



## We are American Baptists

### First Baptist Church of Attleboro

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## Our Mission

The mission of First Baptist Church in Attleboro is to invite and include people in the reconciling and healing love of God, as shown us in Jesus Christ. Through worship, education, fellowship and service, we follow Christ, celebrating the gift of diversity and seeking unity.

We believe that the church and individual members have the freedom and responsibility to develop their own faith and practice with God's guidance through the Bible, the Holy Spirit, and the American Baptist tradition.

### 10 Facts About American Baptists

1. We believe that Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior, and that the Bible is the divinely inspired word of God that serves as the final written authority for living out the Christian faith.
2. The local church is the fundamental unit of mission in denominational life.
3. We partake of two ordinances: believers' baptism and The Lord's Supper
4. We believe that the committed individual Christian can and should approach God directly, and that individual gifts of ministry should be shared.
5. We take seriously the call to evangelism and missionary work.
6. We support religious freedom and respect the expressions of faith of others.

7. We acknowledge that God's family extends beyond our local churches, and that God calls us to be cooperative ministries.
8. We have been called to be Christ's witnesses for justice and wholeness within a broken society.
9. We celebrate the racial, cultural and theological diversity witnessed within our membership.
10. We heed the biblical call to renewal and the need for a vital witness in a new millennium.



## Worship

We have worship service every Sunday at 10 AM from September through June (and at 9 AM July and August). All are welcome

We value worshipping with our ecumenical and interfaith neighbors, participating in joint services with the Attleboro Area Interfaith Collaborative and Second Congregational Church.

## Life of the Church

Our church has a very active calendar of events. There is something for everyone! Examples include Bible studies, craft nights, choir, book club, game nights, mission projects (Community Baby Shower and Build a Bed are two examples), concerts, an annual fair and more.

We welcome your participation and ideas.

Please click on the Events heading to see a list of upcoming and past events.