

Welcome to FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Summerfield

Welcome Guests

Thank you for being our guest today! We're honored you would worship with us, and we pray you are blessed by your worship experience. Please let us know you're here today by completing the connect card and bringing it to our welcome center before or after the service. You'll receive a special gift as our thanks for joining us today! I'll be at the guest center following today's service and would love to meet you personally.

Dr. Kelly Ballard

TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"A Story of Hope"
by Dr. Kelly Bullard

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Step: Membership Class

Have you been attending FBCS and want to know more about your next steps of membership, serving, and discipleship? If so, join us for an "all-in-one" membership track class today from 3-7:15pm in the Fellowship Hall. We will teach all three sessions of our membership, and dinner will be included. If you have not preregistered, but would like to attend, please stop by our welcome center and someone will direct you to our meeting room.

Parent-Child Dedication

On Mother's Day, May 10, we will hold a parent-child dedication ceremony during our morning worship. If you have a child or children you would like to dedicate to the Lord on this day, please register online or contact the church office at 336-643-6383.

Graduate Sunday

Do you have a high school graduate or a college graduate this year? If so, we would love to have them join us in recognition for Graduate Sunday on Sunday, May 18, during our morning worship service. Please complete the registration form on our website to help us prepare for this special day.

Alive Student Conference And Messy Olympics

Join the First Student Leaders and Pastor Zach for a week of worship, games, extreme messiness, and a deep dive into the Word. This event runs concurrently with VBS, June 22-25, for all students who have completed sixth grade through twelfth grade for this school year. There will be giveaways for all who register, extra entries for those who bring guests, and all guests will receive a gift when attending. More details and registration are available online.

10 Day Journey to the Holy Land with Pastor Kelly (April 25 - May 4, 2027)

Join us on a transformative journey through the Holy Land, following the path of Jesus and his disciples. Experience the Bible come to life as you visit significant locations such as Bethlehem, Jericho, the Mount of Olives, the Sea of Galilee, and Jerusalem. Enjoy activities like floating in the Dead Sea, exploring Masada, and viewing the Valley of Armageddon. This trip promises to profoundly enhance your understanding of the Scriptures. Reserve your spot online today! For more details, please visit our website.

Volunteer Appreciation Celebration (July 15)

It takes so many volunteers for us to fulfill our vision at First Baptist Summerfield, and, as a result, we want to recognize and say, "Thank you," for the investment each of you makes on a regular basis. Therefore, please make plans to join us as we look to celebrate our volunteers. There will be food, entertainment, and lots of fun this evening with a carnival theme! We invite all ministry volunteers (church-wide) and their families to attend! Register online by June 17.

Women's Mission Union Making Dresses

Ladies, we need your help! WMU will be making 100 simple dresses for Operation Christmas Child on May 11, from 9am-5pm. Come serve for an hour or stay all day. Register online. For questions, contact Ginny Oldham at vldoldham7@gmail.com.

The Unknown Tour

The Unknown Tour returns to FBCS on Friday, May 1 (7-9pm) for an evening of clean comedy, worship, and encouragement for women. This event is **SOLD OUT!**

First Seniors Generations Luncheon

All First Seniors are invited to a recognition luncheon to show our appreciation for you. The luncheon will be held on May 17 at 12:15pm. Please register online or in person at the Senior Adult information board.



FIRST STEP
Gathering
May 3/ Register online.



M2535 Meal Ministry
The Next Opportunity to Serve will be Monday, May 4.
Register online.
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



MISSIONS TRIP
BOGOTÁ, COLOMBIA
Join us this August in Bogota, Columbia. For details and registration, please visit us online at summerfieldfbc.com. The deadline for the deposit is May 4.



WE Summerfield
FOUNDERS' DAY
Every year we have an opportunity to love and serve our community. Join us at Founders' Day on May 16. Details & registration are available online.



VBS 2026
SHINING A LIGHT ON WHO JESUS REALLY IS
ILLUMINATION STATION
COMING SOON
JUNE 22-26
Register online.



NC BAPTISTS
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Summerfield
Coats for the City
Coat Donations Needed!
Please drop off coats to the receptacles located near our Welcome Centers.
The Coats for the City trip will be from December 4 - 6. Registration available online.

Last Week @ FBC Summerfield

Weekly Budget Needs: \$29,106.34 Year-to-Date Budget Need: \$465,701.47
Previous Week Received: \$21,881.61 Year-to-Date Received: \$567,928.77

Sunday School: 283 Wednesday Evening Meal—April 29th – Chicken Casserole, Green Beans, Sweet Potato Rounds, Rolls, Salad Bar, Dessert
Morning Worship: 466
Wednesday Evening: 206



ONLINE GIVING

GET INVOLVED

Let's Connect!

NAME _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

BIRTHDATE _____

ADDRESS _____

I AM A...

- FIRST TIME GUEST
- RETURNING GUEST
- NEW REGULAR ATTENDEE

I WOULD LIKE...

- INFO ON KNOWING AND FOLLOWING JESUS.
- INFO ON BAPTISM.
- TO SPEAK WITH A PASTOR.
- TO FIND A PLACE TO SERVE AT FBCS.
- INFO ON SUNDAY SCHOOL.
- INFO ON D-GROUPS.
- TO REGISTER FOR FIRST STEPS GATHERING
- TO REGISTER FOR THE NEXT MEMBERSHIP CLASS
- OTHER _____

SCAN.
CLICK.
CONNECT!



CONNECT CARD

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please let us know of prayer needs and opportunities for service.

Please provide an address below if you would like a prayer card to be sent.

Your Name:

This information is confidential.

Please do not share/reprint.

Email or call me for more details at:

Please add this information to the church prayer sheet.

SERMON NOTES

“A Story of Hope”

Mark 9:14-29

3 Lessons on Hope . . .

1. In your _____ situation, bring it to _____ (14-19).

2. In _____ confession, _____ yourself with God’s _____ (20-27).

3. In _____ confidence, _____ to God in _____ (28-29).

Table Talk: In what area of your life do you need hope today? How will you intentionally bring it to Jesus, align yourself with God’s will, and submit to God in prayer?

2026 Bible Reading Plan: Week 17

Monday: Mark 6:30-44; 1 Corinthians 11:1-16;
Psalm 86; Judges 9

Tuesday: Mark 6:45-56; 1 Corinthians 11:17-34;
Psalm 87; Judges 10-12

Wednesday: Mark 7:1-23; 1 Corinthians 12:1-13;
Psalm 88; Judges 13-15

Thursday: Mark 7:24-37 1 Corinthians 12:14-31;
Psalm 89:1-18; Judges 16

Friday: Mark 8:1-13; 1 Corinthians 13;
Psalm 89:19-52; Judges 17-18

Saturday & Sunday: No Readings; Makeup Day

Pastor on Call this Week:

Pastor Derrick Moody
dmoody@summerfieldfbc.com
(336) 209 - 9938

This Week at FBC Summerfield:

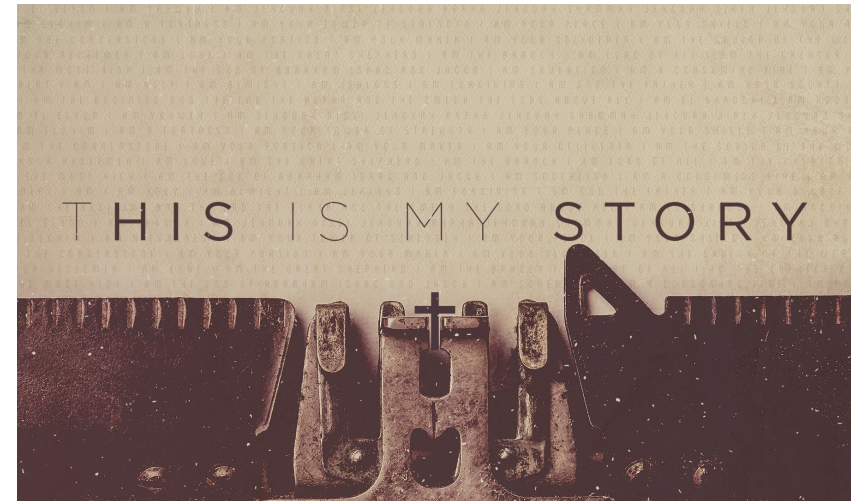
April 26—Membership Class (3pm);
Missions Team Meeting (4pm)
First Students Sunday Night (5pm)

April 27—Men’s Monday Night Study (7pm)

April 28—Sr. Adult Bible Study (10:30am)

April 29—Men’s Bible Study (6am);
Equipping Groups (6:30pm);
First Kids (6:15pm); First Students (6:30pm)

May 1—The Unknown Tour (7pm)



Sunday, April 26, 2026
Worship at 9:00am & 10:45am

OUR VISION

By God’s grace, we will be a multigenerational, Gospel-centered, disciple-making church family reaching Summerfield and beyond for the cause of Christ.



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