

# First Baptist Church



*Reflecting God's Hope For a New Day*

June 21, 2026

# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Father's Day

Sunday

June 21, 2026

## Morning Worship

Eleven o'clock

*And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, who bring glad tidings of good things!*

Romans 10:15 NKJV

### Prelude

*Be Still My Soul*

Mrs. Pat Slomanski  
arr. Albin Withworth

*Be still my soul the Lord is on thy side.  
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain.  
Leave to thy god to order and provide.  
In every change He faithful will remain.  
Be still my soul thy best, thy heavenly friend,  
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.*

### Greeting and Announcements

Dr. Christopher Hillman

### Invocation

Dr. Hillman

### Hymn of Praise, No. 19

Congregation

*We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer*

*Make a joyful noise unto the Lord . . . Serve the Lord with gladness. Psalm 100:1-2 KJV*

### Responsive Reading

from Isaiah 26

Congregation

Leader: In that day, this song will be sung in the land of Judah:

People: **Our city is strong! We are surrounded by the walls of God's salvation.**

Leader: Open the gates to all who are righteous; allow the faithful to enter. You will keep in perfect peace all who trust in You, all whose thoughts are fixed on You!

People: **Trust in the Lord always, for the Lord God is the Eternal Rock. He humbles the proud and brings down the arrogant city. He brings it down to the dust.**

Leader: The poor and oppressed trample it underfoot, and the needy walk all over it!

People: **But for those who are righteous, the way is not steep and rough. You are a God who does what is right, and You smooth out the path ahead of them.**

Leader: Lord, we show our trust in You by obeying Your laws; our heart's desire is to glorify Your name.

All: **IN THE NIGHT I SEARCH FOR YOU; IN THE MORNING I EARNESTLY SEEK YOU.  
FOR ONLY WHEN YOU COME TO JUDGE THE EARTH WILL PEOPLE LEARN  
WHAT IS RIGHT.**

### Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Dr. Fred Senter

### Old Testament Reading

Psalm 4:1-6

Mr. Heath Watson

**Offertory Hymn, No. 352** Congregation

*Faith of Our Fathers*  
*Without faith it is impossible to please Him. Hebrews 11:6 KJV*

**Offertory Prayer** Mr. Butch Pope

**Offertory** Mrs. Slomanski  
arr. Linda McKechnie

*Jesus, Lover of My Soul*  
*(with Pachelbel's Canon in D)*  
*Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly,*  
*While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high:*  
*Hide me, O my Savior, hide, till the storm of life is past;*  
*Safe into the haven guide; O receive my soul at last.*

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**Doxology** Congregation

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavn'ly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

**Children's Sermon** Mrs. Donna Prince

**Gospel Reading** Matthew 11:25-28 Mrs. Mary Alice Stanley

**Worship Through Song** *The Solid Rock* The Chancel Choir

**Scripture Reading** Matthew 5:9 Dr. Hillman

**Sermon** "Peace Be With You" Dr. Hillman

**Hymn of Invitation, No. 400** Congregation

*Rise Up, O Men of God*  
*Stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. 1 Corinthians 16:13 KJV*

**Benediction** Dr. Hillman

**Postlude** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* Mrs. Slomanski  
(With *Eine Kleine Nacht Musik* by W.A. Mozart) arr. Linda McKechnie

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*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Brad and Anna Johnson  
with thankful hearts for all the blessings of our Heavenly Father.*

## UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

9:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.      **Sunday, June 21**  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship

10:00 a.m.      **Wednesday, June 24**  
Wednesday Morning Prayer Service  
Book Study - Immediately following morning  
prayer service  
5:45 p.m.      Patriotic Hot Dog Supper with all the  
trimmings  
6:30 p.m.      Wednesday Evening Prayer Service

## LOOKING AHEAD

9:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.      **Sunday, June 28**  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship

10:00 a.m.      **Wednesday, July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29**  
Wednesday Morning Prayer Service  
Book Study - Immediately following morning  
prayer service  
6:30 p.m.      Wednesday Evening Prayer Service

9:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.      **Sunday, July 5, 12, 19, 26**  
Sunday School  
Morning Worship

6:30 p.m.      **Wednesday, July 22**  
RSVP Deadline for VBS "Team Jesus"  
Celebrate Recovery Seminar

3:00 p.m.      **Sunday, July 26**  
Baptism for Devon Mobbs and  
Ashleigh Ritchie at Lake Waccamaw

10:00 a.m. -  
3:00 p.m.      **Saturday, August 15**  
One-day VBS "Team Jesus"



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## Deacons of the Week

06/21	Leigh Cook / Ron Walters
06/28	Gina Morningstar
07/05	Donna Prince / Charlie Duncan
07/12	Mary Alice Stanley / Keith Beverley