

“Rejoicing In Service”

130th Church Anniversary

Program



Banquet

4:00 PM

August 8th 2015

The Willows of Westfield

Worship

8:45 and 11:00 AM

August 9th 2015

880 West 28th Street

First Baptist Church North Indianapolis

Pastor Ivan Douglas Hicks, Ph.D.



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130th Church Anniversary Banquet
August Eighth In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand and Fifteen

Four O'clock Post Meridiem

The Gathering	George Middleton & Associates
Call to Celebration	Pastor Benjamin T. Moore, III The Empowerment Church <i>Worship Leader</i>
Prayer	Mrs. Mae Bradley
Musical Selections	The Praise Team
Centering Words	Pastor Ivan Douglas Hicks
Recognitions	
Musical Presentation	Mr. Bryan Thompson

Dinner Is Served

Introduction	Deacon Philip Moore, Chairman
Musical Selection	Sister Sharon Moore
The Word	Bishop T. Garrett Benjamin Pastor Emeritus Light of The World Church Indianapolis, Indiana
Invitation	
Remarks The Benediction A Time of Fellowship	Mrs. Linda Jones

Please Remain and Enjoy!

Music With Purpose



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11 O'clock Ante Meridiem

The Gathering
Congregational Hymn

The Praise Team
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #158

Litany of Celebration

- Leader:** Thank you Lord for drawing us together as a congregation and for the family we have found here at First Baptist Church North Indianapolis.
- People:** **Thank you for our ancestors and those who listened to your voice and were obedient to your call to organize this congregation for your purpose.**
- Leader:** Help us to teach our young your ways and their history, so they will know who you are and who they can be through you.
- People:** **Inspire us with a vision for the future and use that vision to direct the path of this congregation.**
- Leader:** Help us to lean not on our own understanding but to lean on every promise found in your Word.
- People:** **Grant us the authority to conquer all divisiveness and fill us with a desire to love one another.**
- Leader:** As we move forward in this ministry, we recommit ourselves to the principles of Your Word—to love the Lord our God with all our heart, mind and soul.
- People:** To love our neighbor as we love ourselves.
- Leader:** To feed the hungry and to clothe the naked.
- People:** To work for justice on behalf of those whose voices are weak.
- All:** We are a family of reborn believers, rejoicing in service and reaching our community in response to God's Word! Help us Lord to continue pressing toward the mark and to be all that you would have us to be.



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Congregational Prayer		Rev. Patti Holt
Selection	“Psalm 117”	The Ministers of Music
Welcome & Fellowship		
Selection	“Lord I Wanna Thank You”	The Ministers of Music
Pastoral Reflections		
Liturgical Dance	“I Feel Your Spirit/We Give you Glory”	The Angels of Praise
Reading of Sacred Scripture		Rev. Jerome Johnson
Preparatory Praise	“Bless Me”	The Ministers of Music

Proclamation of the Gospel
Dr. H. Beecher Hicks, Jr.
Pastor Emeritus
Metropolitan Baptist Church
Washington, The District of Columbia

Invitation		
Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings		“Thank You”

Leader: We are a tithing church because the Word of God teaches tithing and our obedience to God requires tithing.

People: So let us bring our tithes and offerings as He has prospered us for the tenth shall be holy unto the Lord.

Moment of Meditation		“Total Praise”
Benediction		