

EMILY HARBIN

MINISTER TO STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS

Emily Harbin joined First Baptist as the Minister to College Students in August 2017. In the fall of 2018, she assumed responsibility for our Youth Program as well. She leads Wednesday night Youth Activities, teaches the College Sunday School class, and is leading the Young Adult Group. Emily Emily also coordinates activities for students including local mission projects and fellowship events. She is passionate about intergenerational activities, and works to connect students into the life of the church.

Emily is a student at McAfee School of Theology working on her Master of Divinity with a focus in Congregational Ministry. Emily was awarded the McAfee Leadership Scholarship upon her admittance in 2017.

Emily has a B.A. in Family and Consumer Sciences from the University of Georgia. During her time in Athens she worked at the Boys and Girls Club on 4th Street and completed an internship at the Lake Oconee Community Church in Greensboro, GA. She was active in Greek life and participated in Dawg Day of Service. After graduating, she served for two years as Director of Youth and Children's Ministries at Madison Baptist Church in Madison, GA.

Emily grew up in Dalton, GA, where she was active in the children's and youth ministries of First Baptist Dalton. Raised by two UGA graduates, Emily is proud to claim her Bulldog roots and grateful to serve the Athens community she calls home.