

## This Week at FBR

### Sunday, January 14

|          |  |                   |
|----------|--|-------------------|
| 9:45 AM  | Sunday School                            |                   |
| 11:00 AM | Worship Service                          | (Sanctuary)       |
| 4:15 PM  | Constitution & By-laws Committee Meeting | (Conference Room) |
| 5:30 PM  | Apex Singles Bible Study                 | (352)             |
| 6:00 PM  | A Service of Healing & Hope              | (Sanctuary)       |

### Monday, January 15

MLK Day Observed – Church Office Closed

### Tuesday, January 16

|         |                     |             |
|---------|---------------------|-------------|
| 8:00 AM | BSF Leaders Meeting | (Sanctuary) |
| 9:00 AM | BSF                 | (350 - 357) |
| 7:00 PM | Jubilee Ringers     | (313)       |

### Wednesday, January 17

|         |                                      |             |
|---------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| 5:00 PM | Wednesday Night Supper               | (Gym)       |
| 5:00 PM | Mimosa Brass                         | (GT3B)      |
| 6:30 PM | Pastor's Bible Study                 | (Chapel)    |
| 6:30 PM | Ladies Bible Study                   | (352)       |
| 6:30 PM | Parenting Study                      | (350)       |
| 6:30 PM | Apprentice Small Group               | (351)       |
| 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, January 18

9:30 AM MOPS

### Friday, January 19

6:00 PM SAFE Seminar (Joyhouse, Gym)

### Saturday, January 20

9:00 AM SAFE Seminar (Joyhouse, Gym)

### Sunday, January 21

|          |                                      |                 |
|----------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 9:45 AM  | Sunday School                        |                 |
| 11:00 AM | Worship Service                      | (Sanctuary)     |
| 12:15 PM | House & Grounds Committee Meeting    | (GT2)           |
| 5:30 PM  | Adult/Parent Youth Committee 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                | (Choir Room)    |

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

**Adults:** Meatloaf, Chicken with Creamy Pesto Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Corn, Salad Bar, Roll, Dessert

**Children (12 and under):** Pizza, Cheeseburger, Chips

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

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Eleven o'clock

*"We have flown the air like birds and swum the sea like fishes,  
but have yet to learn the simple act of walking the earth like brothers."*

- Martin Luther King Jr.

## Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music **“All the Way My Savior Leads”** Charles Callahan  
Rev. Jane Martin, organ

Welcome Rev. David Warren

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship Dr. Doyle Hamilton

Leader: Let us hear what God the Lord will speak,  
**People: For God will speak peace to the people, to God's faithful,  
to those who turn to God in their hearts.**

Leader: Surely God's salvation is at hand for those who are in awe of God,

**People: That God's glory may dwell with us.**

Leader: Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;

**People: Righteousness and peace will meet each other.**

Leader: Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,

**People: And righteousness will look down from the sky.**

Leader: God is bringing all things together and making all things new,

**People: God is at work in our world for peace.**

- based on Psalm 85:8-11

\*Hymn of Praise # 395 CWM RHONDDA  
**“God of Grace and God of Glory”**

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

Children's Sermon Rev. Jessica Asbell Oravec  
**“Love Your Neighbor”**

Hymn of Faith # 567 **“Share His Love”** SULLIVAN  
Stanzas 1 & 3

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Robert Turnbull

Scripture Reading **Mark 12:28-31** Rev. Logan Carpenter

<sup>28</sup>One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, “Of all the commandments, which is the most important?”<sup>29</sup>“The most important one,” answered Jesus, “is this: ‘Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. <sup>30</sup>Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.’<sup>31</sup>The second is this: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no commandment greater than these.”

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

\*Hymn of Giving **“Help Us Accept Each Other”** AURELIA  
(See bulletin insert)  
Stanzas 1, 2 & 3

\*Offertory Prayer David Mack

Offertory **“Offertory”** John Ness Beck  
Chancel Choir

*With what shall I come before the Lord,  
and bow myself before God on high?  
Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings,  
Shall I come before Him with yearling calves?  
Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams,  
with ten thousand rivers of oil?  
Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions,  
the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?*

*He has shown you, O man;  
He has shown you what is good.  
And what does the Lord require of you  
but to do justice and to love kindness,  
and to walk humbly, walk humbly with your God?*

Sermon **When God Asks the Questions: “Where Is Your Brother?”** Dr. Greg DeLoach  
**Genesis 4:8-9**

<sup>8</sup>Cain said to his brother Abel, “Let us go out to the field.” And when they were in the field, Cain rose up against his brother Abel, and killed him. <sup>9</sup>Then the Lord said to Cain, “Where is your brother Abel?” He said, “I do not know; am I my brother's keeper?”

\*Hymn of Response **“The Servant Song”** GILLARD  
(See bulletin insert)

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 **“Festival Alleluia”** Dan Miller  
Rev. Jane Martin

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## 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](http://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. Greg DeLoach's message from last week with a friend, please order: **"Where Are You?"**.

## Quarterly Church Conference Agenda

January 28, 2024

6:45 p.m. - Sanctuary

Call to Order Daryl Robinson, Moderator

Approval of Minutes from Quarterly Church Conference on November 5, 2023  
and Called Conference on November 12, 2023

Approval of Financial Report

Approval of Clerk's Report

Old Business  
None

New Business  
Committee Reports  
Nominating Committee – Diana Mack

Motion to Adjourn

## Announcements

January 14, 2024

**Service of Healing and Hope:** All are invited to join us tonight at 6 PM for a special service of healing and hope. Begin 2024 asking God to bring healing into our lives, our relationships, and our world. We will spend time unified in worship and prayer, asking God for guidance. Please note that there will NOT be a meal before the service.

**Church Office Closed:** In observance of the Martin Luther King holiday, the church office will be closed tomorrow, January 15. The office will re-open on Tuesday at 8:30 AM.

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**Wednesday Night, Adult Elective Classes** have begun. Join us for:

- Pastor's Bible Study: Our Baptist Identity. Led by Dr. Greg DeLoach. Chapel.
- Parenting Study: *Sticky Faith: Everyday Ideas to Build Lasting Faith in Your Kids*. Led by Kathy Jennings. Room 350.
- Apprentice Small Group: The Good and Beautiful God. Led by Logan Carpenter. Room 351.
- Ladies Bible Study: *Jesus and Women*. Led by Ruth Johnson & Lynn Lynch. Room 352.

**SAFE Seminar:** Parents of children (infants to 8<sup>th</sup> grade), join us for an important seminar on sexual awareness and family empowerment on January 19 and 20. Led by licensed clinical social worker and ordained minister, LeAnn Gardner, parents will delve into and learn how to be the main resource on these important issues. Cost is \$30 per person and \$50 per couple. Food and childcare provided. Visit the Events page on our website for complete details and to sign up.

**Children and Youth Music Rehearsals** resume on Sunday, January 21 at 5:30 PM. New members are welcome! Contact David Warren at david@fbroswell.org for more details. Find your inner musician in 2024.

**The Next Church Conference** is Sunday, January 28 at 6:45 PM in the Sanctuary. The Church Council will meet immediately after the conference in the Chancel Choir rehearsal room. If you are a committee chair, you are a member of the Council.

**International Missions Offering:** Thanks to your generous support of the Lottie Moon Christmas and CBF Global Missions offerings, we exceeded giving goals. We received \$31,643 in support of global missions.

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**Vacation Bible School:** Registration opens February 1 for Scuba – *Diving into Friendship with God*. Kids will dive deep to experience the ever-flowing love of God. VBS is June 10 through 14, from 9 AM to noon. Registration is open to children, aged 4 (as of September 1, 2023) through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Go to the Events page on our website to learn more and to sign up on February 1.

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**Daddy Daughter Sock Hop** is Saturday, February 3, from 6 to 8 PM and is open to daughters ages 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Dust off your dancing shoes and start practicing for our dance off! The theme is a Sock Hop, so break out your best interpretation of 50s attire and join us for a rockin' good time! Tickets are \$5 for dads; daughters are free! Visit the Events page on our website to purchase tickets.

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**Teacher Training** is on Sunday, February 11, following worship. This training will be led by Harrison Litzell of the Baugh Center for Baptist Leadership at Mercer University, and Dr. David Garber of McAfee School of Theology. A pizza lunch will be provided from 12 to 12:30 PM, and then training will take place from 12:30 to 2 PM. This training is open to all and is applicable to any teachers of any age group. Please visit the Events page on our website to register for this free event.

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**Discipleship Academy** is once again being offered through our partnership with the Baugh Center. Dr. Elizabeth Arnold, New Testament Professor from Emory University's Candler School of Theology, will teach an in-depth study of 1 Corinthians. Beginning February 18, this class will meet every Sunday for 6 weeks, from 2 to 4 PM in room 357. Class cost is \$75. Register on the Events page on our website.

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**Mission Madness 2024** is March 15 to 17 in Athens, GA. Open to youth in grades 6 through 12. Total cost is \$100. Visit the Events page for all details.

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**Youth Mission Trip:** High school and college students are invited on a summer mission trip to Freeport, Grand Bahama, from June 15 to June 22. Youth will assist in the repair of Pastor Grace Pinter's home, which was devastated by Hurricane Dorian in 2019. In addition, youth can participate in music and worship opportunities. Total trip cost is \$1,700 and a non-refundable (airfare) deposit of \$600 secures your spot and is due by January 31. Visit the Events page on our website for complete details and to sign up.