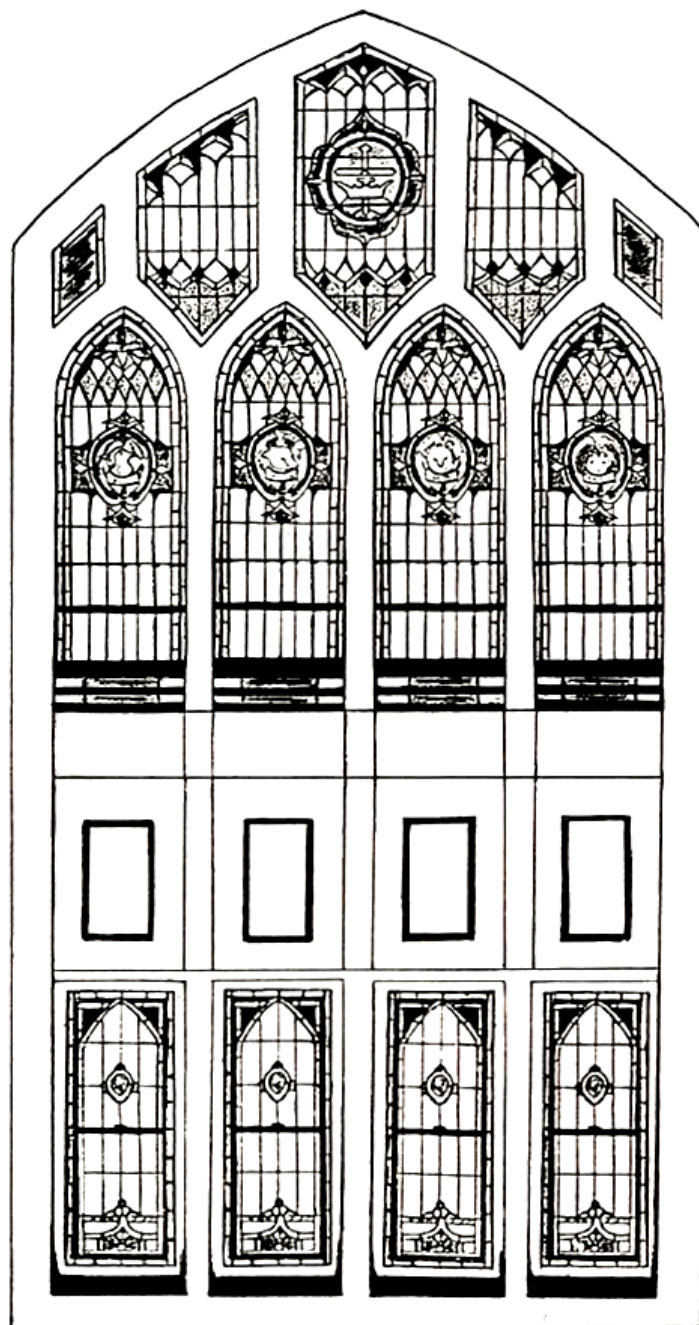




The Worship of God ✠ August 30, 2026
14th Sunday after Pentecost
THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

August 30, 2026 ✠ 11:00 AM

The Season of the Church Year: The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

GREETING TO WORSHIPERS Jack Glasgow

CHIMING OF THE HOUR Jordan Martin

PRELUDE *Though I May Speak* arr. John Carter

+HYMNS OF PRAISE

463	<i>From Every Race, from Every Clime</i>	ST. PETER
455	<i>Here, At Your Table Lord</i>	BREAD OF LIFE

+INVOCATION & THE LORD'S PRAYER Jack Glasgow

+RESPONSE *People Need the Lord* PEOPLE NEED THE LORD
People need the Lord; people need the Lord; at the end of broken dreams, He's the open door.
People need the Lord; people need the Lord; when will we realize people need the Lord.

CHILDREN'S TIME & BLESSING Jack Glasgow

Blessing of the Backpacks
Presentation of Bibles for 1st, 6th and 9th Grades

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 14:7-24 Nancy Freeman
In Pew Bible, page 94 of New Testament

+HYMN 457 *Come and Feast, for All Are Welcomed* REGENT SQUARE

+OFFERTORY PRAYER Nancy Freeman

OFFERTORY

+ DOXOLOGY - HYMN 706 OLD 100TH, alt.
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Colossians 3:1-17 Jack Glasgow
In Pew Bible, pages 246 of Old Testament

SERMON *At This Table* Jack Glasgow

COMMUNION MEDITATION *At This Table* Menzel & Myrin
Brandon Zoch, Cheryl Slactha, Jordan Martin

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to Communion ✠ *Prayer of Blessing*
Words of Institution ✠ *Sharing the Bread and Cup*

INVITATION

+HYMN 467 *We Are One in Christ* THAXTED+BENEDICTION Jack Glasgow

+CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

As we leave, let us remember that we do not leave the church. We leave as the church to go into the world and make disciples . . . in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

POSTLUDE *In Christ There Is No East or West* MCKEE

+Those who are able are invited to stand

Today's altar flowers are given to glory of God by Elizabeth Craft in honor of her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

OUR MINISTRY TEAM

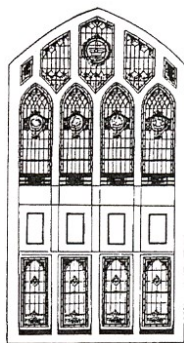
Rev. Jack Glasgow
Interim Pastor

Dr. Greg Barmer
Interim Minister of Music

Dr. Jesse J. Croom
Pastor Emeritus

Mrs. Leah Newsome
Pianist

Mr. Jordan Martin
Organist



A Window on the Weeks Ahead

August 30, 2026

First Baptist Church of Ahoskie, NC

♦ **Worship Childcare** – *We give thanks for those caring for our young ones today while we worship:*

Crib: Jenni Byrd & Betty Cooper

Ages 1 & 2: John & Becca Alexander

Pre-K & K: Gary & Claudia Morris

✦ **Remember in Prayer**

•Sarah Grace Britton •Judd Byrd •AT Byrum •Trey Byrum •Virginia Chitty •Jesse Croom •J.C. Doughtie •Lynell Eure •Sandra Hassell •Don Joyner •Peggy Lowe •Catherine Pierce •Eunice Sellars

✦ **Understanding Grief: Session 2 | Wednesday, September 2 | 5:30 PM**

✦ **Sunday School Promotion | September 6**

We are so excited about starting our new church year on September 6, 2026. Please notice the location of your child's classroom. Sunday School starts at 9:45 AM.

Room 106: Crib/Toddler

Room 105: Ages 2-3 & K

Room 104: Grades 1-2

Room 300: Grade 3-5

Room 308: Grades 6-12

✦ **Church Offices closed in Observance of Labor Day | Monday, September 7**

✦ **Adult Bible Study/Children's Music & Missions Resume | September 9**

Wednesday's | 5:15—6:15 PM

✦ **Churchwide Meal | September 9 | 6:15 PM**

*Our first monthly churchwide meal of the new church year will begin on September 9. Beginning in October and moving forward, churchwide meals will take place on the **first** Wednesday of each month. Sign up on Facebook or the 2nd floor bulletin board.*

✦ **Senior Pastor Job Advertisement**

The Senior Pastor job advertisement webpage for First Baptist Ahoskie is live on the Greenfields website at: <https://www.greenfields.consulting/first-baptist-ahoskie>.

✦ **Nominating Committee Booklet Revisions**

Please make the following revisions in your booklet: Page 4- Remove Choices: Pat Byrd |

Remove Lisa Outlaw from Ages 3-5 Children's Music & Missions | Page 9- Add Bryant Cooke to Security