



# First Baptist Church

## Liberty Hill

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### Worship

*Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.*

*Romans 12: 1-2*

Worship should be transformational. We believe that as individuals experience the true nature of God, they will “taste and see that He is good” and will never be the same because of it. Worship is more than song, it is our response to the greatness of God through the dedication of our lives to Him. We encourage a life of worship through prayer, listening, the study of God's Word, giving, silence and lifting our voices together to heaven.

### Connect

*They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ...All the believers were together and had everything in common. Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. ...They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.*

*Acts 2: 42-47*

God's desire is for us to connect with one another in real, authentic relationships so we can be honest about our lives and encourage and spur one another on in love and good works.

Our desire is to connect with God and to each other through the encouragement and accountability of living in community with one another.

### Equip

*All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.*

*2 Timothy 3:16-17*

We believe equipping is essential in the development of our faith. Equipping and training are similar with one major difference. "Training" is generally focused on a specific task, but "equipping" is an on-going process. It is our desire to equip and empower people to discover God's plan and purpose for success in their lives.

### Serve

*You will be witnesses in Jerusalem, all over Judea and Samaria, and even to the ends of the world.*

*Acts 1:8*

We believe the concept of missions is a lifestyle that begins here in our city (local) and extends throughout the world (global). One of our goals is to invest in the community and world around us. We desire to send resources and people beyond the walls of our church.