

The Brotherhood of Tryon First Baptist will meet in the activity building on **Monday, January 20** at 6:30pm. Phil Scoggins will present the program "Hidden Treasures" and is also in charge of the meal. The cost of the meal is \$5 and a sign-up sheet for those attending is in the Sunday School foyer. Please make plans to attend this meeting. All men of the church are invited and encouraged to be a part of this fellowship.

Join us for Wednesday Bible study! We'll meet in the Activity Building for a brief study of the theological perspectives of Calvinism and Arminianism. Bring a dish to share, and bring a friend!

Join us next **Sunday, January 26**, for S.E.E. (Sunday Evening Ekklesia), with activities for the whole family. The Children's Choir (grades 1-5), pre-schoolers, and adults will meet at 5pm. There are two adult studies – one led by Stephen Brady (continuing the Max Lucado study), in the Rock House; and one by Jeff Harris in the Activity Building (entitled "Sermon Talk," exploring I Corinthians 1:1-18). A nursery will be provided. We'll gather at 6pm to enjoy pizza together, compliments of Sisterhood. Refuge begins at 6pm.

**January Mission Project:** Help Thermal Belt Outreach Ministries feed the hungry. Bring cans (14-15oz) of pork and beans, mayonnaise, tuna, and pancake mix.

Brotherhood is sponsoring a coat drive for Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry. Your donations, of new or used coats sized youth to adult, are so appreciated – we have collected 127 coats so far! A box for donated coats is in the hall closet across from the Lair SS Room.

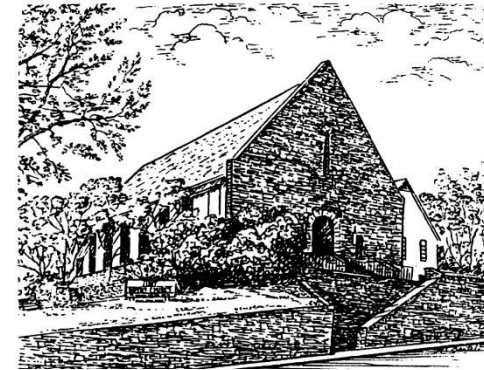
Offering envelopes for 2014 are in the parlor.

Youth Ski Trip (Wolf Ridge) **February 1 and 2**. Even if you are not a youth, you are welcome to join us on February 1. Contact Jeff Harris for details.

January 12, 2013

Weekly Budget Giving	\$ 4,087	Weekly Non-Budget Giving	\$178
Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 6,674	YTD Non-Budget Giving	\$287
YTD Budget Giving	\$ 9,550		
YTD Budget Goal	\$ 13,348		

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*First Baptist Church*

January 19, 2014

Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

Second Sunday After Epiphany

*The Worship of God*

The Music for Gathering Kay Greene

The Words of Preparation Jeff Harris

The Prelude *Adagio (Pie Jesu)* -G. Faure

The Call to Worship  
 We have heard the call of God and our response is to gather to sing, to pray, and to worship the Lamb of God.

**The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.**

In common experiences we can say that we have seen and testify to a clear reality; indeed this is God's Chosen One.

**We have seen and we bear witness to the reality that God is with us and we are here to worship.**

The Invocation John Spinks

†The Hymn of Praise 572 *I Love to Tell the Story* HANKEY

†The Passing of the Peace Jeff Harris  
 The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

The Children's Time Candace Wilson

The Responsive Reading                      Psalm 40:1-11                      Sandy Frady  
 I waited patiently for the LORD; he inclined to me and heard my cry. He drew me up from the desolate pit, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.  
**He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the LORD.**

Happy are those who make the LORD their trust, who do not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after false gods.

**You have multiplied, O LORD my God, your wondrous deeds and your thoughts towards us; none can compare with you.**

Were I to proclaim and tell of them, they would be more than can be counted.

**Sacrifice and offering you do not desire, but you have given me an open ear.**

**Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required.**

Then I said, 'Here I am; in the scroll of the book it is written of me.

I delight to do your will, O my God; your law is within my heart.'

**I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation;**

**see, I have not restrained my lips, as you know, O LORD.**

I have not hidden your saving help within my heart, I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation; I have not concealed your steadfast love and your faithfulness from the great congregation.

**Do not, O LORD, withhold your mercy from me; let your steadfast love and your faithfulness keep me safe for ever.**

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer                      Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Dedication 54                      *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*                      FAITHFULNESS

†The Offertory Prayer                      Jamie Greene

The Offertory and Meditation                      *He Leadeth Me Medley*                      -arr. Jay Rouse

†The Doxology                      *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*                      OLD 100th

The Scripture Reading                      John 1:29-42 (p. 89)                      Jeff Harris

The Music for Worship                      *You Are My All in All*                      -Jernigan/Larson

The Sermon                      "The Dreaded Word. . ."                      Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Response 337                      *I Know Whom I Have Believed*                      EL NATHAN

†The Congregational Response                      *May the Spirit Bind Us Together*                      -Brad Stevens  
*(May the Spirit bind us together as we build this house of faith; One in heart and one in spirit may we grow; May we raise our voices in witness; May our lives reflect Thy grace; One in heart and one in spirit as we go, as we go.)*

The Postlude                      *Joyous Songs of Praise*                      -Chester Nordman  
 †Standing, if you are able, please.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Today	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	5:00 pm	Children's Choir (grades 1-5)
	6:00 pm	Refuge (grades 6-12)
Monday	10:30 am	Staff meeting
	6:30 pm	Brotherhood – Activity Building
Tuesday	6:50 pm	Deacons Meeting – Rock House
Wednesday	10:00 am	Bible Study - Activity Building
	6:00 pm	Bell Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sunday 1/26	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	12:00 pm	Quarterly Church Conference
	5:00 pm	S.E.E.
	6:00 pm	Refuge (grades 6-12)
Monday 1/27	10:30 am	Staff meeting
Wednesday 1/28	10:00 am	Bible Study – Activity Building
	6:00 pm	Bell rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Chancel Choir rehearsal
Saturday 2/1	7:00 am	Youth Ski retreat – meet at Food Lion
Sunday 2/2	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship – Jerry McAtee, preacher
	1:30 pm	Youth return from ski retreat
	5:00 pm	Children's choir (grades 1-5)
	6:00 pm	No Refuge

Acolytes for this morning are Harper Harris and Katie Cothran.

Today is Food Pantry Sunday. Please give generously – offering plates will be at the exits.

There will be a brief meeting of the **House and Grounds Committee** (parlor) and the **Family Life Committee** (Lair SS room) immediately after worship today, for the purpose of choosing a chairperson for 2014. **Reminder:** All committee reports are due in the church office by Feb. 2.

Thanks to all who donated funds to the youth for Heifer International. We have raised \$1,032; sufficient to purchase a camel, with funds left over for other animals.