

This Week at FBR

Sunday, November 12

9:30 AM	Bountiful Breakfast – Youth & Parents	(Joyhouse)
9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
12:00 PM	Christmas at First – Lunch & Bonus Choir Rehearsal	(Gym, Choir Loft)
12:00 PM	Pastor Search Committee Meeting	(357)
3:00 PM	Come, Gather to Pray	(Chapel)
5:00 PM	Missions Committee Meeting	(357)
5:15 PM	Youth Parent Open Forum Meeting	(Joyhouse)
5:30 PM	Apex Christian Singles Bible Study	(352)
5:30 PM	Children’s Music Rehearsals	(201, 202, 203)
5:30 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal	(302)
6:30 PM	High School Bible Study	(Joyhouse)
6:30 PM	M & M Bible Study	(Joyhouse)
6:30 PM	Deacon Meeting	(350)

Monday, November 13

9:30 AM	BSF Leaders Meeting	(350, 351, 352)
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Tuesday, November 14

9:00 AM	BSF	(Sanctuary)
7:00 PM	Jubilee Ringers	(313)
7:00 PM	The Sweet Life Bible Study	(350)

Wednesday, November 15

9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study	(Joyhouse)
5:00 PM	Wednesday Night Supper	(Gym)
5:00 PM	Mimosa Brass	(GT3B)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - Pastor’s Bible Study	(Chapel)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class - Ladies Bible Study	(352)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class – Grief Support Group	(Counseling Center)
6:30 PM	Adult Elective Class – <i>Equally Called</i>	(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, November 16

9:30 AM	MOPS	(Joyhouse)
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Friday, November 17

No Planned Activities

Saturday, November 18

No Planned Activities

Sunday, November 19

9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
12:15 PM	House & Grounds Committee	(GT2)
3:00 PM	Come, Gather to Pray	(Chapel)
4:00 PM	Future Development Committee Meeting	(Parlor)
5:30 PM	Apex Christian Singles Bible Study	(352)

History Room Hours

The History Room will be open November 19th, 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.

Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner 5:00 – 6:30 PM

Adults: Roasted Pork Loin, Turkey and Dressing, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Salad Bar, Dessert

Children (12 and under): Pizza, Hot Dog, Chips, Vegetable, 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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First Baptist Roswell

**The Act of Worship
November 12, 2023**

Eleven o'clock

*"So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again,
and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you."
John 16:22*

Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music **"Rejoice, the Lord is King"** arr. Jeff Cranfill
Church Orchestra

Welcome Rev. David Warren

Chiming of the Trinity

*Hymn of Praise # 221 LAUDES DOMINI
"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

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

Children's Sermon Rev. Jessica Asbell Oravec
"Sharing with Others"

Special Recognition Rev. Logan Carpenter
Worship Production Team

Doug Appenfelder	Nate Jones	Dianna Patton
Kayley Appenfelder	Lily Lobree	Keith Patton
Wes Blalock	Caroline Malcom	Scott Rogers
Dick Holzapfel	Bill McConnell	Hunt Stanley
Brian House	Steve Morton	Katie Warren
Joy Jones	Ray Nelson	George Whittington

Discipleship Moment **"Become Like Jesus"** Rev. Carpenter

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Robert Turnbull

Musical Meditation arr. David Winkler
"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"
Church Orchestra

*We invite you to reflect upon the text found in
hymn # 14 of the hymnal found in the pew rack.*

Scripture Reading **Psalm 41:1-3** Dr. Doyle Hamilton

¹Blessed are those who have regard for the weak; the LORD delivers them in times of trouble. ²The LORD protects and preserves them—they are counted among the blessed in the land—he does not give them over to the desire of their foes. ³The LORD sustains them on their sickbed and restores them from their bed of illness.

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

*Hymn of Giving # 27 LASST UNS ERFREUEN
"All Creatures of Our God and King"
Stanzas 1, 3 & 5

*Offertory Prayer

Offertory **"Be Thou My Vision"**
Chancel Choir & String Ensemble

*Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art.
Thou my best thought by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.*

*Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father, I thy true son;
thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.*

*Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise.
Thou mine inheritance, now and always;
thou and thou only, first in my heart,
high King of heaven, my treasure thou art.*

*High King of heaven, my victory won,
may I reach heavens joys, O bright heaven's sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O ruler of all.*

Sermon **Four Sundays of Gratitude** Dr. Greg DeLoach
"The Secret to Happiness"
Luke 12:13-21 NRSV

¹³Someone in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." ¹⁴But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" ¹⁵And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." ¹⁶Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' ¹⁸Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' ²⁰But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' ²¹So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

*Hymn of Response # 44 DIX
"For the Beauty of the Earth"

Sharing of Decisions Dr. DeLoach

Vote on the 2024 Proposed Church Budget Daryl Robinson

*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 **"Now Thank We All Our God"** Karg-Elert
Rev. Jane Martin

**Please stand as you are able.*

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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 Dr. DeLoach's message from last week with a friend, please order: **"For Those Who've Gone Before Us"**.

Announcements

November 12, 2023

Ladies Book Club: Ladies, interested in reading and discussing books? Come to our informational meeting today, from 4 to 5 PM. Bring your book ideas as we plan our book club for 2024. Meet in the Media Center.

Youth Open Forum Event: Our youth recently met with mental health advocate and speaker, Dr. Brian Wright, during an open forum event. Dr. Wright will speak with parents today, from 5:15 to 6:30 PM in the Joyhouse. Please RSVP to Robert at robert@fbroswell.org.

Poinsettias: Recognize someone special this holiday season. For a donation of \$12 per plant, a poinsettia will be placed in the Sanctuary in honor of or in memory of someone special. Donations can be made online or in person on Sunday mornings. Please utilize flower donation envelopes, located in pew racks, for Sunday donations. Visit the Events page on our website to donate online. Order deadline is today!

Operation Christmas Child (OCC): The shoebox deadline is today! Pack and return filled shoeboxes to the table, adjacent to the Information Center. You can also pack a shoebox online. Visit the Events page on our website for details.

Holiday Office Hours: In celebration of the Thanksgiving holiday, the church office will close at 12 noon on Wednesday, November 22 and reopen on Monday, November 27 at 8:30 AM.

Hanging of the Greens: Join us on November 26 at 11 AM as we prepare for the Advent season with the greening of our Sanctuary. During worship, our Sanctuary will be transformed as we *Hang the Greens*. This service includes the procession of the poinsettias, led by our children and youth, with a video tribute for poinsettia donations. Join us for this *Christmas at First* event.

OCC Youth Volunteers: Youth volunteers (13 years and older) are needed to inspect and pack shoeboxes at the Atlanta processing center on Tuesday, November 28, from 7 to 10 PM. Transportation provided. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up. Spots are limited!

Family Advent Wreath Making: Family Advent Wreath Making is Wednesday, November 29, from 6:30 to 7:30 PM in the gym. Wreaths are \$10 each. Sign up on the Events page on our website.

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Holiday Hope: Join us for a special event of remembrance on Wednesday, November 29 at 6:30 PM in the Donehoo Chapel. Music prelude begins at 6:15 with harpist, Jennifer Betzer. Light a candle as we remember loved ones this holiday season. Contact Doyle at doyle@fbroswell.org for more details.

Advent Gathering Music Concerts: Beginning December 3, join us each Sunday of Advent at 10:45 AM in the Sanctuary, for a 15-minute concert during the Gathering Music featuring our church music ensembles. Don't miss this *Christmas at First* event.

Children & Youth Music Presentation: On December 3 at 6 PM in the Sanctuary, join us for our children and youth Christmas music presentation, culminating in the storied tradition of the singing of *O Holy Night* with our Chancel Choir. Join us for this *Christmas at First* event.

Christmas Sampler: Don't miss our annual Christmas Sampler, following the children and youth music service on December 3. Bring a favorite sweet or savory Christmas treat to share. Please drop off all treats in the gym prior to the service.

Wednesday Night Activities: Join us on Wednesday, December 6 for our last evening of activities in 2023. Fellowship with us for dinner, served from 5 to 6:30, followed by a missionary presentation. In recognition of the week of prayer for global missions, meet in the Chapel at 6:30 PM and hear from International Mission Board missionaries Joshua and Megan Hill. Children and youth will meet for their regularly scheduled activities.

Elf Workshop: Sign up for Elf Workshop on Saturday, December 9, from 9 AM to 12 PM. Children will make gifts, enjoy a pizza lunch, and watch a Christmas movie. Open to children aged 4 to grade 5. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up.

Youth Christmas Party: Save the date for the youth Christmas party on Saturday, December 9 at the home of Flynn and Wade Chappell. Bring a gift, valued between \$10 and \$15, for a gift exchange. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up.