

This Week at First Baptist Church

SUNDAY, APRIL 19

9:00 AM Worship
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship
 4:00 PM Preschool Worship
 How Now Shall We Live Study
 5:00 PM Deacons Meeting
 6:00 PM Vespers

MONDAY, APRIL 20

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study

TUESDAY, APRIL 21

9:00 AM Better Life Fitness Class
 10:00 AM Ladies Bible Study
 5:00 PM Celebrate Recovery

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

5:00 PM Wednesday Meal
 5:45 PM Wed. Night Kids
 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting

WEDNESDAY CONTINUED

6:00 PM Deaf Min. Bible Study
 6:00 PM Student Ministry
 7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

9:00 AM Better Life Fitness Class
 11:30 AM Senior Adult Fellowship

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

9:00AM Worship
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 11:00 AM Worship
 11:00 AM Preschool & Kids Worship
 4:00 PM How Now Shall We Live Study
 2:30 PM KBC Children's Choir Concert
 6:00 PM NO Vespers

Giving Update April 12, 2026

Budget Goal 2026: \$1,996,928

Budget Goal (YTD): \$576,037
 Receipts (YTD): \$649,122

Budget Goal (Weekly): \$38,402
 Budget Receipts: \$38,988

Time Is Now Campaign
 Needed to Retire Debt
 \$0

Received this Week:
 \$1,065

Received YTD: \$37,918

God's Good News for You

God made you and loves you. (*Genesis 1-2; Psalm 139:13-16*)

You sinned and separated yourself from God. (*Romans 3:23, 6:23*)

But God loves you and sent His Son to rescue you. (*John 3:16*)

Jesus died on the cross to pay for your sin.
 (*Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21*)


Jesus rose again from the dead and lives today.
 (*1 Corinthians 15:3-4*)

You must respond. Here's how...

Repent. Turn away from your life of sin. Believe the Good News about Jesus. Ask Jesus Christ to be your Savior & Lord.

Share your decision by being baptized!

Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water to symbolize our faith and express our devotion to Jesus. To learn more about baptism, connect with one of our ministers or e-mail connect@firstbaptistbg.org.




Come join us

Growing Closer to Christ in Community

- Sunday School
- Bible Studies
- Equip Classes

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Children's Musical
 Sunday, May 3rd • 6pm



Sanctuary Flowers
 for Sunday Morning Service

Enhance our worship with floral beauty. You are invited to sponsor flowers for the sanctuary in honor or in memory of a loved one. This is a meaningful way to celebrate someone special while helping beautify our place of worship.

Please contact Carrie Walters at 270-535-8106 if you would like to participate.

"The memory of the righteous is a blessing." Proverbs 10:7



ROME

PAUL AND THE UNDERGROUND CHURCH

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
 JUNE 14-18, 2026

REGISTER NOW!



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BOWLING GREEN




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 BOWLING GREEN

True Power

APRIL 19, 2026
 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM



Good morning and welcome to First Baptist Church! We're glad you're here. Our goal is to trust and follow Jesus in every moment that we live, so whether you are new to church or have been following Jesus for a long time, we hope you get closer to Him today!

Dr. Jeff Reynolds, Senior Pastor
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Connect With Us!



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Wednesday Evening Meals

Cost: \$5 meal
\$20 maximum cost
per family

April 22

Breakfast Casserole,
Biscuits, Fruit,
French Toast Sticks

Ministerial Staff



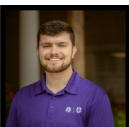
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Praying for the Unreached

Pray for the Gujjar (Muslim traditions)

Pray for the Holy Spirit to begin speaking to the Gujjar, softening their hearts and preparing them to receive his word. Ask the Lord to send workers who are willing to live with them, share their burdens, and extend God's love in practical ways. Pray for workers who will help with education and medical care. Pray that soon, Gujjar disciples will make more disciples, spreading Christ's glory throughout India.

"True Power: Counting the Cost" 2 Corinthians 11:16-33 (Pew Bible p. 969) Dr. Jeff Reynolds Sunday, April 19, 2026

God's power enables us to _____ under trial.

1. Credentials can be _____ (11:16-23).
2. Christ-followers share in Christ's _____ (11:24-29).
3. When we are _____, then we are _____ (11:30-33).

"If I must boast, I will boast of the things that show my weakness" (2 Corinthians 11:30).

9:00 AM Worship

"Open Up The Heavens"

PRAYING FOR THE UNREACHED

OFFERING

DRIVER'S BLESSING
TJ Renfro

"What He's Done"

"Thank You Jesus For The Blood"

MESSAGE: Counting the Cost
2 Corinthians 11:16-33
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

"What He's Done"

11:00 AM Worship

PRELUDE
"Fantasia"
Johann Pachelbel
Bryson Richey, Organ

CELEBRATION OF BELIEVER'S BAPTISM
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

WELCOME AND PRAYER
Selected from Psalm 73

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 33

"As the Deer"
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 49

WELCOME AND PRAYER
Dr. Alex Watkins

"I Give All to You"
CONGREGATIONAL SONG

"Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound"
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 587

OFFERTORY PRAYER
TJ Renfro

"The Risen Christ"
arr. Fetteke
Sanctuary Choir

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD
"True Power: Counting the Cost"
2 Corinthians 11:16-33 (Pew Bible p. 969)
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

"Jesus Pait It All"
HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 583

RECOGNITION OF DECISIONS & PRAYER
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

POSTLUDE
Postlude on "CWM Rhondda"
arr. Manz
Bryson Richey, Organ

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Sanctuary Flowers
In Memory of O'Neil Harrell for his birthday
Given by The Harrell Family