

This Week at FBR

Sunday, March 31 – Easter

8:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Monday, April 1

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 2

10:00 AM Women on Mission (Chapel)
 7:00 PM Jubilee Ringers (313)

Wednesday, April 3

6:30 PM Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, April 4

No Planned Activities

Friday, April 5

No Planned Activities

Saturday, April 6

No Planned Activities

Sunday, April 7

9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 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)
 6:30 PM Deacon Meeting (350)

Finance Report	February 2023	February 2024
Budget year-to-date	\$407,363	\$391,964
Income year-to-date	<u>\$249,389</u>	<u>\$237,128</u>
Income over (under) budget	(\$157,974)	(\$154,836)
Income year-to-date	\$249,389	\$237,128
Expense year-to-date	<u>\$351,700</u>	<u>\$339,710</u>
Income over (under) expense	(\$102,311)	(\$102,582)

Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner

Resumes April 10th



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Easter Sunday



March 31, 2024

8:30 AM



First Baptist Roswell

**The Act of Worship
Easter Sunday
March 31, 2024
Eight-Thirty in the Morning**

*Just when I thought there would be no more light in the Jerusalem sky,
the Bright and Morning Star appeared
and the darkness has not overcome it.*

- Ann Weems

Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music **“Festival Celebration”** Bob Burroughs
 Jubilee Ringers

Welcome Rev. Logan Carpenter

Chiming of the Trinity

*Call to Worship Josh Raugh

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Leader: Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: He has given us new life and hope.

He has raised Jesus from the dead.

Leader: God has claimed us as his own.

People: He has brought us out of darkness.

He has made us light to the world.

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

- based on 1 Peter 1:3-5

*Resurrection Hymn # 159 EASTER HYMN
“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”
Stanzas 1, 2 & 3

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

Children’s Sermon Rev. Jessica Asbell Oravec
“Jesus is Alive!”

Scripture Reading **Isaiah 25:6-9 NIV** Rev. Robert Turnbull

*⁶On this mountain the Lord Almighty will prepare a feast of rich food for all peoples,
a banquet of aged wine—the best of meats and the finest of wines. ⁷On this
mountain he will destroy the shroud that enfolds all peoples, the sheet that covers
all nations; ⁸he will swallow up death forever. The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the
tears from all faces; he will remove his people’s disgrace from all the earth. The Lord
has spoken. ⁹In that day they will say, “Surely this is our God; we trusted in him, and
he saved us. This is the Lord, we trusted in him; let us rejoice and be glad in his
salvation.”*

This is the word of God, for the people of God:

Thanks be to God!

Pastoral Prayer Dr. Doyle Hamilton

*Hymn of Giving **“In Christ Alone”** Getty & Townend
 (See bulletin insert)

*Offertory Prayer Wes Blalock

Offertory **“Christ Arose”** arr. Cynthia Dobrinski
 Jubilee Ringers

*The congregation is invited to reflect upon the
text of hymn # 160 found in the pew rack hymnal.*

Sermon Dr. Greg DeLoach
“Leisure Suits and Other Easter Comebacks”
John 20:1-18 NRSV

*¹Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to
the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. ²So she ran and
went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to
them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they
have laid him.” ³Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the
tomb. ⁴The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and
reached the tomb first. ⁵He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying
there, but he did not go in. ⁶Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into
the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, ⁷and the cloth that had been on
Jesus’ head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself.
⁸Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and
believed; ⁹for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the
dead. ¹⁰Then the disciples returned to their homes. ¹¹But Mary stood weeping
outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; ¹²and she saw
two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head
and the other at the feet. ¹³They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She
said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have
laid him.” ¹⁴When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing
there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. ¹⁵Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are
you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she
said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I
will take him away.” ¹⁶Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in
Hebrew, “Rabbouni!” (which means Teacher). ¹⁷Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to
me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to
them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’”
¹⁸Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and
she told them that he had said these things to her.*

*Hymn of Response # 161 DIADEMATA
“Crown Him with Many Crowns”
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 Charles-Marie Widor
“Toccata” from Symphony for Organ No. 5
Rev. Jane Martin

**Please stand as you are able.*

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Special thanks to the Jubilee Ringers 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.

Flowers

The Easter lilies today are given by the children and grandchildren of Steve and Mary Anne Ivey in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary.

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. Greg DeLoach’s message from last week with a friend, please order: **"Into Your Hands I Commend My Spirit"**.

Announcements

March 31, 2024

MUST Neighborhood Pantry on Mimosa: Help support the MUST Neighborhood Pantry. The Mimosa pantry, located at Roswell United Methodist Church, meets on Tuesday, April 2. Volunteers and donations are needed. Visit the Events page to sign up.

Beyond Our Walls: Registration is open for our annual day of service on Saturday, April 27, from 8 AM to 1 PM. Stop by the Information Center today or visit the Events page on our website for service opportunities and to sign up. Let's share God's grace beyond our walls.

Wednesday Night Dinner and Activities: We will not meet for dinner, children's missions, youth activities, and adult classes on Wednesday, April 3. Dinner and activities will resume on April 10.

Church Office Hours: In observance of Easter, the church office will be closed tomorrow.

Women on Mission will meet on Tuesday, April 2 in the Chapel at 10:30 AM. Come early at 10 to work on a mission project. Guest speaker is Belinda Harris, who works in literacy missions. All ladies are welcome!

Women's Self-Defense Class: All women are invited to a special self-defense class on April 13, from 10 AM to 12 PM. Led by members and certified instructors with WYKKO Karate, Ray and Jodi Nelson, the class will feature discussion about situational awareness, instruction and practice of basic strikes and escape moves, and time for questions and answers. The class is open to women of all ages and there is no cost to attend. Register on the Events page of our website.

Trivia Night: Youth and parents, join us for Trivia Night on April 13, from 6 to 9 PM in the Joyhouse. Enjoy food, fellowship, and trivia, provided by a professional trivia company. Catered dinner and prizes awarded. Don't be late! Trivia begins promptly at 7. Cost is \$10 per family. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up.

Church Dialogue on Denominational Relationships: The Denominational Emphasis Committee invites you to the Chapel on April 14, from 4 to 5:30 PM for a special time of dialogue. Hear about current events in Baptist life, how our church relates to the various Baptist organizations we partner with, and how you can be more involved. For more information, please contact Logan Carpenter at logan@fbroswell.org.

Announcements

March 31, 2024

SALT Day Trip: Everyone 55 and over is invited to join the SALT ministry for a day trip to The Little White House and Callaway Gardens on Thursday, April 18. Visit the personal retreat of Franklin D. Roosevelt and take in the vibrant azalea blossoms of spring at Callaway Gardens. Cost is \$60 per person and includes lunch at the Bulloch House restaurant. Meet at church for an 8 AM departure. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up.

Parents Night Out is Saturday, April 20 from 6 to 9 PM. Drop off your kids at church and enjoy an evening out. Cost is \$10 for one child and \$20 for two or more. Open to infants through 5th graders. Sign up on the Events page on our website today.

Family Picnic: Children's ministry families, join us on Wednesday, May 1, from 5 to 7 PM for a family picnic! We will enjoy Chick-fil-A boxed meals at 5 and play outdoor games. Sign up on our website today.

Mother Daughter Tea: Ladies, we invite you to an *Enchanted Garden Tea Party* event on Thursday, May 9, from 6 to 7:30 PM at Primrose Cottage. This event is open to families with daughters aged 3 through 5th grade. Tickets are \$15 per adult and \$10 per child. Registration is limited, so sign up today. Visit the Events page on our website for complete details.

POPs Concert: Don't miss our POPs Concert on Friday, May 17. Come and hear our First Baptist Roswell Orchestra perform a variety of musical hits, including big band ensembles, Broadway music, blockbuster songs, and patriotic tunes. Reception to follow the concert. The concert begins at 7 PM in the Sanctuary. While admission is free, we kindly ask that you consider a \$10 contribution per person. All proceeds will go to the Reuter Pipe Organ designated fund, which helps support the continuing maintenance and repair of our Sanctuary organ.

The Grace Project ~ Annie Armstrong Easter Offering: Help us reach our church goal of \$20,000 by contributing to our annual offering in celebration of the life and legacy of missionary Annie Armstrong. 100% of your donation supports North American missions.

College Graduates: We want to recognize you! Please submit your name and your graduation school to Robert Turnbull at robert@fbroswell.org no later than Friday, May 10.



Flowering Cross

2024

In Memory Of

Joy Lackey
Hattie Lawrence
Sandra Parks
Elizabeth Bowling
Jenny Calvert
My Parents
Phyllis Hoffman Depiano
Joy Lackey
Greg Lackey
Jack Lackey
Billy & Betty Erwin
Bud & Fran Cogdell
Earl & Helen Gillespie
Basil Esco
Bobby & Jeanne Eskridge
John & Ruby Golden
Chris Evans
Sam W. Freeman, Jr.
Blue & Anita Barber
Kay Fuller
Frank & Carolyn Whitaker
Elwyn & Jewel Gaissert
Joseph & Ruth Brown
Wilber & Wilma Hermance
Jennifer Hogan
Don S. White
J. David Honick
David N. Howell
Sarah A. Howell
Robby Hutton
Arthur & Hazel Jackson
Jerril & Mary Joslin
Rev. & Mrs. Joe Carl Johnson
Gene & Barbara Kimbrell
Gene Kimbrell, Jr.
Sabrina & Maddison Seaman
Rod Kittrell

Given By

Terrica Banks
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Wayne & Karen Bowling
Laverne Calvert
Joyce Chadwick
Gary & Joan Chamblee
Suzanne Cockrel
Suzanne Cockrel
Suzanne Cockrel
David & Connie Cogdell
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Mike & Donna Dunham
Sylvia Esco
Lee & Ella Eskridge
Lee & Ella Eskridge
Pam Evans
Dora Freeman
Charles & Darlene Fuller
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Elwyn & Lynne Gaissert
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Jim & Gail Hermance
Jim & Gail Hermance
Yvonne Hogan
Angela Hollander
James & Ruth Honick
Kenneth & Shirley Howell
Kenneth & Shirley Howell
Ray & Judy Hutton
Ron & Liz Jackson
Ron & Liz Jackson
Marlene Johnson
Ted & Terri Kimbrell
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Ted & Terri Kimbrell
His Family





Flowering Cross

2024

In Memory Of

Pug Mabry
Karen Miller
Rose McEachern
Charles & Boots Nelson
Hugh & Lorene Cooper
Beth Yates
Jim Painter
Bill & Mary Anne Stout
Eddie & Rosemary Allen
Raymond & Hazel Roland
Clyde & Minnie Sawyer
Tom Schneider
Timmy de St. Aubin
George & Opal Davenport
Marion & Juanita Thacker
Ross Thomas
Paul Tyler
Robert Wade
Ben & Marie Weaver
Gina Cole
Sidney & Lucille Fowler
Lena Robbins

In Honor Of

Carol Parker
Debbie Boshears
Teresa Wade
FBR Staff
Justin Hogan
Kevin Hogan
Lorelei Hogan
Toni Hogan
Candy White
Our Family
Dallas Miller
Ashley Mack
Jackson Lee Wallis
My Family
Fellowship SS Class

Given By

Sandra Mabry
David & Diana Mack
Mike McEachern
Ray & Jodi Nelson
Ray & Jodi Nelson
Jonathan, Jessica, & Jacob Oravec
Crystal Painter
Annie Pitman
Bill & Janie Roland
Bill & Janie Roland
Robert Sawyer
Sue Schneider
Sandi de St. Aubin
Duane & Dixie Thacker
Duane & Dixie Thacker
Vivian Thomas
Betty Jo Tyler
Jan Wade
Marc & Penny Walley
Charles & Sharron Zeo
Charles & Sharron Zeo
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Given By

Claudia Burdulis
Arnold & Sylvia Eaves
Arnold & Sylvia Eaves
Jim & Gail Hermance
Yvonne Hogan
Yvonne Hogan
Yvonne Hogan
Yvonne Hogan
Angela Hollander
Al & Charlene Kinnear
David & Diana Mack
David & Diana Mack
David M. & Rebecca Wallis
Sally White
Sally White

