This Week at FBR

Sunday, October 18
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)
12:00 PM Nominating Committee Meeting (259)
4:30 PM Finance Committee Meeting (357)
5:00 PM Missions Committee Meeting (351)
5:15 PM House & Grounds Committee Meeting (GT2)
5:30 PM Apex Bible Study (352)
5:30 PM Children's Music Rehearsal (201, 202, 203)
5:30 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal (302)
6:30 PM Youth Bible Study (Joyhouse)
7:00 PM Deacon Ordination (Sanctuary)
8:00 PM Deacon Reception (Gym)

Monday, October 19
9:30 AM BSF Leader Meeting

Tuesday, October 20
9:00 AM BSF Leader Meeting & Class Day (250, 251, 252, Joyhouse)
7:00 PM Jubilee Ringers (313)

Wednesday, October 21
5:00 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner (Gym)
6:30 PM Book Study (350)
6:30 PM IMPACT - Youth (Joyhouse)
6:30 PM Ladies Bible Study (Parlor)
6:30 PM Mission Friends – Preschool (151)
6:30 PM Passport to the World – Children (258)
6:30 PM Pastor's Bible Study (Chapel)
6:30 PM Church Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday, October 22
No Planned Activities

Friday, October 23
No Planned Activities

Saturday, October 24
3:00 PM Fall Festival (Lower Field)

Sunday, October 25
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)
4:00 PM Youth Praise Band Rehearsal (Joyhouse)
5:30 PM Apex Bible Study (352)
5:30 PM Children's Music Rehearsal (201, 202, 203)
5:30 PM Ladies Book Club (Parlor)
5:30 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal (302)
5:30 PM Youth Committee Meeting (Joyhouse)
6:30 PM Youth Bible Study (Joyhouse)

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

Adult: Grilled Hawaiian Chicken with Pineapple Salsa, Teriyaki Roasted Zucchini, Squash, Peppers & Onions, Hawaiian Fried Rice, Hawaiian Salad with Spinach, Pineapples, Red Onions & Cheese, Dessert

Children (12 and under): Grilled Hawaiian Chicken with Pineapple Salsa, Hawaiian Fried Rice, 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 $10, Children $5, Family $35.*

Upcoming Events

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OCTOBER

18 SUN — DEACON ORDINATION SERVICE
7 PM in the Sanctuary. Reception to follow in the gym.

24 SAT — FALL FESTIVAL
3 to 6 PM. Join us for an afternoon of family-friendly fun.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
We need your help to make our Fall Festival a success. Event volunteers and cake walk bakers needed. Sign up today!

25 SUN — LADIES BOOK CLUB
5:30 PM in the Parlor. Join us as we discuss *Christy* by Catherine Marshall. Ladies, bring a friend and join the conversation.

NOVEMBER

1 SUN — 2027 BUDGET LISTENING SESSION
12:15 PM in Garden Terrace 2. The budget will be presented at the Church Conference and voted on during worship on November 15.

6-8 FRI-SUN — SENIOR PASTOR CALL WEEKEND
Join us for Senior Pastor Call Weekend as we meet the candidate and his family, enjoy fellowship, and prayerfully consider the next chapter of First Baptist Roswell.

8 SUN — WINTER COAT DRIVE
Support North Fulton Community Charities' CoatsGiving 2026! Donate new or gently used winter coats and accessories.

CHURCH CONFERENCE
6:45 PM in the Sanctuary. Following the conference, a church council meeting will be held for all committee chairpersons.

15 SUN — OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD
It's time for Operation Christmas Child! Spread the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes. Pack your own shoebox, build online, or donate today.

POINSETTIA DONATIONS
Honor or remember someone special this holiday season by donating $15 for a poinsettia to be placed in our Sanctuary.

FOR MORE EVENT INFORMATION, VISIT OUR WEBSITE @ FBROSWELL.ORG/EVENTS

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The Worship of God:
October 18, 2026 | Eleven o'clock in the Morning

Preview of Upcoming Opportunities

Gathering Music — Suzanne Ivey, piano

Welcome — Laure FitzSimons

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude — ***"What A Beautiful Name"*** — arr. Michael Lawrence
Church Orchestra

"That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the Glory of God the Father".
Philippians 2:10-11

+ Call to Worship: Psalm 96 — Rev. David Warren

Leader: [1] Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.
People: ***[2] Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.***
Leader: [3] Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.
People: ***[4] For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.***
Leader: [5] For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the Lord made the heavens.
People: ***[6] Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary.***
Leader: [7] Ascribe to the Lord, all you families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
People: ***[8] Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts.***
Leader: [9] Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth.
People: ***[10] Say among the nations, "The Lord reigns." The world is firmly established; it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity.***
Leader: [11] Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it.
People: ***[12] Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them; let all the trees of the forest sing for joy.***
All: ***[13] Let all creation rejoice before the Lord, for he comes, he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness and the peoples in his faithfulness.***

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

+ Hymn of Praise # 14 — ***"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"*** — LOBE DEN HERREN

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

Children's Sermon — **"Praise the Lord"** — Rev. Jessica Asbell Oravec

Missions Moment: Mountain T.O.P. Mission Trip — Sheila Edenfield

Meditation in Song ***"More Precious Than Silver"*** arr. Jay Rouse
Church Orchestra

Lord, You are more precious than silver; Lord, You are more costly than gold;
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds; And nothing I desire compares with You.

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Logan Carpenter

+ Hymn of Giving ***"God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"*** BEACH SPRING
(See hymn insert)

This text is used with the tune: BEACH SPRING; "Come, All Christians, Be Committed," # 604.

+ Offertory Prayer Jane Range

Offertory ***"Offertory"*** John Ness Beck
Chancel Choir & String Ensemble

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 **"Pocket Change"** Dr. Greg DeLoach
Matthew 22:15-22 NRSV

15 Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. 16 So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one, for you do not regard people with partiality. 17 Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar or not?" 18 But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? 19 Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. 20 Then he said to them, "Whose head is this and whose title?" 21 They answered, "Caesar's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's." 22 When they heard this, they were amazed, and they left him and went away.

+ Hymn of Response # 275 ***"I Surrender All"*** SURRENDER

Sharing of Decisions Dr. Greg DeLoach

+ Benediction Dr. Greg DeLoach

+ Congregational Response # 462 ***"The Lord's Prayer"*** MALOTTE

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

Organ Postlude **Toccata on *"To God Be the Glory"*** Joel Raney
Rev. Jane Martin

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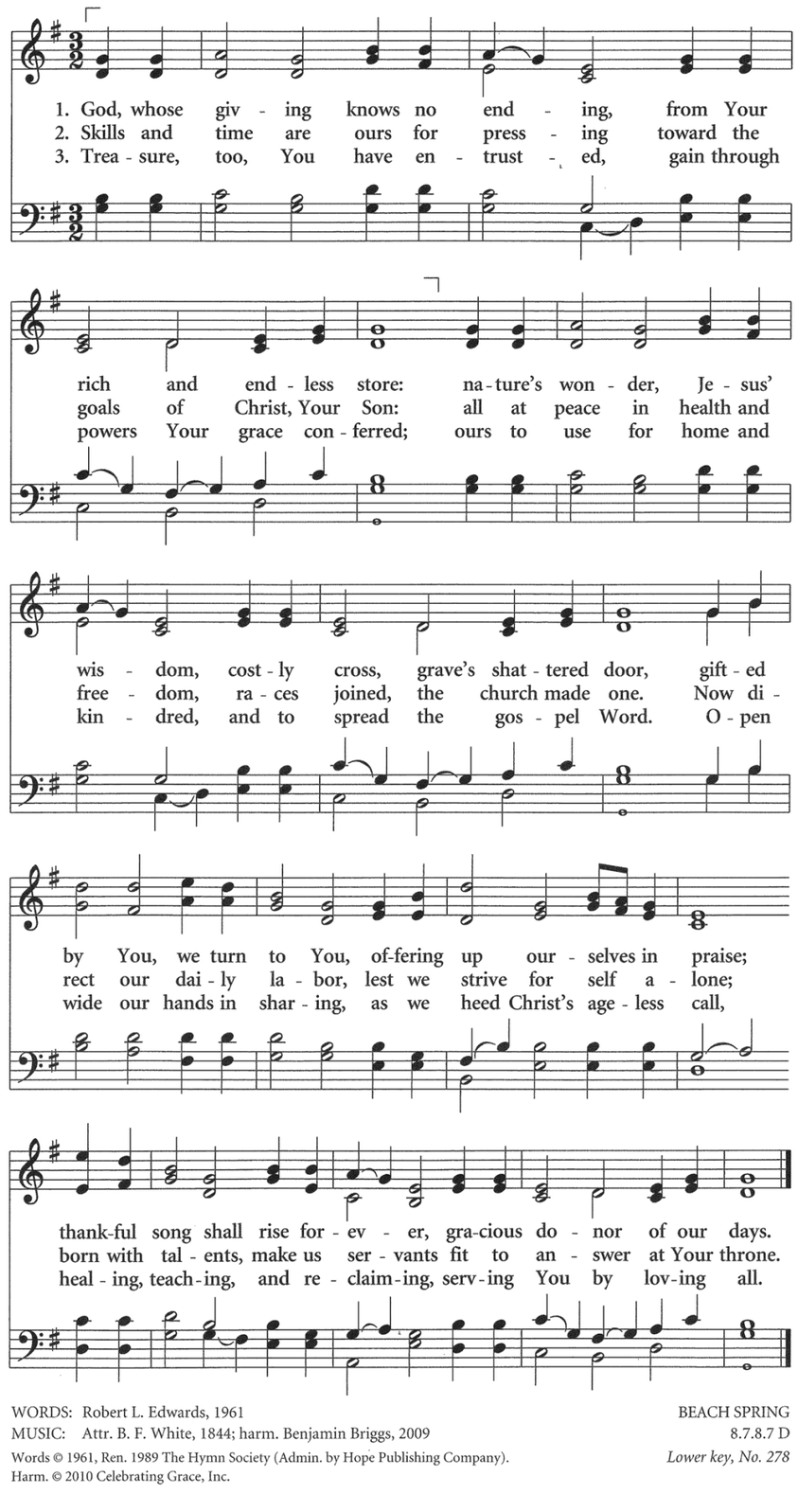
Special thanks to the String Ensemble, and the Church Orchestra (Rita Loadholt, director) for leading in worship today.

NEW MEMBERS AND DECISIONS

CASSONDRA PERRY
Profession of Faith by Baptism

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Guests

Welcome to First Baptist Roswell. If you are a guest or visitor with us today, we hope you find our worship reverent, our ministries sincere, and our fellowship warm. Please take a moment to fill out a visitor card, located in the pew rack in front of you, and drop it in the offering plate as it passes by later during the service. Please stop by the Welcome Wall at the Sanctuary entrance and pick up a Welcome Folder. If you need assistance, contact an usher at the entrances to the Sanctuary. We invite you to make note of opportunities for worship, ministry, and fellowship listed in your worship guide. The worship service is welcome to all, from our youngest worshippers (our preschoolers who stay through the children's sermon) up to our most seasoned worshippers. As you hear wiggles and giggles, we hope you will say a quick prayer of thanks for the next generation of Christian leaders that are being formed by our church. These are not distractions or interruptions, but welcome responses to the worship we offer together. For families who may wish, we have childcare available for infants through 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 Doug, Whitney & Garrett Appenfelder in honor of Kayley's 18th birthday on October 20, 2026. We thank God for the blessing Kayley is to our family and pray for His love and guidance to surround her in the years to come.

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: **"Generous Invitation"**.

Quarterly Church Conference

November 8 – 6:45pm: Sanctuary
Church Council – meets following conference

Call to Order – Daryl Robinson, Moderator

- Approval of Minutes from Quarterly Church Conference on August 9, 2026
- Approval of Financial Report
- Approval of Clerk's Report
- Old Business
- New Business
- Committee Reports
  Budget & Finance Comm. – Bruce Paulk
  Nominating Comm. – Pat Seabolt

Motion to Adjourn

If you are interested in leading in worship on a Sunday morning (by offering a part of our spoken or responsive liturgy, or by serving with our Worship Production team by operating our projection and slides), please scan the QR code to volunteer.