# CELEBRATION WORSHIP SANCTUARY 9:00 A.M.

Childcare is available for children ages birth through 3 years in our Nursery. Ask a greeter for assistance if you would like childcare during service.

+ When you see this symbol, we ask for those who are able to stand.

Chiming of the Hour

Becky Mozo-Adams

Prelude

Becky Mozo-Adams

All the Way, He Leadeth Me, arr. Michael Wilson

Call to Worship

Erin Clarke

+ Hymn 341

Welcome

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For the Beauty of the Earth

Steven Norris

Prayer for Illumination

O Lord, your Word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. As we read it together, give us wisdom to understand your Truth, grace to receive your abundant Life, and courage to follow Jesus on the Way. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

+ Scripture Reading

Scott Welborn

Colossians 3:18-21, 23-24

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Pastoral Prayer

Seth Brown

The Lord's Prayer

At the conclusion of the prayer:

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 trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass 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.

+ Hymn 687 NETTLETON

Would you Bless Our Homes and Families

Offertory Prayer Alice Blake

Musical Offering Sanctuary Choir

O Lord, May Church and Home Combine

O Lord, may church and home combine to teach Thy perfect way, with gentleness and love like Thine, that none shall ever stray.

Let all unworthy aims depart, Now fill us with Thy grace; within the home let every heart become Thy dwelling place.

Shine, Light divine; reveal Thy face where darkness else might be.
Grant, Love divine, in every place glad fellowship with Thee.

May steadfast faith and earnest prayer keep sacred vows secure; build Thou a hallowed dwelling where true joy and peace endure.

+ Presentation of the Offering: The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him, above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Time for Children Lori Welborn

OLD 100th

Message Steven Norris

Fesus in Our Homes

+ Hymn 603 CHINA

Jesus Loves Me

Opportunities for Continued Service

Benediction Steven Norris

Postlude Becky Mozo-Adams

**SERMON NOTES** 

## Ministers

Steven Norris SENIOR PASTOR

**Seth Brown** MINISTER OF STUDENTS & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Ellee Hilley MINISTER OF WORSHIP ARTS

Ron Murray MINISTER OF PASTORAL CARE

Lori Welborn MINISTER TO CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Erin Clarke

MINISTER OF MUSIC

### **NEWS AND EVENTS**

#### Fall Festival on Wednesday Night

We look forward to seeing you our annual Fall Festival at Tobesofkee Farm (in Barnesville) on Wednesday, October 29th, from 5:00-8:00 p.m. Come out for the chili cookoff, games, S'Mores, hay rides, Spookulele, some porch time, and so much more! If you can help in any capacity (including competing for one of the Chili Cook Off medals), then please sign up online at fbcgriffin.org/fall-festival or speak to Lori Welborn today. Please note that we will not have regular activities at the church on Wednesday with the exception of Handbell Rehearsal (4-4:30pm) and Griefshare.

#### **Advent by Candlelight**

All ladies are warmly invited to celebrate the coming Christmas season by participating in the annual Advent by Candlelight — an evening of fellowship, reflection, and worship in anticipation of the Christmas season — to be held on Monday evening, December 1 in Morgan Hall. "Heavenly hors d'oeuvres" will be served between 6:00 and 6:40 p.m. prior to the event, which begins at 7:00 p.m. Reservations can be made online at fbcgriffin.org/advent-by-candlelight.

#### Piano Ensemble Concert: The Holly & The Ivories

On December 7th we will host 10 gifted pianists at 5 grand pianos for an evening of Christmas music you won't want to miss. The Holly & The Ivories is free for the community. Families are welcome, but please note that we will not have childcare. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for seating before the concert, which begins at 6:00 p.m.

#### **Surviving the Holidays**

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, please consider signing up for our special one-night program, Surviving the Holidays. More than just practical tips, GriefShare Surviving the Holidays is a community of people who know what it's like to walk through the holidays in grief. You will find connection and comfort in knowing you're not alone this season. People who have attended repeatedly share how helpful this is. We will hold this event on Wednesday, November 12, 2025, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. in Education Room 301 at First Baptist Griffin. The event is open to all. We ask that you register so we can have enough materials on hand for all attendees. Call the church office or visit <u>fbcgriffin.org/griefshare</u> to register.

## **Minister Appreciation Month**

During the month of October, we encourage you to write a note of encouragement to our ministers (Steven, Seth, Ron, Lori, Ellee, & Erin) and drop the card in one of the boxes in our welcome areas at church.

#### Floral Arrangements

The flowers in the Sanctuary and Morgan Hall are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dr. and Mrs. James Boyd Dunaway, Sr. by their children. If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary or Morgan Hall in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact Brenda Goolsby or call the church office.

#### Giving

Your giving to the regular budget at FBC supports a wide range of ministries. If you would like to give, you may text "fbcgriffin" to 833-245-5264, scan the QR code to the right, place your donation in the offering plate, or mail your donation to FBC Griffin, P.O. Box 908, Griffin, GA 30223.





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