

## TO OUR GUESTS

**WELCOME to First Baptist Church.** If you are looking for a perfect church, you won't find it at FBC. But if you are looking for a church that is full of imperfect people trying to reach their full potential in Christ, we just might be the place for you.

**What We Do** Everything we do here can be summarized by the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20). We live to love Jesus and others well because He first loved us (Romans 5:8). As a result, we earn the privilege to share our faith with others.

**Where to Start** Be sure to check out the Welcome Desk. Our friendly volunteers will connect you to information about the various ministries we offer. We would love for you to fill out a communication card so we can keep in touch .

**Kids** We love kids and have something for kids. Whether you want to keep them with you in the worship service or send them to be with ones of similar age, we're cool either way. Children through fifth grade may remain in Children's Ministry while their caregiver worships during the 11:00 service.

**Bible Study** The Bible is pretty awesome. We offer a wide variety of Bible studies on Sunday morning for all ages. A brochure of these opportunities is at the Welcome Desk.

## MINISTRY TEAM

Rev Bruce Conley	Intentional Interim Pastor
Reggie Gunter	Chair of the Deacons
Rachel Pyles	Director Children's Ministry
Marilyn Buchen	Organist
Sungheui Bae-Park	Worship Choir Director/Pianist

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# Welcome

*March 8, 2026*

# The Worship of God

## Avoiding a Secondary and Self-Centered Mission

**WEEK ONE: THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE KING**  
*Esther 1:1-12 & selected scriptures*

THE SECONDARY MISSION THAT CREPT IN FOR KING XERXES  
 WAS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN  
 \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_.  
 IN BETWEEN WHAT \_\_\_\_\_ - AND REALITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ...LIES  
 THE SHADOW OF A \_\_\_\_\_.  
 EVERY RELATIONSHIP HAS A \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_ -  
 \_\_\_\_\_.  
 OUR MISSION IS TO \_\_\_\_\_  
 ... OUR SECONDARY or SELF CENETERED MISSION (*that creeps in*)  
 IS TO \_\_\_\_\_!



Easter Egg Hunt April 2<sup>nd</sup> with children of Little Lights and their parents . This is a wonderful way to introduce families to FBC. Your support is welcome for 1) Individually wrapped candy (avoid peanut candies please) 2) Volunteers to help fill eggs 3) Easter themed plates, cups, napkins. Some of our families are new to the community and we want to invite them to Easter Sunday. Thank you for your continued support of Little Lights Child Development Center.  
 In His Service—Rachel Pyles FBC Children’s Ministry

**Bring a Friend Day at FBC!**

Please invite a friend or neighbor to church Easter Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup>



Prelude	<i>This is Amazing Grace</i>	Praise Team
Call to Worship	Psalm 66:16-20 (NIV)	
*Hymn Montage #405,52	<i>Have Faith in God; He Leadth Me</i>	Congregation
Invocation Prayer		Pastor Bruce Conley
Welcome & Greet Everyone		Pastor Bruce Conley
*Hymn #136	<i>Are You Washed In The Blood</i>	Congregation
Worship Song	<i>Blessed Be Your Name</i>	Praise Team
Worship with our Tithes and Offerings		
Organ Offertory		Ms. Marilyn Buchen
*Doxology		Congregation
Anthem	<i>Jesus Died My Soul To Save</i>	Worship Choir
Sermon	Avoiding a Secondary and Self-Centered Mission	Pastor Bruce Conley
Song of Commitment	<i>Trust In You</i>	Praise Team
*Benediction		Pastor Bruce Conley
Postlude	May the Lord Keep You	Congregation
	*Those who are able please stand	
	<b><i>Depart to Serve</i></b>	