

Announcements

Welcome to Our Choral Scholars

We welcome the following Choral Scholars from Wingate University for this church year – Sara Moore, Sarah Edwards, Hailey Beshore, and Destini Sowell.

Loving Beyond Event

The Board of Missions is still in need of 3 large tossed salads, and 2 more people to deliver the meals to the 5 Monroe fire stations on Monday, September 19. If you would be willing to help, please sign the form in today's worship bulletin.

Book Club

The Faith in Fiction Book Club will meet Monday, September 12 at 6:00 p.m. in the Parlor to review and discuss Betsy Reavley's book, *Murder at the Book Club*.

Hymn Singing

Kathleen Prevost, organist and music director at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, has issued an invitation for our members to join them on the third Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m. for an old-fashioned hymn sing. Those attending are asked to bring finger foods to share.



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The Worship of God



September 11, 2022 at Ten-thirty in the Morning

The Community Gathers Before God

Centering Thoughts for Worship

God calls to the lost, the least, and all who long for heaven as home. God calls when we wander from the path chosen for us. God calls and welcomes us back into his loving grace and care. God seeks us and gathers us as his people. Let us celebrate and rejoice in God's presence forever.

Words of Welcome

Dr. Chris Dawson

If you are our guest today, we welcome you and ask that you complete a Visitor's Card available in the pew racks. Please include your address, phone number and email. If you are interested in learning more about our church, you are invited to note this on the card. Thank you and welcome to worship at First Baptist Church.

Call to Worship

Dr. Chris Dawson

The Community Gives Praise & Prayers to God

+ Centering Music

Hymn No. 118

"We Will Glorify"

WE WILL GLORIFY

First Lectionary Reading – Psalm 14

Madison Frank

+ Hymn of Praise

Hymn No. 20

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

ODE TO JOY

Second Lectionary Reading – I Tim. 1: 12-17

Rev. Denise Hopper

Sharing Prayer Concerns

Rev. Denise Hopper

A Moment of Prayer Church Family

Prayer for the People Rev. Denise Hopper

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

+ Hymn of Assurance Hymn No. 522

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” BRADBURY

Children age 3-K are invited to leave for Children’s Worship

Anthem The Chancel Choir

“Do You Know Your Shepherd’s Voice” by Suzanne Long

The Community Receives God’s Word

Sermon Text – John 21: 1-14 Dr. Daynette Snead Perez

Sermon Dr. Daynette Snead Perez

Prayer Dr. Daynette Snead Perez

The Community Responds to God’s Call

+ Hymn of Response Hymn No. 728

“Jesus Saves!” JESUS SAVES

+ Stewardship of Tithing and Fellowship Church Family

+ Musical Benediction

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

+ Closing Voluntary Beth Adams

+ Those who are able may stand

Ministers

All who follow Jesus

Church Staff

Dr. Christopher S. Dawson, *Senior Minister*

Beth Adams, *Accompanist*

Marsha Sexton, *Business Manager*

Kathy Cole, *Ministry Coordinator*

Alyssa Metze, *Weekday Preschool Director*

Madison Frank, *Music Intern*



Vision Statement

*First Baptist Church Monroe exists to
Love God, Love Within, and Love Beyond*



A Glance of our Financial Stewardship

Weekly Budget Requirements	\$	6,780
Budget Receipts September 4, 2022.....	\$	5,772
Budget Receipts to Date	\$	5,772
Expenses to Date	\$	-0-



This Week’s Committees

Livestreaming Equipment - Trevor Dawson

Nursery – Debby McBride

Ushers – Ken and Ann Handy, Tim McBride

Worship and Children’s Worship Leader – Rev. Denise Hopper

Money Counter – Harvey Whitley

Prayer Concerns

Carol Baker – Ed Varney - Jon and Katie Mackay

Mary Akers - Phyllis Overton -Vivian Pell

Carrie Hargett

Jack Hinson, brother of Nancy Thomas

Jerry Boyer, brother of Julie Laytham

MaryAnn Clifton, aunt of Mike Knight

Debby Haver, cousin of Don Haver

Mike McBride, brother of Tim McBride

Shirley Clanton, friend of Frances Knight

Becky Shue, sister-in-law of Joyce Forbes

Anita Johnson, friend of Carol Findley

Kevin Casner, son of Ray and Gerry Casner

Bill Thaxton

Emma Hemphill

Daniel Mackay, brother of Jonathan Mackay

The leaders/people of Ukraine and Russia, for peace to replace war

All those affected by Covid-19



Church Calendar

Sunday, September 11

9:30 am Bible Fellowship – *Rooms 214 / 318*

10:30 am Morning Worship – *Sanctuary/Facebook*

Monday, September 12

6:00 pm Faith in Fiction Book Club - *Parlor*

Wednesday, September 11

6:00 pm Children & Families Dinner – *Family Life Center*

6:30 pm Children’s Discipleship Study
Adult Discipleship Study – *Room 214*

7:30 pm Chancel Choir – *Choir Room*

