

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in worship on **Pentecost Sunday, June 8.**

May Mission Emphasis: Our mission focus for the month of May has been to support our aging population by generous donations to Baptist Retirement Homes. We have collected \$637 so far for the month of May. Your support is greatly appreciated. There are pew envelopes for this offering, or you may indicate it on your check's memo line.

Vacation Bible School coming soon! VBS for ages 4 - grade 5, is scheduled for June 16-19, Monday-Thursday, 5:30-8:30 pm. The theme for this year is **Workshop of Wonders: Imagine and Build with God (W.O.W.).** We will help the children experience how the ordinary becomes extraordinary with God through dramas, crafts, games, activities, music, and hours of fun! You can register online at <http://2014.cokesburyvbs.com/FirstBaptistChurchofTryon>. Please mark your calendar today and consider how you can be involved in this special week of learning and fun.

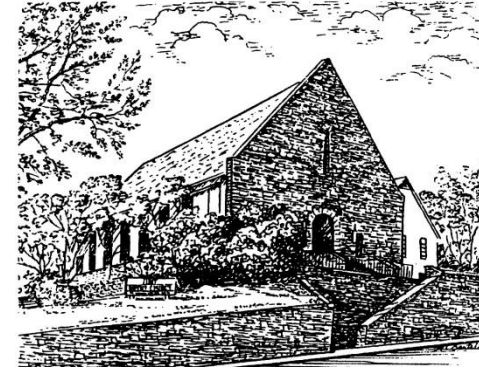
Thermal Belt Habitat for Humanity ReStore needs volunteers. For more details, please contact the church office.

Two Great Opportunities for Summer Sabbath:
 Backpacking trip in the Roan Highlands, **June 27-29.**
 Church Camping Trip at Orchard Lake in Saluda, **August 15-17**

May 18, 2014

Weekly Budget Giving	\$ 5,530	Weekly Non-Budget Giving	\$269.25
Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 6,674	Baptist Retirement Homes	\$20
YTD Budget Giving	\$ 121,160	Food Pantry	\$249.25
YTD Budget Goal	\$ 133,480		

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First Baptist Church

May 25, 2014

Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

Sixth Sunday of Easter

The Worship of God

The Music for Gathering		Kay Greene
The Words of Preparation		Jeff Harris
The Prelude	<i>Aria, from "Israel in Egypt"</i>	-G.F. Handel
The Call to Worship		Candace Wilson
	We gather to meet and worship you, O Lord, our God.	
	We gather to find meaning, purpose, and hope in your name.	
	You are the God who made everything in heaven and earth.	
	And through you we live and move and have our being.	
The Invocation		Verae Upton
†The Hymn of Praise 18	<i>Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i>	WARRENTON
†The Passing of the Peace		Jeff Harris
	The peace of the Risen Lord be with you.	
	And also with you.	
	Christ is risen!	
	Christ is risen indeed!	
The Children's Time		Candace Wilson
	(Kindergartners and preschoolers leave for children's church after The Children's Time.)	

The Responsive Reading Psalm 124 Laura Spinks
 If it had not been the LORD who was on our side —let Israel now say —
**if it had not been the LORD who was on our side, when our enemies
 attacked us,**
 then they would have swallowed us up alive, when their anger was kindled against
 us;
**then the flood would have swept us away, the torrent would have gone
 over us;**
 then over us would have gone the raging waters.
Blessed be the LORD, who has not given us as prey to their teeth.
 We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowlers; the snare is broken, and
 we have escaped.
Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Dedication 398 *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* AUSTRIAN HYMN

†The Offertory Prayer Sandy Frady

The Offertory *You Are My All in All* -arr. Larry Shackley

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

The Scripture Reading Exodus 2:1-10 (p.48) Jeff Harris

The Music for Worship *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* -Andrews

The Sermon “The Power of Five Women (and God)” Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Response 287 *Take My Life, Lead Me, Lord* LANGLEY

The Benediction Jeff Harris

†The Congregational Response *Lift High the Cross* -Kitchin/Nicholson
*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim,
 Till all the world adore His sacred name.*

The Postlude *Praise Him! Praise Him!* -Charles Callahan
 †Standing, if you are able, please.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, May 25	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
	12:00	pm	Children’s SS Teachers meeting - parlor
	5:00	pm	NO Evening Activities – Memorial Day
Monday, May 26	All	day	Office Closed for Memorial Day
Wednesday, May 28	10:00	am	Bible Study – Activity Building
	6:00	pm	Bell Choir rehearsal
	7:00	pm	Chancel Choir rehearsal
Sunday, June 1	10:00	pm	Sunday School
	11:00	pm	Worship – recognition of High School graduates and Scholarship recipients
Monday, June 2	5:00	pm	Refuge party for graduating seniors
	10:30	am	Staff meeting
	7:00	pm	NO mission team meeting tonight
Tuesday, June 3	10:00	am	WMU Group 1 – Lair SS Room
Wednesday, June 4	10:00	am	NO Bible Study
	6:00	pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	7:00	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, June 8	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Pentecost Sunday – Lord’s Supper

Acolytes for today’s service are Verae Upton and Hayden Blackwell.

There will be a brief meeting in the parlor for the Children’s Sunday School teachers immediately following today’s service.

Due to the Memorial Day weekend, there will be no regularly scheduled activities at the church this evening.

Recognition of graduates and scholarship recipients will be next **Sunday, June 1**. Please join us as we celebrate the accomplishments of these young adults in worship.

Sunday, June 1, there will be a Refuge party honoring graduating seniors at 5pm. Bring an appetite, a friend, and clothes you don’t mind getting soaked!



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HOW: Sign-ups will be accepted until Sunday, June 15

WHY: To have fun and fellowship together—we will be going on a commercial bus—so no worries about parking, cost of gasoline, keeping up with a multi-vehicle convoy (which is quite dangerous), or back seat drivers! ☺

IMPORTANT INFO:

- ~The cost for the day will be \$40 which includes an all-day pass to the park and transportation to and from the park.
- ~A regular single day pass is \$46.99---not to mention the high cost of gasoline these days—so \$40 is a pretty good deal!
- ~Children who haven't completed the third grade must be accompanied by a parent.
- ~We will not make use of the waterpark that day.
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