

To Our Guests

Thank you for joining us in worship today - we are so glad you came. During the service a small black notebook will be passed down each row of seats. Please write your information in the book so we can have a record of your attendance. We are delighted you have chosen First Baptist as your place of worship today. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

First Baptist Church Kids

The presence of children in worship is to be celebrated and is always welcome!

Nursery:

A nursery is located in the children's hall and is available during every worship service for children from birth through three years of age.

Younger Children in the Worship Service:

During worship, the Pastor will invite the children to come forward for the children's sermon. At the 11:00 service, children age four (by August) through second grade will be led by the Children's Minister to worship in Children's Church. Parents pick up their children from Children's Church room; ask an Usher or Staff Member if directions are needed.

Helping Children Learn to Worship:

Please participate in all aspects of worship; children learn by watching and doing what others do! Assist children who remain in the sanctuary for worship in the following ways:

- Try to sit toward the front, where it's easier for children to see & hear.
- Pray together.
- Voice the responses as indicated in the worship guide.
- Sing the hymns (showing them how to follow along in the hymnal).
- Follow along with the scripture reading, using pew Bibles.
- Allow them to help pass the offering plate down their row

Ministerial Staff

- Dr. Steve Davis Pastor
 Dr. Glenn Eernisse Associate Pastor of Music and Worship
 Rev. Jennifer Jindrich Associate Pastor of Children & Church Administration
 Rev. Christopher Simonton Associate Pastor of Students
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Upcoming Opportunities

(complete calendar at www.carrolltonfirstbaptist.com)

Sunday, October 27

- 8:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 12:00 p.m. Missions Fundraiser BBQ/Fellowship Hall
- 4:00 p.m. Perky Pumpkin

Monday, October 28

- 7:00 a.m. Prayer Breakfast/Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, October 29

- 7:20 a.m. High School Boys Bible Study/The Place
- 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study/The Place

Wednesday, October 30

- 4:00 p.m. Open Place & Youth Bible Study
- 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper/Fellowship Hall
- 5:30 p.m. CAM3 & CAM3jr.
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Worship/Fellowship Hall
- 6:45 p.m. Long Range Planning Meeting/Heritage Room
- 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 31

- 7:00 a.m. High School Girls Bible Study/The Place

Sunday, November 3 – All Saints' Day

CBF Georgia Assembly/Columbus, GA

- 8:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 12:00 p.m. Choir Luncheon/Fellowship Hall
- 4:00 p.m. 56ers/The Place
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Games

Monday, November 4

CBF Georgia Assembly/Columbus, GA

- 7:00 a.m. Prayer Breakfast/Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, November 5

CBF Georgia Assembly/Columbus, GA

- 7:20 a.m. High School Boys Bible Study/The Place
- 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study/The Place

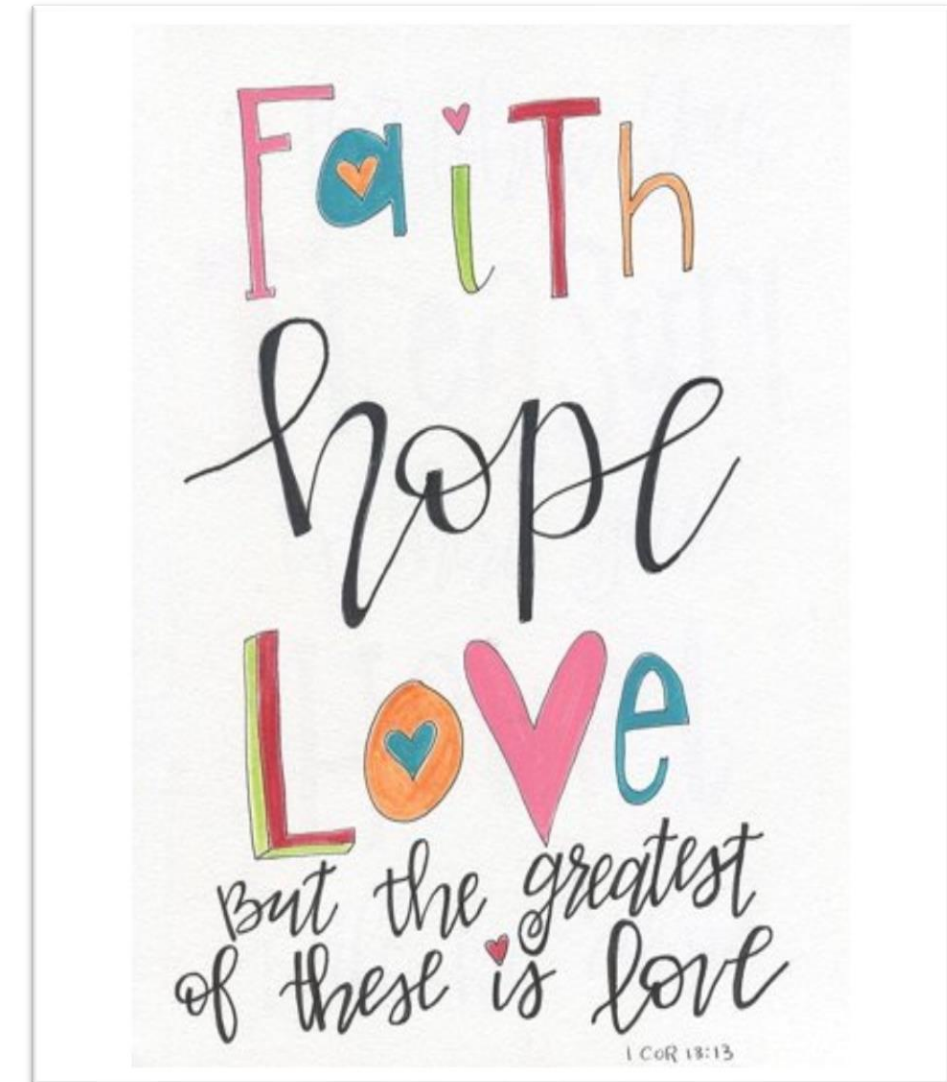
Wednesday, November 6

- 4:00 p.m. Open Place & Youth Bible Study
- 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper/Fellowship Hall
- 5:30 p.m. CAM3 & CAM3jr.
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Worship/Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 7

Happiness Trip to North Georgia

- 7:00 a.m. High School Girls Bible Study/The Place



Dr. Steve Davis
 Pastor

October 27, 2019

8:30 & 11:00 AM Worship

Caring People Sharing God's Love

Sunday Morning Worship

Broadcast on Radio Station 102.7 FM
Tracy Rainwater, Pianist Danny Underwood, Organist
October 27, 2019 • 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Please take a moment to silence your cell phone and other devices. Sound amplification devices are available at the soundboard.

**Please stand as you are able.*

Meditation

So I am faced with the question of how I shall live out my life and what the good life should look like. And I discover that when God came to model for us what a real person should look like, that person was Jesus. He continually prepared Himself with learning, labor and leisure. The style of His love was to live out His life for others. If I love, then I must become in flesh for others what God has become for me in Jesus – loving me unselfishly, accepting me and giving me freedom to love. May others see all the characteristics of love in me.

Anonymous

The Revelation of God

Chiming of the Hour

Lighting of the Candles

Cullen Smith

The two candles are lit to remind us of the oneness of Christ with God and the oneness of Christ with humankind.

Welcome & Invocation

The Davis Family

Prelude

“Holy Ghost, with Light Divine”

Hustad

Call to Worship

Glenn Eernisse/Jill Entrekin

Leader: We are called to bring a new understanding of God: that God so loves the world.

All: We are called to bring a new hope in God: That God gives us new life.

Leader: We are called to follow the commandments and the law.

All: The Law of God is to love God and to love one another.

Leader: Come, let us love one another with the love of God.

All: Let us join together in our love of God to worship and follow Jesus.

Baptisms

George Carden & Kate Jackson

*Hymn 281

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

BEECHER

Musical Offering

“Jesus Paid It All/O Sacred Head Now Wounded”

arr. Adams

11:00 a.m. only

Alex Ansaldo, tubist

Children’s Sermon

Dr. Steve Davis

Litany

Glenn Eernisse/Jill Entrekin

Leader: O God, open our hearts now;

All: Grant that we may become a people fragrant and covered with love,

Leader: The unforgettable Love of God.

All: We set aside our own agendas in favor of Your agenda of love.

Leader: We desire that the Love of God may live and move within and among us

All: Saturating us so that excess spills out wherever we go.

Prayer for God’s People

Dr. Davis

The Lord’s Prayer

Cullen Smith

Our Father, Who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn 440 “Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire”

GIFT OF LOVE

Proclamation of the Word

Reading

Glenn Eernisse/Jill Entrekin

Scripture

1 Corinthians 13

Pew Bible p. 934

8:30 a.m. only

Madelyn & Conner Caldwell

11:00 a.m. only

Tyler & Caroline Davis

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Musical Offering

“Jesus Paid It All/O Sacred Head Now Wounded”

arr. Adams

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“All That Thrills My Soul” Harris/arr. Krogstad
Sanctuary Choir

Who can cheer the heart like Jesus, by His presence all divine?

True and tender, pure and precious,

O, how blest to call Him mine!

All that thrills my soul is Jesus, He is more than life to me;

And to the fairest of ten thousand, in my blessed Lord I see.

Love of Christ so freely given, grace of God beyond degree,

Mercy higher than the heaven, deeper than the deepest sea.

All that thrills my soul is Jesus, He is more than life to me;

And the fairest of ten thousand, in my blessed Lord I see.

By the crystal flowing river with the ransomed I will sing,

*And forever and forever, praise and glorify the King!
All that thrills my soul is Jesus, He is more than life to me;
And the fairest of ten thousand, in my blessed Lord I see.*

Sermon

“And Down the Stretch They Come”

Dr. Davis

Profession and Dedication

Now is the time for all worshippers to voice their response to the message. All desiring to publicly become members of the church should walk to the steps down front, where a pastor will meet and assist you during this hymn.

*Hymn 491

“Where He Leads I’ll Go”

FALLS CREEK

Presentation of New Members

Dr. Davis

Thanksgiving and Offering

Prayer of Stewardship

Mark Albertus

Offertory

“Unto Thee, O Lord”

Aulbach/Sikes

*Hymn 706

Doxology

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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.

Commission to Serve

Spoken Benediction

Dr. Davis

Pastor: We are a people called First Baptist Church;

All: Caring people sharing God’s love.


We carry the candle’s light through the outer doors of the sanctuary to symbolize the church’s mission to be the light of Christ in the world.

*Closing Hymn


“As We Go”

Johnson/arr. Shipps


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As we go, ___ may Your Spir - it go be - fore ___ us. As we go,



___ may we fol-low where You lead. May we live what we have learned, share the



mes-sage we have heard, and be a light un-to the world as we go. ___

Postlude

“His Name is Wonderful”

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The arrangement gracing the sanctuary this morning was given in loving memory of Sheri Davis by her family.