



# **Brookwood**

## **BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday, August 3, 2025



# BROOKWOOD WORSHIP

*We will be formed in Christ to love like family and live on mission.*

Welcome / Prayer

Dr. Blake Dempsey

Songs of Praise

## ***Christus Victor***

Words and Music by Matt Boswell, Brian Fowler, Keith Getty and Matt Papa

## ***Goodness of God***

Words and Music by Jenn Johnson, Ed Cash, Jason Ingram  
Led by McKinnon Baker

Scripture Reading

**Acts 1:1-11**

NIV

Don Sullivan

<sup>1</sup> In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach <sup>2</sup>until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. <sup>3</sup>After his suffering, he presented himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup>On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. <sup>5</sup>For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>6</sup>Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>7</sup>He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

<sup>9</sup>After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.

<sup>10</sup>They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. <sup>11</sup>“Men of Galilee,” they said, “why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven.”

One: This is the Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God**

Worship through Tithes & Offerings

***What An Awesome God***

Words and Music by Rich Mullins, Phil Wickham and Jonathan Smith

Sermon

***“Ascension”***

Dr. Blake Dempsey

Hymn of Response

***Crown Him with Many Crowns***

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Words and Music by Matthew Bridges, Godfrey Thring and George Elvey

Commissioning Our Rio and South Sudan Medical Mission Teams

Benediction

Dr. Blake Dempsey

Today's flower arrangement is given in loving memory of Skip Brown by his family.

# Upcoming Events

## **Men's Bible Study led by Kyle Hudgens**

Every Wednesday Night

6:30pm

Room C262

## **Promotion Sunday & Blessing of the Backpacks**

Sunday, August 10th

Promotion during Sunday School

& Blessing of Backpacks during worship service

## **Student Ministries Prayer Walk**

Sunday, August 10th

4pm

Anyone who would like to participate will be given a prayer guide  
to use when you go to your local school to pray over.

## **The Gathering (Sunday Lunch)**

Sunday, August 17th

Immediately following worship

Fellowship Hall

Scan the QR Code to see what all is going on at Brookwood.



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Every member of the church

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