

From Our Pastor

Our Senior Pastor, Michael Howard Jr., and his wife, Katie, were born and raised in Powhatan, VA. He holds a Master of Arts in Religion from



Michael and Katie have two sons, Beckett and Everett.

Liberty Baptist Theological Seminary in Lynchburg, VA. Michael arrived at Seaford Baptist in October 2011 to take the position of Student Pastor. In October 2013, he was voted in as Senior Pastor.

Thank you for taking the time to take a look at who we are and what we are all about at Seaford Baptist Church. I am so excited about the ways in which God is advancing His kingdom and Gospel through the ministry of our local church. One of the greatest joys of my life has been being able to be the pastor here at Seaford Baptist. In light of that, if I can personally answer any further questions you have about our church, I would love to provide those answers. Feel free to contact me or someone else on our ministerial staff through our church office.

Together We Point to Christ,

Pastor Michael

How To Get Involved

Each believer is called to make a personal commitment to Christ. We believe that such a commitment is to be lived out corporately in the context of a local church. Membership at SBC is not a loose affiliation useful only on occasion, but a regular responsibility involving us in one another's lives for the purpose of the Gospel.

Therefore, the first and best way to get involved at SBC is to become a member. As members, we covenant together to care for each other, to encourage each other and to hold each other accountable to the truths found in God's Word.

Anyone who follows the instruction of Jesus to repent and be baptized, who believes the Bible to be God's Word and who is willing to commit to the life and faith of this local body may become a member.

If you are interested in membership at SBC, please attend our membership course entitled *STEPS*, which is offered twice a year.

For more detailed information on anything contained within this brochure, we invite you to call the church office or visit our website.

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General Information



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Our Church

Welcome

We are glad you are interested in learning more about our church. This brochure is intended to answer some of the questions you may have about SBC. If you would like more information, please contact us.

Faith

We believe in one holy God, Creator of the universe and of all people. We also confess our rebellion against Him and recognize that justice demands death as the penalty for our sin. We believe that Jesus Christ lived a perfect and sinless life and died on the cross as our substitute. Three days later he rose from the grave, triumphant over sin and death. Through faith in Christ, we are freely and graciously forgiven by God, justified in His sight and promised eternal life. God restores us to fellowship with Himself and with each other and equips us by His Spirit to live for His glory.

Mission and Vision

Together we point to Christ by making disciples in the light of the Gospel. We accomplish this by being:

God-Focused: We see the Lord for who He is and respond by making much of Him in all that we do.

Gospel-Centered: We operate with the Gospel as the foundation for all that we do.

Word-Driven: We allow the Bible to dictate what we believe, what we treasure and what we do.

Spirit-Led: We obediently follow the Holy Spirit as our sovereign and divine Leader.

Our Meetings

Sunday

9 a.m. Bible Studies

SeafordKids (Children)
SeafordStudents (Middle & High School)
Adults

A time to receive teaching and training to assist us in our discipleship

10 a.m. Worship Service

Our main meeting where we worship God as we hear and respond to His Word

Wednesday

6:15 p.m. Family GrowthPoint

Bible study and programs for all members of the family and the easiest way to be connected at SBC.

Baptism

We periodically celebrate the baptism of those who profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and whose lives evidence genuine repentance of sin. If you are a believer and would like to talk to someone about following our Lord's command to be baptized, please contact us at the church office.

The Lord's Supper

We celebrate the Lord's Supper on the first Sunday of each month. As we do, we recall the death and resurrection of Jesus, renew our commitment to His church and look forward to His return.

Our Ministries

Children & Youth—Activities include Sunday Bible studies, Wee Praise, Kids Praise, and Upward Basketball.

Students—Ministry to students includes Sunday Bible studies, GrowthPoint activities, mission trips and other student outings.

Adults—Opportunities to learn and grow together with others in Sunday and Tuesday weekly Bible studies and GrowthPoint activities.

Local Missions—Through prayer, time and money, we support local ministries that work to relieve the poor and spread the Gospel. In addition, we offer a Food Pantry for those associated with our congregation and do work with the homeless in our community.

Foreign Missions— We send and support Christian workers to spread the Gospel worldwide.

Our Ministry Team

Senior PastorMichael Howard, Jr.

Worship PastorEric Spence

Student PastorDavid Bass

Children's Ministry Kimberly Millner

Office Manager Britany Ollenberger

Administrative Assistant Hannah Baker