

welcome

Order of Worship

MAY 17, 2026 9:00 & 11:00 AM
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Welcome

Pastor Seth

Call to Worship

Bruce Fackler

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 4:14, 16

Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens - Jesus the Son of God - let us hold fast to our confession. Therefore, let us approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in time of need.

Antiphon: Alleluia. Christ the Lord has ascended into heaven.
O COME LET US ADORE HIM. ALLELUIA.

The Lord's Prayer

*Only a Holy God
Behold Our God*

Scripture Reading: John 17:1-11

Pam McKnight

Doxology

Offering

Bonita Reed, Piano

Message

JOEL:
JOEL 2:1-11

Pastor Seth

Song of Response:

I Surrender All

Announcements & Upcoming Events

TONIGHT AT FBC we will gather in the Sanctuary at 5:30 PM for a time of worship and then move to our discipleship groups:

School of Ministry (Adults): *Minor Prophets III*

FBC Youth CREW (Grades 7-12): *Solomon's Foolishness Divides the Kingdom*

Team KID (Age 3-Grade 6): *The Son of God*

Our **Summer Women's Bible Study** begins on June 7. In ***The Gospel of John: Savoring the Peace of Jesus in a Chaotic World***, Melissa Spoelstra will encourage you to slow down and linger with the living Word. You'll appreciate the pace of the Savior who never hurried but completed all that the Father called Him to accomplish. As you turn pages of John's Gospel, you'll be challenged to take on the posture of a learner - understanding that the peace Jesus offers is not an ease of circumstances, but a stillness of the soul. As a result, you'll grown in intimacy with Him and learn to live, serve, and rest in His peace. Sign up at the Welcome Center by **May 31**.

SUMMER SUNDAY NIGHTS!

June 7, 14, 28, July 5, 12, 26 @ 5:30-7:00 PM

Mark your calendars for our summer discipleship classes, with something for everyone. Our Adults will continue in The School of Ministry looking at ***Pneumatology*** (The Study of the Holy Spirit). Our Summer Music Camp ***Emerald Crossing (An Irish Adventure through Psalm 23)*** is for 4-year-olds (born before 10/1/21) through Grade 6 (completed).

CHILDRENS CAMP MEETING: Sunday, June 7, directly following the 11 am service will be a meeting for all kids/parents who are attending Centrikid Camp July 10-12.

Adults 55+: Game Night, Thursday, June 18, 6:00 PM. We'll gather on the stage in the Family Life Center for a evening of fun and fellowship. Bring your favorite games and a snack to share. Sign up at the Welcome Center.

JUNE 22-25 6:30-8:30 PM JOIN US FOR...
2026 VBS **ILLUMINATION STATION**
JOHN 8:12
...THE BRIGHTEST WEEK OF THE YEAR. WHILE MANY PEOPLE CLAIM TO KNOW ABOUT JESUS, MANY ARE IN THE DARK ABOUT WHO HE REALLY IS. DURING VBS KIDS WILL EXPLORE ALL THE WAYS LIGHT BRIGHTENS, ILLUMINATES, REFLECTS, AND REVEALS. JOIN US AS WE SHINE BRIGHT IN A DARK WORLD AT VBS!
JUNE 26: FAMILY NIGHT



Visitors

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us today! May you feel the presence of God among us and experience spiritual renewal.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE "WELCOME CARD" IN ONE OF THE SEAT POCKETS AND TURN IT IN TO THE WELCOME CENTER WHERE WE HAVE A GIFT FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.

Membership

If you would like to unite with First Baptist Church in fellowship, please Contact Pastor Seth Miller at 606-344-7830 or email him at PastorFBC@bbtel.com.

For any additional questions, feel free to contact our Church Secretary at SecretaryFBC@bbtel.com.

BEFORE ALL THINGS,
God was at work
HE IS THE AUTHOR OF ALL THINGS... SALVATION, TRUTH, JOY, & THE FUTURE.
THIS SUMMER, CAMPERS WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT WHO THE STORYTELLER TRULY IS!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP SEND A CHILD TO **centrikid** CAMP PLEASE DESIGNATE "CHILDREN'S CAMP 2026" ON YOUR DONATION.
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT MICHAEL OR ANASTASIA CUMMINS.



Activities For The Week of May 17-24

Today:

- 9:00 AM Worship
- 10:00 AM Bible Study/Sunday School
Next Steps Class
- 11:00 AM Worship/Facebook Live
Sprouts and Children's Worship
- 5:30 PM School of Ministry (Adults)
FBC Youth Crew (Grades 7-12)
Team Kid (Age 3-Grade 6)

Monday, May 18

- 6:30 PM Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, May 19

- 1:00 PM Encouraging Words Letter Writing Ministry

Wednesday, May 20

- 5:45 PM Worship Team Rehearsal
- 6:30 PM Family Prayer Gathering
- 7:00 PM Technology Solutions Team

Thursday, May 21

- 6:30 PM Man-Up/WOW

Welcome Center

May Anniversaries/Birthdays

May Collection Items

Food Pantry: Canned Meats
OCC: Personal Hygiene Items

Salem Assoc. Prayer Partner

Rock Haven Baptist Church
Happy Chandler, Pastor

Praying for Our Schools:

Flaherty Elementary School

Loving the Lost

Taabwa of the Democratic
Republic of Congo

Praying for the Persecuted Church

Sri Lanka

Deacon of the Week

Bruce Fackler

If you need his services in any way,
please call 270-422-4380.

Financial Totals Week of 5/10

\$ 8,166.00	Budget Need
\$ 9,963.88	Total Gifts
\$ 379.00	Other
\$ 5.00	Capital Improvement
\$ 9,579.88	Budget Receipts

Year to date over : \$8,376.46

Counter

Tim Haley



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