



## *Our Worship of God*

*January 21, 2024*

*9:15 am*

*(† Indicates those who are able, please stand)*

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**Welcome**

Pastor Brittany McDonald Null

**†Call to Worship (responsive)**

Our souls wait in silence;  
**our hope rests in God**

our rock

**our salvation**

our refuge.

**We will not be shaken.**

In this time of worship,

**we pour out our hearts**

**because we trust in God's steadfast love.**

**†Opening Songs**

My Feet Are on the Rock  
Honey in the Rock

**†Passing the Peace of Christ**

**Psalm 62:5-12**

For God alone my soul waits in silence,  
for my hope is from him.  
He alone is my rock and my salvation,  
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.  
On God rests my deliverance and my honor;  
my mighty rock, my refuge is in God.  
Trust in him at all times, O people;  
pour out your heart before him;  
God is a refuge for us. *Selah*  
Those of low estate are but a breath;  
those of high estate are a delusion;  
in the balances they go up;  
they are together lighter than a breath.  
Put no confidence in extortion,  
and set no vain hopes on robbery;  
if riches increase, do not set your heart on them.  
Once God has spoken;  
twice have I heard this:  
that power belongs to God,  
and steadfast love belongs to you, O Lord.  
For you repay to all  
according to their work.

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**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 sin, as we forgive those who sin 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.**

## Sharing Our Gifts

†Song of Praise

Awestruck

Message

Dr. Brian Kaylor

†Song of Response

Do It Again

Life of the Church

Pastor Brittany McDonald Null

†Benediction

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## Worship Notes

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*Call to Worship*, ~ written by Joanna Harader and posted on Spacious Faith. <https://spaciousfaith.com/>

*My Feet are on the Rock*, CCLI Song # 7106247 Abbie Parker | Josh Bronleewe | Lindsey Sweat | Matthew Hein

*Honey in the Rock*, CCLI Song # 7191257 Brandon Lake | Brooke Ligertwood | Mitch Wong

*Leaning*, CCLI Song # 7192530 Brian Elmquist | Jacob Sooter | Lizzie Morgan | Matt Maher

*Awestruck*, Dawnchere Wilkerson / Aodhan Thomas King

*Do It Again*. CCLI Song # 7067555 Chris Brown | Mack Brock | Matt Redman | Steven Furtick

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# Week at a Glance

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## Sunday, January 21

- 9:10 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
- 9:15 am Awakening Worship in the Fellowship Hall
- 10:15 am Annual Business Meeting in the Fellowship Hall  
& First Kids Sunday School
- 11:15 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

## Tuesday, January 23

- 1:00 pm Crafty Critters in the Conference Room

## Wednesday, January 24

- 5:30 pm The Calling Dinner
- 6:00 pm The Calling Meeting
- 6:30-7:30 pm Chancel Bells

## Thursday, January 25

- 10:30 am First Baptist Women's Zoom Book Study

## Sunday, January 28

- 9:10 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
- 9:15 am Awakening Worship in the Fellowship Hall
- 10:15 am Spiritual Formation Hour –Adult, Youth & First Kids Sunday School
- 11:15 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

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# Announcements

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## Visitors

If you are visiting, we are so glad to have you with us! If you would like to receive more information about First Baptist and our ministries, you can fill out a connection card at the welcome table, scan the QR code in the bulletin, or visit our website at [fbc-columbia.org/connect](http://fbc-columbia.org/connect)



## Annual Business Meeting – Today, Sunday, January 21

10:15 am - Fellowship Hall

Join us Sunday, January 21 at 10:15 am in the Fellowship Hall for our Annual Business Meeting. We will vote on the Nominating Committee report and elect our leadership for 2024. Then, we will hear a report from the finance committee and vote on the 2024 budget.

## Join Chancel Bells!

The Chancel Bells are starting up again for the new year on Wednesday, January 17 at 6:30 pm. If you are interested in joining this wonderful group please let Handbell Director Noah Hartsfield know. Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm (nursery care is available) and open to friends and musicians of all abilities! Whether you are 10 years old or 110 years old; and regardless of whether you've ever rung a handbell - we have a spot for you! Can't read music, no problem! We can teach you and you are only responsible for two notes! If you have questions or are interested in ringing, please reach out to Noah at [nhartsfield2010@gmail.com](mailto:nhartsfield2010@gmail.com).



## Brunch Worship February 4

Our next Brunch Worship will be held on February 4. Immediately following Brunch Worship, the self-study Committee will present a summary of the Pastor Skills, Characteristics, and Tasks sections of the survey and conversations will focus on the skills and responsibilities of our next Senior Pastor.

## Winter Weather Cancellation Policy

Should severe snow, ice, or other inclement weather fall on the weekend, Sunday morning Awakening Worship and Small Groups will be canceled; we will join together in one combined 11:15 am worship service.

On the weekdays, our policy is to cancel all scheduled church events if Columbia Public Schools are canceled. Depending on the severity of the weather, the office may remain open. Call ahead to verify.

Notification of cancelations will be made on the church Facebook page or at these local media stations: KFRU (1400 AM), KPLA (101.5 FM), Zimmer Radio Groups, KOMUTV8, and KMIZ-TV17. We will be listed as First Baptist Church-Columbia.

A graphic with a light blue background and a white paper-like shape on the left. The text "Upcoming speakers" is written in a large, elegant serif font. To the right of the paper shape is a list of dates and speakers.

21 JAN	Brian Kaylor
28 JAN	CJ Duffie
4 FEB	Brunch Worship
11 FEB	Caleb Cooke, <i>Pastoral Resident</i>
18 FEB	Pastor Brittany McDonald Null
26 FEB	Greg Hunt, <i>Interim Pastor</i>

# First Baptist

# HISTORY

## 200th Anniversary Celebration History Book

We are publishing a hard-bound, archival-quality book to preserve and document our history. This book is 869 pages, including 26 color photos and the 2018 and 2023 churchwide photos. The book will be published early in 2024. Personal copies are available for \$85 each. You can order a book using the QR code. A sample copy is on display in the History Room. Please email Ken Hammann if you have questions about the book at [krhammann@gmail.com](mailto:krhammann@gmail.com).



## Sealing of the Time Capsule

Join us in the Church entrance lobby for the sealing of the Time Capsule on January 28 at 10:15am. This is the final event of our 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration. At this point we have mostly electronic media containing the Church's archives and a copy of the 869 page History Book that was published as part of the recognition of our 200 year history. If you have anything that you would like to contribute or suggest be included in the Capsule please contact Randy Wyatt ([sterlingwyatt@icloud.com](mailto:sterlingwyatt@icloud.com)) or Ken Hammann ([krhammann@gmail.com](mailto:krhammann@gmail.com)). The capsule is scheduled to be sealed for 50 years, to be opened on November 22, 2073. There will also be secondary storage of historical items that cannot fit in the Time Capsule on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor of the Education Building.



## Meet Our Guest Preacher!

Today, we welcome our guest preacher, Dr. Brian Kaylor. Dr. Kaylor is the president & editor-in-chief of Word&Way, is a Baptist minister with a Ph.D. in communication from the University of Missouri.



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*Rev. Brittany McDonald Null, Pastor of Families and Spiritual Formation*

*Caleb Cooke, Pastoral Resident*

*Jonathan Ray, Music Director-Traditional Worship*

*Shelby Myers, Awakening Worship Praise Band Director*

*Colleen Ostercamp, Pianist and Organist*

*Noah Hartsfield, Handbell Director*

*Susan Goudie, Administrative Assistant*

*Brenda Rice, Administrative Assistant for Web, Facilities, and Arts*

*Mike Ide, Custodian*

*Marcy Douglas, Childcare Coordinator*

*Ella Pritchett, Student Intern*