First Baptist Church of Graham

January 28, 2024

11:00 AM

Prelude

I Know Whom I Have Believed
Ann Holt, organ

arr. Page

"I know not why God's wondrous grace to me He hath made known, Nor why, unworthy, Christ in love redeemed me for His own. 2 Timothy1:12

*Call to Worship

Psalm 111

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.

Full of splendor and majesty is His work, and His righteousness endures forever!

The works of His hands are faithful and just; all His precepts are trustworthy. They are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

He sent redemption to His people; He has commanded His covenant forever. Holy and awesome is His name!

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!

Choral Response

Thank You, Lord

THANK YOU, LORD

Thank You, Lord, for saving my soul, Thank You, Lord, for making me whole; Thank You, Lord, for giving to me Thy great salvation so rich and free.

Welcome and Invocation

Pastor Chris

Hymn of Praise 247 Come, Thou Almighty King

ITALIAN HYMN

Verse 1, 3, 4

Children's Message

Mary Faucette

Gospel Reading Matthew 6:5-15

LindyTeachey

Offertory Hymn 170 Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks

All verses

ALLELUIA NO.1

Offertory Prayer Benny Brooks

Offertory Sweet Hour of Prayer arr. Wyrtzen

Catherine Parker, piano

*Doxology OLD HUNDREDTH

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

Anthem River In Judea

Chancel Choir

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Epistle Reading James 5:13-16

Proclamation of the Word "Ol' Flat Knees" **Pastor Chris**

Open Our Eyes, Lord **OPEN OUR EYES Hymn of Commitment 499**

All verses

Benediction **Pastor Chris**

ORWIGSBURG Choral Response I Must Tell Jesus

Catherine Parker, piano

I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! I cannot bear my burdens alone; I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! Jesus can help me, Jesus alone.

Postlude In Thee Is Gladness Wagner

Ann Holt, organ

*Please stand as you are able

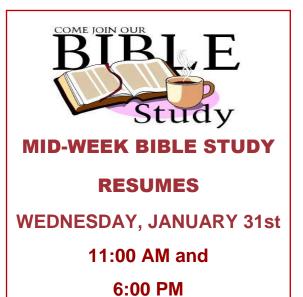
Memory Verse

"The fervent prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." James 5:16b

> As a community of faith, we share the love of Christ through missions and ministry.

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. If you have young children, worship bags for children are available in the vestibule.



Dixie Mann Room

EMERGENCY CALLED CONFERENCE
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28TH
TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING
MOTION:

The Property Team and the Stewardship Team make a motion to hire Bledsole Heating and AC to replace the heat exchanger on the existing sanctuary HVAC system at a cost of \$4,800. Funds to cover the cost will be taken from the Brown Estate Trust.

CHURCH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

As a part of our 150th Homcoming celebration next year, we plan to publish a new Church Pictorial Directory. We are schedule to have the pictures taken on Monday, February 5, 2024. Please reserve a time for your family to have their picture taken. A signup sheet located on the table in the main hallway. Every family that participates will receive a free directory to remember this special homecoming celebration.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

9:00 AM Churchwide Breakfast

9:30 AM Joint Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service

2:00 AM Handbell Practice

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

11:00 AM Mid-Week Bible Study

6:00 PM Mid-Week Bible Study

7:00 PM Choir Practice

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

11:30 AM Starfish, Team 1

Deacon of the week: Linda Moore

Deacon of the week February 4th:

Linda Naylor

Greeter of the month: Debbie Farrell

Usher Captains of the month: Mike Harden & Jerome Naylor

Nursery January 28th: Betty Euliss & Patsy Godwin

Nursery February 4th: Donna Harden & Amy Keller

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Chris Howe, Pastor Ann Holt, Organist Steve Holt, IT Director Catherine Parker, Pianist Noah Tyre, Minister of Music Diann Clapp, Administrative Assistant

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www.fbcgraham.org and click on the "GIVE" button to give your tithes and offerings online. You can also give to most all designated funds online. (i.e. Community Ministry, Back Pack, Memorials, Starfish, etc.)

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Tithes & Offerings Needed

Weekly \$5,321 Monthly \$23,058

Tithes & Offerings Received

January 7 \$8,439 January 14 \$1,513 January 21 \$2,088