

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer Jeff Harris

DEPARTING TO SERVE

Opportunities for Service Jeff Harris

†Benediction Jeff Harris

†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.*

†Postlude *God of Our Fathers* -arr, David Schack

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 19	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
Monday, June 20	6:30 pm	Brotherhood – at Calvert's Kitchen
Tuesday, June 21	10:30 am	Staff Meeting
	6:00 pm	Deacons meeting – Rock House
Wednesday, June 22	7:00 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, June 26	10:00 am	Sunday School (children)
	11:00 am	Worship – Bill Henderson preaching

Acolytes for today's service are Luke Walker and Olivia Miller.

We thank Kim McFarland for her solo today.

If you are a guest, we are grateful you are here. Please complete a welcome card, which can be found in the pew pocket, and place it in the offering plate, so we can send you a written greeting. As you exit, we have a small gift to offer in appreciation of your presence.

Hearing assistance devices are available in the narthex.

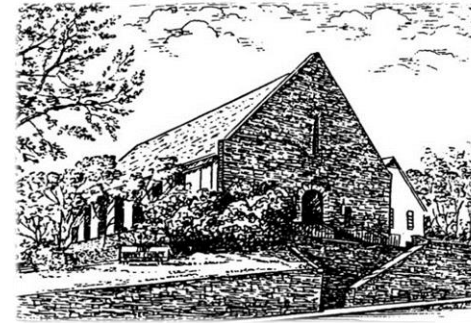
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
AT
WORSHIP

June 19, 2016

Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Prelude *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* -arr. Douglas Wagner

Call to Worship (based on Psalm 46) Candace Wilson

God you are our safe place.
You are our mighty fortress.
You are our ever present help in time of need.
You are where we go in the midst of trouble.
Lord we may feel afraid, but help it not overcome us
Help us trust in You.

†Hymn 56, Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah CWM RHONDDA

†Invocation Laney Littlefield

†Passing the Peace Jeff Harris

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Children's Time "Mr. Skip" Williams

(Kindergartners and preschoolers leave for Children's Church after the Children's Time.)

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Old Testament Reading, Deuteronomy 6:5 (p. 161) Jeff Harris
Leviticus 19:18 (p. 105)

Responsive Reading, Psalm 42 Phillip Edwards

As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God.

My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.

When shall I come and behold the face of God?

My tears have been my food day and night, while people say to me continually, 'Where is your God?'

These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I went with the throng, and led them in procession to the house of God, with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, a multitude keeping festival.

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

My soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar.

Deep calls to deep at the thunder of your cataracts; all your waves and your billows have gone over me.

By day the Lord commands his steadfast love, and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

I say to God, my rock, 'Why have you forgotten me? Why must I walk about mournfully because the enemy oppresses me?'

As with a deadly wound in my body, my adversaries taunt me, while they say to me continually, 'Where is your God?'

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

†**Hymn 54**, *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* FAITHFULNESS

New Testament Reading, Romans 12:9-21 (p. 153) Candace Wilson

Gospel Reading, Luke 10:25-28 (p. 70) Jeff Harris

Solo (Kim McFarland) *Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated* -Mark Hayes

Sermon "The Second Commandment" Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†**Hymn 269**, *There Is a Balm in Gilead* BALM IN GILEAD
(Those making decisions of faith, renewals of faith, or desiring to unite with our church through membership, may come forward at this time.)

†**Offertory Prayer** Beth McCallister

Offertory and Meditation *Children of the Heavenly Father* -arr. Cindy Berry

†**Doxology 253**, *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100th

Litany of Thanks for Fathers

For fathers everywhere, who have given us life and love, that we may show them respect and love.

Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers.

For fathers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope, and their family and friends support and console them

Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers that mourn.

For men who may or may not have children of their own, but act like a father to someone in need of advice, support, nurturing, and love.

Holy God, hear this prayer for our father figures.

For step-fathers who have assumed that role with love and joy, who have loved the children of another as their own, and created a new family.

Holy God, hear this prayer for step-fathers.

For adoptive fathers, who have heard the call of God to lovingly step forward for those that need their care.

Holy God, hear this prayer for adoptive fathers.

For fathers who have been unable to be a source of strength, who have not responded to the needs of their children, and have not sustained their families.

Holy God, have mercy on absentee fathers.

For fathers who struggle with temptation, violence, or addiction. For those who do harm, and for those whom they have harmed.

Holy God, have mercy on fathers that struggle.

For new fathers, full of hope. For long-time fathers, full of wisdom. For the fathers yet to be, and fathers soon to be.

Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of your Church.

For those that have shaped our lives without claim of family or kinship. For those who have taught us, guided us, shaped us and molded us into servants of Christ our Lord.

Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of our faith.

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The third Sunday of each month, we collect an offering for the Food Pantry of Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry. This offering directly helps feed hungry families in Polk County. You may give to this offering as you exit today.

Brotherhood meets at 6:30 Monday, June 20 at Calvert's Kitchen in Columbus. All men of the church are welcome and encouraged to bring a friend. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the education hallway.

As part of First Baptist's 125th Anniversary Celebration, Dr. Bill Henderson will be preaching next Sunday, June 26. There will be a reception for the Hendersons during the Sunday School hour in the Lair Sunday School classroom. There will be no Adult Sunday School.

Our June Mission Focus is helping provide food for Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry. For the month of June, we are asked to collect jelly, syrup, peanut butter, soup, and instant potatoes. Items can be placed in the Lair Sunday School room, or in the receptacle in the education hallway. If you prefer to help financially, write Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry on your check memo line.

VBS at FBC is scheduled for Aug 1-4 (Monday-Thursday), 6-8pm. This year's theme is "Surf Shack: Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love." We need your help. We are looking for preschool teachers. For children grades 1-5 we need adult guides for age-level groups, an assembly leader, and supply coordinator. If you would be willing to help with VBS in any of these areas, please contact Candy Wilson.

Summer Sabbath Opportunities (sign-up sheets are in the education hallway):

Backpacking Retreat, July 8-10

Camping on the Davidson River, July 22-24

Carowinds, July 26

Asheville Tourists Baseball Game, August 7

July Sabbath-There will be **no** Sunday School during the month of July. Worship will begin at 10am. There will be children's church activities during worship. We hope this "change of pace" will encourage rest, renewal, and attendance.

We need pictures! We would like to borrow pictures from FBC lives and events for our 125th Anniversary. Please write on the back of the picture your name, name of folks in the picture, name of event, and date of event. Please bring the pictures to the church office so we may scan and return them to you.

Put it on your calendar—The 125th Anniversary Celebration of FBC Tryon is October 2, at 10:30am. Help us spread the word by inviting folks who have been a part of FBC to join us on October 2.

June 12, 2016

Weekly Budget Giving	\$ 6,765	I Love My Church	\$1,000
Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 6,683		
YTD Budget Giving	\$ 157,578		
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