



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

HIGHLAND AVENUE • WINSTON-SALEM NC

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



Genesis 37:18-29

Sunday, August 16, 2026

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

Order of Worship
Sunday, August 16, 2026
10:00 a.m.

Music for Gathering

Opening Hymn

“Lift Him Up”

Hymn #547

Call To Worship and Invocation

Pastor: In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

Congregation: To whom then will you liken God, or what likeness compare with him? Have you not known? Have you not heard?

All: The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. *Genesis 1:1; Isaiah 40:18 and 28 ESV*

Invocation and Lord’s Prayer

Pastor and Congregation

Chant

“I Wanna Praise You”

Scripture

Deacon Dexter Felder

Genesis 37:18-29

Moments of Inner Reflection *“Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior”* **Hymn #435**

(late worshipers may enter)

Prayer

Deacon Dexter Felder

Selection

David R. Hedgley Choir

Welcome and Announcements

Deaconess Sirena Leak

Pastoral Observations

Tithes and Offering

Offertory Prayer

Deacon Dexter Felder

Doxology *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”*
(please stand)

Hymn #650

Congregational Hymn *“In The Garden”*
(late worshipers may enter)

Hymn #494

Selection

David R. Hedgley Choir

Sermon

“An Imperfect Hero”

Rev. Samuel Doyle

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Hymn

“ Sweet, Sweet Spirit ”

Hymn #326

Sermon:

Date: _____

Title: _____

Points:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

494 IN THE GARDEN

*They heard the sound of the LORD walking in the garden..."**Genesis 3:8*

1. I come to the gar - den a - lone, While the
 2. He speaks, and the sound of His voice Is so
 3. I'd stay in the gar - den with Him Though the

dew is still on the ros - es; And the voice I hear,
 sweet the birds hush their sing - ing; And the mel - o - dy
 night a - round me be fall - ing; But He bids me go—

fall - ing on my ear, The Son of God dis - clos - es.
 that He gave to me With - in my heart is ring - ing.
 through the voice of woe, His voice to me is call - ing.

And He walks with me, and He talks with me,

And He tells me I am His own, And the joy we share

as we tar - ry there, None oth - er has ev - er known.

Text: C. Austin Miles, 1868-1946

Tune: GARDEN, 8 9 10 7 with refrain; C. Austin Miles, 1868-1946

326 SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT

... agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.
2 Corinthians 13:11

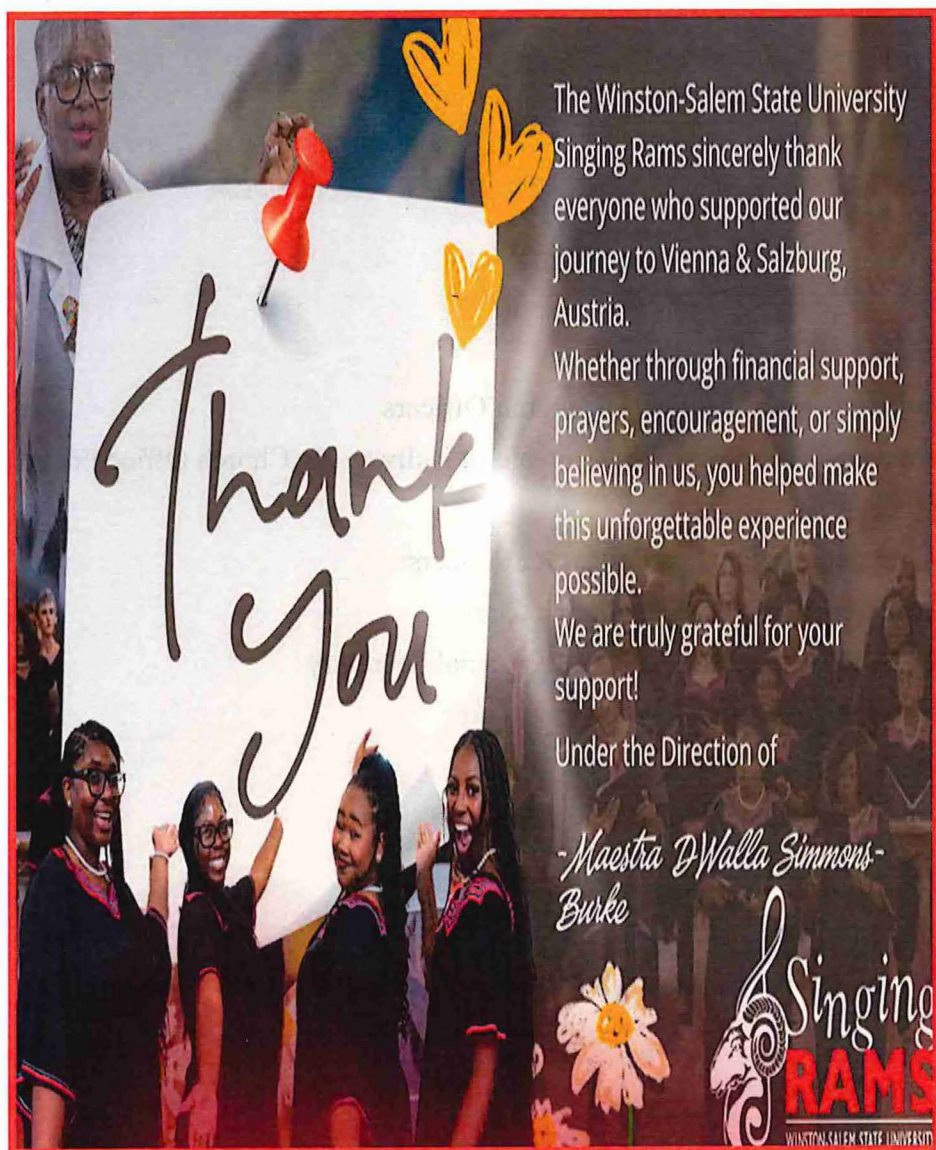
There's a sweet, sweet spir - it in this place,
sweet ex - pres-sions on each face,

And I know that it's the spir - it of the
And I know that it's the pres - ence of the

Lord. There are Sweet Ho-ly Spir-it,
Lord.

Sweet Heav'n-ly Dove, Stay right here with us

Fill-ing us with Your love. And for those
bless-ings We lift our hearts with praise; With-out a
doubt we'll know that we have been re - vived, when
we shall leave this place.



Please join First Baptist Church as We Celebrate Rev. Glenn Pettiford



Retiring After 22 Years of Serving as Assistant Pastor

Sunday, August 30, 2026 • 10:00 a.m.
Reception following the Morning Service
in the David R. Hedgley Fellowship Hall



ANNOUNCEMENTS

"WE NEED YOUR HELP!"
SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 2026
12:00 - 2:00

In order that everyone enjoy the Homecoming Picnic, we are asking the following Ministries to help serve during their designated times. Aprons and gloves will be provided. We look forward to your participation in this church wide event.

12:00 - 12:30	Deaconess and Deacons Ministries
12:30 - 1:00	Queen Esther and Ruth Missionaries
1:00 - 1:30	Women's Service Council and Usher Ministry
1:30 - 2:00	Youth Ministry Leaders and Young Adult Ministry



ANNOUNCEMENTS

We would like to welcome Mrs. Annie Pearl Wilson's family reunion who are worshiping with us this morning. We are so glade you chose to worship with us.

EMERGENCY MISSION

Last Tuesday was the last meeting of 2026 for Emergency Mission. They are out of funds and will not meet again until 2027. *Mrs. Margaret Graham*

"SAVE THESE DATES"

September 6th until October 18th

Nominations Accepted For All Church Officers

Information Packets Will Be Available In Hallway By Church Office For All Nominees

Nominations Are For The Following Officers:

Church Clerk and Assistant Church Clerk

Financial Secretary and Assistant Financial Secretary

Treasurer and Assistant Church Treasurer

Trustees

Pastoral Relations Committee

Church Nominating Committee

Sunday October 18, 2026

Deadline for all 2027 Church Nominations

November 7th and November 8th

"A Conversation With The Nominating Committee" (please bring information packets)

CHURCH OFFICERS AND STAFF

Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM & Friday 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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Kennetta Smith

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Charles Hairston
Linwood Jerald, Assistant

CHURCH TREASURER

Cynthia W. Jeffries
Tommy Davis, Assistant

CHURCH CLERK

Kathleen Ellis
Sirena Leak, Assistant

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Charlie O. Wall, Superintendent
Jesse Hymes, Assistant

FOOD SERVICE

Ossie Hairston

MINISTRIES AND AUXILIARIES

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Director of Music

Minister Matt Kelly

Chancel Choir

Yvonne Myrick

Men's Chorus

Jesse Hymes

Hedgley Fellowship Choir

Jo Ann Brown

Youth Choir

Lady Erika Doyle
DeLana Payne

Young Adult Choir

Jonelle Buie
Tandeka Boko

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Sirena Leak-Assistant

Men's Ministry

Linwood Jerald

Youth/Children's Ministry

Lady Erika Doyle
Valinda Turner

Young Adult Ministry

Chrishawn Tuten
Jonelle Buie
Tandeka Boko

Usher Ministry

Leonard Hairston

Women's Ministry

Wyrine Dorris

Flower Ministry

Sherlane Hill
Marilyn Hanner

Political Action Committee

Gloria Kirby-Green

Senior Adult

Cassandra Tatum, Chairperson
Edith Bailey, Co-Chair

Lay Ministry of Caregivers

Carmen Wigfall, Chairperson
Valinda Turner, Assistant

AUXILIARIES

Addie C. Morris Club

Trina Wilson

Home and Foreign Missionary

Sherri Murrell

Women's Progressive Club

Alma Peay

Women's Service Council

Louise Hill

Healthcare Ministry

Cynthia Jerald
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 NIGHT BIBLE STUDY— 6:00 PM

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