



FIRST BAPTIST
ON FIFTH

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Sunday, November 3, 2019 • 10:30 AM

As you enter for worship, all are encouraged to greet one another and enjoy fellowship with those around you. As the prelude begins, we'll shift into a brief time of quiet reflection, where God uses the stillness of the moment to quiet our souls for what will continue to emerge during our community's worship of the living, loving God.

PRELUDE: *Rubrics, IV. The Peace May Be Exchanged* D. Locklair
Jacob Hill, Organ

INVITATION TO WORSHIP David Williamson

CALL TO WORSHIP Ty Talton

Leader: It is right and good to give you thanks, Almighty God,
for you are the source of light and life.

People: **You made us in your image
and called us to new life in Jesus Christ.**

Leader: In all times and all places your people
proclaim your glory in unending praise.

People: **We praise you today for saints and martyrs,
faithful people in every age
who have followed your Son, Jesus Christ.**

Leader: As they witnessed to Christ's resurrection,
may we be strengthened by their witness
and supported by their fellowship,
that we may run with perseverance the race that lies before us.

People: **And may the voices of all your saints, made holy in Christ,
swell in joyous praise to you, the giver of all good gifts,
through Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 567: *For All the Saints* SINE NOMINE

PASSING OF THE PEACE Nikki Byers

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE Amy McClure

Leader: I looked and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

People: Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb.

Leader: We offer prayers for this assembly, gathered to celebrate worship in communion with the church in heaven and throughout the world, that nourished by the word of truth and the bread of life, we may bear witness in our own generation to God's timeless dream for the world.

People: We give you thanks for those who have gone before us, whose lives have shown us your love, and whose witness brought us and kept us in your Beloved Community.

Leader: And for those known and loved by us, who have passed from this earthly fellowship into the fuller light of life with You. We remember:

(As each name is read please respond with the words, "Thanks be to God".)

- Nancy Guenther
- A. P. Mustian
- Jack Land
- Sylvia Hanley
- Ellen Tabor
- Doug Broadway
- Tom Speas
- Jean Whitley
- Dot Ausband
- Janet Crater
- Elizabeth Montgomery
- Gussie Mustian
- Dorothy Tutt
- Samuel Ausband
- Edith Carter
- Mildred Southern

Leader: Lord, now let these servants depart in peace according to your word.

People: And let your perpetual light shine upon them both now and forever.

ANTHEM: *We Shall Walk through the Valley* B. Harlan

Sanctuary Choir

We shall walk through the valley in peace; For Jesus Himself will be our Leader. We shall walk through the valley in peace. There will be no sorrow there. We shall meet our loved ones there. We shall meet our Savior there.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Nikki Byers

Leader: Jesus Christ, the very salvation of God,
invites us, with all the saints,
to share in God's boundless love and mercy.
In that assurance, let us confess our sin.

People: **Eternal God, hope of the saints of every age,
you have raised up men and women throughout the years
to live and die in faith.
Their examples amaze us and inspire us.
But too often we have been indifferent to your will.
We have remained silent when you call for testimony.
We have given in to fear when you have called us to action.
Forgive us, and strengthen our faith,
that we may serve you boldly all our days,
and inherit the kingdom promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE Nikki Byers

Leader: Sisters and brothers, with the saints of every age
we are partakers of God's boundless grace and mercy.
Let us offer our lives as living sacrifices
of thanksgiving and praise.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

***HYMN 630: *Look, You Saints, the Cloud of Witness* EVANGELINE**

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE Brent Greene

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 12:32-40 (Pew Bible, NT, p.57) Sandra Talton

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON: "*Don't Be Afraid...Be Ready*" Larry Hovis

*Executive Coordinator
Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of North Carolina*

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION: *Beautiful Savior* L. Scholes
 Youth Handbell Ensemble

***HYMN OF RESPONSE 262: *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord* ST. THOMAS**
All are invited to respond to God now in quiet or public ways. Our church welcomes you to share a new desire to follow in the way of Jesus or to join our congregation as a member. As we sing, please come to the front of the sanctuary and share your commitment with one of our ministers.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER Joy Gambill**

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: *Beginning Praise* A.L. Page
 Chancel Ringers Handbell Choir

***DOXOLOGY..... OLD HUNDREDTH**
 Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise God, all creatures here below;
 Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***BENEDICTION Larry Hovis**

ORGAN POSTLUDE: *Suite Gothique, I. Introduction – Choral* L Boëllmann

**Those who are able will please stand.*

FLOWERS

The flowers have been placed in the Sanctuary today to the Glory of God by Tom Allen and are given in loving memory of his wife, Blanche Shermer Allen, and his daughter, Elizabeth Mae (Beth) Allen and in honor of Scott Hudgins for his faithful service to our church.

<u>Ministry Funding – Sept 2019</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Contributions & Receipts	120,049	668,699
Ministry Costs	75,649	675,462
Over/(Under) Met Needs	44,400	(6,763)
Contributions Current Year	78,541	625,056
Contributions Last Year	69,180	653,488

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY
November 3, 2019
First Baptist Church • Winston-Salem, NC

“Absent from the body...present with the Lord.” ~ 1 Corinthians 5:8

November 1, 2018 — October 31, 2019

Church Members

Nancy Guenther	January 20, 2019
A. P. Mustian	February 15, 2019
Jack Land	February 23, 2019
Sylvia Hanley	February 24, 2019
Ellen Tabor	March 11, 2019
Doug Broadway	March 14, 2019
Tom Speas	March 19, 2019
Jean Whitley	April 3, 2019
Dot Ausband	May 2, 2019
Janet Crater	June 2, 2019
Elizabeth Montgomery	June 8, 2019
Gussie Mustian	July 4, 2019
Dorothy Tutt	July 6, 2019
Samuel Ausband	August 7, 2019
Edith Carter	August 24, 2019
Mildred Southern	October 22, 2019

Family Members

Florence Frick, Sister of Ellen Tabor
James Kendrick, Father of Catherine Webster
Tom Jordan, Nephew of Dee and Dinky Britt
Dolores Osborn, Mother of Susan Drew
Joyce Nakatsu, Sister of Elmer Hayashi
Lala Lambert, Mother of Ed Lambert
Mary Shannon, Grandmother of Josh and Emily Hull McGee
Ann Ross, Sister of Jack Shearin
John Cates, Father of Sherry Tew
Chester Hollifield, Spouse of Joyce Hollifield

Suzanne Britt, Mother of Dee Britt
Evelyn Morgan, Grandmother of Matt Lowdermilk
Marie Bowers, Sister of Reba Falls
Pauline Blasingame, Mother of Pat Thompson
Lucy Dorr, Grandmother of Matt Steen
Stanley Todd, Jr. Brother of Sheila Thomason
Evelyn White, Sister of Mildred Southern
Nancy Stevenson, Sister of Helen Gwyn
Wendell Guerry, Brother of Buddy Guerry

Memorials and Honorariums
November 2018 — October 2019

TV Ministries Fund

In Memory Of:

Wilton Harris by Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Renegar
Nancy Guenther by Jan Whittle, Tom Allen
Doug Broadway by Jan Whittle, Dr. and Mrs. John Baxley, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir, Elizabeth McNichols, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Renegar, Paul Edmond, Martha Wood, Alexandra Campbell, Jackie Todd, Stephen Gooze, Sue Wilson, Janet Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiley, Dot Hutcherson, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard, Barbara Bedwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mason, Peggy Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Halverson, Phyllis Nilson, Eleanor Schoulda, Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Lakey, Jane Mokrasch, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benfield, Carolyn Ely, Mary Nell Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales, Russell Armistead, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turnmire, Betty Tribble, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Roberson, Dr. and Mrs. Marcus Gullely, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rose, Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Hayashi, Sue Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. William Lancaster
Tom Speas by Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales

Mary Shannon by Mary Nell Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales

Ellen Tabor by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales

Jean Whitley by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Slate, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales

Dot Ausband by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales

In Honor Of:

Nancy Broadway by Sue Fitzgerald

FBC Missions Fund

In Memory Of:

Joann Wilhelm by Janet Williams
Nancy Guenther by Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales
Joyce Nakatsu by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards
Ellen Tabor by Janet Williams, Jan Whittle, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nathan, Mary Nell Harris
Alan Jackson by Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard

Pauline Blasingame by Koinonia class
Samuel Ausband by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ausband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales
Edith Carter by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scales
Wendell Guerry by Koinonia class

Emerson Holt Alverson Building Fund

In Memory Of:

Sylvia Hanley by Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard
Jack Land by Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard
Jean Whitley by Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard

Boundless Home Building Fund

In Memory Of:

Roy Smith by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards, Sue Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pluer, Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Hayashi, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hardin, Paul McCraw
James Slate by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith, Marie Rodden, Panthea Briles, Robyn Slate's co-workers
Margaret Garner by Paul McCraw
Butch Waller by Susan Waller
Nancy Guenther by Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Beard, Mary Nell Harris
Joyce Nakatsu by Koinonia class
Ellen Tabor by Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir, Martha Shelton, Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Hayashi
Tom Speas by Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir
Ben Thomason by Sheila Thomason
Dot Ausband by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cochrane, Mr. and Mrs. John Lyda, Douglas Family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ausband, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cochrane, Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Gustafson
Dale Messick by Sylvia Gilley
Elizabeth Montgomery by Sara Richardson
Jean Whitley by Jason Zaks
Pauline Blasingame by Mary Nell Harris
Bianca Fowler by Martha Fowler
Edith Carter by Mary Nell Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Combs, Paul Edmond, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haigler, Jan Whittle, Thomasville High School Class of 1960, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sasaki, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bowes, Barbara Bedwell
Samuel Ausband by the Douglas Family, Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Gustafson
Ben Jackson by Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mir, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nathan, Joan Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Campbell

In Honor Of:

John and Alice Norwood by Beth and Gene Stainback
Alex Norwood and Matt Dyson by Beth and Gene Stainback
Rob Norwood by Beth and Gene Stainback
Joanne Henley by Mr. and Mrs. Rob Rhodes II
Mr. and Mrs. Kelly King by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jeanes
Wally Cox by Koinonia class
Ray Owen by Koinonia class
Gene Sherrill by Koinonia class
Dr. and Mrs. John Baxley by Lee Anne Stiffler
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards by Lee Anne Stiffler
Meredith Parker by Lee Anne Stiffler
Sally Mir by Lee Anne Stiffler
Gary Stiffler by Lee Anne Stiffler
Jim Carter by Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bowes

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOIN US FOR OUR MIDWEEK FAITH FORMATION!

Our Wednesday night gatherings continue on Wednesday, November 6. We will gather at 5:00 pm for dinner, then our regular faith formation activities will begin at 6:00pm.

On the menu for the evening: honeybaked ham, green beans, salad and rolls. Meal prices are \$6 (6th grade -adult); \$4 (2 years-5th grade), with a \$25 maximum per family. Reservations are not required.

Our schedule is:

4:00pm – Youth study hall
5:00pm – Dinner line opens
5:30-6:00pm – Youth handbells
5:45pm – Announcements, prayer list, celebrations
6:00pm – Adult handbells
6:00pm – Children’s music
6:00pm – Adult & youth faith formation
7:15pm – Choir rehearsal

Our fall faith formation focuses on Bold Love and Boundless Compassion in Relationships. Our November study shifts to looking at how we live out Bold Love and Boundless Compassion in Relationships “*Through Gratitude*.” The Diana Butler Bass book *Grateful: The Transformative Power of Giving Thanks* will serve as our resource.

FROM CAMBODIA TO WINSTON-SALEM

Welcoming David & Lauren Bass back for a visit!

It is a joy to welcome CBF Field Personnel and mission partners of FBC David and Lauren Bass back to First Baptist on Fifth! On Sunday, November 17, we will share in worship, conversation, and fellowship with David and Lauren, who are in the United States on a home assignment, and this time, brought home their new baby girl, Chloe!

For the past four years, David and Lauren have served in Phnom Penh, Cambodia, where they partner with the Cambodia Baptist Union in its dramatic church planting efforts. Through church leadership programs and opportunities for economic development, the Basses endeavor to help equip Cambodian pastors to sustainably engage their communities.

On Sunday, November 17, from 9:15-10:15am in Kelly Auditorium, David and Lauren will be sharing stories and experiences of their ministry during the Bible Study hour for any who would elect to join them. They will then offer a brief testimony during worship, followed by lunch and mission immersion experience for children, youth, and their families in Kelly Auditorium. Families of children and youth can RSVP to join the Basses for lunch by emailing Kim Wilkinson at librarykimw@gmail.com.

We look forward to extending a warm First on Fifth welcome to David, Lauren, and Chloe Bass!

GATHERING IN CELEBRATION AND GRATITUDE ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

“O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever.”

These words from 1 Chronicles ground us in gratitude as we at First Baptist on Fifth approach the conclusion of our Phase One building project and the one year anniversary of our giving to its capital campaign, “A Boundless Home: Building Beyond Walls.” Through planning and conversation, presentation and discernment, demolition and reconstruction, God’s steadfast love has surrounded us in each season. The project itself will conclude under budget and free of major issues, successfully enabling us to do exactly what we’ve said we want to do: offer care to our sacred space now, so that we can then focus the very best of our energies in service to God, to one another, and to the community.

We are going to give thanks for God’s steadfast love and mark this particular ending with a churchwide day of celebration on Sunday, November 24! The morning will unfold as follows:

- 9:00am—Pot-luck breakfast in Kelly Auditorium with photos, videos, and stories from the project; **please bring a dish to share!**
- 9:45am—Dedication of the new ramp and prayer room
- 10:30am—Worship with special moments of recognition and celebration

Upon the conclusion of worship, we invite anyone who is willing and able to help pull out all the Christmas decorations and begin to set these up. A brief pizza lunch will be provided!

Because this will be a special day in the life of our church, we encourage everyone to make your plans now to be a part of the celebration! If there are friends of yours whose rhythms of life make them unable to physically come to worship on a regular basis, please consider picking them up and bringing them with you to church for this special occasion.

In this moment and all to come, we gather in gratitude to God from whom all blessings flow!

FUN AT TANGLEWOOD PARK ON NOVEMBER 3

Reminder: those who are participating in our Children’s Ministry outing today at Tanglewood Park should be at the Stables parking lot before 4:00, since our wagon departs at 4:00 pm sharp! Attendees can meet at the playground at Mallard Lake shelter at 2:30 pm for some playtime before the hayride. In addition, any families interested can walk to Mellow Mushroom together after worship for lunch before our afternoon fun. Feel free to join us for all three activities or whichever part works best for your schedule. Bring money for lunch; the \$2 per car entry fee for Tanglewood & the hayride are covered!

NOVEMBER SENIOR ADULT BREAKFAST AT MIDTOWN CAFÉ

All senior adults are welcome to join us for breakfast at Midtown Cafe on November 12 at 9:00am! The senior adult menu includes breakfast platters for only \$5! RSVP to Amy McClure by emailing amcclure@firstonfifth.org, signing up on the table outside the Ammons-Lolley Commons, or by calling the church office.

PENNY CAMPAIGN FOR SAMARITAN MINISTRIES

Bring your pennies and more to donate to Samaritan Ministries, one of our ministry partners, to help people in need in our Winston-Salem community. We will collect monies on Wednesday evenings, November 6 and 13 during the dinner hour. For more information about Samaritan Ministries or to donate directly, check out <https://www.samaritanforsyth.org/>.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3 All Saints' Sunday

- 9:15 am Sunday Bible Study
- 10:30 am Worship Service (*Sanctuary*)
- 11:45 am Children's Ministry Lunch & Workday (*Children's Loft*)
- 11:45 am Youth Ministry Team Meeting (*Ammons-Lolley Commons*)
- 4:00 pm Children's Ministry Tanglewood Outing (*Offsite*)
- 2:30 pm Messiah Rehearsal (*Kelly Auditorium*)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

- 6:45 am Devotional Classics in the Commons (*Ammons-Lolley Commons*)
- 10:00 am Homebound Care Cards (*Ammons-Lolley Commons*)
- 5:00 pm WSCEA Task Force (*Ammons-Lolley Commons*)
- 7:00 pm Messiah Rehearsal (*Kelly Auditorium*)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

- 12:00 pm Common Table with Pastor Emily (*Ammons-Lolley Commons*)
- 2:30 pm Singing Seniors (*Offsite*)
- 4:00 pm Youth Study Hall (*Youth Room*)
- 5:00 pm Wednesday Night Meal (*Kelly Auditorium*)
- 5:30 pm Youth Handbells (*Sanctuary*)
- 6:00 pm Adult Faith Formation (*Kelly Auditorium*)
- 6:00 pm Preschool Children's Music (*Children's Loft*)
- 6:00 pm Children's Music (*Music Suite*)
- 6:00 pm Adult Handbell Choir (*Sanctuary*)
- 7:15 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (*Choir Room*)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

- 9:15 am Sunday Bible Study
- 10:30 am Worship Service (*Sanctuary*)
- 11:45 am Youth Camel City BBQ & Game Room Outing (*Offsite*)
- 2:30 pm Messiah Rehearsal (*Kelly Auditorium*)

SERVING TODAY

Deacons of the Week: Joy Gambill, Chris Gambill
Nursery Babies-Ones: Anna Harris
Nursery Twos-Pre-K: Joani Hughes

CURRENT DONATION NEEDS

Please place donations in designated donation bins in the 1st floor hallway outside of Kelly Auditorium.
Samaritan Ministries: Sugar, dried pasta
Crisis Control: Saltine crackers

WORSHIP SERVICE BROADCAST

Our Sunday Morning Worship Service is streamed live from our website at firstonfifth.org.
Online giving is available at give.firstonfifth.org.

OUR VISION

We are a community in the heart of the city called by Jesus to practice bold love of God and neighbor and boundless compassion for all people.

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