

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

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.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

6:00 PM Chancel Choir

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

11:30 AM Starfish Team 2

5:00–7:00 PM Putt-Putt, Burlington Fun Center
 1340 N. Church St., Burlington

Online Giving

is simple and easy!

Visit our website, 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	\$3,463
May 29, 2022	\$4,036
	\$22,623

May Deficit (\$66)

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Deacon of the week this week:	Linda Moore
Deacon of the week next week:	Lenora Saunders
Greeter of the month:	Judy Henderson
Usher Captains of the month:	Jim Euliss and Butch Farrell
Nursery June 5th:	Donna Harden
Nursery June 12th:	Gwen Sharpe

Thank You!

*Dear First Baptist Graham Family,
 Thank you so much for the prayers, calls, cards, and food/snacks over the past eight months. You have been with me on this long journey for a “routine” procedure that wasn’t. Thank you and God Bless. Judy and I appreciate you.*

Bill Henderson

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
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First Baptist Church of Graham

June 5, 2022

11:00 AM

Prelude *Nearer, Still Nearer* arr. Smith
 Ann Holt, organ

*Call to Worship

LEADER: Praise ye the Lord: Both young men, and maidens; old men and children: Let them praise the name of the Lord: for His name alone is excellent; His glory is above the earth and heaven.

WOMEN: Praise ye the Lord. Praise God in His sanctuary: praise Him in the firmament of His power. Praise Him for His mighty acts: praise Him according to His excellent greatness.

MEN: Praise Him with the sound of trumpet: praise Him with the psaltery and the harp. Praise Him with stringed instruments and organs.

ALL: Praise Him upon the loud cymbals: praise Him upon the high-sounding cymbals. Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord!

We Will Glorify

We will glorify the King of kings; We will glorify the Lamb.
 We will glorify the Lord of lords, who is the great I AM.

Hallelujah to the King of kings, Hallelujah to the Lamb.
 Hallelujah to the Lord of lords, Who is the great I AM.

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Greeting and Invocation Pastor Chris

Hymn of Praise 19 KREMSER
We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer

We praise You, O God, our Redeemer, Creator,
 In grateful devotion our tribute we bring.
 We lay it before You, we kneel and adore You,
 We bless Your holy name, glad praises we bring.

We worship You, God of our fathers we bless You; Thro’ life’s storm
 and tempest our Guide You have been. When perils o’er take us,
 You will not forsake us, And with Your help,
 O Lord, our battles we win.

With voices united our praises we offer,
 and gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise.
 With You, Lord, beside us, Your strong arm will guide us,
 to You, our great Redeemer, forever be praise.

Children's Message "Empty" Pastor Chris

Prayer Response *Jesus, Your Name*

Jesus, Your name is power; Jesus, Your name is might, Jesus,
Your name will break ev'ry stronghold;
Jesus, Your name is life.

Jesus, Your name is holy; Jesus, Your name brings light. Jesus,
Your name above ev'ry other; Jesus, Your name is life.

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***Offertory Hymn 182** CONVERSE
What a Friend We Have in Jesus
stanza 1, 3

What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry ev'rything to God in Prayer!

Oh, what peace we often forfeit, Oh, what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry ev'rything to God in prayer!

Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?

Precious Savior, still our refuge; Take it to the Lord in prayer;

Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee; Thou wilt find a solace there.

Offertory *In Quiet Praise* Callender

***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 Genesis 11:1-9 Tammie Arrington

Solo *My Tribute*
Jerry Harper, tenor

To God be the glory for the things He has done,

With His blood He has saved me; With His Power He has raised me;

To God be the glory for the things He has done.

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New Testament Text Philippians 3:7-11

Message The Best Laid Plans Pastor Chris

***Hymn of Commitment 600** More About Jesus SWENEY

More about Jesus would I know, More of His grace to others show;
More of His saving fullness see, More of His love who died for me.

More, more about Jesus, More, more about Jesus
More of His saving fullness see,
More of His love who died for me.

More about Jesus let me learn, More of His holy will discern;
Spirit of God, my teacher be, Showing the things of Christ to me.
(CHORUS)

More about Jesus in His Word, Holding communion with my Lord;
Hearing His voice in every line, Making each faithful saying mine.
(CHORUS)

More about Jesus on His throne, Riches in glory all His own;
More of His kingdom's sure increase;
More of His coming, Prince of peace.
(CHORUS)

***Benediction** Pastor Chris

***Choral Response** *The Longer I Serve Him*

The longer I serve Him, the sweeter He grows.
The more that I love Him, more love He bestows.
Each day is like heaven, my heart overflows.
The longer I serve Him, the sweeter He grows.

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Postlude *With Praises All Unite!* arr. Edwards
Ann Holt, organ

***Please stand as you are able**

*The flowers in the sanctuary this morning
are given to the glory of God and
in loving memory of Herb & Peggy Smith,
by Dina Gayle, Stephen, Lynn, Rodney, Eric,
and their families.*

We share the love of Christ through missions and ministry.

148th FBCG HOMECOMING

Saturday, June 11th

Burlington Putt-Putt Fun Center

5:00 - 7:00 PM

Cost \$10 - includes 1 game,

2 slices of pizza, a beverage, and a scoop of ice cream.

Everyone is invited! A sign up sheet is in the main hallway.



Sunday, June 12th



10:00 AM - 1:00 PM Homecoming Portraits
Join us for a special homecoming opportunity.
We will have a professional photographer
coming to take pictures of you and your family
in the office suite. You will receive free digital
images with the option to print.

11:00 AM Homecoming Service

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

Hot dogs provided!

Bring a covered dish to share and a lawn chair.
A sign up sheet is located in the main hallway.
Join us for food, games and music!



CHURCH CONFERENCE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15TH

The Properties Team will bring a motion to have the carpet in
the Dixie Mann room, Sanctuary and Vestibule cleaned.