

August 31, 2025  
"Why Did Christ Suffer?"  
I Peter 3:18

*For the LORD God is a sun and shield;  
the LORD will give grace and glory;  
no good thing will he withhold  
from those whose walk uprightly.*

*Psalm 84:11*

# Friendship Baptist

*A Real Faith  
For A Real World*



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## August 24, 2025

Sunday School: 157  
Worship Service: 224  
Offering: \$17,313.00  
Phase II: \$1,045.00

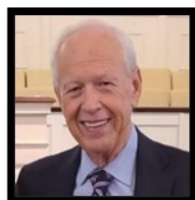
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Prelude		Eric Beam
Call To Worship	"Heaven Came Down"	#510
Welcome		Pastor Jan
Special	"Isn't the Name"	Choir
Hymn	"Rescue the Perishing"	#441
Special	"The Judgement"	Janice Simmons
Sermon	"Why Did Christ Suffer?" I Peter 3:18	Pastor Jan
Invitation	"The Way of the Cross Leads Home"	#697
	The Lord's Supper	
Postlude		Eric Beam

### Welcome our new Deacons!

*We are grateful for each of these men who have agreed to serve as deacons.*

**Gary Steppe**



**Brian Jones**



**Charley Burbage**



## Ministry Volunteers

### This Week

Nursery: Ella N. & Lauren B.  
A.R.K.: (No A.R.K. today)  
Weekly Deacon: Bob Simons  
Care Team: R

### Next Week

Nursery: Fonda D. & Margaret B.  
A.R.K.: Abby & Noah Jones  
Weekly Deacon: Randy Drennan  
Care Team: E

## Sunday:

9:45 AM  
11:00 AM  
5:00 PM  
6:00 PM  
6:00 PM

Sunday School  
Worship Service & A.R.K.  
Choir Rehearsal  
Bible Study & Journey  
A.R.K.—Choir & Bible Skills  
*\*\*Starts back on Sept. 3*

## Wednesday:

2:00 PM  
7:00 PM  
7:00 PM

Ladies' Prayer Meeting  
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting  
A.R.K. Missions  
*\*\*Starts back on Sept. 3*

## Monthly

### Blood Drive

First Tuesday @ 11 AM

### WMU Group I

Second Tuesday  
@ 10:30 AM

### WMU Group II

Second Monday  
@ 6 PM

### Friendship Seniors

Third Tuesday @ 11 AM

### Deacons' Meeting

Every Second Sunday  
@ 4 PM

## Events

### The ladies' morning Bible Study

will begin Thursday, September 4 at 10:15 in the Fellowship Hall. The sign-up sheets will remain on the registration table until August. (Martha Ann Nolen)

**Men's Breakfast** will be Saturday, September 6th at 8 am in the Fellowship Hall. Sign-up sheets will be on the registration table by the front doors. (Ron Dunn)

### Journey Youth End of Summer

**Pool Party** September 13, 2025 from 5 PM to 7 PM at the home of Larry and Linda Wilson. Meet at the fellowship hall at 4:30 PM (Michelle Frum)

**Trunk or Treat** is coming Saturday, October 25 from 5-7 PM! Please pray about how you can be a part of this community outreach. (Abby Jones)

