

Welcome to First Baptist Church - Fairfield Glade

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

Order of Worship for 10:30 Service.....September 11, 2022

Golden Offering for TN Missions (Video)

Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Reading

Genesis 12:1-3

*My Country 'Tis of Thee*

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Congregation

Prayer over the Offerings

Pastor Doug

*Are You Washed in the Blood*

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Congregation

*Give Thanks*

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*It Is Well With My Soul*

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Message

“Ups and Downs”  
Ezekiel 36:22-28

Pastor Doug

Invitation

*I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

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Congregation

*Please silence your cell phones & technical devices during the service.*

Attendance: 09/04/22

9:00 am: 60

10:30 am: 80

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD  
For August 2022

General Fund Needed/Rec'd - \$46,995.83/\$44,320.35  
Building Fund Needed/Rec'd - \$2,004.17/\$7,827.00  
General Fund Needed/Rec'd ytd - \$375,966.64/\$366,538.34  
Building Fund Needed/Rec'd ytd - \$16,033.36/\$31,446.00

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### *The Pastor's Two Bits...*

Welcome to Fairfield Glade First Baptist Church! Thank you for choosing to worship with us today! I hope you have a great experience with God as you offer your prayers and praise.

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Twenty-one years ago today, the cowardly 9/11 attacks on America took place. Radical Muslims hijacked planes for the purpose of carrying out suicide missions against common, everyday Americans. The results were devastating. Thousands of people lost their lives that day. Families were torn apart. Children have had to grow up without their parents. America has been at war in multiple countries against radical Muslim extremists now for over two decades now. Even though large-scale military operations have ended, it appears that we will be at war against terrorists for many years into the future. It isn't a war against nations. It isn't a religious war. It isn't a war for the purpose of expanding geographical boundaries. Most wars throughout human history were fought for those types of purposes. But this war is different. It's a war against evil, pure and simple.

It's not unlike the 'war' that God has fought with satan ever since Adam and Eve. Good against evil. Righteousness against treachery. It isn't that God can't beat him anytime He wants, but for now, satan has been given broad latitude to harass, tempt, and just generally screw up people's lives. Remember Job. ...Why?... Because God wants your love of Him to be forged in faith. Like Job, He would want you to say, "Though He slay me, I will trust in Him." On a grand scale, evil needs to be fought against and defeated. Terrorism has no place in humanity. But on a much smaller scale, your life is no different. Evil needs to be fought and defeated. Every time satan puts a temptation in your path, it is important for you to resist and win the battle. Ezekiel was swept up in the captivity of Judah. Much of his prophecy is premised on why their nation was destroyed (sin) what they could do about it (repent). And he made sure they knew that it was both, corporate and individual. It's a war against evil, pure and simple.

- Pastor Doug

### **Mission Moment**

Alex and Jess Garcia, London, England

When Alex and Jess Garcia, 1MB missionaries in London, England, experienced burnout five years ago, it shook them to the core. They pleaded for God to make sense of the strange time in their lives and sought true healing from Him. Alex stated "as we prayed, the Father showed us an overall sense of depression in Europe. A lot of people are struggling with it, and there is a spiritual element to it". The Garcias have been able to facilitate discussion groups and help people seek Christ. They have started a website and have formed "well groups" that focus on prayer, accountability, and renewing the mind through learning stories in scripture. Please pray for the Alex and Jess Garcia.



### **Sunday, September 11:**

9:00am & 10:30am: Sunday School & Worship Service  
4:00pm: Craguns Family Concert

### **Monday, September 12:**

9:00am: Men's Bible Study

### **Tuesday, September 13:**

9:00am: Piece Corp  
10:00am: Staff Meeting  
1:00pm: Bible Study - Teacher: Ray Prigodich  
3:00pm: Connecting 101

### **Wednesday, September 14:**

3:00pm: Stewardship/ Finance Meeting  
4:30pm: Celebration Choir Practice  
5:30pm: Light Supper Awana Parents & Children  
6:00pm: Awana  
6:00pm: Awana Parents Bible Study: Kay Lynn, Marcia Ardis  
6:00pm: SRSM  
6:00pm: Discipleship Class - Teachers: Bill & Brenda Foley

### **Thursday, September 15:**

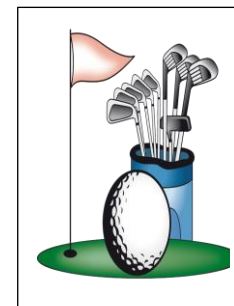
11:00am: M & M Member Lunch  
5:00pm: Praise Team Practice  
6:00pm: Game Night

### **Saturday, September 17:**

8:00am: Men's Breakfast



**September 29 – Movie Night "Ends of the Earth" @ 6:00pm**  
**October 13 – Hiwassee Loop Train Ride – Leave Church @ 9:00am**  
**October 22 – Chili Cook Off & Movie Night @ 5:30pm**  
**November 19 – Church Thanksgiving Dinner @ 5:00pm**



**First Baptist  
Church  
Golf League  
Stonehenge  
September 15th  
Time: 12:20pm  
Front 9 Holes**



**September 17  
Saturday  
8:00am**