

# WEEKLY SCHEDULE

## SUNDAY, MAY 22

9:30 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Worship Service

On FBCG Facebook page, at this link:  
<https://www.facebook.com/FirstBaptistChurchofGraham>

On FBCG Website, at this link:  
<https://fbcgraham.org/sermons-services/>  
Tune in to radio station 104.5-FM or 920-AM at 11:00 am for a live broadcast of our service.

4:00 - 6:00 PM Church Picnic  
Bill Cooke Park, Shelter 1

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

6:00 PM Chancel Choir

## SATURDAY, MAY 28

11:00 AM Starfish Team 4 (Take-Out Only)

### Thank you!

*Thank you for providing us with a wonderful Teacher Appreciation breakfast.*

*Graham Middle School Staff*

## Online Giving

is simple and easy!

Visit our website, [www.fbcgraham.org](http://www.fbcgraham.org) and click the "GIVE" button to give your tithes and offerings online.

### STEWARDSHIP REPORT

#### Tithes & Offerings Needed

Weekly \$5,236 Monthly \$22,689

#### Tithes & Offerings Received

May 1, 2022	\$8,231
May 8, 2022	\$5,461
May 15, 2022	\$1,432
May 22, 2022	
May 29, 2022	

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

Deacon of the week this week: **Gaylene Fogleman**  
 Deacon of the week next week: **Judy Henderson**  
 Greeter of the month: **Earl Foster**  
 Usher Captains of the month: **Mike Harden & Jerome Naylor**  
 Nursery May 22nd: **Robin Self**  
 Nursery May 29th: **Linda Moore**

# Welcome!

Welcome to First Baptist Church!

Thank you for worshipping with us today! If you are a first time guest, we want to say a special welcome to you. Please complete one of the Welcome Cards located in the pew rack and drop it in the offering plate. This will give us the opportunity to connect with you and get to know you better. Thanks again for coming! May you experience the joy of the Lord as you worship here this morning.

#### CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Chris Howe, Pastor  
Ann Holt, Interim Minister of Music/Organist  
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# First Baptist Church of Graham

May 22, 2022

11:00 AM

**Prelude** arr. Williamson  
*Variants on "St. Anne" (O God, Our Help in Ages Past)*  
Ann Holt, organ

### \*Call to Worship

I was glad when they said unto me, let us go to the house of the living God.

**This is the day when we rejoice in God's act of creation.**

This is our sabbath, when we rejoice in the resurrection of Jesus the Christ.

**We give thanks that once more, God has brought us together, that we might refresh one another.**

***Peace to all who enter here, peace this day and every day, in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.***

*We Have Come into His House*

We have come into His house and gathered in His name to worship Him.

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We Have come into His house and gathered in His name to worship Christ the Lord.

Worship Him, Christ the Lord  
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**Greeting and Invocation**

Pastor Chris

**Hymn of Praise 43**    *This Is My Father's World*    TERRA PATRIS

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears, All nature sings,  
and round me rings the music of the spheres.  
This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees,  
of skies and seas; His hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise;  
The morning light, the lily white declare their Maker's praise.  
This is my Father's world, He shines in all that's fair;  
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me ev'rywhere.

This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget that though the wrong  
seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.  
This is my Father's world, The battle is not done;  
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heaven be one.

**Children's Message**    Pastor Chris

**Time of Prayer**    *Spirit of the Living God*    IVERSON

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me;  
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.  
Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

**\*Offertory Hymn 333**    SHOWALTER

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*  
stanza 1, 2

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms;  
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

**Chorus:** Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;  
Leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Oh, how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting  
arms; Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms. **Chorus**

**Offertory**    *In Christ Alone*    arr. Hayes

In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength,  
my song; This cornerstone, this solid ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

**\*Doxology**    OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Old Testament Reading**    Isaiah 38:1-6    Ronda Howe

**Anthem**    *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*  
Chancel Choir

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too  
small. Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all!  
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**New Testament Text**    Acts 16:19-26

**Message**    *Your Inside Voice*    Pastor Chris

**\*Hymn of Commitment 267**    REST (ELTON)

*Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*  
stanza 1, 2, 4

Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways;  
Reclothe us in our rightful mind;  
In purer lives Thy service find, in deeper rev'rence praise.

Drop Thy still dews of quietness, til all our strivings cease;  
Take from our souls the strain and stress,  
And let our ordered lives confess, The beauty of Thy Peace.

In simple trust like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea;  
The gracious calling of the Lord, Let us, like them, without a word,  
Rise up and follow thee.

**\*Benediction**    Pastor Chris

**\*Choral Response**    *With Hearts and Hands*    OLD 100TH

With hearts and hands we give to You, our gifts of love and all we do;  
With grateful lives and humble grace,  
we sing this hymn of endless praise. Amen.  
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**Postlude**    *Psalms of Glory*    Wells  
Ann Holt, organ

**\*Please stand as you are able**

***We share the love of Christ through missions and ministry.***

**CHURCHWIDE PICNIC**

**TODAY**

**4:00 pm - 6:00 pm**

Bill Cooke Park, Shelter 1  
Hotdogs - Games - Music



Bring a cover dish to share  
Bring a lawn chair

**Adult Activities Council**

**FOOD BOX MINISTRY**

This month we are in need of the following non-  
perishable food items for the Food Box Ministry.



**Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Saltine crackers**

You can drop them off in the shopping cart in the  
main hallway of the church at your convenience. Thank you for your  
heart and your generosity as we strive to serve this community and  
share the love of Christ.

**STARFISH CLOTHING MINISTRY**

We are in need of Spring/Summer Men's clothes (short sleeve t-shirts,  
shorts, pants, jeans.) Donations can be dropped off in the designated bin in  
the main hallway.

**MEN'S CLOTHES NEEDED**

**HOMECOMING WEEKEND**

**SAVE THE DATES**

**Saturday, June 11th**

Burlington Putt-Putt Fun Center



**Sunday, June 12th**

Homecoming Sunday