



**Weekly Schedule at Friendship Baptist Church 2026**

<b>Sunday</b>	
9:30 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Morning Worship / Lord's Supper ( <i>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday</i> )
11:00 am	Testimony Sunday ( <i>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i> )
11:00 am	Mission Sunday ( <i>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i> )
11:00 am	Children's Church ( <i>Every Sunday except 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; Annual Days</i> )
2:30 pm	Sheepfold Ministry ( <i>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday</i> )
<b>Monday</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	
5:00 pm	Trustees Meeting ( <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday</i> )
6:00 pm	Senior Ushers Ministry ( <i>Before 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday</i> )
6:00 pm	Deacons Meeting ( <i>Tuesday after 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday</i> )
1:00 pm	Prayer Ministry Meeting ( <i>4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday</i> )
<b>Wednesday</b>	
5:30 pm	Sunday School Teachers Meeting
5:30 pm	Prayer Meeting
6:00 pm	Bible Study
<b>Thursday</b>	
12:30 pm	Senior Mission Ministry ( <i>1<sup>st</sup> Thursday</i> )
6:00 pm	Christian Education Ministry ( <i>2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday</i> )
<b>Friday</b>	
6:00 pm	Choir Rehearsals
6:00 pm	Male Chorus Rehearsals ( <i>Friday prior to 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i> )
6:30 pm	Sheepfold Joshua ( <i>2<sup>nd</sup> Friday</i> )
<b>Saturday</b>	
10:00 am	Brotherhood Ministry ( <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday</i> )
10:00 am	Deaconess Ministry ( <i>Last Saturday before 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday</i> )
11:00 am	Women's Fellowship ( <i>Before 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i> )
1:00 pm	Youth Ushers Ministry ( <i>Saturday before 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday</i> )



**Our Mission:**

***To seek those who are lost, bring them to Christ and teach them to walk by faith.***

***II Corinthians 5:7 & Matthew 29: 19-20***

**Worship Service**

**11:00 A.M.**

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**Office Hours:**

Tues - Fri 9:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Lunch 12:00 P.M - 12:30 P.M

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# Order of Worship

11:00 A.M.

April 5, 2026



Friendship Baptist Church

2026 Leadership Team

Call to Worship		Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey
Praise & Worship		Minister
Selection		Choir
Responsive Reading	<b>Church Covenant</b>	Minister
Selection		Choir
Recognition of Visitors		Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey
Announcements		Announcement Clerk
Tithes & Offerings		Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey
		Ushers/Deacons
Selection		Choir
Ministry of Prayer **		Minister
Selection		Choir
Sermon:	<b>“When Death Died”</b> <i>1 Corinthians 15:54-58</i>	Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey
Hymn of Invitation		Choir
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey
	<b>Communion</b>	
Selection		Choir
Benediction		Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey



\*\*Those who desire may come to the altar

**Vision Statement:**

*To be a Christ-Centered Church, Caring and Committed to the Cause of Christ.*

**Pastoral Staff:**

Interim Pastor Dana Ramsey; Reverend Robert Dickson; Minister Frederic Banks

***Deacons – Chairman: Carl McCants***

Rickey C. Armstead	Benjamin E. Bryant	Jeffrey Bryant
George E. Dickey	Paul Hill	Ural Hubbard
John Sloan	Oden Smith	Willie Wilson

***Deaconesses - Chairwoman: Sharon Bryant***

Wesla Armstead	Lowanda Hill	Mennie Hubbard
Debra Hardin-McCants	Bonnie Tompkins	Kathy Wilson

***Trustees – Chairman: Raymond Jones***

Ken Alexander	Dorothy Blair	Nathaniel Cowley	B. F. Lawson
Marsha Peeler	Carmen Walker	Kevin Walker	

Church Treasurer	Raymond Jones
Church Clerk	Katina Alexander
Church/Pastor’s Secretary	Trish Dover

***Ministry Presidents/Directors***

Benevolence Ministry President	Benjamin E. Bryant
Brotherhood Ministry President	Benjamin E. Bryant
Christian Education Ministry President	Leilani Beverly
Church Historian	Leilani Beverly
Church Musicians	Ken Alexander, Anthony Brooks, Kevin Walker
Male Chorus Ministry President	Ural Hubbard
Mission Choir Ministry	Kevin Walker, Anthony Brooks, Sharon Gilbert
Combined Mass Choir Ministry President	Gerri Harris
Food Pantry Ministry	Lillian Favors-Clarke
Kitchen Ministry President	Ural Hubbard
Prayer Ministry President	Marsha Peeler
Senior Mission Ministry President	Kathy Wilson
Senior Ushers Ministry President	Egypt Bryant
Adult Sunday School Superintendent	Debra Hardin-McCants
Transportation Ministry President	Willie Wilson
Church Videographers	Mary Jones, Sebastian Bryant
Women’s Fellowship President	Sharon Gilbert
Youth/Young Adult Ministry President	Mary Jones
Youth/Young Adults Advisers	Frederic & Amanda Banks, Paul & Lowanda Hill

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Important Upcoming Events to Note:



Church Giving Statements for your tax preparation have arrived. See Brother Raymond Jones or Church Secretary for your copy.

Divine Spirit Baptist Church **Spring Women's Gathering Saturday, April 11, 2026 10:00am-1:00pm** Theme: Walking Boldly in Faith Joshua 1:9. Four Speakers. All ladies are welcome, please come and bring a friend. Special time for prayer, fellowship and encouragement.



Black Women's History Month – Ladies of Greatness: Celebrating Black Women of Impact **Saturday, April 18, 2026 11:00am – 1:00pm** \$10 Donation Suggested – Hillside Community Center 925 S. Institute Street 80903

Friendship Baptist Church Brotherhood Ministry Meeting **Saturday, April 18, 2026 10:00 am CANCELLED** this month.



GMBC Quarterly Meeting **Saturday, April 18, 2026 10:00 am** at Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church – Denver.

Visit our website at [www.friendshipbccs.com](http://www.friendshipbccs.com) and click on **Community/Photos** to see the most recent added photos. (Note: might be slow to upload all photos.)

- \* Please Observe No Eating or Drinking in the Sanctuary.
- \* Church Van Drivers will need to be notified by 12:00 noon on Fridays if you need a ride. Please call the Secretary or notify Deacon Wilson 719-351-8235 to put your name on the list.

# Church Covenant

**Minister:** *Having been led, as we believe by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Savior; and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.*

**Congregation:** *We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place in our affections, prayers and services above every organization of human origin; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrine; to contribute cheerfully and regularly, as God has prospered us, towards its expenses, for the support of a faithful and evangelical ministry among us, the relief of the poor and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world. In case of difference of opinion in the church, we will strive to avoid a contentious spirit, and if we cannot unanimously agree, we will cheerfully recognize the right of the majority to govern.*

**Minister:** *We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world, to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment; to avoid all tattling, backbiting, and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale of, and use of, intoxicating drinks as a beverage; to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Savior.*

**Congregation:** *We further engage to watch over, to pray for, to exhort and stir up each other unto every good word and work; to guard each other's reputation, not needlessly exposing the infirmities of others; to participate in each other's joys, and with tender sympathy bear one another's burdens and sorrows; to cultivate Christian courtesy; to be slow to give or take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, being mindful of the rules of the Savior in the eighteenth chapter of Matthew, to secure it without delay; and through life, amid evil report, and good report, to seek to live to the glory of God, who hath called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.*

**All:** *When we remove from this place, we engage as soon as possible to unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word.*

## Prayer Focus for April 2026

This month as we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, let us pray for spiritual renewal within ourselves. To be a Christian means to be Christ-like. Therefore, let us pray that people will see Christ in us based on the way we conduct ourselves and the way we treat each other.

***Psalms 51:10*** “Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit.”

*From the Prayer Ministry*

### APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

4/07 Edith Vonner  
4/09 Edith Boone  
4/17 Mildred “Millie” Hinton  
4/18 Arthur “Carl” Moore  
4/21 Robin Cauthen  
4/22 Steve Patterson  
4/24 Cheryl Johnson  
4/25 Mary Jones  
4/27 Glodene Lawson  
4/30 Bernice Phillips



4/04 Julius & Dorothy Blair



*Please keep the following members and friends in your prayers throughout this month for healing, comfort, care & strength.*

### **SHUT-IN MEMBERS**

<i>James Boone</i>	<i>Theresa Jones</i>	<i>Edith Vonner</i>
<i>Mary Foster</i>	<i>Arthur ‘Carl’ Moore</i>	<i>Ernest Walker</i>
<i>Mae Helen Garrett</i>	<i>Bernice Phillips</i>	<i>Bessie Williams</i>
<i>Norris Hubbard</i>	<i>Deacon Oden Smith</i>	

### **MEMBERS, FAMILY, FRIENDS**

<i>*Wesla Armstead</i>	<i>Curtis Gardner</i>	<i>Avis McCants</i>
<i>Darryl Baldwin</i>	<i>*Ural Hubbard</i>	<i>*Gina Moore</i>
<i>*Barbara Batiste</i>	<i>*Mennie Hubbard</i>	<i>*Steven Patterson</i>
<i>*Raymondé Beverly</i>	<i>*Dewaine Jones</i>	<i>*Marsha Peeler</i>
<i>*Leilani Beverly</i>	<i>Jujane Jones</i>	<i>Shawn Pierre-Simpson</i>
<i>*Julius Blair</i>	<i>*Mary L. Jones</i>	<i>Katie Jane Reimer</i>
<i>*Lillian H. Clarke</i>	<i>*Nina Jones</i>	<i>Ellie Satcher</i>
<i>*Winona Cole</i>	<i>*Rachelle Jones</i>	<i>*Kevin Walker</i>
<i>April Deadrick</i>	<i>*Benjamin Lawson</i>	<i>Antonio Washington</i>
<i>*George Dickey</i>	<i>*Reginald Lee</i>	<i>*Laura Favors-Wiley</i>
<i>Lisa Dodson</i>	<i>Esther Lewis</i>	

**\*Member**

*Any requests to be added to, or removed from this list can be submitted to the church secretary.*