

Our Vision

The vision of The Barnabas Center is to accept people for who they are without judgment and help bring them to a full understanding of their true identity in Christ. We've pursued this vision since 1995 and by God's grace we have helped over 15,000 individuals and families throughout Savannah and the Coastal Empire.

Our Staff

We have 10 professionally-trained counselors on staff and available to meet you in your time of need:

- Keith Niager, LCSW
- Andrea Liverman, MA, LPC, CPCS, NCC
- Dr. Anne McDaniel, LPC, NCC
- Bill Immell, LPC
- Bob Harvell, LPC
- Bonnie Craven, LPC
- Cathy Clevenger, LSCW, M. Div.
- Emily Reeves, LPC
- Julie Bianchi, LPC
- Jim Bass, LAPC

A more detailed biography for each counselor can be found on our website at barnabascenter.net



Keith Niager, LCSW
Founder & Executive Director

A true family man and kid at heart, Keith Niager is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and the Executive Director of the Barnabas Center for Counseling. Keith is an ordained Minister and a Member of the American Association of Christian Counselors. He has over 35 years of experience in marriage and family therapy working with kids, adolescents and adults.

Over the years, Keith has conducted dozens of workshops and retreats covering a variety of topics including marriage enrichment, parenting, workplace conflict and abuse recovery.

He has been involved in giving back to the Savannah community for over 30 years where he lives with his wife, Janet. They have two grown children, Megan and Jeremy.



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In Biblical times, Barnabas was a man known as the "Son of Encouragement" because of his ability to encourage and empower those who were struggling.

Named after his character and heart for those in need, our desire is to do the same for you.

Our Services

The Barnabas Center for Counseling offers individual, marriage and family therapy for children, adolescents and adults. All of our counselors are licensed by the State of Georgia and have extensive experience dealing with (but not limited to):

- Pre-Marital, Marriage & Divorce Recovery
- Parenting and Family
- Child & Adolescent Issues
- Sexual & Physical Abuse
- Domestic Violence
- Depression, Anxiety, Stress & Burnout
- Attention Deficit Disorders
- Grief Counseling
- Anger Management

Our Workshops

We conduct numerous workshops and retreats covering a range of topics that can be tailored to meet your needs. Some topics include:

- Parenting Skills
- Marriage Enrichment
- Coping with Depression
- Divorce Recovery
- Pastors and Congregation in Crisis

Our Mission Statement

The mission statement of the Barnabas Center for Counseling is to accept people where they are without judgment and help bring them to a full understanding of their true identity in Christ.

Our counseling is based on the belief that the Bible is the inspired word of God and is “profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness.” (II Timothy 3:16). Our counselors are committed to service God and being used as His instrument in the lives of others.

Our Philosophy

The Barnabas Center for Counseling was founded after prayerful consideration based on the desire to provide a solid and Biblically based treatment that is both Christ-centered and affordable.

Of equal importance is to have a community-based environment supported by the city we represent. We are a 501c3 corporation and are eligible to receive donations from churches, businesses and individuals. These donations allow us to offer a reduced rate for those who qualify. To make a donation please visit our website.

Our Board of Directors reflects our commitment to the Coastal Empire, made up of individuals who represent a cross section of the community who all share in the vision of furthering the cause of Christ.

Our Promise

Our doors are open to everyone regardless of age, race, sex or religious affiliation

Our sessions are covered by most health insurance plans and we offer a reduced rate to those who qualify. (Please call our office for more information).

Our appointments are scheduled based on imminent need and counselor availability, but our goal is to set up your initial visit as quickly as possible.

Our Partners

Barnabas Partners is a new opportunity for pastors to connect their congregation with the Barnabas Center for Counseling.

The mission of Barnabas Partners is to walk alongside pastors as they care for their church body. With per-session discounts and access to a counselor for seminars and workshops throughout the year, pastors can choose from five commitment levels.

To learn more about becoming a Barnabas Partner, call our office or visit our website.