

Welcome to First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro

Thank you for being here for worship today. We are honored to have you as our guest! If you would like to be added to our church email list, please send an email to katie1fbc@gmail.com and Katie will be happy to do that for you.

You may also go to our website, www.firstbaptistnw.org and sign up as a site member, you will then be able to view our church prayer list and add a prayer request of your own.

This Week at First Baptist

Sun., March 8

11:00 a.m. Worship Service, Third Sunday of Lent
4:30-6:30 p.m. Youth and First Kids meet

Mon., March 9

12:30 p.m. Lunch Group at Moravian Falls Grill

Tues., March 10

2:30 p.m. Finance Committee meets
4:00 p.m. Executive Committee meets

Wed., March 11

1:00 p.m. Plarn Group meets, Wayland Hall
4:00 p.m. Bible Study Wayland Hall
5:00 p.m. Handbells – Room 200
6:00 p.m. Choir/Handbells small group – Room 200
6:45 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal

Thurs., March 12

11:00 a.m. CareNet Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregiver Support

Fri., March 13

6:15 a.m. Youth breakfast – The 50s
Patricia On-Call for pastoral needs Fri.-Sat. 3/13-14

Sat., March 14

3:00 p.m. A Baby Shower in honor of Baby Melody, Anabelle Higginbotham, Caden and Kendrick Barber, all are invited

Sun., March 15

9:15 a.m. Library Open
9:45 a.m. Bible Study for all ages, nursery available
11:00 a.m. Worship Service, Fourth Sunday of Lent
After service Youth to lunch and high school musical
4:30-6:30 p.m. First Kids meet

Volunteer Schedule

	March 8	March 15
Ushers	Bill Myers Team	Tommy Caudill's Team
SS Nursery	Open	Open
Worship Nursery	Open	Ashley Davis
SS Greeters	Brian Huffman; Mickey Leapley	David & Hilda Smith
Worship Greeters	Steve Moree	Madelene Johnson
Visitor's Table	Martha Myers	Marie Waddell
Open Up	Danny Stanley	Danny Stanley
Lock Up	Mike Norwood; Anthony Davis	Mike Norwood; Anthony Davis

This Week's Birthdays

March 10: Olivia Edwards

March 11: Marie Davis

Barbara McKenzie

Will Slate

March 13: Lynn Day
Aven Eller

March 14: Steven Call
Harold Lloyd,
Linda Wehrmann

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“All's WELL that Ends WELL”

Third Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2026

Ministers: Every Member
Senior Pastor: Dr. Bert Young
Associate Pastor: Rev. Patricia Turner
Director of Music: Larisa Leapley
Organist/Pianist: Tammy Prevette
Children's Director: Jamie Higginbotham

The Worship of Our Lord

Third Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2026

11:00 a.m.

*“God is spirit, and those who worship
him must worship in spirit and truth.”*

John 4:24

Gathering for Worship

Chiming of the Trinity

Welcome and AnnouncementsDr. Bert Young

Invocation.....Dr. Bert Young

Exchanging of PeaceDr. Bert Young

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you

People: And also with you

Praise Song Choir & Congregation

As the Deer

Martin J. Nystrom

As the deer panteth for the water

So my soul longeth after Thee

You alone are my heart's desire

And I long to worship Thee

You alone are my strength my shield

To You alone may my spirit yield

You alone are my heart's desire

And I long to worship Thee

Children’s Message Jamie Higginbotham

Children are dismissed for Children’s Church

Presenting Our Gifts and Tithes

Offertory Hymn No. 424.....Choir & Congregation

Heavenly Sunlight

SUNLIGHT

Offertory PrayerRev. Patricia Turner

OffertoryTammy Prevette

Doxology.....Choir & Congregation

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures
here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

OLD HUNDRETH

Encountering the Word of God

Morning Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer.....Rev. Patricia Turner

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy
kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our
trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For
thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.*

AnthemChancel Choir, Ahlivia McMillan, Solo

Fill My Cup, Lord

Richard Blanchard

The Presentation of the Word

Fill my cup, Lord;

I lift it up Lord;

Come and quench this thirsting of my soul.

Bread of Heaven, feed me till I want no more.

Fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole.

Hymn of Commitment, No. 572..... Choir & Congregation

I Love to Tell the Story

HANKEY

Benediction.....Dr. Bert Young

Postlude..... Tammy Prevette

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*First Kids and Youth will meet tonight 4:30-6:30 pm. Church members, if you want to attend the high school musical (March 12-15), you will need to purchase a ticket at Wilkes Central High School, tickets sell out quickly. Five of our Youth are in the musical.

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*Wed., March 11, the Plarn Group will meet at 1 p.m. in Wayland Hall, Regular activities: Bible Study 4 p.m., Adult Handbells 5 p.m., Choir/ Handbell Small Group 6 p.m., Chancel Choir 6:45 p.m.

*The code to view the church directory on our website is: 28659

*The In-House Deacons Mission Committee welcomes donations for our Spring Food Giveaway, in conjunction with HOPE Ministry. Bins are located at the Narthex, rear Education Building, and Portico Lobby entrances. From March 1 through March 21 we will be collecting the following canned items: Green Beans, Corn, Pinto Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Peas, and Potatoes.

*Our next Intergenerational Missions Night (March 22), they will be preparing blessing bags. Some needed donations are: Ramen Cups, Mini Beef Jerky sticks, Chewy Granola Bar, Cheese/Peanut Butter Crackers, Drink Mix Packets, Fruit Snacks, Tootsie Rolls, Socks, Water Bottle, Band-Aids, Sunscreen, lip balm. We will also take monetary donations. Bring items or donations to the office or give to Patricia or Jamie **by Fri., March 20.**

*You can now give electronically by simply scanning the QR code below with your smartphone or mobile device.

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2. Scan the QR code below.
3. Follow the prompts to make your secure donation.



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