First Baptist Church, Georgetown 2624 Dumbarton Street, NW Washington, DC 20007 Rev. Robert K. Pines, Pastor

Weekly Bulletin
The week of September 5, 2021 to September 11, 2021

ORDER OF SERVICE

9:00 High School Sunday School Class - 9:45 AM General Service *Communion Sunday*

INVOCATION Rev. Robert K. Pines, Pastor
SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON Deacon Tim Barr
PRAYER REQUEST Deacon Richard Lonon

INSPIRATIONAL MUSIC

PASTORAL REFLECTIONS Pastor Pines

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

Transition to Live Stream on Facebook or remain on Zoom call

WORDS OF INSPIRATION Pastor Pines
READING OF Pastor Pines

THE CHURCH COVENANT

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HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor Pines



Newsworthy Notes

With Sympathy:

The entire First Baptist Church family expresses our sincere condolences to Deacon Paul King and Sister Rosilyn King on the passing of Deacon King's brother, James King. Mr. King went home to be with our Lord on Wednesday, September 1, 2021. As of this writing homegoing arrangements are pending. Please keep the King family in your prayers as they grieve the loss of their loved one.

Homecoming:

The Church's Homecoming recognition will be Sunday, September 12, 2021, during the Social Hour on Zoom. This year's program will be hosted by the Trustee Ministry. The Theme for Homecoming will be "Coming Back Home." Please plan to attend for what will be an enjoyable and inspirational event.

SHARE Food Network:

You may now begin to place orders for the September SHARE packages. Orders are due by Sunday, September 12, 2021. Please submit your order to Trustee Francene Harper. The menu is as follows: Value (\$22), Chuck Roast Special (\$27), Pork Chop Special (\$21), Breakfast Sandwich Box (\$19). All payments are due to the Church by 9-15-2021. The Distribution date is 9-25-2021. You can view the SHARE flyer on page three of the bulletin.



Sunday School Lesson for 9-12-2021

Here is your reading assignment *Subject:*

Praise in Dance

Devotional Reading:

2 Samuel 6: 12-19

Background Scripture:

2 Samuel 6

Next Sunday's Scripture:

2 Samuel 6: 1-5, 14-19

Our Known Sick and Shut-in Sister Bernice Fleming

Dea. Emeritus Jonathan Manning
Sister Shirley Minor
Sister June Small
Brother Charles White

Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers.



FBCG Birthdays	
Sister Barbara Hargrove	1 st
Sister Theresa Walker	6 th
Brother Herman Johnson	9 th
Brother William Hamilton, Jr.	16^{th}
Deacon Timothy Barr	23 rd
Brother Jerry Swann	24^{th}
Brother Andre Brown, Jr.	25 th
Sister Rebekah Dramé	30 th

Tuesday, September 7:

12:00 Noon Intercessory Prayer Call.6:45 PM Deacons and Trustee Meetings7:45 PM Joint Board Meeting

Sunday, September 12:
HOMECOMING

9:00 AM High School Sunday School Class 9:00 AM New Generation Sunday School Class 9:45 AM General Sunday School Lesson Deacon Timothy Barr, Instructor 10:45 AM Sermon– Rev. Robert K. Pines After Worship Service - Homecoming Program



CHURCH COVENANT

Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour; and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place in our affections, prayers and services above every organization of human origin; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrine; to contribute cheerfully and regularly, as God has prospered us, towards its expenses, for the support of a faithful and evangelical ministry among us, the relief of the poor and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world. In case of difference of opinion in the church, we will strive to avoid a contentious spirit, and if we cannot unanimously agree, we will cheerfully recognize the right of the majority to govern.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to study diligently the word of God; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintance; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be kind and just to those in our employ, and faithful in the service we promise others; endeavoring in the purity of heart and good will towards all men to exemplify and commend our holy faith.

We further engage to watch over, to pray for, to exhort and stir up each other unto every good word and work; to guard each other's reputation, not needlessly exposing the infirmities of others; to participate in each other's joys, and with tender sympathy bear one another's burdens and sorrows; to cultivate Christian courtesy; to be slow to give or take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, being mindful of the rules of the Saviour in the eighteenth chapter of Matthew, to secure it without delay; and through life, amid evil report, and good report, to seek to live to the glory of God, who hath called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.

When we remove from this place, we engage as soon as possible to unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word.



Holy Communion

Have the elements of Communion available.

The Bread

To symbolize the body of Our Lord.

The Wine

To symbolize the New Testament in His blood.

