

# THE FAMILY OF GOD IN WORSHIP

Building a Community of Disciples for Christ

October 31, 2021

10:55 am



WELCOME Tom Cabaniss

PRELUDE Carol Cone

THE CALL TO PRAISE (from Colossians 1:15-20) Jonathan Hale

Leader: God is invisible.

**People: We worship God through Jesus Christ, his human image, the firstborn of all creation.**

Leader: He is the head of the body, the church.

**People: In him all things hold together.**

Leader: Dizzy with the pace of life, enslaved by our fears and mundane hopes, we search for our invisible God.

**People: Merciful God, who made yourself visible in Jesus of Nazareth, remind us during this hour where you can be found.**

Leader: While the world seems to be falling apart, let us discover you again in him in whom all things hold together, under whose orders life makes sense.

**People: So let us truly be his church, his very own body for all the world to see—and to take heart. Amen.**

†HYMN 6 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise ST. DENIO

THE PSALM Psalm 19 & 148 Sanctuary Choir (Selected Verses)

CHORAL PRAISE Proclaim the Glory of the Lord arr. Schrader

*Proclaim the glory of the Lord. Let every tongue confess He reigns; lift His name in praises forever. Proclaim the glory of the Lord.*

*Make known His mighty deeds to all; take up the call, Let every nation know:*

*\*He is our Messiah, our Savior and our King;*

*Let all our voices join as one and fill the earth with singing.*

*Glory to our God, His greatness we applaud.*

*Let every race on every shore, Proclaim the glory of the Lord. \*(repeat)*

*Proclaim the glory of the Lord; Give honor to the Prince of Peace;*

*For if we cease, the stones will start shouting.*

*Proclaim the glory of the Lord; With hands up lifted let us raise*

*immortal praise to Him who reigns on high!*

*He is our Messiah! Our Savior and our King!*

*Let all our voices join as one and fill the earth with singing!*

*Glory to our God, His greatness we applaud.*

*Let every race on every shore, Proclaim the glory of, proclaim the glory of the Lord!*

PASTORAL PRAYER Tom Cabaniss

All children may come forward as we sing the final stanza.

Age 4 - 1st Grade will leave for Children's Church after Words for Our Children.

They will be meeting in the Library on the 2nd floor.

†HYMN 52 He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought HE LEADETH ME

## WORDS FOR OUR CHILDREN

Candice Carter

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD I Need Thee Every Hour NEED

*I need Thee ev'ry hour, Teach me Thy will;*

*Thy promises so rich In me fulfill.*

*I need Thee, O I need Thee; Ev'ry hour I need Thee!*

*O bless me now, my Savior, I come to Thee.*

MESSAGE Three Golden Apples Tom Cabaniss Nehemiah 9:31-33

†HYMN OF DECISION 294 Have Thine Own Way, Lord ADELAIDE

†BENEDICTION Tom Cabaniss

†OUR RESPONSE Blest Be the Tie DENNIS

*Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love;*

*The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.*

POSTLUDE Carol Cone

†Those who are able please stand.

## “Three Golden Apples”

Nehemiah 9:31-33

### MERCY

Nehemiah 9:31...

Mercy is...

Nehemiah's prayer...

Mercy reminds us that we are welcomed and loved by God when we deserve to be shunned and spurned.

A Colorado Fourteener...

### THE HAND OF GOD

Nehemiah 9:33...

Do you expect to see God at work in your life each day?

Two places in Genesis...

God's greatest desire is for His people to know Him, love Him and obey Him.

Ezekiel 14:3-6...

In Greek Mythology...

### THE NEXT STEP

For fifty-two days, Nehemiah and the people rebuilt the walls of Jerusalem and fended off the attacks of the opponents.

Nehemiah 10:29...

Romans 13:11-12...

Some hard truths...

The next step could be...

### A FINAL WORD

About thirty years ago...

Amos 7:7-8...

If the Lord placed a plumb line on your life today, what would He find?

A man named Ali...

#### THIS WEEK AT KANNAPOLIS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

##### Sunday, October 31, 2021

9:45am-Sunday School

4:00pm- Youth Handbells

10:55am-Worship Service

5:30pm- Holy Ghost Weenie Roast at the Hales

##### Wednesday, November 3, 2021

5:45pm-Preschool Music/Children's Bells

6:30pm-Adult Bible Study

5:45pm -Youth Small Groups

6:30pm-Main Street Kids

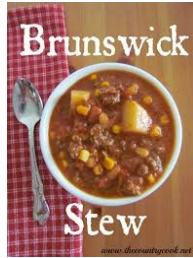
6:30pm-Embark Bible Studies

7:15pm-Sanctuary Choir

6:30pm-Sanctuary Ringers

##### Thursday, November 4, 2021

6:45am-Men's Prayer Breakfast and Bible Study



**Baptist Men's Brunswick Stew Sale  
November 6th**

Tickets are on sale now, \$10.00 per quart.  
Please contact Joel Moore (joel@hallcoindustries.com),  
Allen Martin (allenmartin570@gmail.com) or Craig  
Coghill (fivecoghill@gmail.com) to secure your purchase.

**Shhh!... it's a secret!®**

On Saturday, November 20 Marjorie Moorman will be 100 years old! She is our oldest living member and we would like to surprise her with a basket of birthday cards from her church family! There will be a card collection basket located in the back hall (nursery area). We want to fill the basket with good wishes!! Please do not mail a card, instead bring it to the church anytime between now and Wednesday, November 17. A few members of her Sunday School Class will deliver the basket along with flowers on her special day!!



Our missions committee is sponsoring a coat collection for our local Baptist Sharing House and for "Coats for the City." We need new and gently used winter coats for children, teens and adults. ALL sizes are welcome! "Coats for the City" is a joint mission between the North Carolina Baptist Men and the Metropolitan New York Baptist Association. Your donation of coats will be divided between the two ministries. A box will be available in the new entrance where your coat donations can be placed. We will collect coats till November 7th.

<b>October 31</b> Jack Blumreich	<b>November 6</b> Carson Beane Melvin Rape Laura Spears
<b>November 1</b> Todd Hagler	<b>November 10</b> Betty Carolyn Price
<b>November 2</b> Reagan Manning	<b>November 11</b> Susan Combs
<b>November 3</b> Shirley Hartis Janet Schmitt	<b>November 12</b> Braden Sweatt
<b>November 4</b> Eric Miller Debbie Robinson	<b>November 13</b> Silas Miller
<b>November 5</b> Beth Vega	<b>November 14</b> Julie Hahn



**Daily Scripture  
for Personal Devotion**

<b>Monday</b> .....Psalm 26
<b>Tuesday</b> .....Obadiah 10-16
<b>Wednesday</b> ....Obadiah 17-21
<b>Thursday</b> .....Psalm 91:9-16
<b>Friday</b> .....Isaiah 47:1-9
<b>Saturday</b> .....Isaiah 47:10-15
<b>Sunday</b> .....Isaiah 53:4-12 Psalm 91:9-16 Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45



*October 31, 2021*

**BUDGET REPORT THROUGH  
October 24, 2021**

<b>Receipts</b>	<b>\$ 655,462.32</b>
<b>Budget</b>	<b>\$ 653,218.69</b>
<b>Over/(Under)</b>	<b>\$ 2,243.63</b>

But in your great mercy you did not put an end to them or abandon them, for you are a gracious and merciful God.

**Nehemiah 9:31**



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Find us on Facebook at:  
First Baptist Church – Kannapolis

The deacon council adopted the following guidelines to help keep our church open for activities, gathering together and expanding our ministries . As we continue to move through the latest challenges with COVID-19, please keep the following guidelines in mind...

1. If you are sick or feel sick at all, do NOT come to any FBCK related activities. We are still offering our worship live online each Sunday at 10:55am on Facebook live and youtube.com/FirstBaptistKannapolis. Remote worship may be an option you wish to use.
2. If you test positive, please contact those with whom you may have had close contact. The church office can help you with phone numbers or email addresses.
3. Remember to give people space. We often like to hug and greet each other but some people may not prefer that kind of contact at this time. Be conscious of your distancing and aware of keeping adequate space between yourself and others.
4. Be aware of COVID-19 symptoms and stay home if you experience them. It is always good to check out those symptoms with your doctor or another healthcare provider.
5. Wash and sanitize your hands often. Sanitizer and soap are abundantly available at our building.
6. The CDC's recent guidance recommends wearing a mask in indoor settings. If you feel more comfortable with a mask and wish to wear one, please do so. We respect your decision to do so.

**Welcome to Kannapolis First Baptist Church!**

*We are so grateful to God for leading you to this place of worship today.  
If you are a guest, be sure to sign our fellowship pads  
as they are shared during the worship time or our guest book in the foyer  
of the church as you leave so that we might have the  
opportunity to thank you personally for worshipping with us today.*