

Practice Edition 2025/26

How To
**BE
FAITHFUL**

A
Reference
for the
Rest of
Us!

Well done
good and
faithful
servant...

FBC BEVERLY

Welcome to Worship at First Baptist Church in Beverly!

We welcome you to worship this morning. We are so pleased to gather with you! Please feel free to fill out one of our Here We Gather cards in the pew rack, or speak with Julie Flowers or Daniel Johnson following worship.

There are Prayer Request cards in the pew rack in front of you. If you would like to take a moment to fill one out with a prayer concern you would like shared or like the ministers to know, please do so, and then place it in the offering plate when they are passed. Prayer concerns that should be kept for ministers only should have that designation written on them.

The chancel flowers this morning are given in loving memory of Thomas and Doris Eradi and Erma Philip Vosseler by Bryan and Doris-Ann Vosseler.

Prayground news for children! We encourage children in Grade 1 and above to make use of the Prayground space at the front of the Sanctuary to worship. The Prayground is a child-friendly place for the quiet enjoyment of worship. A care and learning experience for preschool and Kindergarten-age children is provided throughout our service in the Littlest Learners room on the main level, located through the double doors at the front of the sanctuary. Care for infants and toddlers (all children 2 and under) is provided throughout worship in our Infant/Toddler Room across from the rear sanctuary doors. All adults who work with our children have been CORI-checked. We always encourage families and caregivers to do what is best for their child and their family during the worship time.

Youth Pew and Class! We encourage our youth in Middle School and High School to enjoy worship together with peers in our youth pew at the front of the sanctuary. Our Youth Sunday School Class meets twice a month immediately following worship. They will next meet again in the fall for their new program year.

Devices to assist with hearing are available for those who have a need. A Deacon will be happy to assist you and provide one.

*Indicates Congregation Standing As They Are Able

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 14, 2026

10:00 a.m.

Tolling of the Hour

Upon hearing the bells, all are invited to a time of quiet preparation for worship.

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Julie Flowers

(If you have not yet had the opportunity to turn off your cell phone, please do so now.)

Presentation of Prayer Shawls to Our Graduating Seniors

A Moment of Preparation

Call to Worship

Rev. Daniel Johnson

*Hymn 25

LOBE DEN HERREN


Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

*Invocation, the Lord's Prayer (debts),

Zeke Cotton

and Glory Be to God (pg. 37)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kin-dom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kin-dom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

 *Glory be to God and to the Christ and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

Stepsitters

Rev. Julie Flowers

Anthem

J.P. Scott

Consider the Lilies

Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin, they toil not, neither do they spin: Yet I say unto you, That Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these, was not arrayed like one of these. Wherefore, if God so clothed the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is cast into the oven, shall He not much more clothe you, O ye of little faith, O ye of little faith? Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof, is the evil thereof. But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you, and all these things shall be added unto you. Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow.

Scripture Reading

Matthew 7:15-20

Rachel Schneider
Pew Bible N.T. pg. 5

Morning Prayer

Rev. Daniel Johnson

*Hymn 642

How Long, O God, How Long?

TAFT STREET

Sermon

Rev. Julie Flowers &
Rev. Daniel Johnson

"Interview Prep"

Morning Offering

Call to Giving

Offertory


Tracey Armstrong

T. Lough

Appalachian Psalm

The Lord of love my Shepherd is. He makes me down to lie in pastures green; He leads me on beside still waters by, beside still waters by. The Lord of love my Shepherd is. He makes me down to lie in pastures green and leads me on beside still waters by. My sinful soul He doth restore; He stirs it to awake, and in the paths of righteousness, He leads for His name's sake. Though I walk through the vale of the shadow of death, no evil will I fear. Your rod

and staff will comfort me. You ever hold me near, You ever hold me near. You set a table for me in the presence of my foes. My head You will with oil anoint, my blessing cup o'erflows. Oh, love and goodness, grace and mercy, all will crown my days, and I will find my resting place in the house of God always. I will sing His praise, my song I'll raise, in the house of God always, in the house of God always.

 **Doxology (48) Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all creatures here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; one God, triune, whom we adore. Amen.*

***Hymn 453**

BEECHER

Called as Partners in Christ's Service

***Benediction**

Rev. Julie Flowers &
Rev. Daniel Johnson

***Postlude**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming events this week:

Worship Ensemble - Today at 11:30 a.m.

Volunteer Appreciation Celebration - Today at 11:30 a.m.

Middle School Fellowship - Today at 1:30 p.m. at Lynch Park

Sr. High Fellowship - Today at 6:00 p.m.

Pickleball - Monday at 7:00 p.m.

Zoom Coffee Hour - Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Choir Party - Thursday at 6:00 p.m. at the Blanchards' (85 Wood Dr., Essex)

Juneteenth Holiday - Friday, Church Office Closed

The + Club Pride Gear Party - Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Twenties Mini-Golf and Ice Cream - Saturday, 2:00 p.m., at Richardson's in Middleton

Save the following dates:

Wit & Wisdom Summer Kick-off Luncheon - Monday, June 22, 11:30 a.m. at Lynch Park
FBC & Beverly Rotary Blood Drive - Friday, June 26, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. at First Baptist
North Shore Pride Parade - Saturday, June 27, 11:15 a.m. at 27 Congress St., Salem
Interfaith Pride Service - Sunday, June 28, 2:30 p.m. at Tabernacle Congregational
Church, 50 Washington St., Salem

For more information on these and other programs of the church check the QR Code on the pew card in front of you or www.fbcbeverly.org!



Text Message Reminders from First Baptist Church!

Scan this QR code or text FBCTEXTSNOW to 724-361-6388 if you would like to opt in to receive text message updates, reminders, and alerts from First Baptist directly to your phone.



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Infant and Toddler Room Coordinator: Emily Feldman

Worship Production Coordinator: Jack Hadley

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