

## First Baptist Church Lexington, North Carolina

Reverend James Thomas (Tommy) Wilson, 68, of Lexington, NC died January 3, 2026, following his courageous journey with Glioblastoma.

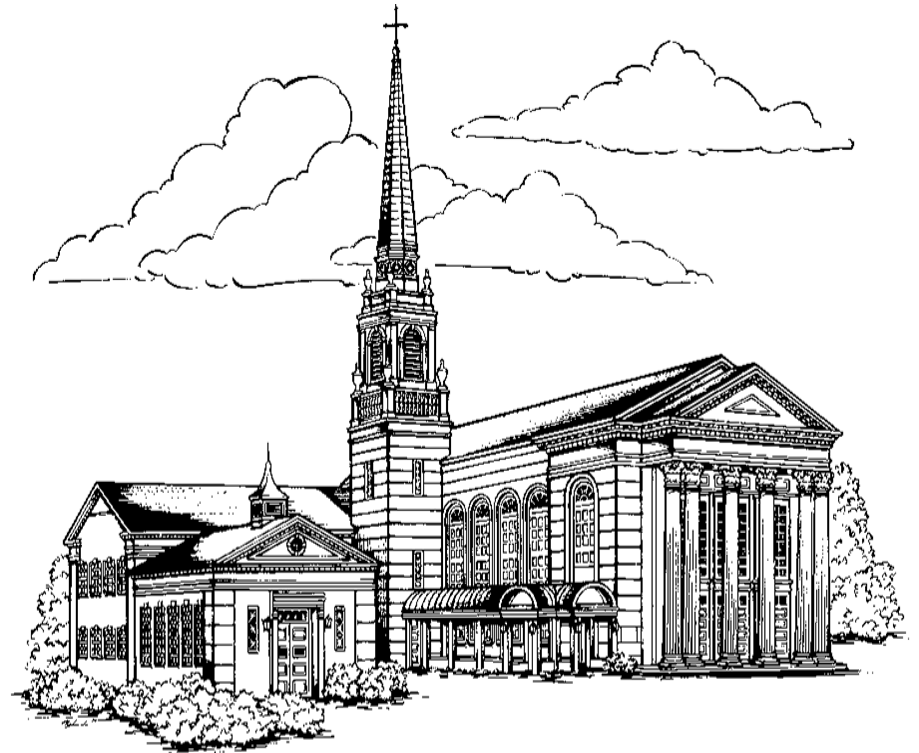
Tommy was born February 21, 1957, to Paul and Frances Wilson of Red Springs, NC. He attended Red Spring public schools and graduated from Wingate University and Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary,

Dedicating his life to serving God, Tommy had the privilege of serving First Baptist Church of Lexington as Associate Minister for 29 years. Previously he served First Baptist Church of Albemarle, NC as Youth and Activities Minister and First Baptist Church of Marion, NC as summer Youth Minister.

Active in his community, Tommy was a Guardian Ad Litem volunteer and served on various boards including Habitat for Humanity, The Life Center of Davidson County and Davidson County Department of Social Services.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Sandra Knight Wilson, sister Betsy Wilson (Kern Parker), brother Paul Wilson Jr (Cheryl), brother-in-law Sammy Knight (Gina), sister-in-law Hilda Bondurant (Robert). He is also survived by loving nieces and nephews: Travis Wilson (Heather), Wilson Parker, Sam Parker (Kara), Katie Coburn (Chad), Kaitlyn Strader (Ethan), Samuel Knight (Mallory), Todd Bondurant (Mylene), Jason Bondurant (Robyn) and Courtney Cucchiara (Billy). His 18 Grand nieces and nephews were precious to him.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the endowment fund of First Baptist Church, PO Box 436, Lexington NC 27293



***I am the Resurrection and the Life.***

**January 10, 2026**

**2 p.m.**

**Recessional**

**A Service of Hope and Faith  
Celebrating the Life of James Thomas “Tommy” Wilson**

February 21, 1957

January 3, 2026

**Prelude**

The family will receive friends in the Fellowship Hall.  
They can be identified by a golf lapel pin.

**Selected Scriptures**

**Call to Worship**

**Invocation**

**Worship Leaders**

**Dr. Ray Howell III**

**Dr. David Smith**

**Marty Stanbery**

**Old Testament Scripture**

**Remarks**

**Prayer**

*I will recount the steadfast love of the Lord,*

**Hymn No. 678**      “In the Bulb There is a Flower”      PROMISE

*the praises of the Lord,*

**New Testament Scripture**

*according to all that the Lord has granted us,*

**Remarks**

*and the great goodness to the house of Israel*

**Prayer**

*which he has granted them according to his mercy,*

*according to the abundance of his steadfast love.*

**Congregational Benediction**      “Go Out With Joy”      Jeanne Davis

Isaiah 63: 7