

Sanctuary Choir

Claire Adams, Gene Adams, Ginger Alexander, Milka Alexander, Cole Allen, Flynn Allen, Morgan Allen, Pam Arrington, Jeff Arwood, Michelle Arwood, Jennifer Bagby, Iley Barnes, Tony Barnes, Gary Barton, Hayden Brackett, Kay Bratton, Randy Bratton, Laurie Brooks, Cindy Childs, Jennie Cook, Aaron Cooper, Jenny Cooper, Woody Davis, Marsha Dempsey, Janice Dismuke, Dianne Dobson, Cathy Dollar, Terry Dollar, Mary Donahue, Mac Eubanks, Jordan Rowan Fannin, Karen Foss, Ashley Garner, Erin Hall, Lee Ann Head, John Head, Mark Hester, Betty Holland, Chris Jackson, Bobby Jones, Jennifer Kearns, Elaine Lanier, Diane Lumpkin, Peg MacLeod, Becky McCord, Clyde McDonald, Keith Phillips, Jackson Pruett, Nancy Ratcliffe, Hilary Reaves, Ruth Reynolds, Hal Ruland, Heather Shores, Gwen Stephens, Carolyn Tillman, Kim Tunnell, Bill Weidemann, Len Willingham, Harry Wise

The Orchestra

Violin: Paula Pasqua, Sheryl McDonald, Joe Lester, Perry Westmoreland
Viola: Samantha Lester *Cello:* Tara Suswal
Flute: Stefanie Cash *Oboe:* Allison Robinson
Clarinet: Wanda Dugger *Trumpet:* Michael Hurt, Samantha Lusian
French Horn: Carley Robinson
Trombone: John Bratton, Howard Huber
Percussion: Katie Walker, Wes Walker, Jedd Lovel
Piano: Beverly Harris *Organ:* Joan Hill

First Baptist Ringers

Pam Arrington, Ann Bradfield, Randy Bratton, Martha Cates, Jennie Cook, Jenny Cooper, Janice Doss, Janice Davis, Jennifer Jones, Diane Land, Kathy Kinney, Gayle Monk, Gwen Stephens

Children's Choir

Yoma Jane Aronhalt, George Bagley, Sara Barbieri, Claire Barron, Marty Ethridge, Hudson Hall, Mylee Hancock, Julia Harris, Lily Harris, Charlie Hight, Wills Hortman, Tripp Losh-Jones, Archer Marion, Ollin Martin, Emily Moon, Emma Moon, Marlo Salter, Morgan Smith, Anna Jane Sturdivant, Clara Taylor, Emma Terry, T.J. Wright
Kim Tunnell, Music Ministry Associate, director *Betty Holland, accompanist*
Jennifer Bagby, Mary Donahue, assistants

Youth Choir

Chandler Bagby, Anna Grace Barbieri, Eston Collins, Bo Brooks, Davis Donahue, Lee Donahue, Anne Walker Ellington, Murray Ellington, Cora Fannin, Hutch Fannin, Ava Hall, Katelyn Hood, Abby Horn, Callie Hunt, Campbell Hunt, Sarah Kate Hunt, Harrison Inman, Wes Knight, Aaron Lewis, Henry Lewis, Macy Lewis, Alex Martin, Sealy Salter, Ben Sanker, Katy Smith, Mary Jack Smith, Callie Terry, Sam Twente, Ava Ann Woods
Kim Tunnell, Music Ministry Associate, director
Keith Reaves, Heather Shores, assistants

Rev. Keith A. Reaves, Senior Associate/Minister of Worship

26th Annual CHRISTMAS at FIRST BAPTIST



Christmas at First Baptist

December 8, 2024
4:00 p.m.

Prelude

• Christmas at First Baptist Orchestra

Messiah Suite

arr. Keith Christopher

No more let sins and sorrows grow, nor thorns infest the ground;
He comes to make his blessings flow far as the curse is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness and wonders of his love.

Welcome

• Rev. Keith A Reaves, Senior Associate/Minister of Worship

Canticle of the Turning (Magnificat)

arr. Hal Hopson

Blessed Is the Lord (Benedictus)

arr. Dan Forrest

Sanctuary Choir

On a Starlit Night

arr. Jill Gallina

Children's Choir

Still, Still, Still

arr. Mary McDonald

*This anthem is placed in the music library to the glory of God
and in honor of Ferne and Bob Gibson, by their daughter and grandchildren.*

The First Nowell

arr. Mack Wilberg

Sanctuary Choir

Angels from the Realms

arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

First Baptist Ringers

Joy to the World

arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

Congregation

Joy to the world; the Lord is come; Let Earth receive her King;
Let every Heart prepare him room and Heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the earth, the Savior reigns, Let men their songs employ,
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains repeat the sounding joy.

Let the Stable Still Astonish

Dan Forrest/Leslie Leyland Fields

Iley Barnes, soloist

*This anthem is placed in the music library to the glory of God
and in honor of Rev. Tamara Tillman Smathers, by the Sanctuary Choir.*

Peace Came to Earth

arr. K. Lee Scott

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Jubilate Deo

Richard McKee

Youth Choir

Sussex Carol

arr. Elaine Hagenberg

Angels We Have Heard on High

arr. Dan Forrest

*This anthem is placed in the music library to the glory of God
and in memory of Rev. Kenneth Hester, by Gwen Stephens.*

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Closing Words

• Rev. David Brooks, Pastor

Benediction

• Combined Choirs

Immanuel

arr. Paul Leddington-Wright

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