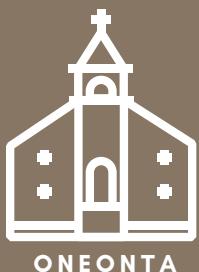


A WORSHIP SERVICE WITH PURPOSE

A Heart of Worship is more than a musical experience—it is a call to action. Through the power of music, we are reminded of God's love and the privilege we have to share that love with others. This service is an opportunity to reflect on His blessings, give generously, and be a part of a ministry that changes lives. Together, we can turn worship into action and compassion into transformation.

Together, through worship and sacrificial giving, we can be a source of hope and renewal. Thank you for your generosity above and beyond your tithes, and for playing a part in transforming lives within our community and around the world. May we continue to reflect God's love as we answer His call to serve.

This service is a chance to embody the heart of the gospel—worshiping God and loving others. We are glad you are here to experience **The Heart of Worship: A Melody of Compassion**, where our songs and offerings work together to bring hope, healing, and help to those who need it most.



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A Melody of Compassion



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APRIL 6, 2025

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A Melody of Compassion

SONGS OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP

NOBODY

Rick Renshaw, Patrick Dalstra, April Casey, Caylee Thomas, Jamie Germana, soloists

GOODNESS OF GOD

Katie Dalstra, soloist

IS HE WORTHY?

Scott Graham, soloist

IT'S ABOUT THE CROSS

Wanda Gipson, soloist

HOPE HAS A NAME

Scott Graham, Tommy Morgan, Matthew Stephens, Rick Renshaw, Eric Vaughn, soloists

Welcome & Prayer - Sara Hester

I SPEAK JESUS

Katie Dalstra, soloist

TOTAL PRAISE MEDLEY

Wanda Gipson, soloist

THRESHOLD OF GLORY

Rick Renshaw, Debbi Matthews, soloists

YOUR GREAT NAME

Wanda Gipson, soloist

WORTHY OF IT ALL/I EXALT THEE

Jane Morgan, soloist

Time of Response - Larry Gipson

GRATITUDE

Rick Renshaw, Apryl Casey, soloists

Closing Comments - Larry Gipson

Closing Song NOBODY

Celebration Band

Today's worship experience is an invitation to come together as a community and respond to God's blessings by making a tangible difference in the lives of others by giving above and beyond our regular tithes. Through this special offering, we aim to support three essential causes:

- **Alms and Benevolence Ministries.** Rooted in biblical teachings, Alms and Benevolence reflect the church's commitment to caring for those in need. In our ministry context, **Alms** are designated to assist our church members and their immediate families—spouses and children—during times of financial hardship, providing tangible support to our church family. **Benevolence**, on the other hand, reflects our church's outward expression of Christ's love by meeting the needs of non-members in our community.
- **Food for the Hungry.** Hunger remains a pressing issue, both locally and globally.
- **Disaster Relief Efforts.** Natural disasters can devastate lives instantly, leaving families without homes, possessions, or stability.

You will have an opportunity during the Time of Response to give as you feel led.

TODAY AT FBC

8:00 AM Band & Worship Team Rehearsal
9:00 AM Sunday School
10:15 AM Worship Service
10:30 AM Hispanic Church Sunday School
12:00 PM Hispanic Church Worship Service
3:00 PM FBA Children's Evangelism
5:00 PM Small Groups



GUYS NIGHT OUT

April 8 | 5:30 PM | Al & Micks BBQ

All guys are invited to join us for a time of great food and fellowship as we travel to Al & Micks BBQ in Snead. The bus will leave the church at 5:30 PM. We hope to see you there.

LUNCH & EASTER EGG HUNT

April 13 | After Morning Worship

All children and their families are invited to lunch and then a time of fun of hunting eggs.

EASTER CANDY NEEDED FOR EGG HUNT

Hey Church Family, you can help by donating candy. We are accepting individually wrapped candy donations until Wednesday, April 9.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT FBC

5:00 PM Wednesday Night Dinner
6:00 PM Pastor's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 PM Celebration Band & Worship Team
6:00 PM Preschool Choir | Room 130
6:00 PM Children's Choir | Room 140
6:00 PM Youth Worship & Bible Study
6:00 PM College/Young Adult Small Group
6:45 PM Celebration Choir

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL

April 9 | 5:00-6:00 PM
Please make your reservation by 9:00 AM on Monday. You can make your reservation on the website or the church app, or call the church office.

Menu: Lasagna, Salad Bar, Garlic Bread, Texas Sheet Cake

OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

April 13 | 10:15 AM

We will observe the Lord's Supper next Sunday. If you will not be in the worship service, come by the office and pick up your elements to participate with the service online, or call the office and we can deliver them to your home. If you would like our pastor to come to your home to serve the Lord's Supper, please call the office to schedule.

GIRLS NIGHT OUT

April 15 | 5:30 PM | Olive Garden

All ladies are invited to join us for a time of great food and fellowship as we travel to Olive Garden in Trussville. The bus will leave the church at 5:30 PM. We hope to see you there.

THANK YOU NOTE

A *Thank You Note* has been received from Charlene Smith and has been placed on the bulletin board near the church office.

APRIL DEVOTIONALS

April Magazines and Devotionals are available outside the church office.

SAMFORD/MTI CLASS

DOCTRINE OF PRAYER

Mondays at 6 PM, March 31- May 19
First Baptist Church, Oneonta

Class Description: This course is designed to enrich the prayer life of participants. Students will receive biblical guidance on strengthening their prayer life as well as examining specific prayers in the Scriptures for the purpose of establishing a regular practice of prayer.

Note: This location will offer Zoom as an option for attending classes.

Instructor: Larry Gipson.

Register on the church website/app. There is still time to register!

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

AT LESTER MEMORIAL GLOBAL

METHODIST CHURCH

April 14-18 | 12:00 PM

Speakers

- Monday:** Austin Crim, Redeemer Community Church
- Tuesday:** Nick Russell, Anchors Church
- Wednesday:** Damian Zavala, Cornerstone Fellowship
- Thursday:** Tyler Woodham, Lester Memorial Global Methodist Church
- Good Friday:** Patrick Dalstra, First Baptist Church

A light lunch will follow each mid-day service.

ASSISTED LISTENING IS NOW AVAILABLE AT FBC

Need a little help with hearing the service each week? WaveCAST allows you to use your own smartphone and headphones to enhance your listening experience during the worship service. Pick up a flyer in the foyer or outside the church office and follow the simple steps to connect and enjoy clear, high-quality audio. If you need assistance, please see a member of our Audio/Visual Team before the service starts. We are happy to help!

DOWNLOAD OUR CHURCH APP

Stay connected to your church. Watch services online and stay up to date on what's happening at FBC.

ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

Offering envelopes are on the tables outside the sanctuary. FBC Goal is \$10,000.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

Monthly Budget Needs	\$69,988.58
Monthly Budget Receipts through March 30	\$122,715.74
Year To Date Received	\$212,573.23
Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (FBC Goal is \$10,000)	\$7,160.00

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