



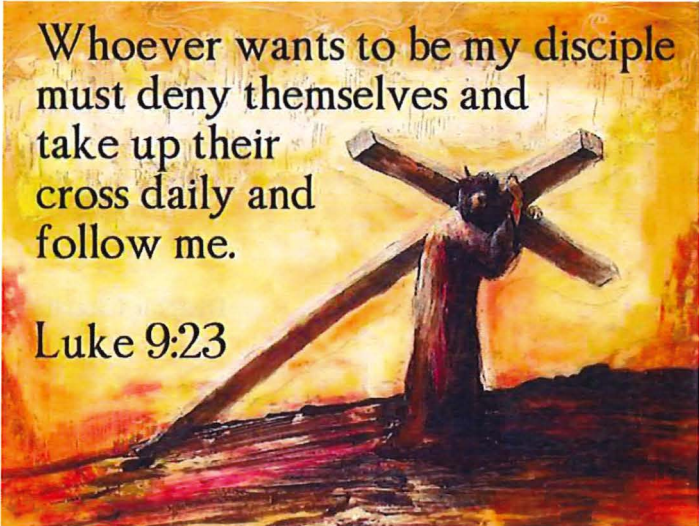
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

HIGHLAND AVENUE • WINSTON-SALEM NC

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

Whoever wants to be my disciple
must deny themselves and
take up their
cross daily and
follow me.

Luke 9:23



Sunday, February 16, 2025

Rev. Samuel J. Doyle, Senior Pastor
Rev. Glenn Pettiford, Assistant Pastor

Order of Worship
Sunday, February 16, 2025
10:00 a.m.

Music for Gathering

Organist

Welcome

Mrs. Kathleen Ellis

Opening Hymn *"Lift Every Voice And Sing"*

Hymn #540

Fellowship Moment

Call To Worship

Pastor: Serve the Lord with gladness: come before his presence with singing.

Musical Selection

David R. Hedgley Choir

Congregation: Know that the Lord, He is God. It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves.

Pastoral Observations

All: We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Psalm 100:1-3 (nkjv)

Tithes and Offerings

(late worshipers may enter)

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Pastor and Congregation

Offertory Prayer

Deacon Charlie Wall

Chant

Doxology *"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"*

Hymn #650

Scripture

Luke 9:23(ESV)

Deacon Charlie Wall

Congregational Hymn

"Hold To God's Unchanging Hand"

Hymn #404

Moments of Inner Reflection

(late worshipers may enter)

Musical Selection

David R. Hedgley Choir

Prayer

Deacon Charlie Wall

MESSAGE

"Take Up Your Cross"

Rev. Samuel J. Doyle

Black History Fact

Karmen Morgan

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Hymn of Praise

"We Shall Overcome"

Hymn #542

Sermon Series: "Leaving Everything"
Sermons on Discipleship from the book of Luke
(January 12-March 2)

Date: _____

Title: _____

Points:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Save The Dates!

March 28-30, 2025

Theme: "Walking Together"



**A Weekend of Activities Celebrating the
Installation of Rev. Samuel J. Doyle
As the Twelfth Senior Pastor
Of First Baptist Church**

Banquet – Friday, March 28 - 5:30 P.M.
Marriott Hotel-Hearn Ballroom

Installation Ceremony – Saturday, March 29 - 11:00 A.M.

Installation Service – Sunday, March 30 – 10:00 A.M.

700 Highland Avenue
Winston-Salem, NC 27101
www.fbcwinston.org

404 HOLD TO GOD'S UNCHANGING HAND

*Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.
Hebrews 13:8*

1. Time is filled with swift tran - si - tion.
2. Trust in Him who will not leave you.
3. Cov - et not this world's vain rich - es
4. When your jour - ney is com - plet - ed,

Naught of earth un - moved can stand.
What - so - ev - er years may bring.
That so rap - id - ly de - cay.
If to God you have been true,

Build your hopes on things e - ter - nal.
If by earth - ly friends for - sak - en,
Seek to gain the heav'n - ly treas - ures.
Fair and bright the home in Glo - ry

Hold to God's un - chang - ing hand.
Still more close - ly to Him cling.
They will nev - er pass a - way.
Your en - rap - tured soul will view.

Hold to His hand, God's un - chang - ing hand.

Hold to His hand, God's un - chang - ing hand.

Build your hopes on things e - ter - nal.

Hold to God's un - chang - ing hand.

Text: Jennie Wilson

Tune: UNCHANGING HAND, 8 7 8 7 with refrain; F.L. Eiland; arr. by Stephen Key, © 2000, GIA Publications, Inc.

542 WE SHALL OVERCOME

For whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith.

1 John 5:4-5

1. We shall o - ver - come. We shall o - ver -
 2. We'll walk hand in hand. We'll walk hand in
 3. We shall live in peace. We shall live in
 4. We are not a - fraid. We are not a -
 5. God will see us through. God will see us

come. We shall o - ver - come some - day.
 hand. We'll walk hand in hand some - day.
 peace. We shall live in peace some - day.
 fraid. We are not a - fraid to - day.
 through. God will see us through to - day.

Oh, deep in my heart I do be -

lieve. We shall o - ver - come some - day.

The Women's Service Council will meet right after church service today in the J. C. White Lounge. Visitors are welcome.

The Queen Esther Missionary Group invite adult members of FBC to join our monthly meeting this afternoon at 3:00 p.m. via Zoom. Please consider becoming a part of this group and help support our community outreach efforts. For more information contact Mrs. Janet Wall.

Installation Update

Thanks to the many volunteers who have agreed to help install our 12th senior pastor, Rev. Samuel J. Doyle. The following is information regarding banquet ticket prices and the costs of ads/patrons for the Commemorative Souvenir Booklet:

Banquet ticket prices are \$50.00/person for adults, \$25.00 for children twelve years old and under, and 8 per table.

Please contact Mrs. Vernal Gaston to purchase your tickets.

Cost of ads/patrons – front inside page -**\$500.00**; 1 full page - **\$150.00**; ½ page - **\$75.00**; ¼ page - **\$40.00**; Patrons - **\$25.00**. Please submit by email PRINT READY ads to Harold Brown by Friday, **March 7, 2025**. His email is bmbro2@windstream.net and his cell # is -336-408-9829.

Checks for ads and/or tickets should be made payable to First Baptist Church with the Installation ad or ticket in the memo line.

Installation Banquet Tickets will be available after Morning Worship Service in the Vestibule that leads into the front of the sanctuary.

The Food Pantry is in need of the following: grits, green beans, white potatoes, lima beans, macaroni & cheese, chicken noodle soup, and mandarin oranges. Please don't forget you can give a monetary donation in the amount of your age on your birthday.

The **Annual Baptist Training Institute** will be held from **Monday, April 28, to Friday, May 2, 2025**, at **Piney Grove Baptist Church**, where **Rev. Brandon Helton** serves as Senior Pastor. Sessions will be held **from 6:00 PM to 8:15 PM** each evening.

Study books for the institute are available for **\$12 each**, with **10 copies currently in stock**. If you'd like to purchase a book, please visit the church office during business hours, where **Ms. Kennetta Smith** will assist you. **Payment options:**

Cash: Exact amount required

Check: Payable to *Forsyth County Missionary Union*, with "*Baptist Training Institute*" in the memo line

The **FCMU proudly sponsors the Training Institute**, and its success relies on our collective commitment to **spreading the Good News** and inviting others to participate in this enriching learning experience, guided by outstanding Christian instructors. We ask each member to invite at least six people they know so we can come together to make this event both impactful and inspiring!



Please come and see the "Black History Display" in the hallway by the church office. It will be there all month.

Ms. Andrea Bush and Ms. Yvonne Myrick

The Facilities Committee is cleaning out the nursery and 2 other areas in preparation for the relocation of the adult clothes closet ministry, youth ministry, and health and wellness ministry. If anyone is interested in any of the items in the nursery, please get in touch with members of the Facilities Committee who are Linwood Gerald, Jonathan Wilson, Cynthia Jeffries, Trina Wilson, Willie Clark, and Tommy Davis. Someone from the Facilitates Committee will be in the nursery after church on February 16, 2025, and Tuesday, February 18, 2025, from 12-3 pm. The items will have to be picked up by February 28, 2025, and you are responsible for picking up and removal.

Attention All Songbirds!!

Plans are underway for the installation of the twelfth pastor of First Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel J. Doyle. A mass choir will sing to help celebrate this event. You are cordially invited to become a member of this choir—**ALL** are welcome. The first rehearsal will be on Tuesday, February 18 at 7:00 p.m. Please come out and add your voice. The rehearsal schedule and further details will be provided at this time. If you have any questions, please contact Lois Young, Jo Ann Brown or Yvonne Myrick.



FEBRUARY YOUTH & CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

3rd Sunday: YOUTH WEAR SCHOOL COLORS
YOUTH BLACK HISTORY MONTH READING

4th Saturday: YOUTH FUN DAY, FEBRUARY 22,2025 11am-1pm

4th Sunday: YOUTH WEAR CULTURAL HERITAGE ATTIRE
YOUTH BLACK HISTORY MONTH READING

Ways to Honor Black History Month

1. Educate Yourself on the Black History in Your Community.
2. Visit a Black or African American History Museum.
3. Learn about Black Music History.
4. Read Books Written by Black Authors.
5. Watch Films or Videos by Black Creators.
6. Support Black-owned Businesses.
7. Support Influential, Black-led Nonprofits.
8. Organize a Diversity and Inclusion Event

FEBRUARY ACTIVITIES

FEBRUARY 16TH

WEAR YOUR COLORS SUNDAY

Members are asked to wear colors to represent their...

Sorority
Fraternity
College/University/School
Masonic Affiliations
Business Owned By You

FEBRUARY 23RD

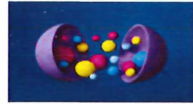
CULTURAL HERITAGE SUNDAY

Members are asked to wear their African attire or that worn by our early ancestors

FELLOWSHIP
D.R. HEDGLEY HALL
FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP

Hello Parents,

The Youth and Children’s Ministry is working to re-establish our children and youth choirs, our youth usher board, and other youth activities. We are reaching out to the church youth of all ages and the parents/guardians to meet on Youth Fun Day, Saturday, February 22, 2025, from 11 am-1 pm in the David R. Hedgley Fellowship Hall. We request that members who would like to work with our youth join us on February 22nd as well. We have many ideas and would like you to share yours with us.



Saturday, February 22, 2025 Agenda

- Opening
- Meeting with adults
- Games with youth
- Lunch
- Community Service
- Project Everyone
- For your consideration.



We look forward to seeing you there.

- Jamie Lee Peay
- Valinda Turner
- Tandeka Boko
- Youth and Children’s Ministry

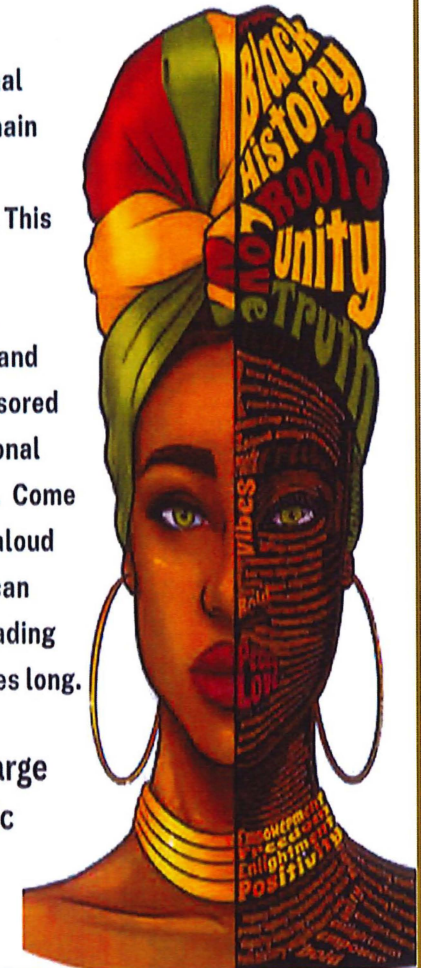
“We can’t always build the future for our Youth, but we build our Youth for the future”.

**AFRICAN AMERICAN
READ-IN**

**MALLOY/JORDAN EAST WINSTON LIBRARY
1110 E. SEVENTH STREET
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2025
3:00-5:00 P.M.**

Join in celebration of National African American Read-In chain promoting literacy through African American literature. This event, facilitated by the Malloy/Jordan East Winston Heritage Center(M/JEWHC) and Friends of M/JEWHC is sponsored by the Black Caucus of National Council of English Teachers. Come prepared to listen and read aloud any works by African American writers. Please limit your reading to no more than three minutes long.

**This event is free of charge
and open to the public**



CHURCH OFFICERS AND STAFF

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Sirena Leak

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Women's Service Council

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Sherri Murrell

Historical Committee

Dr. Bill Leonard

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.