

*A SERVICE TO CELEBRATE  
NEW YEAR'S EVE*

*Happy  
New Year*  
2025

*First Baptist Church  
700 N. Highland Avenue  
Winston-Salem, NC 27101*

*Tuesday, December 31, 2024*

*Rev. Samuel J. Doyle, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Glenn Pettiford, Assistant Pastor*

ORDER OF SERVICE  
Tuesday, December 31, 2024  
12:00 p.m.

Call To Worship

Clergy: God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him.

Congregation: In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins.

All: Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. *1 John 4:9-11*

Opening Hymn	Music Ministry
Scripture and Prayer	Deacon's Ministry
Testimony Period	Congregation
Offertory Appeal	Clergy
Song of Preparation	Music Ministry
Sermon	Rev. Samuel J. Doyle
Altar Call	
Benediction	

Year End Litany

**Leader:** O God, as was customary of our parents and ancestors, we come to this Year End vigil to be with you, in your house, as we usher out the old year and welcome the dawning of a new year.

**Congregation:** We come, thanking you for guidance and direction. Go before us, O God, and draw us into the future where you are.

**Leader:** Our slave ancestors watched that night long ago for the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation. Lord, keep us awake and alert as we follow in the light of your Word, searching for the good news of the gospel, and the comforting signs of your love in this world.

**Congregation:** We thank you for watching over us and caring for us through the old year, as we walked in the light of your promises of peace, healing, and justice.

**Leader:** We come, O God, with great expectations and great hopes. Keep these fires kindled within us that we may watch and wait, and once more feel your presence. Let us know your power as we embark upon this journey.

**Congregation:** You have led us in the past. Guide us now, and always, that we might choose to do your will and follow your way. We are pilgrims in a barren land.

**Leader:** We give you praise, O God, for your goodness and mercy; for life, health and friends, and for the many blessings you always send. Above all, we thank you for Jesus Christ, who lifts our hopes guides us in the Way, in this new year, and in years to come.

**All:** All praise, honor, glory and thanks to you, our God, through Jesus Christ our risen Savior and Lord.

## CHURCH OFFICERS AND STAFF

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#### Healthcare Ministry

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#### Historical Committee

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## SUNDAY AND WEEK -DAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

WORSHIP SERVICE HOUR 10:00 A.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES 8:45AM

NOON-DAY BIBLE STUDY—WEDNESDAY 12:00 NOON

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM

All services are online on Facebook and YouTube.  
Bible studies also via Zoom.