmiff.com/about\\_us](https://www.fbcmiff.com/about_us)

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We currently have two Morning Worship Services (8 and 10:30) which consistently have a combined attendance of 140-150. Our congregation uses a wide variety of Bible translations (ESV, NASB, KJV, NKJV, NET, NIV) and believes in the inspiration and inerrancy of the Scriptures. Along with this high regard of Scripture, our congregation values a Pastor whose preaching adheres to the principles specified in 2 Timothy 4:2. Our worship music includes a blend of older & newer hymns as well as biblically sound praise & worship songs.

We are an independent Baptist church not in subjection to any denomination or organization. However, we are affiliated with the Venture Church Network, formerly Conservative Baptist Association of America and its regional chapter, Mission Mid-Atlantic. We presently help support 31 active missionaries and missionary endeavors. With a commitment of showing the love of Christ towards our community, we also house the following programs: Mothers of Preschool Students (MOPS), Release Time, American Heritage Girls, AWANA, Vacation Bible School, Free Movie Nights, and other periodical activities.

The Lord has blessed us with several acres of land and three buildings: the main church building which contains the sanctuary, classrooms, a library, and offices; a Parsonage; and a Family Life Center which contains the gymnasium, kitchen, and additional classrooms.