



# First Baptist Church of Highland Park

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**Saturday, July 27, 2024, and Sunday, July 28, 2024**

## ***PARK POWER POINTS FROM THE CITY ON THE HILL***

***2024 Theme: "Level Up"***

"God has given me the responsibility of serving his church by proclaiming his entire message to you.

*Colossians 1:25 (NLT)*

### **PARK POWER POINTS**

We have reached the unofficial middle of the summer here at **The City on The Hill – First Baptist Church of Highland Park** where we continue to be "**Bible Believing, Christ Centered, and Spirit Led.**" There has been a historic shift in America from when we left church last weekend with the **President of the United States, Joseph Biden, declaring that he was dropping out of race for the White House and has now passed the torch to Vice President Kamala Harris.** What a shocking turn of events and now we have a proud graduate of Howard University as a presidential candidate. We are reminded that God can do whatever He wants to do and what a blessing for our daughters and granddaughters to witness such a time as this.

Let's pray for souls to come into relationship with Jesus throughout this weekend as we know that this can be a transformational moment. Prayer Warriors are urged to stand in the gap for the unsaved and unchurched so that when the opportunities present themselves, persons will not allow anything to stand in the way of them and God. Many thanks to those who met us this weekend at **Horace and Dickies Seafood on Martin Luther King Jr. Highway in Glenarden** to share the good news of Jesus Christ. There is no limit to what God can do in the lives of people. He can take us from ordinary to extraordinary.

This summer we introduced a new way of coming to weekend worship in comfortable and casual attire and God has met us in a mighty way and that's why we can shout it from the roof tops that 'There's **POWER at THE PARK!**'

The Bible teaches us that the way we can tangibly acknowledge our love for God through paying one's Tithes [giving the first tenth to God through the church] and then share in our offerings which can be demonstrated by joining other **Highland Park Disciples in the 2024 \$366 Gift of Faith and Love**

. God is positioning our church to do so many impactful things and that's why we must continue to give of the best of our service.

## Wonderful Words of Life

By Philip P. Bliss

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Starting this weekend, we will welcome worshippers in a more casual attire until after Labor Day in September.

**JOIN MILLENNIALS EVERY MONDAY – 6:30 A.M.** – Dial in: +1- 712-770-3688 - Conference Code: 444312. Follow us on Facebook @ The Plug FBHP and Instagram @fbhp\_\_theplug146. Spread the Word!

**JOIN US EVERY TUESDAY MORNING FOR SENIOR'S BIBLE STUDY – 11:00 A.M.** - Join Zoom Meeting ID: 967 4826 6843 Passcode: 973913; Dial in: +1-301-715-8592. **(WILL CONVENE ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 2024).**

**JOIN US ON WEDNESDAYS AT 12:00 NOON FOR THE POWER HOUR.** Invite others to join us in worship or connect online, starting with putting the FREE First Baptist Highland Park App on your phone, along with your ability to connect via our various feeds (Light Source, YouTube, Facebook, X (formerly known as Twitter) Instagram LIVE, and (with the Friday Prayer Line (302) 202-1102); Conference Code: (192857) we will be blessed by a message from our Pastor.

**WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY WITH JESUS – 6:45 P.M. EVENING EDITION (WILL CONVENE AFTER LABOR DAY).**

**CALLING ALL MEN TO JOIN THE THURSDAY 12:00 NOON PRAYER CALL! (605) 475-4082, access code: 105587.**

**JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY MORNING AT 6:30 A.M.** – (302) 202-1102, Conference Code: (192857). (Twitter) – Facebook Live & you can Follow Our Church (@FBCHighlandPark) on X (formerly known as Twitter) and Facebook. Spread the Word! **MAKE SURE YOU GET OUR FREE APP ON YOUR PHONE!**

Many thanks to all the Volunteers who came out this Saturday to support the Comedy Event, hosted by **THE PLUG Ministry**, which is our ministry to young adults and our Saturday Street Evangelism in front of Horace and Dickies Seafood on Martin Luther King Jr. Highway, Glenarden, MD.

### TURNING IT OVER TO GOD

Too many times people try to take matters into their own hands instead of simply turning them over to the Lord with the assurance that God can handle any and every situation. **Proverbs 24:2 (NIV)** “Do not say, I’ll do to them as they have done to me, I’ll pay them back for what they did.” The truth of the matter is that we can’t take care of anything, and we must put it in the Lord’s hands, no matter how angry we might get. God can give you a peace that is beyond understanding and you can’t put any limits on what God can do. If you only operate from a human perspective, you might think that there are some things you can handle on your own, but the reality is that it takes God to tackle any situation. Satan tries to suck you in by having you think that you don’t need God but that is an illusion. This past **Wednesday in The Power Hour** we talked about how worship fuels the Believer alongside of Bible Study and Prayer.

The Highland Park Church Family is urged to donate sneakers and school supplies so that we can shower children with our support when they head back to school in the Fall and they will be distributed as a part of our **Back to School Bash on Saturday, August 24 at 12:00 noon** which will also be the **ribbon cutting day for the PRINCE GEORGE’S CHRISTIAN ACADEMY (One School on 2 Campuses – Brightseat Road - First Baptist Church of Glenarden/Sheriff Road – First Baptist Church of Highland Park).**

Sing them over again to me —  
Wonderful words of Life;  
Let me more of their beauty see —  
Wonderful words of Life.  
Words of life and beauty,  
Teach me faith and duty:

Christ, the blessed One, gives to all  
Wonderful words of Life;  
Listen well to the loving call —  
Wonderful words of Life.  
All the wondrous story,  
Showing us His glory:

Sweetly echo the gospel call —  
Wonderful words of Life;  
Offer pardon and peace to all —  
Wonderful words of Life.  
Jesus, only Savior,  
Sanctify forever:

### Refrain:

Beautiful words, wonderful words,  
Wonderful words of Life;  
Beautiful words, wonderful words,  
Wonderful words of Life.

## **BEREAVED**

**The Family of Cecil James Murphy Jr.**

**Weekend Worship at The Park**

**6:30 P.M. – Saturday, July 27, 2024**

**7:30 A.M. & 10:45 A.M. – Sunday, July 28, 2024**

**2024 Churchwide Theme:  
“Level Up” – (Colossians 1:25)**

**Worship Through Praise, Prayer & Preparation**

**Scripture: Psalm 119:103 (NLT)**

**FAITH STRONG! HIGHLAND PARK STRONG! BLACK LIVES MATTER!**

**Hymn of Praise #332 – “Wonderful Words of Life”**

**Words of Welcome**

**Worship Through Song**

**Worship through Proclamation**

**6:30 P.M. Saturday, July 27, 2024**

**“The Importance of Humility”**

**James 4:7-10**

**Pastor**

**7:30 A.M. – Sunday, July 28, 2024**

**“Right Motives”**

**James 4:1-3**

**Pastor**

**Sunday Biblical Institute – 9:30 A.M. – 10:30 AM (Adult Classes In-Person & Virtual Option)**

**Kindergarten – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade (Summer Break -- resume In-Person on Sunday, September 8, 2024)**

**5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (Summer Break -- resume In-Person on Sunday, September 8, 2024)**

**10:45 A.M. – Sunday, July 21, 2024**

**“When No Means No”**

**James 4:7-10**

**Pastor**

**Worship Through Invitation**

**Worship Through Giving**

**Worship Through Benediction**

So humble yourselves before God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. **James 4:7**

And even when you ask, you don't get it because your motives are all wrong—you want only what will give you pleasure. **James 4:3**

### 10 Reasons Why You Should Tithe

*Tithe: To tithe is to freely give one-tenth of one's income annually to the Lord through His Church*

1. It is Biblical – Approved by God in Old and New Testaments — **Malachi 3:10; Matthew 23:23**
2. To Show Your Love Toward God – **Song of Solomon 8:7**
3. It Demonstrates that you put God and His work first – **Matthew 6:33**
4. It is a Testimony that you recognize and acknowledge God's ownership – **Psalms 24:1**
5. It Helps to Spread the Gospel – **1 Corinthians 9:14**
6. Because You Want to Avoid a Curse and Escape Condemnation – **Malachi 3:8-9**
7. It is an act of worship – **Nehemiah 10:38**
8. It is Holy unto the Lord and it belongs to Him – **Leviticus 27:30**
9. It gives confidence in the practice of prayer – **1 John 3:22**
10. God's blessings are upon individuals who will tithe – **Proverbs 3:9, 10**

By downloading the Givelify ([www.givelify.com](http://www.givelify.com)) app you can also give whenever the Spirit move and you can also give via our website ([www.fbhp.org](http://www.fbhp.org)) or our First Baptist Highland Park Free App. Another option is **Text to Give** by texting **73256** and sending the message **FBHPGIVE** (Not case sensitive) to open this giving portal option/alternative.

#### WEEKLY

Saturday – 6:30 P.M.

**(In-Person/Virtual Worship)  
Main Sanctuary**

Sunday – 7:30 A.M./10:45 A.M.

**(In-Person/Virtual Worship)  
Main Sanctuary**

#### **Wonderful Wednesdays With Jesus**

12:00 noon -The Power Hour

**(In-Person/Virtual Worship)  
Main Sanctuary**

6:45 P.M. – Prayer, Praise & The Word

**(In-Person/Virtual Worship)**

**Main Sanctuary (WILL CONVENE AFTER LABOR DAY)**

#### **Sunday Biblical Institute**

9:30 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.

*Classes for all ages*

#### **Kindergarten - 4<sup>TH</sup> Grade**

**Meeting ID: 932 5573 9897**

**Passcode: 695308**

**Dial by your location +1 301 715 8592**

#### **5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade**

**Meeting ID: 965 2526 5924**

**Passcode: 258688**

**+13017158592**

**Dial by your location +1 301 715 8592 US**

#### **Adults Meeting ID: 955 0574 2953 (Adult Classes In-Person & Virtual Option)**

**Meeting ID: 955 0574 2953**

**Password: 582688**

**Dial In: +1 301-715-8592**

#### **Radio Broadcast Ministry**

**Saturday – 8:00 A.M. – 104.1 FM ([www.PraiseDC.com](http://www.PraiseDC.com))**

**Sunday – 7:00 A.M. – 95.5 FM ([www.wpgc.com](http://www.wpgc.com))**

Invite others to join us in worship or connect online. **Get The Free First Baptist Church of Highland Park App on your smart devices** along with your ability to connect via our various feeds (Lightsource - as First Baptist Highland Park is one of the featured Ministries), YouTube, Facebook LIVE, **X (formerly known as Twitter)**, Instagram LIVE, in addition to our website). You can stream live worship services along with having the ability to access services On-Demand.

On Wednesdays following **The Power Hour (12:00 NOON)** you can enjoy Curbside Groceries. Come get a Word and do grocery shopping.

**WE WELCOME IN PERSON WORSHIPPERS AS WE RECOMMEND, BUT NO LONGER REQUIRE, MASK WEARING ONCE YOU ENTER OUR SANCTUARY BUILDINGS. PLEASE SEE OUR STAFF IF YOU DESIRE A MASK.**