

# Welcome to Plymouth First Baptist Church

The Lord's Day, Sunday June 20, 2021

*But now Lord, what do I look for? My hope is in you. Psalm 39:7*

**9:45 AM Sunday School**

**10:50 AM Church Family Announcements**

**11 AM Morning Worship**

Prelude		B.J. Lyle
Welcome		Pastor Paul
Prayer		Pastor Paul
*Praise Songs	<i>“Find Us Faithful”, “Give Thanks”</i>	
Scripture Reading		John 1:6-13
*Hymn	<i>“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”</i> vv. 1,3,4	Page 43
Pastoral Prayer		
Ministry in Music	<i>“O, I Want to Know You More”</i>	
Sermon	<b>Children of God</b>	Pastor Paul
Hymn of Invitation	<i>“Softly and Tenderly”</i>	Scott Bradshaw and B.J. Lyle

“ \* ” indicates the congregation should stand.

You are welcome to use the church wi-fi! The password is– psqvcvk4xr3cf5

## Sermon: Children of God

**Scriptures:** John 1:6-13; John 3:30; 2 Corinthians 11:1-4,13-15; Isaiah 9:2; John 8:12;  
1 John 1:5-7; 2 Corinthians 4:1-6; John 15:18-20, 17:20-23; 2 Timothy 2:19

“Train your mind to view all relationships and situations in the context of Jesus Christ. Then respond to each in accordance with His teachings and His ways.” --Pastor Paul

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**The Central issue to all issues, the central person in the universe -Is  
Jesus, God’s Son, born of Mary in Bethlehem 2000 years ago.  
Emmanuel, God With us  
Faith in Jesus, belief in His name, makes us Children of God.**



Billy Graham's Father,  
William Franklin Graham Sr.

## Billy Graham's Father and the Prayer Heard Around the World.

[www.billygraham.org](http://www.billygraham.org)

It was always evident how much Billy Graham loved and respected his father, Frank (William Franklin Graham Sr.). He was a Charlotte, North Carolina, dairy farmer who almost lost everything in the Great Depression but managed to slowly recover and leave a legacy of faith, hard work and determination. But the most important thing Frank Graham

may have ever done was invite a group of Charlotte businessmen to gather on his property to pray. In May 1934, Billy Graham was just a lanky, mischievous teenager when his father and a group of local men gathered under a grove of shade trees at the edge of a pasture on the Grahams' dairy farm. They had met several times before—always outdoors—at different locations around Charlotte to pray for God to send revival to their city, their state and beyond. But this particular May prayer gathering is still being talked about almost 85 years later. That's because at this meeting, as Frank Graham recalled later, a paper salesman named Vernon Patterson suggested a bold new prayer: that God would raise up someone from Charlotte, North Carolina, who would take the Gospel to the ends of the earth.

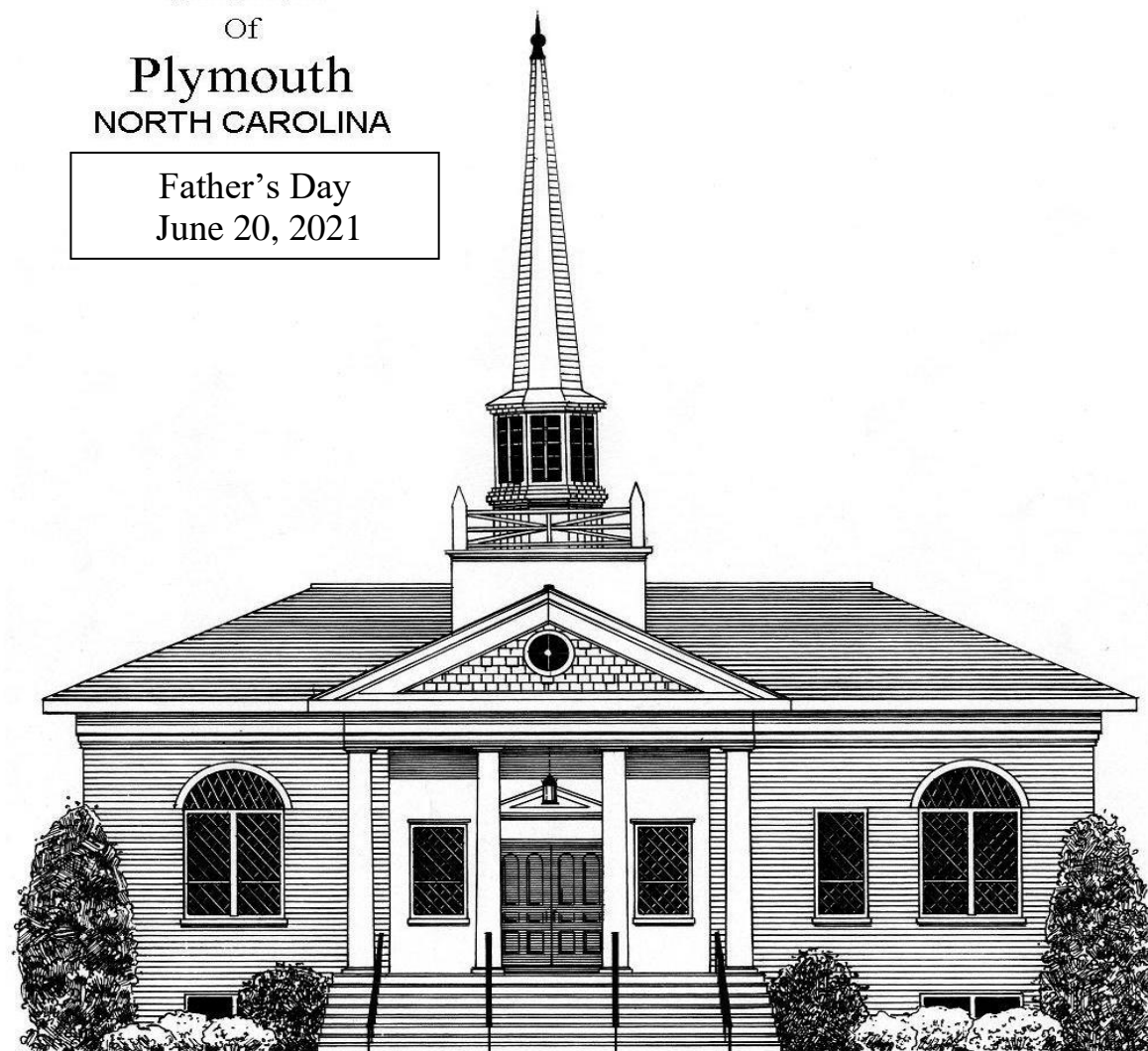
“At that time, in 1934, it certainly wasn't obvious that that someone might be me,” Billy Graham wrote later. The day his father joined the others in their bold new prayer, Billy was in the barn doing his afternoon chores, and the Gospel was likely the farthest thing from his mind. That changed just six months later when a traveling evangelist, Dr. Mordecai Ham, caught the gangly, blue-eyed teenager's attention. It wasn't easy to get young Billy Graham to set foot inside the tent where Dr. Ham was preaching night after night (why Billy finally went is another story), but he eventually decided to see what all the fuss was about. It was at that tent meeting on Nov. 1, 1934—just six days before Billy Graham's 16th birthday—that the future “Evangelist to the World” and “Pastor to Presidents” asked Jesus Christ to come into his heart and be his Savior and Lord. (excerpt)

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## First Baptist Church of Plymouth NORTH CAROLINA

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