

We offer our Prayers for... Angie Arnold, Gloria Debman, David Griffin, Shanathan Hanson, Mike Ludington, Earl Phillips, Anna Shelton, Ryan Smith, Charlene Sullivan, Sandra Thompson (Terri Admire's cousin), Dana Toler, Angel VanAsch

Among our members...

Others/Homebound: Hilda Short, David Griffin, Brenda Ward, Shirley White, Joe Williams

IN HONOR OF

Luke and Lauren Shelton: Joan Caviness and Scot Huber

(Some gifts are not listed due to donor request.)

THANK YOU NOTE

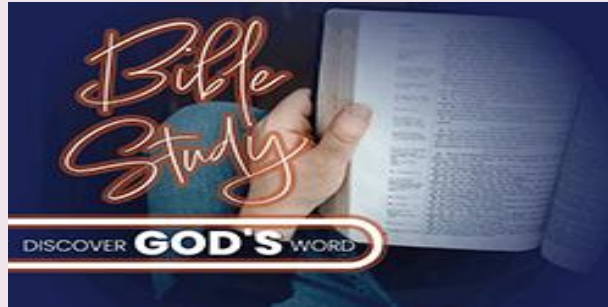
Thank you to our First Baptist Church family for all the love and support you gave us during the past few weeks. This was a very scary time, but we knew with all the prayers you were sending up for us that we were in God's hands, and we had nothing to fear. Thanks too for all the cards, food, and visits. Everything you did for us truly touched our hearts.

Love,

Mike and Ellen

Church Office Hours:
Monday –Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Pastor's Office Hours: The pastor will be available on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10-3. Call, text or email Allen anytime at 910-988-6462 and admireus@gmail.com.



WEDNESDAY MORNING

MISSION CARE (Christians Actively Reaching Everyone)

Join us for bible study on Wednesday mornings at 10:30. We meet in the Rachel Allred Sunday School Class.

Financial Report as of 4/26/26

Year-to-Date Budget: \$ 108,892.48

Year-to-Date Offerings: \$ 69,382.75

Staff

Dr. Allen Admire, Pastor
Mrs. Amanda Vickrey, Administrative Assistant
Mr. Luke Shelton, Music Director
Mrs. Lauren Shelton, Pianist
Mr. and Mrs. Wade Holder, Custodians

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Endeavors of First Baptist

May 2026





Honoring our Mothers Sunday, May 10

On Mother's Day we will honor and celebrate mother's.
Please join us for this special service!!

A prayer for Mother's Day

Dear Lord, thank you for the blessings of children and families. Help us rely on you for guidance, patience and even-temperedness throughout our days.

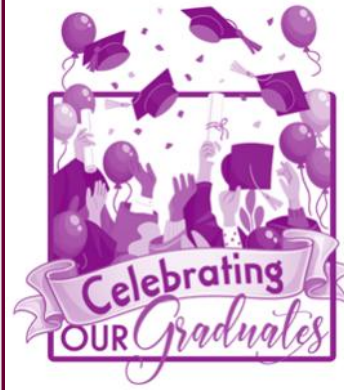
We pray that our children will love you, worship you and serve you with their God-given gifts. Grant us the wisdom to know how to influence them to live godly lives. Prevent us from provoking our children to anger and from manipulating or nagging them.

Fill our households with abiding love and respect. And help us all be united in purpose to do your will. In the name of Christ our Lord. Amen.



We will have a church conference immediately following the morning worship service on Sunday, May 3rd.

The purpose of this conference is to consider and vote on several church business items. A key matter of business will be the formation of a Pastor Search Committee. You should have received an email and/or letter with details about this church conference.



Attention Graduates/Parents of Graduates:

Celebrate your graduate!

Feature your graduate in our June Newsletter by submitting information about their upcoming graduation along with a picture. The deadline to submit information is Monday, May 18th. A Graduation Sunday will be held on Sunday, May 31st to celebrate our graduates.



Luke Shelton singing a solo on April 26th and Lauren Shelton playing the piano.



Teachers Appreciation Sunday

We will celebrate our teachers in a special service on Sunday, May 3rd. If you are a teacher or are a retired teacher we appreciate you and look forward to celebrating all teachers during this special service.

What was the name of the wealthy merchant of purple cloth who met Paul and his companions, was baptized and became a leader in the Philippian church?

- A. Priscilla
- B. Lydia
- C. Dorcas
- D. Joanna

Answer: B (See Acts 16:11-15, 40.)



ALPHA MU OMEGA — The Greek letters that begin the words *yesterday*, *today* and *forever* remind us of Jesus' constant presence with us personally and his eternal nature that transcends time as we know it. "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever" (Hebrews 13:8, NIV). Dozens of psalms and other Bible passages also proclaim that the Lord's "steadfast love endures forever" (for example, Psalm 100:5, NRSV). What reassurance when life seems tough and fleeting!

Powered by God

God made us: invented us as a [person] invents an engine. A car is made to run on petrol, and it would not run properly on anything else.

Now God designed the human machine to run on himself. He himself is the fuel our spirits were designed to burn, or the food our spirits were designed to feed on. There is no other. That is why it is just no good asking God to make us happy in our own way without bothering about religion. God cannot give us a happiness and peace apart from himself, because it is not there.
—C.S. Lewis, *Mere Christianity*

May 2026

Siler City Center for Active Living will use the fellowship hall and educational building Monday through Friday while construction is underway at their facility.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 Sunday School/10 Worship/11 am - Teacher Appreciation (Final Day to Collect Snacks) CHURCH CONFERENCE	4 Rodgers Group/ Sir Pizza/6 pm	5 Choir 7 pm	6 Morning Study/10:30 am	7 Secretaries Meeting in Sanford at noon	8	9
10 <i>Mother's Day</i> Sun- day School/10 Worship/11 am	11	12 Choir 7 pm	13 Morning Study/10:30 am Deacons meet- ing/7:00 pm	14	15 4H-Fellowship Hall Reserved	16
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SILER CITY AA GROUP: NEW HOURS Meetings are held on TUESDAYS AT 7:00 P.M. AND SATURDAYS AT 6:00 P.M. in the AA Room-basement.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 5 Loretta Batchelor
- 7 Stephen Grimes
- 11 Cindy Shaw
- 12 Lauren Shelton
- 21 Jennifer Clark Smith
- 22 Becky Spence
- 22 Frank Davis

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

- 2 Ritchie & Jackanette Teague
- 4 Ben & Sara Ledford
- 6 Clint & Jessica Fields
- 18 Russell and Joan Webster
- 23 Art and Renee' Kennedy

If you have a birthday or an anniversary that is not listed, please call the office and let us know.



Sign-up for the 2026 FLOWER CALENDAR!

Call or Email Amanda at the office to reserve a date in honor or in memory of a loved one.



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- May 10 Earl Phillips
- May 17 OPEN
- May 24 OPEN
- May 31 OPEN

NURSERY WORKERS

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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