

First Baptist Church of Elmer, NJ

September 12, 2021

We welcome each of you to our services today. It is our prayer that we will be blessed by being together & encouraged in the things of the Lord from the songs & from His Word.

Musical Prelude
 Hymn #4 When Morning Gilds the Skies
 Opening Prayer
 Choir "Proclamation of Service"
 Announcements
 Hymn #219 'Tis the Blessed Hour of Prayer
 Prayer/Offering
 Special Music: Men's Ensemble

Message:
Dr. E. Allen Griffith

Hymn #220 Sweet Hour of Prayer
 Prayer
 Musical Postlude

Evening Service 6:00PM
Message by Dr. E. Allen Griffith

Jr. Church Workers: Miriam Smith & Julie Mehaffey

Memory Verse for September:

Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

James 5:16

*Kindly see that your **cell phones are on "quiet mode"** during **all** services. Thank You!*



If you are a first-time visitor, please take a moment to fill in your information on the visitor's card that you received from one of our members. During the offering, please drop the visitor's card in the plate. If we can be of any help to you in any way, please feel free to contact us. Thank you and we hope to see you again.

Happening This Week

Sunday 5:00 PM - Choir Practice
 7:00 PM - Men's Ensemble Practice
 Monday 7:00 PM - Missions Committee Meeting
 Tuesday 7:00 PM - Trustees Meeting
 Wednesday 6:30 PM - Ladies Ensemble Practice
 7:00 PM - Bible Study and Prayer Service
 Teen Youth Group & "Kids Klub"
 Saturday 8:00 PM - Men's Prayer Breakfast
 12:00 PM - Ladies Luncheon

Teen Group

Our teen group is growing! Teens continue to meet on Wednesday nights. There is also Sunday School for teens after the am service. Encourage teens to join our group!

Christmas in October

We are still taking offerings for our missionary families during the months of July, August and September. Please write the check out to our church and put "Christmas in October" in the memo. Thank you for giving a Christmas gift to our missionaries.

Special Upcoming Events:

- September 24 - Special Prayer Meeting at 7:00 PM
- September 28 - GFF Missionary Table Talks
- September 30 - Teen Pizza & Service Night at 6:00 PM
- September 30 - Elmer Day Outreach Preparation
- October 2 - Elmer Day Outreach
- October 2 - Youth Rally at Valleyview Baptist Church
- October 3-8 - Evangelistic Meetings with Glenn Shank
- October 17 - Church Fellowship Dinner

Financial Reports

The reports will be updated next week.

Attendance

Sunday (09/05/21)	AM - 68	PM - 41
Wednesday (09/08/21)	Total: 53	(12K, 9T, 32A)

Weekly Devotional

J.R. Miller

Psalm 90:17, *And let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.*

Humanity was made to be beautiful. God's ideal for man was spotless loveliness; man was made at first, in God's image. But sin has left its foul trail everywhere! We see something of its debasement wherever we go. What ruins sin has wrought!

All of Christ's work of grace, is towards the restoration of the beauty of the Lord in His people.

Spiritual beauty is holiness. Nothing unclean is lovely. Character is Christ-like, only when it is beautiful.

All the precepts of the Bible are towards the fashioning of beauty in every redeemed life. We are to put away . . .

all that is sinful,
all marring,
every blot and blemish,
every unholy desire, feeling and affection,
everything that would defile—
and put on whatsoever is lovely and Christ-like.

The one great work of Christ in Christian lives, is the fashioning of holiness in them. We are to grow away from . . .

our deformities,
our faults,
our infirmities,
our poor dwarfed stunted life
—into spiritual beauty!

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Weekly Services

Sunday Morning Service – 10:00 AM

Sunday School Service – 11:15 AM

Sunday Evening Service – 6:00 PM

Wednesday Service – Bible Study/Prayer – 7:00 PM



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