

Fullness of Grace

1. Full-ness of grace in man's hu-man frail - ty; this is the
2. Full-ness of grace, the love of the Fa - ther shown in the
3. Full-ness of hope in Christ we had longed for, prom - ise of

won-der of Je - sus. Lay - ing a-side his pow-er and glo - ry,
face of Je - sus. Stoop-ing to bear the weight of hu-man-i-ty,
God in Je - sus. Through his o-be-dience we are for-giv - en,

hum-bly he en - tered our world. Chose the path of mean-est
walk-ing the Cal - va - ry road. Christ the ho - ly in - no -
o-p'ning the flood-gates of heav'n. All our hopes and dreams we

worth; scan - dal of a vir - gin birth. Born in a sta - ble,
cent took our sin and pun - ish - ment. Full-ness of God, de -
bring glad - ly as an of - fer - ing. Full-ness of life and

cold and re - ject - ed: here lies the hope of the world.
spised and re - ject - ed: crushed for the sins of the world.
joy un - speak-a - ble: God's gift in love to the world.

As a church, we maintain a social media presence. Our church family Facebook page (private page), public Facebook page and Instagram accounts for our church, children’s ministry and student ministry help to serve our church’s ministries and purposes. Our YouTube account provides livestream services for Sunday mornings and other occasions as needed. While you can share our social media content on your individual social media accounts, we ask you refrain from sharing First Baptist Church of Kannapolis social media posts to other third parties and their social media accounts. We have to be conscious of where our church postings are seen and shared so we can protect our church family, our church’s witness and the integrity of our ministries. Please refrain from sharing our church postings on third party sites. Thanks for helping us to ensure that we are using social media in a good and trustworthy ways.

We are taking reservations for the 2026 Women’s Retreat. The dates will be November 6th-8th. So far we have 18 signed up and have room for 40. Please call the church for sign up as this is a first come first serve for rooms.

College Student of the Week

Matt Coghill
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Rooted is returning!

This Spring Rooted will be available to all adults. This 10-week group experience will help you connect to God, each other, and your purpose. Kick off is Sunday, January 11th at 5:00pm. Cost is \$20. You can register by calling the church office. Registration will also be online beginning November 30.

CHURCH FAMILY

December 7 Christy Coghill Christopher Keziah	December 13 Julia Alford Sherry Massey	December 17 Bunnie Walker
December 8 Melisa Rowland	December 14 Lewis Baucom	December 18 Savanna Tice
December 10 Dwight Brafford Kristie Purvis	December 15 Polly Montgomery	December 19 Victoria Garcia Carson Purvis Sherry Wyatt
December 11 Tammy Currie Nick Martin Doris Trexler	December 16 Ashley Rickard Sylvia Slaughtert	December 20 Keith Honeycutt Martie Williams



SERMON NOTES

“Every Pivotal Play”
John 1:1-5, 14

GENEALOGY

Bill...

Genealogy can be an interesting pursuit...

The genealogy of Jesus...

Jesus has always been. John 1 teaches us about Jesus.

A WALK THROUGH

John’s gospel opens in a way that sounds a lot like Genesis.

Jesus existed in the beginning...

Verse 1...conclusion one...Jesus was in the beginning.

Verse 2...conclusion two...Jesus is eternal.

Verse 3...conclusion three...everything was made through the Word or Jesus.

Antares...

As our Creator, three truths follow...

Hebrews 1:2...

Verses 4-5...

Conclusion four...Christ is the life we need, the light we need and the One can set us free from darkness, sin and disbelief.

Verse 14 gives us a final look at Jesus’ identity.

The 2025 World Series...every pivotal play...

APPLICATIONS

We have a decision to make.

Maybe you need some grace today.

You have some battles and struggles to trust to the Lord today.

Maybe you are dealing with some darkness today.

Maybe you are ready for a deeper walk with the Lord.

Let Christ reign.

Sneakers and socks...

MAIN STREET KIDS



Every Wednesday Night
Children's Choir @ 5:45 pm

MSK @ 6:15 pm

Children's Handbells Sundays @ 5pm

December 17th - Carols and Cocoa 5:45-7:00pm

YOUTH ACTIVITIES



December 14th-Youth Christmas Party
& Progressive dinner 5-8pm

Sunday Nights Resume
January 25th

SENIOR ADULT HAPPENINGS



January 8
Brunch in the Fellowship Hall at 10:30am

February 18
Lunch & Learn
Home Safety with Lee Goodman

Church Staff

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WEDNESDAY
NIGHT MEALS

December 10-Ham, Potato Salad, Lima Beans, Salad & Dessert

Register on the church app or the church website

During the month of December we support our missions and missionaries around the world with special offerings. Envelopes for these special offerings are available at the black boxes in the sanctuary.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

LET'S PRAY

The 2026 Baptist Missions Conference will be in Charlotte April 10-11, 2026. We are taking reservations now for these two great days of worship, exhibits, testimonies and celebrating all the ways we do missions in North Carolina and beyond. Call the church office to sign up now!

During the month of December, we are praying for Hindi, Urdu and Punjabi people in South Asia and who are also living in North Carolina-particularly the Triangle, Metro Charlotte, the Triad and Fayetteville. Pray for these people to come to know Christ and pray for churches and missionaries who are sharing the gospel with them.

We will be going to New Hampshire for our 2026 Summer mission trip. More information will follow soon.

The senior adults are sponsoring a trip to Philadelphia April 22-25. This trip is open to the whole church. 2026 is the 250 anniversary of America. The trip includes Independence Hall and also time at the art museum-think "Rocky". We are traveling by motor coach. Cost is \$882 and includes lodging and dinners. We need 40 people to sign up to get this great price. Please see the brochures around the church or contact the church office for more details and to sign up. Go Eagles!



Through November 30, 2025

Receipts: \$ 889,143.94
Budget: \$ 840,647.64
Over/(Under): \$ 57,496.30

Daily Scripture for Personal Devotion

Monday	Psalm 21
Tuesday	Isaiah 41:14-20
Wednesday	Genesis 15:1-18
Thursday	Ruth 1:6-18
Friday	Ruth 4:13-17
Saturday	1 Samuel 2:1-8
Sunday	Isaiah 35:1-10
	Psalm 146:5-10
	James 5:7-10
	Matthew 11:2-11

December 7, 2025



And the word became flesh and dwelt among us...John 1:14

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Second Sunday of Advent: Peace

Prepare the Way/Deacon: Richard Rowe

Organ Meditation

Hymn #88

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

Pastor's Prayer

Anthem

Pacem

with introduction by the Preschool Choir

Infant Holy, Infant Lowly

Hymn #93

It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

Words for Our Children

Amy Archer

Message

Every Pivotal Play

John 1:1-5, 14

Hymn

Fullness of Grace

Benediction

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel,
Born is the King of Israel

Postlude

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