



# BUYERS GUIDE TO STAINED GLASS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES

Selecting, commissioning and  
buying the right stained glass  
for your Baptist church

# A BRIEF GUIDE TO STAINED GLASS FOR THE BAPTIST CHURCH

## INTRODUCTION TO BAPTIST STAINED GLASS

While **stained glass** is used in almost all Christian denominations, this guide is designed as an introduction to **stained glass for Baptist churches**.

## WHY STAINED GLASS IN A BAPTIST CHURCH?

**Stained glass art** provides a **visual language**, a **visual sermon**. Jesus spoke in language that was filled with visual imagery to represent spiritual truths; sheep, wheat, vines and branches. Jesus used physical objects to teach and instruct, like when he used the coin with an image of Caesar. People can hear a verbal message and it can be forgotten, a visual message generally lasts longer.

In addition to its teaching purposes, **stained glass** can help create the sense of a sacred space and a welcoming atmosphere to attract new worshipers or inspire the existing members.

## SYMBOLISM IN BAPTIST STAINED GLASS

**Stained glass in Baptist churches** uses a variety of symbols to represent spiritual truths. These can include **the cross**, **the Bible**, symbols of baptism and symbols of the Lords Supper. Other symbols can include doves, grapes, wheat, fire, water and a range of other imagery.



Stained Glass Window 2984: Arched Panel with Grapes





Stained Glass Window 2750: Grapes Catherine Window

THE WORD WAS THE WORD, AND THE WORD WAS WITH GOD, AND THE WORD WAS GOD. JOHN 1:1  
 WE HAVE BEEN SAVED, THROUGH FAITH – AND THIS IS NOT FROM YOURSELVES, IT IS THE GIFT OF GOD. ROMANS 8:28  
 THAT IN ALL THINGS GOD WORKS FOR THE GOOD OF THOSE WHO LOVE HIM, WHO HAVE HIS PURPOSE. ROMANS 8:28  
 THE WORD BECAME FLESH AND MADE HIS DWELLING AMONG US. JOHN 1:14  
 GLORY OF THE ONE AND ONLY SON, WHO CAME FROM THE FATHER, FULL OF GRACE AND TRUTH. JOHN 1:14  
 TO THE PATTERN OF THIS WORLD, BUT BE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MIND. ROMANS 12:2  
 ABLE TO TEST AND APPROVE WHAT GOD'S WILL IS – HIS GOOD, PLEASING AND PERFECT WILL. ROMANS 12:2  
 ALL YOU WHO ARE WEARY AND BURDENED, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST." MATTHEW 11:28  
 I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD. JOHN 1:9  
 BECAUSE IT IS THE POWER OF GOD THAT BRINGS SALVATION TO EVERYONE WHO BELIEVES. ROMANS 1:16  
 TO THE GENTILE. ROMANS 1:16  
 IF WE CONFESS OUR SINS, HE IS FAITHFUL AND JUST AND WILL PUNISH US FROM ALL UNRIGHTEOUSNESS. 1 JOHN 1:9  
 FOR, "EVERYONE WHO CALLS ON THE NAME OF THE LORD WILL BE SAVED." ROMANS 10:13  
 "A NEW COMMAND I GIVE YOU: LOVE ONE ANOTHER. AS I HAVE LOVED THE WORLD, AND THE WORLD HAS NOT LOVED ME, BUT I HAVE LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONE AND ONLY SON FOR THE WORLD, THAT HE SHOULD NOT PERISH BUT HAVE ETERNAL LIFE." JOHN 3:16  
 JESUS ANSWERED, "I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD. NO ONE COMES TO THE FATHER EXCEPT THROUGH ME." JOHN 14:6  
 FOR IT IS BY FAITH, THROUGH FAITH – AND THIS IS NOT FROM YOURSELVES, IT IS THE GIFT OF GOD. EPHESIANS 2:8  
 AND YOU WILL BE MY WITNESSES IN JERUSALEM AND SAMARIA, AND TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH." ACTS 1:8  
 ALL SCRIPTURE IS GOD-BREATHED AND USEFUL FOR TEACHING, REBUKING, CORRECTING AND TRAINING IN RIGHTEOUSNESS. 2 TIMOTHY 3:16  
 JESUS ANSWERED, "YOU, NO ONE CAN ENTER THE KINGDOM OF GOD WITHOUT BEING BORN OF WATER AND THE WORD OF GOD IS ALIVE AND ACTIVE. SHARPER THAN ANY DOUBLE-EDGED SWORD, IT PENETRATES TO THE SOUL AND SPIRIT, JOINTS AND MARROW; IT JUDGES THE THOUGHTS AND ATTITUDES OF THE HEART. IT IS A WITNESS TO TESTIFY CONCERNING THAT LIGHT, SO THAT THROUGH HIM ALL MIGHT BELIEVE. FORMLESS AND EMPTY, DARKNESS WAS OVER THE SURFACE OF THE DEEP, AND THE SPIRIT OF GOD WAS MOVING OVER THE WATERS. GENESIS 1:2  
 THEREFORE CONFESS YOUR SINS TO EACH OTHER AND PRAY FOR EACH OTHER. THE PRAYER OF A RIGHTEOUS PERSON IS POWERFUL AND EFFECTIVE. JAMES 5:16  
 WITH ONE ANOTHER, HAVE THE SAME ATTITUDE OF MIND CHRIST JESUS HAD: PHILIPPIANS 2:5  
 IN EVERY SITUATION, BY PRAYER AND PETITION, WITH THANKSGIVING, FOR THE LORD'S NAME IN CHRIST JESUS OUR LORD. PHILIPPIANS 4:6

Stained Glass Window 3883: Christian Fish with Words of Hope



Stained Glass Window 2289: Pink Cross





Stained Glass Window 12115: Triple Towers



Stained Glass Window 5339: Lilies in Design



Stained Glass Window 2882: Pure White Lilies



# PICTORIAL STAINED GLASS WINDOWS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES



Stained Glass Window 5214:  
Rainbow Stream



Stained Glass Window 5215:  
Trees and Bushes



Stained Glass Window 2906: Magnolias and Irises



Stained Glass Window 5332: Nature's Beauty





Stained Glass Window 2813:  
Ivy Framed Panel



Stained Glass Window 2942:  
Landscape with Waterfall



Stained Glass Window 2837: Essex Panels



Stained Glass Window 2811: Designare

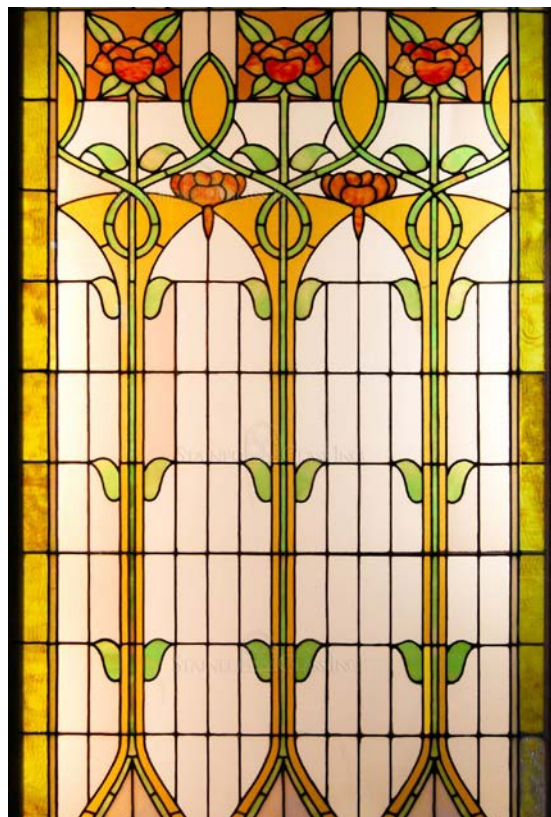


# GEOMETRIC STAINED GLASS WINDOWS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES

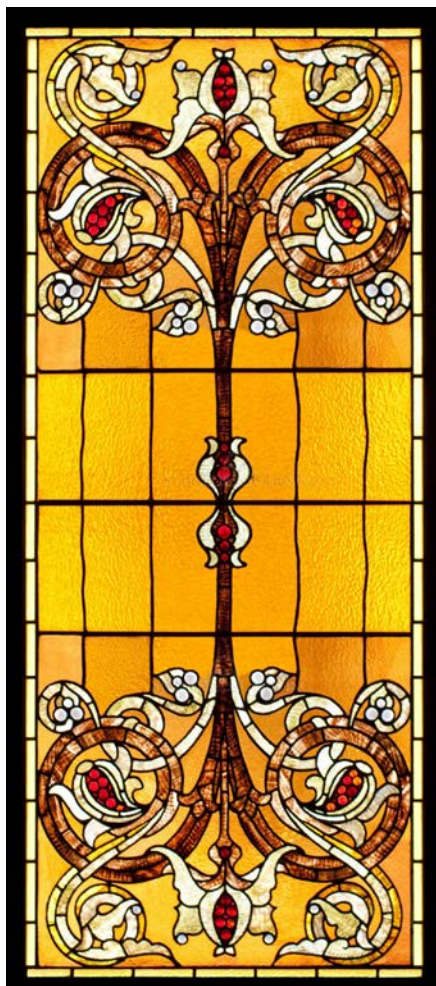


Stained Glass Window 3048: Suffolk Window

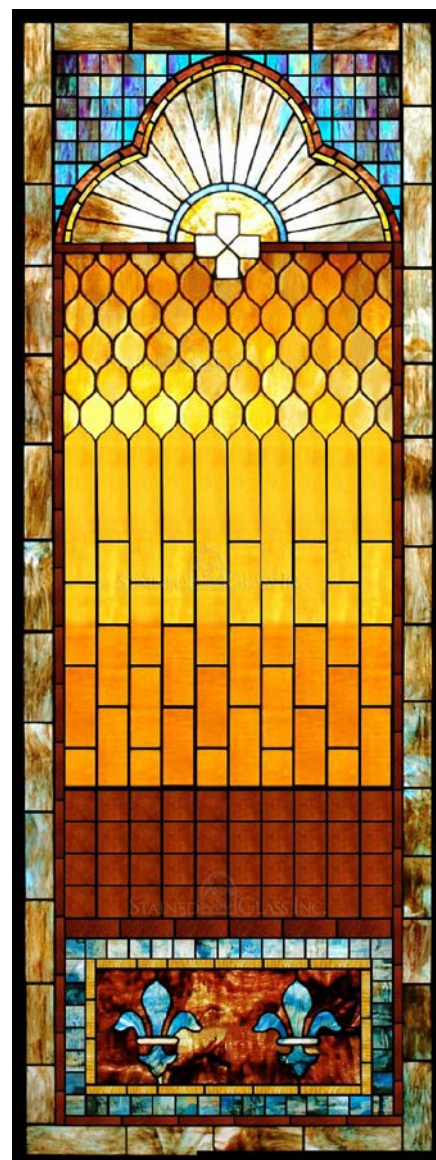
Some Baptists churches have found geometric patterns to be the best fit for their sanctuary. At **Stained Glass Inc.** we offer a range of geometric stained glass panels.



Stained Glass Window 3048: Suffolk Window



Stained Glass Window 2864:  
Choice Stained Glass



Stained Glass Window 2844:  
Delightful Window Panel

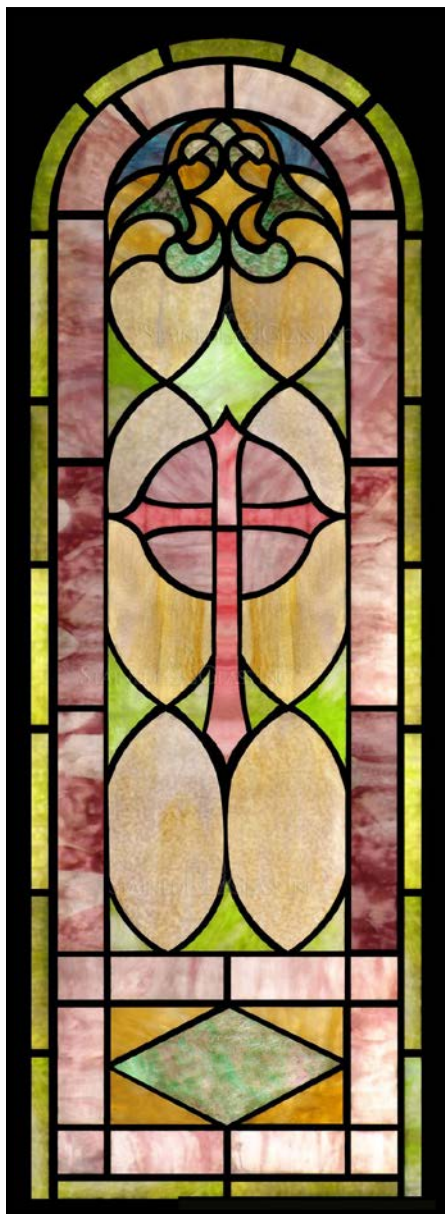




Stained Glass Window 12034: Butterfly Wings



Stained Glass Window 10077: Drink This



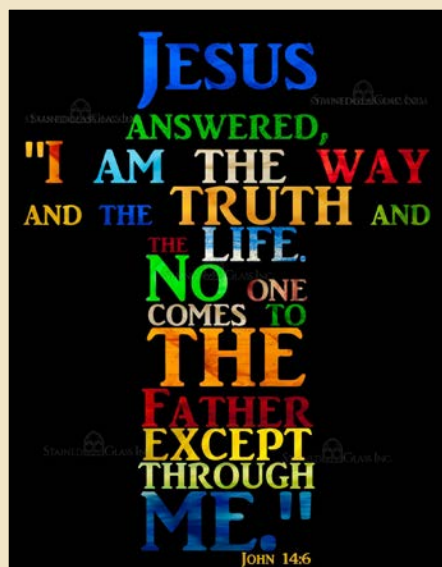
Stained Glass Window 2289: Pink Cross



Stained Glass Window 5344: Light and Symmetry

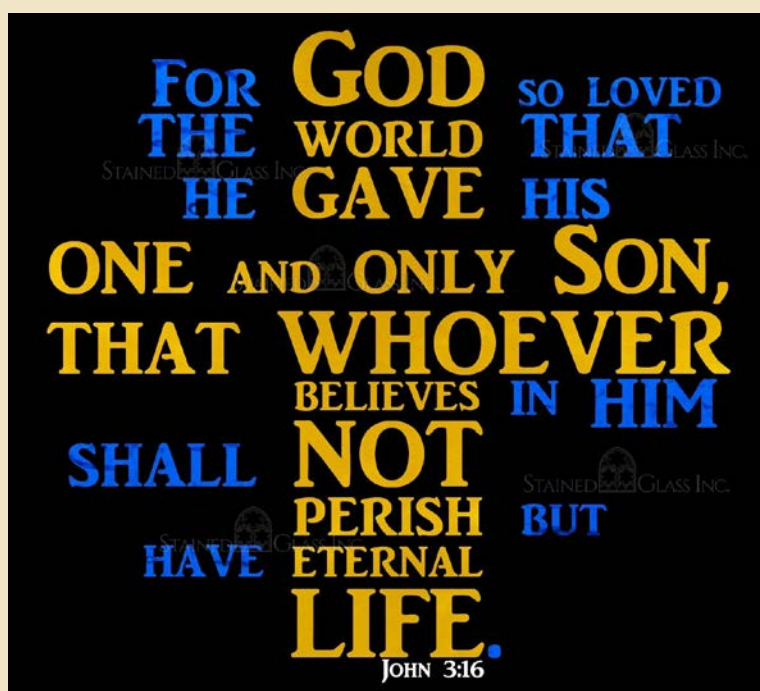


# WORD ART IN BAPTIST STAINED GLASS WINDOWS



Stained Glass Window 3084:  
Cross of Words

**Word art windows** use words to convey the message and the artwork. Some examples are found [here](#).



Stained Glass Window 3085: Cross Words Blue

## MEMORIAL WINDOWS

**Stained glass windows** can serve as memorials in memory of church families or members. The memorials are easily incorporated into **Stained Glass Inc.** windows and can also serve as a funding source for the windows.



Stained Glass Window 2594: Pink Roses

## FUNDRAISING WITH STAINED GLASS

Stained glass can be a great fundraiser for your church. There are several fundraising options for your **stained glass windows**.



Stained Glass Window 2991: Floral Archway



# OPTIONS IN STAINED GLASS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES

## STAINED GLASS WINDOW INSERTS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES

**Stained Glass Inc.** window inserts allow you to easily install stained glass into almost any standard window without replacing windows or messy construction. The inserts install in seconds next to the existing window glass.

- Fast install
- No construction mess
- Energy efficient
- Reduce drafts



## BACKLIT STAINED GLASS PANELS FOR BAPTIST CHURCHES

In addition to **stained glass window** inserts for windows, **Stained Glass Inc.** also offers backlit panels that create illuminated stained glass artworks on any wall. With the flip of a switch, this stained glass is lit from within by a unique long-lasting LED light system built into the artwork. The LEDs provide up to 25,000 hours of illumination. Beautiful lit or unlit.



# SELECTING A SUPPLIER FOR YOUR BAPTIST CHURCH WINDOWS?

## STAINED GLASS INC. WINDOWS ARE:

- 80 times stronger than regular stained glass
- Affordable
- Offer the finest details and artwork anywhere
- Available in various levels of translucency to control light levels
- Easy to install



Stained Glass Window 2971:  
Orange Flower Panel



Stained Glass Window 2972:  
Red Roses Panel



Stained Glass Window 2973:  
Three White Lilies

## STAINED GLASS: THE NEXT STEP

If you need **stained glass for your Baptist church**, we can help you make it happen. Whether you have an existing church, are expanding or are building a new church, **Stained Glass Inc.** offers standard and custom windows that can help deliver your message and serve to inspire and encourage.

When you have questions or need help with your stained glass project **contact us** by email or phone.

We offer assistance, free quotes and friendly service.

**Call us**, we are here to help.