



ORDER OF SERVICE

March 17, 2024

Welcome and Announcements Jerry Patton

Call to Worship Jerry Patton

Worshiping Together Through Song
Living Waters
His Name is Wonderful
This is Amazing Grace

Deacon Devotion & Offertory Prayer John Malloy

Worshiping Together Through Song
Cornerstone
I Love You Lord

Prayer Jerry Patton

Receiving God's Word Together Scott Westfall

Responding to God's Word Together *Grace That is Greater Than All Our Sin*

Benediction

WHY WE GATHER

Whether you're a first-time guest or a longtime member, we're glad you're here! We believe that there are many ingredients involved in making a healthy Christian, and the Sunday morning gathering is definitely one of them. Each week we live our lives being bombarded by lies; we are told that we are so bad that we are beyond hope or so good that we are beyond need. Throughout our week we are tempted to put our hope in and stake our joy on things and people that will inevitably fail us. A gospel-centered, Jesus-exulting weekly gathering is a major defense against these errors. We need to be reminded by others and need to remind others of the wonders purchased for us by the person and work of Jesus Christ. Gathering with other Christians is a God-ordained means to do this.

WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

This Week

Next Week

<u>Ushers</u>	Harold Deckerd, Steve Gordon, Kenny Griggs, Lane Griggs	Mike Hall, Mike Hann, Kim Haverstick, Tyler Hawkins
<u>Nursery</u>	Dylan & Lindsey Kempker, Dan & Adam Rhoades	Joey, Kelly, & Tyler Hawkins, Carol Rodgers
<u>Children's Church</u>	Nicole Rhoades, Stuart Cox, Kyle Anderson	No Children's Church
<u>Tech Team</u>	B Erisman, D Kempker, L Griggs, J Snook, P Starks	B Erisman, D Kempker, L Griggs, J Snook, P Starks
<u>Deacon Prayer</u>	John Malloy	Tom Nelson
<u>Stuart House</u>	Kendrick Ross	Harold Deckerd
<u>Breakfast:</u> B=Bakers S=Servers	B: A Carlyle, B VanHulthen, P Bryson S: A Carlyle, B VanHulthen, P Bryson	B: K Patton, S Starks, M Brown S: K Patton, S Starks, K Harper
<u>Monday Tellers</u>	Nancy Burson and John Malloy	Nancy Burson and Marilyn Magley

OUR TEAM

Ministerial Staff

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Administrative & Support Staff

Jacki Stelzer, Secretary
 John Luttrell, Custodian

Deacons

Kyle Anderson	David Magnusson
Lonnie Cox	John Malloy
Duane Farmer	Tom Nelson
Steve Gordon	Randy Power
Mike Hall	Kendrick Ross
Mike Hann	Larry Bryson, Chairman
Greg Hedberg	Nathan Martin, Vice Chairman
Dylan Kempker	Stuart Cox, Secretary

CONTACT US

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FBC THIS WEEK

Sunday, Mar 17

8:30am Breakfast
 9:00am Sunday School
 10:15am Worship
 5:00pm Members Meeting

Tuesday, Mar 19

3:30pm Gym usage

Wednesday, Mar 20

1:00pm Community Pantry open
 5:15pm Wednesday Meal
 6:00pm FBC Kids
 FBC Students
 Be the Church
 Prayer Meeting

Thursday, Mar 21

6:00am Men's Bible Study at Round Table
 10:30am Ladies' Morning Bible Study
 6:30pm Pickleball

Friday, Mar 22

12:00pm JOY Group
 6:30pm Ladie Craft Night

Saturday, Mar 23

7:00am Men's Bible Study
 9:00am Church Workday
 1:00pm Basement usage

Upcoming FBC Events

Sunday, Mar 24 at 5:00pm: Christian Concert
 Friday, March 29: Office Closed
 Sunday, March 31: EASTER
 Sunday, April 7 at 6:30pm: Deacon Ordination Service

NEWS

Welcome: First Baptist Church welcomes you to our worship today. If you are a visitor, please find the **Connect Card** in the pew in front of you. Please fill in the information and put it in the offering plate as it's passed around. We will follow up with you and pray for any concerns or praises you have. May the Lord bless you in your worship today.

Dear Church Family, **Thank You** so much for all your thoughts, prayers, and kindness shown to us during Dennis's illness and death. Thank you for the wonderful meal after his service. We are thankful to be a part of a loving and caring church body. Lynda, Jennifer, Kristen, and Families (Dennis Sykes)

FBC Family, **Thank You** so much for your generous donations for the students of Chance Elementary. It is because of these donations that we are able to provide these basic needs for students who otherwise would go without. Lack of resources for students are some of the biggest barriers to learning and emotional growth that we see at this age level. Your contributions make it possible to mitigate situations such as hunger, head lice, toileting accidents, and sickness that sometimes cause distractions or excessive school absences. It makes me so proud that our church came together to provide these care items for the students in our community. What a blessing you are to our school. Thank you again for your generosity. With Love in Christ, Emily Erisman, School Counselor, Chance Elementary

Join us for **JOY (Just Older Youth) Group** Friday, March 22 at noon. Marcus Blair will share a message and Keven Nance will lead our music. Our motto, "Bring a dish, bring a friend". Praise the Lord! Chuck Burton

The FBC Scholarship apps are available online and in the church office. The deadline for submission is April 1. <https://www.centraliafbc.org/scholarship-application>

Candy Donations Needed: FBC Children's Dept will be doing an Easter egg hunt Wednesday, March 27. We are asking for candy donations. Please put the bags of candy in the marked designated area in the fellowship hall foyer. Thank you.

Operation Christmas Child: Are you interested in doing more with Operation Christmas Child? Here at FBC we are blessed with volunteers who purchase items, donate money for shipping, help pack boxes and staff our church during National Collection Week. But we are always looking for more people to join this ministry! Remember, every shoe box is a gospel presentation to a child who may not know Jesus. If you're interested in doing more with this ministry, we'd love to have you. Terry and Ann Carlyle

Church Workday: Saturday, March 23 at 9:00am.

Fellowship Hall restrooms renovation will be the focus. Items planned are:

- Installing new countertops & faucets
- Wallpaper removal
- Paint
- Wash walls
- Replacing electrical outlets

Contact Harold Deckerd for more information.



HE IS RISEN
CELEBRATE THE RESURRECTION

Easter Morning Schedule
Sunday, March 31

7:00am Sunrise Service in City Park at Middle Shelter
7:45am Breakfast at FBC
9:00am Sunday School
10:15am Easter Service

Easter Breakfast Help Needed

Would you like to help cook?

Menu:

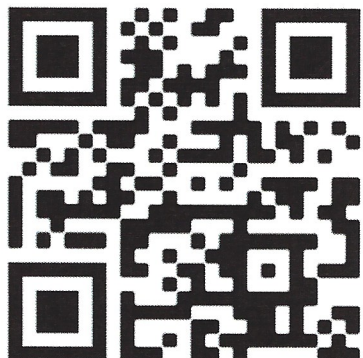
Bacon, Sausage, Scambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Biscuits, Gravy, and Fruit
Drinks: Coffee, Milk, and Orange Juice

Clean Up Crew is also needed.

Contact:

Harold Deckerd or John Malloy.

Benevolence Offering will be collected Easter morning.



MOBILE GIVING

Scan the QR Code with your mobile device to be directed to our mobile giving platform or visit centraliafbc.org/give.

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE & GIVING

Sunday School	94
Morning Worship	158

Giving

Weekly Need	\$7,735.00
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Total Received (includes online offerings)	\$5,789.14
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SERMON NOTES

| Scott Westfall

PRAYER LIST

To add a prayer request, complete a Connect Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate, or email office@centraliafbc.org

Name	Need	Name	Need
Rita Burton	Rehab at home	Carrie Million	Breast Cancer, doing better
Unbelievers	Lost souls	Rhonda McMillen	Cancer and Dementia
Nancy Wheeler	Blood clot recovery	David James	Cancer
Bob Fair	Cancer, Chemo, Surgery Recovery	Terry James	Rehab
Pam West	Recovering well, difficulty swallowing	Theresa Sanders	Recovery
Viola Erisman	Dementia & Declining Health	Gena Mortimer	Serious health issues
Doris Cooper	Health	Vickie Pulis	Cancer
Donna Caldwell	Health	Bill Davis	Surgery recovery
Colby Corsaut	Church plant in Columbia, MO	Austin Heuer	Stationed in Syria
Jeanne Whitlatch	Ongoing health issues	Fran Schnarre	Cancer
Dylan Dick	Surgery recovery, at home	Caroline Hargis	Losing eyesight
Megan (K Bounds daughter)	Fluid on lungs	Keith Ridgeway	In Houston cancer hospital
Anonymous	Alcoholic	Families of:	Ray Keplar
Joe Vance	Cancer		Kay Clementz
Amy Fair	Waiting on lung transplant/Fall recovery		
Nancy Nelson	Knee surgery recovery		
Jan Hollis	Fluid around heart		

Infant and Toddler Care Room is available for anyone that would feel more comfortable soothing their child in private. A tv is available for viewing the worship service. The room is located at the back, left side of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available during our worship gathering for children from birth through Pre-Kindergarten. The nursery is located up the stairs from the family entrance. Ushers are available to help with the nursery check-in process.


Children's Church is available for children Kindergarten through Third Grade on the first three Sundays of each month. Children's Church is dismissed from the Sanctuary before the sermon begins.



WOMEN'S
Craft night

**MARCH 22 AT
6:30PM**

**FBC FELLOWSHIP HALL
COME ENJOY AN EASTER THEMED CRAFT
AND A SNACK!**



GOSPEL CONCERT



5:00 PM
First Baptist Church
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DON SHIRE



AMBASSADORS OF GRACE



MATT CARROLL FAMILY