

MISSIONS OPPORTUNITY



Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are available in the vestibule. DO NOT pack liquids of any kind. Return your shoe box November 23. Contact Cathy Drew with questions (864)617-1014

YOUTH MINISTRY



Friendsgiving!

Thursday November 16th at 5-8PM
Hosted by The Niemeyers

RSVP to Shelby Clardy 864-376-8698

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY



Thursday, November 20
Noon in the Fellowship Hall

TAKE HOME CHRISTMAS ART PROJECT
LED BY CHARLOTTE LINGLE

Menu:

Turkey and Dressing, Yeast Roll, Sweet Potato Souffle, Green Beans, Banana Pudding

Call the Church Office to sign up by
3:00 PM on November 13.



SENIOR ADULT TRIP TO THE GROVE PARK INN AND
LUNCH IN ASHEVILLE, NC

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12

Meet at 9:45 AM in front of the Fellowship Hall

PLEASE NOTE: There are only 30 spots available and it's
first come first served don't delay, sign up soon!

Cost: \$65 per person due by December 11. Bring to the Church Office (Price includes transportation, parking, lunch, and tour of Gingerbread Houses)
Sign up by 3:00 PM on Thursday, December 4, or until all spots are filled.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



SAVE THE DATE!

CHILDREN'S DINNER AND MOVIE NIGHT
Tuesday, November 25
More information coming soon!

OPPORTUNITIES AT FIRST BAPTIST

Wednesday, November 5

- 5:30 PM Handbell Choir (above the Chapel)
- 5:45 PM Children's Music and Missions
Youth Group (Gym)
- 6:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Youth "Homework & Hangout" (Gym)

Thursday, November 6

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Sunday, November 9

- 9:30 AM Worship
- 10:30 AM Sunday School

MEMBERS IN ACTION

NEXT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Offertory Prayer: Joe Drennon

Visitor Outreach: Glenn Torbert

Children's Worship: January Menees and Anne Newton

Security: Charlie Campbell and Vince Rutledge

NEW MEMBERS

WELCOME!



Gary and Stacie Harding



Shirley and William (Bill) Moulton



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Welcome

November 2, 2025

Welcome!

We're so grateful for your presence this morning and invite you to engage fully in the worship, study, service, and fellowship life of First Baptist Church. For 200 years, this congregation has gathered in response to God's presence among us—worship is at the heart of who we are. It defines us, unites us, and brings us joy as we gather together in God's name.

Whether you're a longtime member or visiting for the first time, we're glad you're here. Our prayer is that you encounter God in a meaningful way during our time of worship.

If you're a first-time guest, please take a moment to fill out the visitor card located on the back of the pew. You can use it to join our mailing list, share a prayer request, or reach out to our staff with any questions. If you're exploring your faith, we're here to walk alongside you and help you discover more about Christianity, our church, and what it means to grow in a relationship with Jesus Christ.

We're so glad you've joined us today. May you experience God's love and grace in a powerful way this morning.

Serving Today

Offertory Prayer:
Hannah Wimpey

Visitor Outreach:
Tom Allen

Children's Worship:
Tracey Ramsey and Debbie Cooley

Security:
Charlie Ballentine and Dale Ellenburg

Miss Mary Alice Edmonds, Organist

Mrs. Shannon Griffin, CDC Director

Mrs. Lesley Hudgins, Financial Manager

Mrs. Sharon Royals, Communications Manager

Miss Natalie Rutledge, Musician in Residence

Mr. Jamie Smith, Asst. Music Director

Mrs. Kelly Smith, Pianist

Mr. Addrian Wilson, Minister of Music

Mr. Greg Wilson, Facilities Manager

Dr. Jim Wooten, Interim Pastor

The Worship of God		
All Saints Service of Remembrance		
Prelude We invite you to use the prelude as an opportunity to prepare for worship and recognize the Holy Spirit among us. This is a time to consider what may take place in our worship of God.	Welcome	Liz Marvin
	Prelude	For All the Saints Mary Alice Edmonds, Organistarr. Wilbur Held
	Chiming of the Trinity	
	Call to Worship:	Liz Marvin
	Leader: We gather on this All Saints Sunday surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses.	
	People: We remember those who have gone before us in faith.	
	Leader: Their courage inspires us, their memory strengthens us.	
	People: Their love still echoes in our hearts.	
	Leader: We give thanks for lives well lived and spirits made whole.	
	People: We rejoice that nothing can separate us from the love of God.	
	Leader: As they once walked by faith, so we now take up the journey.	
	People: With hope and gratitude, we follow where Christ leads.	
	All: Guide us as You have guided them and lead us to be faithful in our time as they were in theirs. Amen.	
	*Hymn No. 68	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need RESIGNATION
	Quartet	Precious Memories J.B.F. Wright
ALL SAINTS’ REMEMBRANCE		
Cheerful Giving Is a Part of Worship While we will collect offering by passing our offering plates, we also have the ability to receive gifts electronically. Electronic giving is available at andersonfbc.org/give, through our church app, or by texting fbcanderson and a dollar amount to 73256.	Marshall Carithers	04/19/1938 - 11/27/2024
	Ellen Thompson	08/19/1940 - 01/02/2025
	Elsie McGill	12/07/1927 - 01/19/2025
	Russell Harber	12/08/1944 - 03/14/2025
	Georgia Hinson	07/31/1935 - 03/21/2025
	Darrell Boyette	01/01/1938 - 05/05/2025
	Jeanne Brown	06/21/1950 - 05/19/2025
	John Bone	05/14/1943 - 08/09/2025
	Jackie Oakley	05/16/1939 - 10/11/2025
	*Please stand if able.	

Pastoral Prayer	Jim Wooten		Children's Worship We invite elementary-aged children to attend Children's Worship during the service this morning. Our Children's Worship leaders will exit with children at the front door to the right of the sanctuary when indicated in the bulletin. This will be a time for a child-focused discussion of Scripture and worship themes, and will be followed by Sunday School in the same space. Parents may pick up their children from the Rock Room (329) on the third floor of the education building at 11:30.
<i>Prayer concludes by saying in unison:</i>			
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who have trespassed against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.			
Special Music	<i>Give Me Jesus</i> Jamie Smith, Soloist	Jeremy Camp	
Offertory Prayer	Hannah Wimpey		
Offertory Music	<i>Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i> Kelly Smith, Pianist and Sara Kate Smith, Violinist	arr. Keveren	The Invitation We invite you to commit your life to Jesus Christ as His disciple and to join our congregation as a member. We receive members in one of three ways: upon profession of faith in Christ followed by believer's baptism; by transfer of membership from another Christian church; or by statement of previous Christian experience. This process begins when you respond to the invitation at the conclusion of worship by coming forward to request membership. It continues with a conversation with one of our ministers, a new member orientation (offered periodically), and a vote by the congregation at a quarterly business meeting. We'd love the opportunity to talk with you about becoming a Christian or joining our church as a member.
Praising God For His Gifts To Us	GLORIA PATRI		
<i>Glory Be to the Father</i>			
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without end. Amen, Amen.			
Anthem	<i>Only God</i> Sanctuary Choir	Mary McDonald	
Only God can move a mountain; only God can calm the sea. Only God can heal a wounded spirit; only God, only God! Only God can hear my heart's cry; only God, my sin atone. Only God can give us calm assurance, only God, only God! God Almighty, most Holy wise God; You are the power and the glory, O God, our God! Only God can be our refuge; only God can be our strength, Only God will stand as our defender, only God, only God! Only God is the power; only God in majesty! Only God will reign as King forever, only God, only God! (Children please exit for Children's Worship at this time.)			
Sermon	"The Memory Of The Righteous Is A Blessing" Proverbs 10:7	Jim Wooten	
*Hymn No. 515	<i>There's a Land that Is Fairer Than Day</i>	SWEET BY AND BY	
Benediction	Jim Wooten		
Postlude	<i>He, Who Would Valiant Be</i> Mary Alice Edmonds, Organist	arr. Douglas E. Wagner	