



## **Conducting Business at the Wrong Time**

Jeremiah 32:9-15; 26-27 (ESV)

**Sunday, September 14, 2025**

**Dr. Greg Ammons, Senior Pastor**  
Mark Hill, Associate Pastor,  
Minister of Music and Worship



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# Orders of Worship

## 8:30 a.m. TRADITIONAL

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC ..... Jerry Stephens

PRELUDE ..... Richard Ponder

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

“Victory in Jesus”

WELCOME AND PRAYER ..... Dr. Greg Ammons, Senior Pastor

“Trust and Obey”

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

PRAYER ..... Jim Witt, Minister of Missions Mobilization

“I Will Not Be Shaken” ..... Worship Choir  
Soloists – Steve Witmer and Mandy Dooley

MESSAGE ..... Pastor

Accompanists ..... Richard Ponder, Organ; Georgia Kornegay, Piano

## 11:00 a.m. CONTEMPORARY BLEND

WELCOME AND PRAYER ..... Pastor

“Praise”

“Firm Foundation (He Won’t)”

“Goodness of God”

PRAYER ..... Christian Grammer

MESSAGE ..... Pastor

### Wednesday Evening Entry to Education Building

For security, the glass doors at the Ninth Street/Chapel entrance will remain locked until demolition begins. Please enter through one of the two Suter Education Building doors to access that portion of our campus.

Building entry from **5:30 p.m.–6:00 p.m.** will only be allowed for Children’s Choir leaders, GED leaders, and *Refuge* band members who are wearing their ID badges.

Those who are physically able to use the stairs must enter the building via the glass door on the Glenbrook side of the Suter building. For the safety of the children in the Preschool area, those who need the elevator must be escorted by a volunteer from the Ave. C glass doors to the elevator.

During the **6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m.** time frame, the Glenbrook entrance to the Suter building will have a volunteer monitoring the door. We ask anyone who does not require the elevator to please enter using this door. Those who need the elevator should wait to be escorted by a volunteer from the Ave. C glass doors to the elevator.

*Thank you for your understanding as we move ahead in the construction process.*

### Welcome, Guests! We’d Like To Hear From You.

Please stop by the Welcome Center to pick up a gift from FBCG. Let us know about your visit or ask a question by scanning the QR code at right or texting “[connect2us](#)” to **77411**.



**Financial Giving Since New Fiscal Year  
Through Week 49**

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| Budget Required .....                  | \$6,362,462 |
| Budget Received .....                  | \$6,191,556 |
| Legacy Offering Received To Date ..... | \$8,889,541 |

**New Space, Same Spirit**

Join us for our Sunday morning worship services in Fellowship Hall.  
Our trams will be circulating the Red, Yellow, and Orange  
Parking Lots to transport you to the McDonald Activity Center.

**New Sunday Start Times**

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| Traditional Worship Service.....           | 8:30 a.m.  |
| Sunday School .....                        | 9:45 a.m.  |
| Contemporary/Blended Worship Service ..... | 11:00 a.m. |
| Hispanic Worship Service .....             | 12:30 p.m. |

**Retirement Reception for Jack Schmid**

**Date:** Sunday, September 28

**Time:** 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

**Location:** MAC 281

**Details:** The Personnel Committee is hosting a retirement reception for Jack Schmid. Jack has served as the Minister of Senior Adults for 30 years and is retiring at the end of September. As a church family, come show your appreciation to Jack for his faithful ministry service to the Lord and FBCG. A basket for cards and notes of appreciation will be available.

**Contact:** Shannon Fears, 972-276-7194, x225, or [shannonf@fbcgarland.org](mailto:shannonf@fbcgarland.org)



**Town Hall Meeting for 2025-2026 Church Budget**

**Date:** Wednesday, September 17

**Time:** 7:15 p.m.

**Location:** MAC 281

**Details:** Copies of the budget are available or may be downloaded from our website at [fbcgarland.org/resources](http://fbcgarland.org/resources). It will be voted on during the morning services on Sunday, September 28.

**Pacesetters**

**Date:** Monday, September 15

**Time:** 11:30 a.m.

**Location:** MAC Fellowship Hall

**Details:** Our guest, Dr. Gary Frazier, is a well-known speaker and author. Chef Greg will provide lunch, and you are welcome to bring a dessert to share.

**Contact:** Terri Carter, 469-429-2579, or [terric@fbcgarland.org](mailto:terric@fbcgarland.org)

**We are unable to  
live stream this event**



**Global Sports Sunday**

**Date:** Sunday, September 21

**Details:** Wear your favorite sports team gear as we pray for those involved in sports and the impact it has on our culture. Sunday School classes will receive a prayer guide about how you can spread God's love and minister through these communities.

**Contact:** Amber Bryant, 469-817-6640, or [amberb@fbcgarland.org](mailto:amberb@fbcgarland.org)



## Deeper Discipleship Classes

### Dive In, Soul Sisters, and Paul & Timothy

**Date:** Sundays

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

**Location:** Dive In (Rm. 330) for all Middle School Students, Soul Sisters (Mainstage) for High School Ladies, Paul & Timothy (Rm. 350) for High School Guys

**Details:** Students will learn about creating and maintaining a deeper relationship with God through small groups or one-on-one mentorship.

**Contact:** Alyson Davidson, 972-276-7194, x284, or [alysond@fbcgarland.org](mailto:alysond@fbcgarland.org)

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## Outdoor Fellowship Fishing & Dove Hunt

**Date:** Saturday, September 20

**Time:** Sunrise to sunset

**Location:** Near Sulphur Springs

**Cost:** \$25, includes water, soft drinks, and lunch

**Details:** Adults and youth age 10 and over are welcome. For more information and to register and pay, please visit [fbcgarland.org/mens-ministry](http://fbcgarland.org/mens-ministry).

**Contact:** Cathy Gharis, 469-429-2371, or [cathyg@fbcgarland.org](mailto:cathyg@fbcgarland.org)

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## Pacesetters Day Trip to the Dallas Arboretum

**Date:** Tuesday, September 23

**Time:** 10:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

**Location:** Meet in the Red Parking Lot (near Friendship House)

**Cost:** \$16.50/ticket (lunch on your own at El Fenix)

**Register:** Purchase tickets at [fbcgarland.org/senior-adults](http://fbcgarland.org/senior-adults).

**Contact:** Terri Carter, 469-429-2579, or [terric@fbcgarland.org](mailto:terric@fbcgarland.org)



## Rooted Young Adults Heading to Kayak Crossing Outpost

**Date:** Saturday, September 27

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m. (Meet at 8:50 a.m. at Kayak Crossing)

**Location:** Kayak Crossing Outpost, 6917 Miller Rd., Rowlett, 75088

**Details:** \$10; Join us for kayaking/paddleboarding followed by lunch at Chick-fil-A.

**Register:** [fbcgarland.org/young-adults](http://fbcgarland.org/young-adults) The registration deadline is September 21.

**Contact:** Dane Hernandez, 972-276-7194, x248, or [daneh@fbcgarland.org](mailto:daneh@fbcgarland.org)

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## DivorceCare Classes

**Date:** Sundays

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m.

**Location:** 360

**Cost:** \$20

**Register:** [fbcgarland.org/fall-2025-adult-discipleship-classes](http://fbcgarland.org/fall-2025-adult-discipleship-classes)

**Contact:** Cathy Gharis, 469-429-2371, or [cathyg@fbcgarland.org](mailto:cathyg@fbcgarland.org)

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## Military Ministry

**Date:** Submit by Sunday, September 30

**Details:** We reach out to our church members' loved one with cards, a Christmas box, and prayer. If you have a family member serving in the military and would like for them to be a part of this ministry, please let us know.

**Contact:** Terri Carter, 469-429-2579, or [terric@fbcgarland.org](mailto:terric@fbcgarland.org)

## New Wednesday Bible Study Series: "Twelve Portraits"

Join us in Fellowship Hall at 6:15 p.m. this Wednesday as Dr. Greg Ammons begins a 12-week Bible study on the 12 Minor Prophets. You may also watch the service online at [fbcgarland.org/watch-live](http://fbcgarland.org/watch-live).

## Wednesday Evening Fellowship Supper

Order/pay online between Thursday morning and the following Wednesday at noon. Dine in or carry out at the McDonald Activity Center, 5:00 p.m.–5:45 p.m.

[fbcgarland.org/fellowship-supper](http://fbcgarland.org/fellowship-supper)

## Precept Study of Hebrews

**Date:** Tuesdays or Wednesdays

**Time:** Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m. or Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

**Location:** MAC 281

**Cost:** \$25 for book

**Details:** This coed class is led by Gay Ritchie.

**Contact:** Cathy Gharis, 469-429-2371, or [cathyg@fbcgarland.org](mailto:cathyg@fbcgarland.org)

## Prayer Blanket Ministry

**Details:** The Prayer Blanket Ministry makes prayer blankets for those experiencing critical illness or sorrow. It's an opportunity to be the hands and feet of Jesus and provide comfort and support for anyone walking through a difficult time. As people commit to pray, they tie a ribbon on the blanket. Our ministry volunteers pray for each recipient before it is lovingly delivered. If you know of someone who would receive encouragement from a prayer blanket, please let us know.



**Contact:** Cheryl Rose, [womensministry@fbcgarland.org](mailto:womensministry@fbcgarland.org)



For membership or spiritual decisions,  
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77411 or "pray4me" for prayer.



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## 5 EASY WAYS TO GIVE

### OFFERING PLATE

Offering plates available with our ushers at exits each Sunday  
[fbcgarland.org/giving](http://fbcgarland.org/giving)

### WEBSITE

### CHURCH APP

Search for "fbc garland" in the Apple Store/Google Play

### TEXT

fbcgarland to 833-360-7243

### MAIL

Attn: Business Office 801 W Ave D, Garland, TX 75040



# Sermon Notes

Dr. Greg Ammons, Senior Pastor

*Please silence electronic devices.*

## Conducting Business at the Wrong Time Jeremiah 32:9–15; 26–27 (ESV)

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### Jeremiah 32:9–15; 26–27

<sup>9</sup> “And I bought the field at Anathoth from Hanamel my cousin, and weighed out the money to him, seventeen shekels of silver. <sup>10</sup> I signed the deed, sealed it, got witnesses, and weighed the money on scales. <sup>11</sup> Then I took the sealed deed of purchase, containing the terms and conditions and the open copy. <sup>12</sup> And I gave the deed of purchase to Baruch the son of Neriah son of Mahseiah, in the presence of Hanamel my cousin, in the presence of the witnesses who signed the deed of purchase, and in the presence of all the Judeans who were sitting in the court of the guard. <sup>13</sup> I charged Baruch in their presence, saying, <sup>14</sup> ‘Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Take these deeds, both this sealed deed of purchase and this open deed, and put them in an earthenware vessel, that they may last for a long time. <sup>15</sup> For thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Houses and fields and vineyards shall again be bought in this land.’

<sup>26</sup> The word of the LORD came to Jeremiah: <sup>27</sup> “Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh. Is anything too hard for me?