

Weekly Schedule

Monday, November 29

6:30 pm Grief Share (Room 206/207)

Tuesday, November 30

9:00 am Ladies' Bible Study (Room 206/207)

9:30 am Prairie Sounds (Choir Room)

11:00 am Dulcimer (Choir Room)

Wednesday, December 1

5:15 pm Family Meal (Atrium)

5:45 pm Praise Team Rehearsal (Worship Center)

6:15 pm Preschool Mission Friends (Preschool Area)

Children RA's & GA's (Children's Area)

Bible Study & Prayer Service (Room 101)

Walk Through the Bible (Room 206-207)

"The Chosen" Bible Study (Room 208/209)

Divorce Care (Room 200)

Prophecy & Parables (Room 210)

6:30 pm Youth Activities (Room 100)

6:30 pm Worship Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Thursday, December 2

9:00 am Serendipity Choir (Choir Room)

8:00 pm College Home Group (Home of Corey &

Leigh Ann Eddlemon)

Friday, December 3

6:00 pm Youth Christmas Party

Sunday, December 5

8:00 am Adult Bible Study

9:30 am Preschool, Children, Youth & Adult Bible Study

9:30 am Worship Service

11:00 am Adult Bible Study/Worship Service

4:00 pm "The Gathering" (Ministry & SS Leadership)

WEDNESDAY MEAL PROCEDURES

December 1st Meal:

Stuffed Bell Peppers, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans,
Corn, Bread, Mixed Green Salad w/Ranch Dressing.

Kids Choice: Pizza

Choice of: Chocolate Peppermint Cake, Key Lime Pie,
Cookies, or a Sugar Free Option.

Worship

Welcome to Worship - 9:30

"His Mercy is More"

"Joy to the World"

Advent Video

Reading God's Word/Prayer

Isaiah 40:1-5

Candle of Hope

"O Come All Ye Faithful"

"Build My Life"

"Near to the Heart of God"

Worship Choir

Cello: Collin Harvey

Message

"Giving Thanks"

Psalm 100:1-5 - Dr. Ricky Guenther

Invitation - "See Us Through"

Benediction - "House of the Lord"

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The Gathering Sunday, December 5 4:00 PM

The purpose of "The Gathering" is to provide an intentional time for our Sunday School leadership and Ministry Teams to meet collectively for a brief time of encouragement and inspiration and then to move out to meet with their various teams for any training or planning that can help each area serve their best. If you are not currently on a ministry team, but would like information about one, you are welcome to come to The Gathering as well.

A Word from our Pastor, Dr. Bill Skaar

This morning, Pam and I are having an extra special blessing attached to our Thanksgiving week. We are with all our family at the Fulshear campus of Second Baptist Church, Houston, where I have been given the privilege of baptizing our grandson, Colton. Colton received Jesus and made his profession of faith public not long ago. Of all our blessings, none are better than that.

In my absence, I've asked Dr. Ricky Guenther to preach today. Ricky served as a Youth Minister and Pastor over many years before the Lord brought him and Lynda back to Grand Prairie and our FBC family in 2017. Ricky is a graduate of Grand Prairie High School, Dallas Baptist University, Southwestern Seminary and Covington Seminary. I know you will be blessed to hear the message God has given Ricky to share today.

God is good. You are loved. Welcome to worship!

FBC Ministries

MUSIC MINISTRY, Joel Salazar/jsalazar@fbcgp.org

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY, Laura Garrett/lgarrett@fbcgp.org

FIRST KIDS ACADEMY

Early Childhood Program & After School Program,

Misty Reed (214) 929-6988/mreed@fbcgp.org

STUDENT MINISTRY, Skip Birtman/sbirtman@fbcgp.org

COLLEGE HOME GROUP (Young Singles), Leigh Ann Eddlemon/leighanneddlemon@yahoo.com

SENIOR ADULT (55+) MINISTRY, Charles Smith/csmith@fbcgp.org

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP, John Jenkins/jenkins.jh@gmail.com

CRISIS RESPONSE MINISTRY, Glenn Cato/glenn1511@gmail.com

FBC Stats as of 11/21/2021

Weekly Budget	\$ 32,282	Weekly Contribution	\$ 27,452
YTD Budget	\$ 1,097,588	YTD Contribution	\$ 1,066,191
Building Fund	\$ 889	Worship Attendance:	
		On Campus:	305 Views: 214
Bible Study Enrollment:	1319	Attendance:	266
2021-22 Ministry Budget	\$1,678,689		

Guest & Communication Information

First Baptist Church, Grand Prairie, TX
Sunday, November 28, 2021

First Time Guest Returning Guest 9:30 am Service
 11:00 am Service

Member of FBC-GP I Have New and/or Updated Information

Dr. Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms.

Spouse _____

Address _____

City _____ ST _____ Zip _____

E-Mail Address _____

Phone: _____ Home Cell Work

Under 18 19-29 30s 40s 50s 60s 70+

Youth College Single Adult Married Widowed

Children Names: _____ Ages: _____ Grade: _____

I am interested in:

Information about First Baptist Church Grand Prairie

Joining the First Baptist Family

Getting involved in the Sunday School Class



Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, so that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. Hebrews 4:16

How may we pray for you today?

Sermon Notes

November 28, 2021

“Giving Thanks”

Psalm 100:1-5 - Dr. Ricky Guenther

Introduction:

1. Giving thanks with _____!

2. Giving thanks with _____.

3. Giving thanks with _____.

4. Giving thanks with _____.

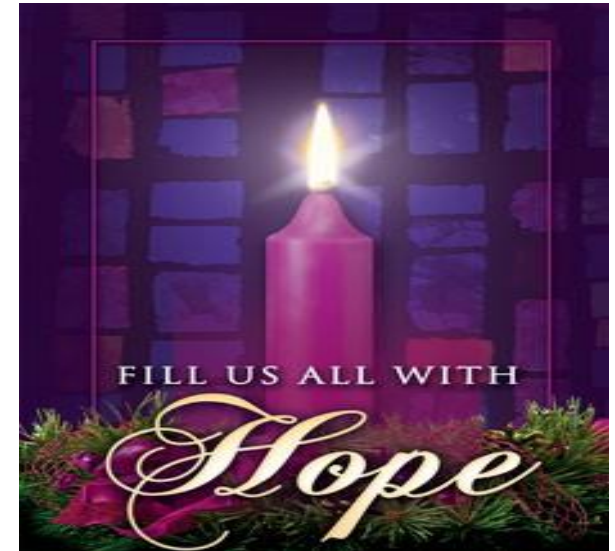
5. Giving thanks with _____.

WAYS TO JOIN OUR FBC FAMILY:

- By Believer's Baptism: After receiving Jesus as Lord and Savior, believers identify with Jesus and follow His example by being baptized by immersion.
- By Transfer of Letter: Moving your membership from another Baptist church.
- By Statement of Faith: Stating that you have already received Jesus as your Lord and Savior and followed Him in believer's baptism.

First Baptist Church

Grand Prairie, TX



Mission Statement

First Baptist Church exists to glorify God and work with Him as He builds His kingdom. We do this through dynamic worship, intentional evangelism, life changing discipleship, loving relationships, and compassionate ministry.

FBC Vision Statement

“For God’s glory, we will be a Church sharing Christ with all people, becoming like Him, and sharing His love in order to make an impact in our community and beyond.”

Dr. Bill Skaar, Pastor

Joél Salazar, Minister of Music

Charles Smith, Minister of Education

Skip Birtman, Minister of Students

Laura Garrett, Minister of Children

Chad Hampton, Discipleship Associate

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Worship Guide



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