

EIGHT.FORTY.FIVE



Sunday, September 10, 2023

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	Instrumental	
Welcome and Announcements	Kerry Peeler	
Invocation	Kerry Peeler	
Call to Worship	Psalm 95:1-2	Greg Williams

O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!

Come, Now Is the Time to Worship Praise Team and People
Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God, come.

CHORUS
One day ev'ry tongue will confess You are God.
One day ev'ry knee will bow. Still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose You now.

REPEAT VERSE and CHORUS
Come. Just as you are. Come. Just as you are.
Come. Just as you are. Come.

Children's Time Jeremy Slagle
(Children ages 4 through 3rd grade will be dismissed to Children's Church)
Worship bags for children are located in the foyer

New Testament Reading James Garner, deacon
Acts 1:8 (Pew Bible page 118)

This is the Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

Morning Prayer Richard Seagle

Shout to the North Praise Team and People
Men of faith, rise up and sing of the great and glorious King.
You are strong when you feel weak; in your brokenness, complete.

CHORUS
Shout to the north and the south; sing to the east and the west. Jesus is Savior to all; Lord of heaven and earth.

Rise up, women of the truth. Stand and sing to broken hearts who can know the healing pow'r of our awesome King of love.

REPEAT CHORUS

BRIDGE

We've been through fire, we've been through rain; we've been refined by the pow'r of His name. We've fallen deeper in love with You. You've burned this truth on our lips.

REPEAT CHORUS

Rise up, church, with broken wings, fill this place with songs again of our God who reigns on high; by His grace again we'll fly.

REPEAT CHORUS

Sermon Dick Miller, Gideon

Invitation to Discipleship and Membership Richard Seagle

*Shine, Jesus, Shine (156) Praise Team and People

Lord, the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness shining; Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us; shine on me. Shine on me.

CHORUS

Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory; blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy; send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, from the shadows into Your radiance; by the blood I may enter Your brightness; search me, try me, consume all my darkness; shine on me. Shine on me.

REPEAT CHORUS

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness so our faces display Your likeness, ever changing from glory to glory; mirrored here, may our lives tell Your story; shine on me. Shine on me.

REPEAT CHORUS

Sharing of Public Decisions Ministers

Benediction Jeremy Slagle

Postlude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ
Sunday Joy - Mark Hayes

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*During this time of response you are invited to...

- Make a decision for Christ.
- Make a decision to become a member of First Baptist Church.
- Speak or pray with one of our ministers.
- Bring your prayer requests and leave them on the communion table.
- Bring your tithes and offerings and place them in the plates at the front of the sanctuary or in the vestibule.

PRAYER CONCERNS

CHURCH FAMILY

Allie Andrews	Sherry Jones	Rudy Rowe
Rodney Bell	Matt Kaylor	Tyler Smith
Charles Blythe	Seth Needham	Jewel Snipes
Aletta Brown	Boots Parker	Kathy Swindell
Kenny Brownell	Ray Parker	Frances Wages
Roseann Brownell	Selma Piner	Beth Wagner
Stacy Chapman	Lynn Rausch	Richard Wagner
Jane Chitty	Bobby Reece	Jewel Watson
Grayson Gray	Louise Reece	Kathy White
MaryLou Harrell	Penny Rettew	Patsy White
Pete Heiman	Mary Jo Roberts	Faye Willingham
Mary Ann Jones		Ellen Young

CARE FACILITY & RETIREMENT* RESIDENTS

<u>CYPRESS GLEN – GVL</u> Elizabeth Brinkley	<u>SPRING ARBOR - KIN</u> Beverly Leathers	<u>MERRILL GARDENS</u> Rev. David Page Gwyn Page Sylvia Pina
<u>CHAMPIONS-WIL</u> Doris Dyson	<u>WOODLAND TERR - CARY</u> Louise Blizzard*	<u>VIRIDIAN</u> Jean Ritter
<u>HOMEPLACE</u> Jean Fulcher Christine Peedin Patsy Setzer Ann Sledge	<u>NC VETERANS HOME - KIN</u> Mary Ellen Kirschner	

CHURCH FRIENDS

Jerry Ashley (son, Jerry Ashley, Jr.)	Greg & Anna Pearson (granddaughter Blythe)
Jo Ann Banks (Wanda Bryan)	Cathy Pike (Frances Nobles)
Mark Bowen	Ronnie Pollard (Mike Bledsoe)
Bridgeport Christian Church-Kentucky	Vanessa Pollard (Ellen Pettrey)
Elise Butts	Todd Price (brother in law)
Carol Carroll (friend Diane Griffin)	Carol Register (Courtney Mong)
Lisa Chitty (parents Jerry & Nancy)	Cathy Rock (Dad, brother, sister in law, nephew)
Sandra J. Dail (mother, Tommy Gaskins)	Kevin Rock (brother)
Sandra T. Dail (Brandy Hill)	Charles Saik
Kathy Daniels (Ann Predaris)	Jeremy Slagle (Melissa and Matthew Love)
Joy Duff (sister Tammy Pollock)	Becky & Wes Stewart (Sam Altman, Gloria Thomas, Susan Lee)
Cindi Farnham (BIL Chris, friends Jodie & Dawn)	Ed & Mary Ann Stinson (Patricia Davenport, Claudia Lovino)
Carol Foret	Kathy Swindell (great granddaughter, friend Lisa M.)
Carolyn Fulcher (Jimmy Williford)	Barry Templeton (Edward)
Brenda Hall (Anne Riggs)	Kathy White (friend JoAnna Collins)
Brenda Hardee (Julia)	Clayton Wike, son of Dr. Bill Wike
Joey Holton (father)	Faye Willingham (brother, niece)
Norman Kellum (friend Charlie Jernigan)	Jane Wooten (friend)
Ruth Kellum (friend Bob Mallard)	Ken Wooten (mom Doris Wooten)
Karen Killingsworth (father)	Beth Wynn (friend Lori Abee)
Jim & Claudia McManamey	Pray for our country
(granddaughter Tori)	
Sandy O'Brien (grandniece Baylee, BIL Jerry Hardin)	
Charlie Pace (mother)	

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY 09/10/2023 Gideon Sunday
 8:45 AM Non-traditional Worship in Sanctuary
 9:30 AM Café Connection in FLC
 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages
 11:00 AM Traditional Worship in Sanctuary
 5:00 PM Youth Fall Kick Off in FLC

TUESDAY 09/12/2023
 12:00 PM Weekly Staff Meeting

WEDNESDAY 09/13/2023
 6:30 AM Men's First Light
 5:15 PM Fellowship Supper
Sign up by 4:00 PM Monday
 5:40 PM Announcements and Prayer
 6:00 PM Discipleship
 1st Kids
 7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir

THURSDAY 09/14/2023
 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study
 5:30 PM Chancel Bells Rehearsal

SUNDAY 09/17/2023
 8:45 AM Non-traditional Worship in Sanctuary
 9:30 AM Café Connection & Crop Walk Bake Sale in FLC
 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages
 11:00 AM Traditional Worship in Sanctuary

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK		
	09/10/2023	09/17/2023
DEACONS	James Garner Brant Bills	Ken Gray Charlotte Fuller
WATCHMEN	Mike Heiman	Kyle Compton
USHER TEAMS	Bobby West	Todd Spear
CAFÉ CONNECTION	Wendy Karam	Melanie Spear
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Megan Ireland Jamie Slagle	Elizabeth Swicegood Sarah Moore
EXTENDED CARE 8:45 AM	Rebecca Sanchez Kathy Swindell Cathy Rock Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow	Kyle Compton Mallory Compton Olivia Stipanovich Brian Swicegood Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow
EXTENDED CARE 11:00 AM	Jennifer Emens Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow	Gretchen Overby Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow
WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER	Sept 13 <u>Gwyn Rice's Team</u> Ham Cream Potatoes Mixed Veggies Bread Dessert	Sept 20 <u>S. Wilkinson's Team</u> BBQ Chicken Qtrrs Cheesy Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Bread Dessert

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8:45 AM



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Give the gift of

RELIEF FOR TODAY. HOPE FOR TOMORROW.

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.

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.

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. Kelsie Ferguson, Interim Director of Children's Ministry

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