

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service

On FBCG Facebook page, at this link:
[https://www.facebook.com/First Baptist Church of Graham](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.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27

11:30 AM Starfish Team 4

THANK YOU

*FBCG Church Family,
Thanks for the cards, calls, texts, visits, food and all your prayers as I recovered from a broken ankle. You are appreciated.*

Linda Naylor

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

August 7, 2022 \$4,040

August 14, 2022 \$5,547

August 21, 2022

August 28, 2022

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Deacon of the week this week: Sandra Arnette
Deacon of the week next week: Gaylene Fogleman
Greeter of the month: Gaylene Fogleman
Usher Captains of the month: Jim Euliss & Butch Farrell
Nursery August 21st: Robin Self
Nursery August 28th: Brian Faucette

THANK YOU

*FBCG Church Family,
We would love to thank everyone for all the well wishes and birthday cards that were sent to my mom, Vicky Johnson. It just makes her day to know that her Church family loves her so much and keeps our family in your prayers.*

Vicky Johnson & Donna Murray

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

August 21, 2022

11:00 AM

Prelude *Near To the Heart of God* Mercer
Catherine Parker, piano

*Call to Worship Psalm 103:1-8

Bless the Lord, O' my soul, all my inmost being, bless His holy name.

Bless the Lord, O' my soul, and forget not all His benefits.

Who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases.

Who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion.

The Lord satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.

Bless the Lord, you His angels, you mighty ones who do His bidding, who obey His Word.

Bless the Lord, all His heavenly hosts, you His servants who do His will.

Bless the Lord, all His works everywhere in His dominion.

Bless the Lord, O' my soul.

Stand Up And Bless The Lord

*Stand up and bless the Lord,
All people of His choice;*

*Stand up and bless the Lord your God with heart
and soul and voice.*

*Stand up and bless the Lord;
The Lord your God adore;*

*Stand up and Bless His glorious name,
Henceforth forever more.*

Greeting and Invocation

Pastor Chris

Hymn of Praise 197

Rejoice, The Lord Is King
stanza 1, 2, 4

DARWALL

Rejoice, the Lord is King: Your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks and sing, And triumph evermore:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus, the Savior, reigns, The God of truth and love;
When He had purged our stains, He took His seat above:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord and judge shall come
And take His servants up To their eternal home:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Children's Message

Lindy Teachey

Time of Prayer

New Testament Reading

Luke 13:10-17

Tammie Arrington

***Offertory Hymn 221**

LAUDES DOMINI

When Morning Gilds The Skies

When morning gilds the skies, My heart awaking cries,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Alike at work and prayer, To Jesus I repair;
May Jesus Christ be praised.

The night becomes as day, When from the heart we say,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
The powers of darkness fear, When this sweet song they hear,
May Jesus Christ be praised.

Ye nations of mankind, In this your concord find:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let all the earth around Ring joyous with the sound:
May Jesus Christ be praised.

In heavens eternal bliss The loveliest strain is this,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let earth, and sea, and sky From depth to height reply,
May Jesus Christ be praised.

Offertory Prayer

Earl Foster

Offertory

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus/God Is So Good

Prim

***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.

Anthem

It Took a Miracle/Amazing Grace
Jerry Harper

Old Testament Text

Isaiah 58:9b-14

Message

Any Given Sunday

Pastor Chris

***Hymn of Commitment 446**

HOLINESS

Take Time To Be Holy
stanza 1, 2, 3

Take time to be holy, Speak oft with thy Lord;
Abide in Him always, And feed on His Word.
Make friends of God's children,
Help those who are weak;
Forgetting in nothing His blessing to seek.

Take time to be holy, The world rushes on;
Spend much time in secret With Jesus alone.
Buy looking to Jesus Like Him thou shalt be;
Thy friends in thy conduct His likeness shall see.

Take time to be holy, Let Him be thy guide,
And run not before Him Whatever betide.
In joy or in sorrow Still follow thy Lord,
And looking to Jesus, Still trust in His Word.

***Benediction**

Pastor Chris

***Choral Response**

Blest Be the Tie

DENNIS

*Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

Postlude

Let Others See Jesus In You
Catherine Parker, piano

COLEMAN

***Please stand as you are able**

We share the love of Christ through missions and ministry.

FOOD BOX MINISTRY

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



Canned vegetables (corn, any type of beans)

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.

On Sunday morning, August 28th, all children and youth are encouraged to bring your backpacks with you to worship. We will also invite all school teachers and staff to this special time of dedication and recognition.



We will spend some time praying for you as you prepare for a new school year!

BACK TO SCHOOL PIZZA PARTY!

Our children and youth Sunday School teachers would like to celebrate the students with a back to school pizza party!

Immediately following worship service, Sunday, August 28th pizza will be provided for students and their parents upstairs in the students multiple purpose room.

Parents, please contact Patsy Godwin by Wednesday, August 24th if you plan to attend at prgodwin@bellsouth.net.

Make plans to join us!

MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER

We are thankful that we are now able to resume our weekly time of prayer and Bible study. We will begin on Wednesday, September 21st at 6 p.m. and will revisit the study that was interrupted when the Covid crisis began. You may remember that we were working on a video series by Max Lucado called "Glory Days." God wants us to know that our best days are still ahead and that we can live our Promised Land life now. This study series will last for seven weeks and will conclude just prior to Thanksgiving. As always, there will also be a time of sharing and prayer. I hope you will plan to participate in this study series beginning Wednesday, September 21st.