

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Broadcast WCTI Television
Sunday, September 29, 2024

Channel 12 ~ Cable 13
10:15 AM

Please feel free to exchange greetings with one another upon your arrival. We invite you to a time of quiet meditation as the prelude begins.

Prelude Barry Templeton, piano
I Will Call Upon the Lord - arr. Mark Hayes

Welcome and Announcements Kerry Peeler

Invocation Kerry Peeler

Call to Worship Elizabeth and Eva Swicegood

Leader: We will walk this day with You, O God,
and You will walk with us,

People: gathering us into a community to pray for one another in all things.

Leader: We will walk this day with You, O Christ,
and You will walk with us,

People: calling us to follow You, helping us to set aside all which holds us back.

Leader: We will walk this day with you, O Spirit,
and You will walk with us,

People: sending us out, side by side, to serve those who are cast aside by the world.

Leader: Let us worship God!

*Hymn No. 296 HOLY MANNA

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

Here I Am to Worship (297)

Here I am to worship, here I am to bow down,
here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether
lovely, altogether worthy, altogether wonderful to me.

Children's Time Kerry Peeler
(Children ages 4 through 3rd grade will be dismissed to Children's Church)

Old Testament Reading Tracey Lorentzen, deacon
Psalm 124 (Pew Bible 572)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

Morning Prayer Jeremy Slagle

Choral Response Adult Ensemble

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying – Ken Medema

Lord, listen to Your children praying,
Lord, send Your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to Your children praying,
send us love, send us power, send us grace.

*Hymn No. 74 BALM IN GILEAD

There Is a Balm in Gilead

Offertory Bette Jo Oglesby, organ

Jesu, Word of God – W.A. Mozart

*Hymn of Offering Dedication OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Offertory Prayer Kelsie McBride, deacon

Anthem Adult Ensemble

Precious Savior, Still Our Refuge – arr. Cindy Berry

What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins
and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry ev'rything
to God in prayer! Oh, what peace we often forfeit, oh,
what needless pain we bear, all because we do
not carry ev'rything to God in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a
load of care? Does the road seem long and lonely, are we
drowning in despair? Have we trials and temptations? Is
there trouble anywhere? Jesus knows our ev'ry
weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are you leaning, ever leaning, sheltered safe
through all alarms? He will guide you, He will comfort
you in the everlasting arms, the everlasting arms.

Our Protector and Sustainer, source of hope
beyond compare. There's no other friend so faithful,
who will all our sorrows share! In His arms He'll take and
shield thee; thou wilt find a solace there.
Precious Savior, still our refuge, take it to the Lord in prayer.

Sermon Jeremy Slagle

Praying for Others
James 5:13-20

Invitation to Discipleship and Membership Jeremy Slagle

*Hymn of Commitment No. 480 RESCUE

Rescue the Perishing

Sharing of Public Decisions Ministers

*Benediction Kerry Peeler

*Postlude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring - J.S. Bach

*Please stand if able

PRAYER CONCERNS

CHURCH FAMILY

Alan Ashe	Howard Mathews	Patsy Setzer
Valeria Barrow	David Page	Ty Smith
Kathy Daniels	Gwyn Page	Richard Wagner
Mary Lou Harrell	Selma Piner	Jewel Watson
Janice Huggins	Lynn Rausch	Kimsey Welch
Mary Ann Jones	Bobby Reece	Ellen Young

CARE FACILITY & RETIREMENT* RESIDENTS

<u>Cypress Glen—GVL</u> Elizabeth Brinkley	<u>Spring Arbor - KIN</u> Beverly Leathers	<u>Merrill Gardens - NBN</u> Rev. David Page
<u>Champions-WIL</u> Doris Dyson	<u>Woodland Terr - CARY</u> Louise Blizzard*	Gwyn Page Sylvia Pina
<u>Homeplace</u> Christine Peedin	<u>NC Veterans Home - KIN</u> Mary Ellen Kirschner	<u>Riverpoint Crest - NBN</u> Jewel Watson
Rudy Rowe	<u>McCarthy Court—NBN</u> Dot Smith	
Patsy Setzer		

CHURCH FRIENDS

Deborah Ashley (<i>sister Betsy Dickerson</i>)	Matt Kaylor (<i>friend Alicia</i>)
Sheree Bagley (<i>Jennifer Bufford</i>)	Jim/Claudia McManamey (<i>niece</i>)
Jo Ann Banks (<i>Wanda, Chris, & Donna</i>)	Sandy O'Brien (<i>BIL Jerry Hardin</i>)
Jennifer Bernabi (<i>nephew</i>)	Roger Pait (<i>father</i>)
Judy Blythe (<i>Fran Eaves</i>)	Anna Pearson (<i>Granddaughter Blythe, cousin</i>)
Jan Burke (<i>Neal Cobb</i>)	Keith Russell (<i>dad Archie Russell</i>)
Lisa Chitty (<i>parents, friend Sherry & family</i>)	Melodie Seagle (<i>mother</i>)
Sandra J. Dail (<i>Tommy Gaskins</i>)	Kathy Swindell (<i>Ben Bunn</i>)
Janet Doughty (<i>mother</i>)	Jeremy Tavares (<i>Dennis Dowdy's mother</i>)
Lisa Francis (<i>husband Jesse</i>)	Beth Wagner (<i>Marian Elmore, John Wiltrout</i>)
Anita Gray (<i>Breanna Gray, Jim Baldridge</i>)	Kathy White (<i>Buddy Kirschner</i>)
Phil Kaylor (<i>William & Peggy; John & Martha</i>)	Jane Wooten (<i>friend</i>)
Karen Killingsworth (<i>father</i>)	Ken Wooten (<i>mother</i>)
Lori Hale (<i>brother in law</i>)	Beth Wynn (<i>Lori Saunders, Lori M.S. Marx</i>)
Fred and Nancy Hausman	<i>Persecuted relatives of our church families</i>
Brandy Holton (<i>father</i>)	<i>Pray for our country</i>
Joey Holton (<i>father</i>)	

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY 09/29/2024
 9:00 AM Café Connections
 9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages
 10:15 AM Worship Service
 3:00 PM Crop Walk at Union Point followed by Messy Games and Snack Supper

5:00 PM Adult Ensemble

MONDAY 09/30/2024
 4:00 PM Reservation deadline for WNS

TUESDAY 10/01/2024

10:00 AM Staff Meeting

WEDNESDAY 10/02/2024

6:30 AM Men's First Light

10:00 AM Community Gospel Choir

5:15 PM Wednesday Night Supper

5:40 PM Announcements & Prayer

6:00 PM Discipleship

Preschool Music Activity

7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir

THURSDAY 10/03/2024

8:00 AM RCS Soup Kitchen

10:30 AM Women's Bible Study room A109

5:30 PM Chancel Bell Choir

FRIDAY 10/04/2024

7:00 PM First Friday at Slagle's

SUNDAY 10/06/2024 Communion

9:00 AM Café Connections

9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages

10:15 AM Worship Service

4:30 PM Youth/Parent Ensemble

5:00 PM Adult Ensemble

Youth Reconnect

MENU	
Grilled Pork Loin	
Stewed Apples	
Green Been Almondine	
Bread	
Dessert	

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK		
	09/29/2024	10/06/2024
DEACONS	Tracey Lorentzen Kelsie McBride	Amy Price Joey Holton
WATCHMEN	Jeremy Tavares	Ken Gray
USHER TEAMS	Susan Williams	Todd Spear
CAFÉ CONNECTION	Cathy Rock	Terry Hall
GREETERS	Wilkinson	Bunting
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Sheree Bagley Matthew Holton Westleigh Holton Mona Quick	Jennifer Benton Sarah Moore Bella Bernabi Allison Bunting
EXTENDED CARE 10:15 AM	Brenda Hall Terry Hall David Zink Thaih Zink Susan Trout Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow	Kendal Strickland Caroline & Addison Strickland Jeremy Tavares Courtney Tavares Cindy Lewis Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow

Welcome to Our Guests!

We are grateful that you are present today! You are invited to fill out an information card indicating your presence in worship and interest in First Baptist Church. Guest Information Cards are available in the Sanctuary pews or from an usher. Once completed, feel free to hand your card to an usher, one of our pastors, or drop it in one of the stationary offering plates.

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God's Invitation to You!

During worship, we hope you encounter Jesus Christ and His Good News, hearing the call to follow Him with your life. If the call of Christ is new to you, we encourage you to respond and receive Him, making a public profession of faith and receiving baptism. Or, if you already know Christ as Savior, you may be led to make other faith decisions such as life rededication or by joining the membership of this church. Our pastors will receive people during a time of invitation as we sing the last hymn of worship. You may also contact a pastor by telephone or email at any time to discuss your decision.

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Dr. Richard D. Seagle, Senior Pastor
 Rev. Barry E. Templeton, Associate Pastor of Music & Worship
 Rev. Kerry Q. Peeler, Associate Pastor of Christian Education
 Rev. Jeremy L. Slagle, Associate Pastor of Youth & Family Life
 Mrs. Sheree G. Bagley, Director of Children's Ministry

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