

This Week at FBR

Sunday, September 10

9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
2:00 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)
5:30 PM	Apex Christian Singles Bible Study	(352)
5:30 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)
5:30 PM	Children's Music Rehearsals	(201, 203, 210)
5:30 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal	(302)
6:30 PM	Deacon Meeting	(350)

Monday, September 11

9:30 AM	BSF Leader Meeting	(350, 351, 352)
2:00 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)
6:30 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)

Tuesday, September 12

9:00 AM	BSF	(Sanctuary)
10:00 AM	Women on Mission	(Joyhouse)
2:00 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)
6:30 PM	CHC Listening Session	(Parlor)
7:00 PM	Jubilee Ringers	(313)
7:00 PM	The Sweet Life Bible Study	(350)

Wednesday, September 13

9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study	(Joyhouse)
5:00 PM	Wednesday Night Supper	(Gym)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - Pastor's Bible Study	(Chapel)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - Ladies Bible Study - Flooded	(352)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - The Ruthless Elimination of Hurry	(351)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - The Theology of Science	(350)
6:30 PM	Orchestra Rehearsal	(Sanctuary)
6:30 PM	Outdoor Games With a Purpose - Youth	(Joyhouse)
6:30 PM	Passport to the World	(102, 258)
7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	(Sanctuary)

Thursday, September 14

No Planned Activities

Friday, September 15

No Planned Activities

Saturday, September 16

3:30 PM	Tailgate Party - Churchwide	(Playgrounds)
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Sunday, September 17

9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
12:15 PM	House & Grounds Committee	(GT2)
3:00 PM	Prayer Room	(Chapel)
4:00 PM	Future Development	(Parlor)
4:30 PM	Personnel Committee Meeting	(259)
5:00 PM	Missions Committee Meeting	(357)
5:30 PM	Apex Christian Singles Bible Study	(352)
5:30 PM	Children's Music Rehearsals	(201, 203, 210)
5:30 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal	(302)

Welcome New Members



Michael & Ashley Hermance
& Family

Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner

5:00 - 6:30 PM

Adults: Pecan Crusted Chicken, Roasted Pork Loin, Broccoli, Corn, Salad Bar, Roll, Dessert

Children (12 and under): Pizza, Cheeseburger, Broccoli, Chips, Dessert

All dinner guests, please make a reservation online (reference *Quick Links* and *Dinner*) or fill out the white card in the pew rack and place in offering plate.
Adults \$9, Children \$6, Family \$35



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The Act of Worship September 10, 2023

Eleven o'clock

*What does it mean, say the words, that the earth is so beautiful?
And what shall I do about it? What is the gift that I should bring
to the world? What is the life that I should live?"*

- Mary Oliver

Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music **“Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)”** arr. Camp Kirkland
Church Orchestra

Welcome Dr. Doyle Hamilton

Chiming of the Trinity

*Call to Worship Rev. David Warren

Praise the Lord, O my soul... **all my inmost being, praise his holy name.**
Praise the Lord, O my soul... **and forget not all his benefits;**
Who forgives all your sins... **and heals all your diseases,**
Who redeems your life from the pit... **and crowns you with kindness.**
Who satisfies you with good things... **so that you are renewed.**
The Lord works righteousness... **and justice for the oppressed.**
The Lord is gracious... **slow to anger and abounding in love.**
He does not treat us as our sins deserve... **or repay our iniquities.**
As high as the heavens are above us... **so great is his love for us.**
As far as the east is from the west... **he has removed our sins from us.**
As a father has compassion on his children... **God has compassion on us.**
Praise the Lord... **you servants who do his will.**
Praise the Lord... **everywhere in his dominion.**
Praise the Lord... **O my soul.**

- based on Psalm 103

*Hymn of Praise **“Sing a New Church”** NETTLETON
(See bulletin insert)
Stanzas 1, 3 & 5

On the final stanza, all children are invited to come forward for the Children's Sermon.

Children's Sermon Rev. Logan Carpenter
“The Pursuit of Happiness”

Meditation in Song arr. David Clydesdale
“Glory to His Name Medley”
(featuring "My Tribute," "Glory to His Name," & "To God Be the Glory")
Church Orchestra
Rev. Jane Martin, piano

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Robert Turnbull

Scripture Reading Rev. Carpenter
Ecclesiastes 3:9-13 NRSV

⁹What gain have the workers from their toil? ¹⁰I have seen the business that God has given to everyone to be busy with. ¹¹He has made everything suitable for its time; moreover, he has put a sense of past and future into their minds, yet they cannot find

out what God has done from the beginning to the end. ¹²I know that there is nothing better for them than to be happy and enjoy themselves as long as they live; ¹³moreover, it is God's gift that all should eat and drink and take pleasure in all their toil.

This is the word of God, for the people of God:
Thanks be to God!

*Hymn of Giving # 390 AUSTRIAN HYMN
“We Are Called to Be God's People”

*Offertory Prayer Nathan Jones

Offertory **“For I Know the Plans I Have For You”** David Schwoebel
Chancel Choir & Church Orchestra

*“For I know the plans I have for you.
Plans for welfare, not for evil,
to give you a future and hope,” says the Lord, says the Lord.
“Plans for a future and hope.*

*Call upon me, come and pray to me.
I will hear you when you call upon me.
You will seek me, you will find me,
when you seek with all your heart
You will seek me, you will find me,
when you seek with all your heart.*

*I will be found by you,” says the Lord.
“I will gather you from all places.
I will be found by you,” says the Lord.
Gathered in from all places, I will be found,” says the Lord.*

*“For I know the plans I have for you.
Plans for welfare, not for evil,
to give you a future and hope,” says the Lord, says the Lord,
“plans for a future and hope,” says the Lord, says the Lord.
“Plans for a future and hope.
Plans for welfare, not for evil,
to give you a future and hope.
For I know, know the plans I have, have for you.”*

Sermon **“Living the Summoned Life”** Dr. Greg DeLoach
Luke 9:57-62 NRSV

⁵⁷As they were going along the road, someone said to him, ‘I will follow you wherever you go.’ ⁵⁸And Jesus said to him, ‘Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.’ ⁵⁹To another he said, ‘Follow me.’ But he said, ‘Lord, first let me go and bury my father.’ ⁶⁰But Jesus said to him, ‘Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.’ ⁶¹Another said, ‘I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.’ ⁶²Jesus said to him, ‘No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.’

*Hymn of Response # 52 HE LEADETH ME
“He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought”
Stanzas 1, 2 & 4

Sharing of Decisions Dr. DeLoach

*Benediction Dr. DeLoach

*Congregational Response # 462 MALOTTE

“The Lord's Prayer”

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Organ Postlude arr. Jason Payne
Postlude on "Lead On, O King Eternal"
Rev. Jane Martin

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*Special thanks to the Church Orchestra (Rita Loadholt, conductor)
for leading in worship today.*

Guests

Welcome to First Baptist Roswell. We hope you find our worship reverent, our ministries sincere, and our fellowship warm. If you need assistance, contact an usher. Please make note of opportunities for worship, ministry, and fellowship listed on this service order and on the Announcement insert. Please stop by the Welcome Wall at the Sanctuary entrance and pick up a Welcome Folder. We have childcare available for infants - kindergartners on the first floor of our Education building. Our ushers will be happy to direct you.

Service Broadcasting and Recording

The 11:00 AM Worship Service is broadcast live each week and recordings of the full service and sermons can be viewed on our church website: www.fbroswell.org under Quick Links, Live Broadcast. CD/DVD are also available. Please contact the church office to request a CD/DVD. If you would like to share Rev. Jessica Asbell Oravec's message from last week with a friend, please order: **"Brother vs. Brother"**.

History Room Hours

The History Room is open for visitation September 17th, NOON - 1:00 PM.
The History Room may be open at other dates and times by appointment.
Please call 404-735-5561 or email Dottyetris@gmail.com

The Video Viewing Room is open any time the church is open.
Easy to follow instructions allow you to watch videos of your choice.
Please enjoy as many as you like.