

WELCOME

Welcome to **Florida Bible Church**! We hope you'll find our time together encouraging and that you'll sense the presence of God. *Let's worship together!*

Date August 16, 2026

Welcome and Prayer

Announcements

Let's Sing

My Jesus I Love Thee
Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Sharing Time

Children Dismissed to Sunday School

Offering

Let's Sing

As the Deer Pants

Sit and Listen

Worn

Scripture Reading

I John 2:28-29

Message

Why I Believe in the Rapture
Sam Evans

Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENTS

See the back of this bulletin. *There is space for taking notes during the sermon should you wish to do so.*

Life After Loss – this new group for those who have lost loved ones will begin with an initial meeting on **Tuesday, August 18th after the Bible Study (11 am)**. A *sign up sheet* is on the back table. Please put your name down if you are interested. Linda S will be in touch shortly with more details.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Pioneer Days in Englewood is on Labor Day, **September 7th**. We have signed up to have a place in the parade again this year and to have a vendor table which will include offering burgers & dogs. If you are able to participate in any way, please speak to *Linda S*. She will have a *sign up sheet* on the back table so put your name down!

We are planning to host a **talent night** on a Saturday evening in either September or October (to be confirmed). If you have a talent you would like to share, please speak to *Bev*. We already have some people signed up to sing, read poetry, play instruments, comedy and more!

Please take a look at the bulletin board at the back of the church. *There are various sheets on which you can sign up to provide coffee & conversation snacks, prepare the communion, host a ladies' luncheon, etc.*

See Linda S before or after the service to find out more about the activities that are coming up!

Birthdays

7/6	Jojo Fitchett	8/4	Wes Gittins
7/18	Fabi Krey	8/18	Sherry Holden
7/21	Betty Reno	8/18	John Shelhamer
7/26	Darrell Decker	8/18	Dakota Ervin
7/27	Alba Gittins	8/19	Kenny (Cowboy) Smith
		8/22	Warren Harris

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Regular Week at a Glance

Tuesday	10:00 am - Bible Study with Pastor Ian, at church 6:00 pm - Weekly Prayer, at church
Wednesday	9:00 am - Ladies at Culture Coffee on Dearborn
Thursday	1:30 pm - Ladies' Bible Study, call 941-499-4459 for info
Saturday	8:00 am - Men's Breakfast at American Café & Grill
Sunday	10:30 am - Morning Worship Service 6:00 pm - Bible Study with Sam, at church