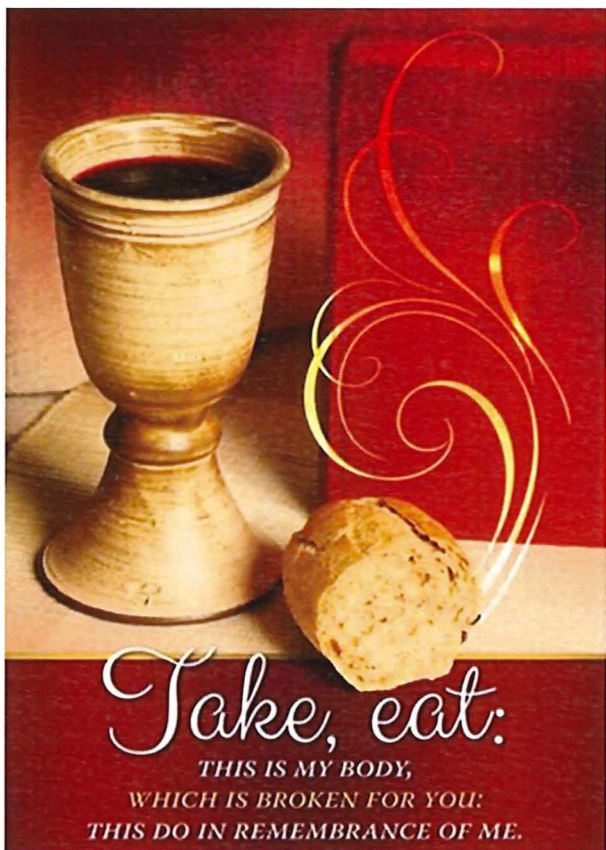




FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

HIGHLAND AVENUE • WINSTON-SALEM NC

REACHING, PREACHING, AND TEACHING THE GOSPEL TO ALL GOD'S PEOPLE



Sunday, October 1, 2023

Holy Communion

Rev. Dr. A. Ray Campbell, Interim Pastor

Rev. Glenn Pettiford, Assistant Pastor

Order of Worship
Sunday, October 1, 2023
10:00 a.m.

Music for Gathering	Organist	Baby Dedication	Sevin Sharquarius Kay Ross
Call To Worship		Congregational Hymn <i>"How Great Thou Art"</i>	Hymn #148
Pastor: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise.		Organ Interlude	Organist
Congregation: Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.		Pastoral Observations	
All: Bless our God, O peoples, let the sound of his praise be heard. <i>Psalm 66:1,5, and 8</i>		Tithes and Offerings <i>(late worshipers may enter)</i>	
Scripture Reading <i>Nahum 1:1-8</i>	Deacon Dexter Felder	Musical Selection	Chancel Choir
Invocation and Lord's Prayer <i>Pastor and Congregation</i>		MESSAGE <i>"How Shall We See God?"</i>	Rev. Dr. A. Ray Campbell
Moments of Inner Reflection <i>(late worshipers may enter)</i>		Invitation to Discipleship	
Chant		Church Covenant	
Prayer	Deacon Dexter Felder	Holy Communion	
Welcome	Mrs. Kathleen Ellis	Closing Hymn of Praise <i>"I Know It Was The Blood"</i>	Hymn #267
Introduction of Youth Minister	Dr. Tandaka Boko		

148 HOW GREAT THOU ART

*Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.
Psalm 111:2*

1. O Lord my God, when I in awe - some
 2. When thru the woods and for - est glades I
 3. And when I think that God, His Son not
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla -

won - der Con - sid - er all the worlds Thy hands have
 wan - der And hear the birds sing sweet - ly in the
 spar - ing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it
 ma - tion And take me home, what joy shall fill my

made, I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing
 trees, When I look down from loft - y moun - tain
 in That on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly
 heart! Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o -

thun - der, Thy pow'r thru - out the un - i - verse dis - played!
 gran - deur And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze.
 bear - ing, He bled and died to take a - way my sin!
 ra - tion And there pro - claim, my God, how great Thou art!

Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee; How great Thou

art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to

Thee; How great Thou art, How great Thou art!

Text: Stuart K. Hine, 1899-1989
 Tune: O STORE GOD, 11 10 11 10 with refrain; Stuart K. Hine, 1899-1989
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267 I KNOW IT WAS THE BLOOD

...we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace...
Ephesians 1:7-8

1. I know it was the blood, I
 2. They whipped Him all night long, They
 3. They pierced Him in His side, They
 4. He nev-er said a mum - blin' word, He nev-er
 5. He hung His head and died, He
 6. He's com - ing back a - gain, He's

know it was the blood, I
 whipped Him all night long, They
 pierced Him in His side, They
 said a mum - blin' word, He nev-er
 hung His head and died, He
 com - ing back a - gain, He's

know it was the blood for me.
 whipped Him all night long for me.
 pierced Him in His side for me.
 said a mum - blin' word for me.
 hung His head and died for me.
 com - ing back a - gain for me.

One day when I was lost He died up-on the cross.

I know it was the blood for me.

Text: African-American traditional
Tune: IT WAS THE BLOOD, 66 8 with refrain; African-American traditional; arr. by Evelyn Simpson-Curenton, b.1953, © 2000, GIA Publications, Inc.

Devotional

Love like Christ:

While reading a devotional I came across the words of Paul to the church at Corinth: "Love never ends" (ESV) or "faileth" (KJV). The thought occurred to me that this is the reason that President Jimmy Carter while facing cancer, could say "I am at peace with whatever comes". In the same interview, he went on to talk about the love of God and his complete confidence in God's will for his life. "What's love got to do with it?" God created us out of love. All that God has done, is doing, and will do, is out of the love that He has for us. As Christians, we are called to love. (I John 4:8) At age 91, facing a serious bout with cancer, Mr. Carter continues to talk of doing things that will enhance lives and enable individuals to accomplish their level of greatness. He will continue to raise funds for various humanitarian works with the same love he has had from day one. Mr. President, we need people to love like you! Christ expects all of us to love. Be encouraged. (Source:raycampbellblog.wordpress.com)

Announcements for the Week of October 1, 2023

We are pleased to dedicate the following baby:

Sevin Sharquarius Kay Ross, son of Mr. & Mrs. Christopher (Sharnele) Ross. Sevin's maternal grandmother is Mrs. Sherlane Hill, paternal grandmother Mrs. Robin Green; godparent, Atlantis Williams.

THE MINOR PROPHETS SERIES:

October 01, 2023 How Shall We See God?
Nahum 1:1-8

October 08, 2023 When God Takes Too Long
Habakkuk 3:17-19

Topic: FBC Bible Study (Wed. Nights)

Time: 7 p.m.

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85457260925?pwd=cTBKZXc0YjhKOUNML09lYnVuS0NtUT09>

Meeting ID: 854 5726 0925

Passcode: 649141

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Gold Star Members—If you will become a Gold Star Member this year (50 years of continued membership with First Baptist) please leave your name in the church office by Sunday, October 1, 2023. All Gold Star Members will be recognized on Sunday, October 15th during our Founders' Day Celebration.

A Time To Serve

The time is approaching for Nomination of Church Officers for the year 2024. The Nominating Committee would like to ask that all members prayerfully consider either nominating someone for an office or volunteering for a church office for the coming year, 2024. Nomination forms will be available during the month of September for all offices listed below. Now is the time to start thinking about filling the following positions:

Church Clerk/Assistant Church Clerk

Financial Secretary/Assistant Financial Secretary

Treasurer/Assistant Treasurer

Church Trustee(s)

Finance Team Member(s)

Nominating Committee Member(s)

Pastoral Relations Committee Member(s)

Historical Committee Member(s)

The Nominating Committee

Alma M. Peay – *Chairperson*

Louise Hill – *Vice Chair*

Mary Fox

Ossie C. Hairston

Gayle B. Heyer

Thomas Steele

Clementine V. Mauney

George Phillips

Pamela P. Switzer

The Food Pantry is in need of grits, spinach, diced tomatoes, chicken noodle soup, peaches, pineapple and dish detergent.

Please check the expiration dates.

Don't forget you can make a monetary donation equal to your number of birthday years.

Nominating Committee Notification -The nomination form for church officers for 2024 and responsibilities information form is available. Please pick up a copy of the forms located on the table in the front entrance of the sanctuary.

The Usher Ministry will have a Salvation Army Christmas Toy Drive beginning October 1st - December 1st. Please bring unwrapped toys and clothes for children birth -12 years of age. Boxes will be located at the elevator tower and the front entrance of the sanctuary. If you have questions see Niel Hairston.

The Ruth Missionary Group will meet Saturday, October 7 @ 11 AM in the Board Room.

The Sr. Adult Ministry will meet on Thursday, October 5 @ 10:30 am in the Family Life Center. We will review chapters 3-5 of Tony Evans' book, Victory in spiritual Warfare. We hope to see you there.

Please email Olita Alexander (oalexander@fbcwinston.org) with your ministry's 2024 budget request by Wednesday, October 18.



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Children's Clothing Closet

Request List

Drop off

Wednesday - Friday
11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Infants

24 months *(all categories)*

Boys

slacks/jeans/sweats *(all sizes)*

shirts

long sleeve tee's *(no writing)* but will take Polo and Nike

sweaters

shoes/sock

underwear *(new)*

Girls

pants/jeans/sweats *(all sizes)*

dresses

skirts

tops/blouses/tee's *(no writing)*

shoes/socks

underwear *(new)*

sweaters

jackets/hats/gloves *(both girls and boys)*

Sick & Shut-In as of 10/01/23

Mrs. Junaita Archie

Mr. Keith Bohannon

Mrs. Marjorie Bohannon

Mr. Ramsey Cathey

Mr. James Duncan

Mrs. Christine Evans

Mrs. Ruth Ford

Mrs. Ossie Hairston

Mr. Victor Henderson

Deacon William Holloway (*no calls or visits, please*)

Mrs. Julia Huggins

Mr. & Mrs. Wilbert Jenkins

Miss Jamilya Lucas

Mrs. Ruth Page

Mrs. Mary Sawyer

Mrs. Harriet Smith

Ms. Isadora Springs

Mr. Demarco Steele

Mrs. Lois Turner

CHURCH OFFICERS AND STAFF

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General Ministry)
Rev. Glenn Pettiford
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BOOKKEEPER/OFFICE MANAGER

Olita Alexander

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Kennetta Smith

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Charles Hairston
Pamela Switzer, Assistant

CHURCH TREASURER

Danny Freeman
Cynthia Jeffries, Assistant

CHURCH CLERK

Kathleen Ellis
Gloria Kirby-Green, Assistant

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Charlie O. Wall, Superintendent
Jesse Hymes, Assistant

FOOD SERVICE

Ossie Hairston

MINISTRIES AND AUXILIARIES

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Director of Music

Chancel Choir

Yvonne Myrick

Men's Chorus

Harold Brown

Hedgley Fellowship Choir

Faye Redd

Youth & Angelic Choirs

Pamela Dockery-Howard

Liturgical Dancers

Joi Butler
Tonya Fulton

MINISTRIES

Deacon Ministry

Charlie Wall
Phone: 760-4138
Jesse Hymes, Assistant

Trustee Ministry

Brenda Hodge
Phone: 768-9381
Dexter Felder, Assistant

Deaconess Ministry

Alma Peay
Phone-336-661-8861
Addie Hymes-Assistant

Men's Ministry

Linwood Jerald

Youth/Children's Ministry

Tandeka Boko
Valinda Turner

Kids For Christ

Rod Warren

Usher Ministry

Leonard Hairston

Women's Ministry

Wyrine Dorris

Flower Ministry

Sherlane Hill
Marilyn Hanner

Political Action Committee

Gloria Kirby-Green

Senior Adult

Ollie Tatum, Chairperson
Edith Bailey, Co-Chair

Lay Ministry of Caregivers

Carmen Wigfall, Chairperson
Rev. Anne Jenkins, Pastoral Liaison

AUXILIARIES

Addie C. Morris Club

Trina Wilson

Home and Foreign Missionary

Doris Moore

Women's Progressive Club

Alma Peay

Women's Service Council

Pam Switzer

John Davis Memorial Library

Christine Evans

Healthcare Ministry

Fontaine Graham

SUNDAY AND WEEK -DAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

WORSHIP SERVICE HOUR 10:00 A.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES 8:45AM
NOON-DAY BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY 12:00 NOON
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM

All services are online on Facebook and YouTube.
Bible studies also via Zoom.