

This Week at FBR

Sunday, April 21

9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
12:15 PM	House & Grounds Committee Meeting	(GT2)
5:00 PM	Finance 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)
5:30 PM	Preschool/Childrens Committee Meeting	(260)

Monday, April 22

No Planned Activities

Tuesday, April 23

9:00 AM	BSF	(Sanctuary, 350-357)
7:00 PM	Jubilee Ringers	(313)
7:00 PM	The Sweet Life Bible Study	(350)

Wednesday, April 24

5:00 PM	Wednesday Night Supper	(Gym)
5:00 PM	Mimosa Brass	(GT3B)
6:30 PM	Chapel Bible Study	(Chapel)
6:30 PM	Ladies Bible Study	(352)
6:30 PM	Orchestra Rehearsal	(Sanctuary)
6:30 PM	Passport to the World	(102, 258)
6:30 PM	Outdoor Games with a Purpose – Youth	(Joyhouse)
7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	(Sanctuary)

Thursday, April 25

No Planned Activities

Friday, April 26

No Planned Activities

Saturday, April 27

8:00 AM	Beyond Our Walls	(FBR and Offsite)
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Sunday, April 28

9:45 AM	Sunday School	
11:00 AM	Worship Service	(Sanctuary)
5:30 PM	Apex Christian Singles Bible Study	(352)
5:30 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal	(302)
6:30 PM	M & M Bible Study	(Joyhouse)
6:45 PM	Church Conference	(Sanctuary)
7:30 PM	Church Council	(302)



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

Adults: Fried Catfish, BBQ Chicken, Mac-n-Cheese, Hushpuppies, Baked Beans, Carrots, Salad Bar, Roll, Dessert

Children (12 and under): Pizza, Hot Dog, Chips

This is our last Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner. Fellowship Dinners will resume in September.

Quarterly Church Conference Agenda

Sunday, April 28, 2024

6:45 p.m. - Sanctuary

Call to Order Daryl Robinson, Moderator
 Approval of Minutes from Quarterly Church Conference on January 28, 2024.
 Approval of Financial Report
 Approval of Clerk's Report
 Old Business
 Constitution & By-Laws Committee -Hayward Altman
 Vote on formation of a Safety & Security Committee presented at January 28 conference:

“The safety and security committee hereinafter referred to as committee shall and will be responsible for developing and implementing a plan to provide for the safety and security of First Baptist Roswell. The plan to include but not limited to weather, medical, and fire emergencies, criminal behavior and acts of violence and terrorism. The committee shall develop a written plan for such.

The committee shall consist of a minimum of seven (7) members consisting of a minister, church council member and initially the present members of the unofficial safety and security committee. All members except the minister and church council representative shall meet the qualifications developed by the committee. Additional members if needed will be chosen by the committee. The chair shall be selected by the committee. The qualifications shall be outlined in the written plan. The committee shall report yearly to the church during conference.”

New Business

Committee Reports
 Pastor Search Committee – Mark Armentrout
 Audit Committee – Joe Murdock
 Personnel Committee – Arnold Eaves
 Denominational Emphasis Committee

Motion to Adjourn



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First Baptist Roswell

The Act of Worship April 21, 2024

Eleven o'clock in the Morning

*This is the first and greatest commandment.
And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'
Matthew 22:39*

Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music **“Festival Prelude”** Paul Fey
Rev. Jane Martin, organ

Welcome Josh Raugh

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship Dr. Doyle Hamilton

Leader: Beloved, we are called to love one another, because love is from God.

People: God's love is poured in us from our birth.

Leader: We are called to extend the love of God to all people.

**People: God's love is taught to us
through the witness of God's faithful people.**

Leader: We are called to proclaim God's love in all that we say and do.

**People: In all creation, in all our relationships,
may God's love be made known in us.**

Leader: Easter people, God is Risen. Love has won!

People: For God so loved, let us love!

*Hymn of Praise # 587 **“Jesus Shall Reign”** DUKE STREET, arr. Getty

Please sing the Refrain below with the Hymnal stanzas:



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

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

Scripture Reading **Psalm 36:5-9 NIV** Rev. Robert Turnbull

⁵Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies. ⁶Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, your justice like the great deep. You, Lord, preserve both people and animals. ⁷How priceless is your unfailing love, O God! People take refuge in the shadow of your wings. ⁸They feast on the abundance of your house; you give them drink from your river of delights. ⁹For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

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

Testimony in Song **“Beloved, Let Us Love”** Mary McDonald
Chancel Choir

*God sent His only Son to the world, that we might live through Him.
In this is love, if God so loved;
Beloved, let us love one another for love is from God,
and everyone who loves is born of Him; and God is love.
Beloved, let us love one another that we may abide in Him,
And He in us, that He may abide in us.*

*There is no fear in love; His perfect love. His perfect love shall cast away all fear.
By this we know we are His children, when we love God and keep His Word.
For whosoever is born of God overcomes the world.
There is no greater love, if God so loved the world.*

*Beloved, let us love one another for love is from God,
and everyone who loves is born of Him; and God is love.
Beloved, let us love one another that we may abide in Him,
And He in us, that He may abide in us.*

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Logan Carpenter

*Hymn of Giving # 423 GIFT OF LOVE
“Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire”

*Offertory Prayer Randy Hampton

Offertory **“Let All You Do Be Done in Love”** Sandra Ford
Youth Choir; Sheldon Fisher, accompanist

*Let all you do be done in love, guided ever by the spirit of the living God.
Let all you do be done in love, and be done in Jesus' name.
Let all you do be done in love, guided ever by the spirit of the living God.
Let all you do be done in love, and be done in Jesus' name.*

*Holy God of mercy, give us courage, keep us strong,
As we witness to your purpose and stand with those who suffer wrong.
Grant us patience and compassion, as we humbly walk your way.
Help us claim you as our center, Lord, with these words to shape each day:*

*Let all you do be done in love, guided ever by the spirit of the living God.
Let all you do be done in love, and be done in Jesus' name.
Let all you do be done in love, guided ever by the spirit of the living God.
Let all you do be done in love, and be done in Jesus' name.
Let all you do be done in love.
Let all you do be done in love, be done in love.*

Sermon **“Theology That Matters”** Dr. Greg DeLoach
1 John 4:7-12 NRSV

⁷Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. ⁸Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. ⁹God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. ¹⁰In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. ¹¹Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. ¹²No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us, and his love is perfected in us.

*Hymn of Response # 567 SULLIVAN
“Share His Love”

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
“Crown Him With Many Crowns”
Rev. Martin

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Special thanks to the Youth Choir 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 flowers in the Baptistry today are given by Jim Gilbert in honor of all those who volunteer and serve at First Baptist Roswell. Thank you for faithfully serving each week.

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: **"Skeptical Faith"**.

Announcements

April 21, 2024

Beyond Our Walls: Today is the last day to register for our annual day of service! Beyond Our Walls is on Saturday, April 27, from 8 AM to 1 PM. Visit the Events page on our website to sign up.

Usher Meeting: Ushers, mark your calendar for an important meeting on Tuesday, April 23 at 7 PM. Meet in room 350 (education building). Pizza dinner provided. Please RSVP to robert@fbroswell.org.

Wednesday Night Dinner and Activities: Join us on April 24 for our last dinner this spring. Children's missions, youth activities, and adult classes will also conclude until September.

Ladies Book Club: Ladies, mark your calendar for Sunday, April 28. Meet in the Parlor, from 5:30 to 6:30 PM, to discuss the book *All Creatures Great and Small*, by James Herriot. Ready for your next book? May's book is *Into the Wild* by Jon Krakauer. All ladies welcome.

Church Conference: The next church conference is Sunday, April 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.

Pastor Search Conversation – Update: To further streamline pastor search conversations, the Search Committee will provide a comprehensive update and answer questions at the Church Conference on April 28. This update will replace the meeting originally scheduled for May 5.

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 at 5 and play outdoors. Sign up on our website today.

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.

Seasons of Prayer: The Deacon Prayer Team invites the church family to join us for Seasons of Prayer. Seasons of Prayer are specific moments, experiences, and opportunities for prayer. Our first Season of Prayer is Beyond Our Walls. Please pray for the safety of our volunteer workers, good weather on April 27, and to the honor and glory of God.

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Mother Daughter Tea: Only a few spots remain for the *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. The last day to register is April 28. Visit the Events page on our website for details.

POPs Concert: Don't miss our POPs Concert on Friday, May 17. Hear our First Baptist Roswell Orchestra perform a variety of musical hits, including big band ensembles, Broadway music, blockbuster songs, and patriotic tunes. The concert begins at 7 PM in the Sanctuary. Reception to follow the concert. 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.

Family Bowling is Sunday, May 19, from 3 to 5 PM at Stars and Strikes in Woodstock. Cost is \$10 per person and includes bowling, shoes, pizza, drinks, and an arcade card. Open to families with children 3 years old through 5th grade. Visit the Events page and sign up.

Golf for Missions: Registration is open for our golf tournament for missions. The tournament is Monday, June 3 at Brookfield Country Club. Don't play golf? Be a sponsor instead. All proceeds benefit missions. Visit the Events page on our website for registration details.

Appalachian Outreach: Our Men's Ministry mission team will be heading to Appalachia July 7 through July 11. If you are interested in joining, visit the Events page on our website to sign up. Contact Wes at wes@fbroswell.org for more details.

Passport Kids Camp is Sunday, July 14 through Wednesday, July 17 at Rock Eagle 4-H Center in Eatonton, GA. Camp cost is \$408 and is open to current 3rd through 5th graders. The deadline to register your child is April 25. Sign up on our website today!

Church-wide Emails: We regularly send email communications to members and guests. Ensure that you are receiving these emails by reviewing your contact information. Review and update on the ChurchLife app, our website (Quick Links – Member Login), or by calling the church office. In addition, add our email address, info@fbroswell.org, to your email contact list.