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# WORSHIP NOTES

Restrooms are located in the Foyer and in the hallway behind the sanctuary (please exit through the piano-side door).

Coffee is available in the South Portico Lobby.

Childcare is available for infants, toddlers and PreK in the nursery. An usher will be glad to lead you to the nursery area (below the Banquet Hall).

Clergy of the Week: Kellie Denton (kellie.denton@fbcgainesville.org)

Deacon Team of the Week: David Lancaster, Joyce Tharpe and Scott Wiley

If you have any safety concerns or needs this morning, please feel welcome to speak with our security officer, Ret. Lt. Nina Harkins, who usually can be found in the church foyer.

First Baptist Church is a Stephen Ministry congregation. Stephen Ministers are caregivers trained to provide one-to-one care to those experiencing a difficult time in life. If you would like to be put in touch with a Stephen Minister, please call 770-534-7354.

> If you are visiting us today, please scan the QR code to complete our guest connect card. We would love to hear from you.



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# Grace discovered. Lives renewed.

Welcome to worship! We encourage all guests to complete a Connect Card (located in the pew) and drop it in the offering plate by the Chapel doors. You are also invited to stop by the Guest Table (located in the Foyer) to receive further information about First Baptist Church.

"Family Drama: The Family Blessing"

Second Sunday after Pentecost June 22, 2025 | 8:45 AM

## **Second Sunday after Pentecost** June 22, 2025 at 8:45 AM

First Baptist Church Chapel

**Gathering Song** Peace in the Valley Carrie Owens, Piano

**Call to Worship** Strength Will Rise As We Wait (Everlasting God)

**Song of Praise** The Solid Rock (590)

**Welcome & Prayer** Christopher Simonton

**Passing the Peace of Christ** Congregation

May the peace of the Lord be with you

And also with you

**Song of Commitment** Step by Step (495)

**Mission Moment: CASA (Court-appointed Special Advocate)** Joy Green

Scripture Reading: Genesis 27:18-41

When Isaac smelled the scent of his clothes, he blessed him, "See, the scent of my son is like the scent of the field that the Lord has blessed. May God give you showers from the sky, olive oil from the earth, plenty of grain and new wine. May the nations serve you, may peoples bow down to you. Be the most powerful man among your brothers, and may your mother's sons bow down to you. Those who curse you will be cursed, and those who bless you will be blessed." (Genesis 27:27-29)

**Words of Teaching** "Family Drama: The Family Blessing"

Jeremy Shoulta

**Song of Response** Christ Be My Leader (682)

Stanza 1 & 2

**Opportunities to Connect & Serve** Kellie Denton

Morning Prayer (Including the Lord's Prayer) Jeremy Shoulta

**Congregational Response** They Will Know We Are Christians (272)

Stanza 4

**Departing Song** Strength Will Rise As We Wait Worship Band

#### \*\*Your giving is important. Offering baskets are located at both exits. \*\*

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **Lemonade on the Lawn**

**Today after Worship** 

Join us on the lawn after worship for cookies and lemonade! We hope this will be a wonderful opportunity to meet new people and fellowship after worship!

#### **Book Club**

June 26 | 6:00 PM | Parlor

Sandra Edwards will lead a discussion of "The Frozen River" by Ariel Lawhon.

### **Gospel Sing & Ice Cream Social**

June 29 | 6:00 PM | Chapel

Join us for our annual Gospel Sing and ice cream social. If you would like to churn ice cream for our social, pléase email Kayanne: Kayanne.Smith@fbcgainesville.org

### **Mission Opportunity**

July 26 to August 2

We plan to partner with Amigos for Christ (Buford, Georgia) in Chinandega, Nicaragua to help rural villagers install running water, bath-rooms, and sanitary sewers during the week of July 26 to August 2. The cost is \$350 plus airfare and incidentals. Contact Jimmy Mc-Gowan for registration information. jem@sterileworks.com

# THIS WEEK AT FBC

Wednesday Sanctuary Choir 6:50 PM | Choir Room

# PROMISING FUTURES **UPDATE**

We will be providing each of our Promising Futures students a book bag and supplies for the upcoming school year. We need volunteers to help us on two days.

### July 15 | 1:00-5:00 PM | FLC

We will be packing their new bags with school supplies. We will need volunteers to assist us!

### July 18 | 12:30-3:30 PM

We will meet at the Park Hill Apartments Community Center to distribute the bags to the students. We will need volunteers to assist us!

If you would like to volunteer to assist on either day, pléase email Monica.

monica.ramirez.leon@fbcgainesville.org

We also would greatly appreciate monetary donations so that we can purchase the book bags. If you would like to donate, please drop off checks with a note it is for Promising Futures. Thank you!





A special thank you to Mark Green, Susan Eernisse, Patton Gilbert, Carrie Owens and Chris Owens for leading our music today.