

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, June 4	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
Monday, June 5	5:00	pm	Wiffleball game and cookout
	1:00	pm	Staff Meeting
Tuesday, June 6	5:30	pm	Mission Team Meeting—Rock House
	10:00	am	WMU Group 1—Lair Room
Wednesday, June 7	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal (note time)
Friday, June 9	All	Day	Backpacking trip
Saturday, June 10	All	Day	Backpacking trip
Sunday, June 11	All	Day	Backpacking trip

Acolytes for this morning’s service are Harper Harris and Luke Miller.

Wiffleball Game and Cookout—We’ll meet at 5pm tonight for our Annual Wiffleball Game, which was rained out on the 21st of May. Come and enjoy a great night of fun, and some wonderful burgers and hotdogs, cooked by Mike and Di Greene.

Backpacking Opportunity—You are invited to join us as we hike in the mountains of western North Carolina, June 9-11 (Friday through Sunday). This trip is open to anyone 16 or older who can carry at least 30 lbs. on their back, while hiking 5 to 7 miles per day in mountainous terrain. Children and youth under 16 years of age must be accompanied by a parent. We are able to help if you don’t have gear. If interested, please let Jeff Harris know.

We’ll celebrate the Lord’s Supper on June 11.

Whitewater Rafting (and lunch) on the French Broad, June 14. Children ages 8 and up are invited to join us for a fun day on the river. Children in 5th grade and under must be accompanied by adults. Cost for the event is as follows: Adults—\$40, Youth and children—\$30. A signup sheet is available in the educational foyer.

Vacation Bible School—Vacation Bible School is August 7-10, from 9am-12pm. Sign-up sheets which list ways you can help are in the Education Foyer. Please prayerfully consider participating.

May 28, 2017

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 6,031	Baptist Retirement Homes	\$ 155
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 6,830	Food Pantry	\$ 20
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 147,126	Firm Foundation	\$ 50
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 150,268	I Love My Church	\$ 512
		Capital Campaign	\$ 50

Welcome! We are grateful to worship with you today. If you are a guest, we hope you will experience God’s love through our worship and among our congregation. If this is your first time with us, please complete a welcome card, which can be found in the pew pocket, and place it in the offering plate later in worship. As you exit, we have a small gift to offer you in appreciation of your presence.

Nursery Care is provided for children from birth to three years during Worship and Sunday School.

Children, ages 4-Kindergarten, may remain in worship or may exit after the Children’s Time for a special time of worship and play. Parents may join them, or stay for the remainder of worship.

Hearing devices are available in the Narthex.

Baskets for recycling bulletins are at the church exits.

June Mission—Safety Net Diaper Program
 Our June Mission Focus will ensure new moms in Polk County have diapers for their young children. Diapers are a basic necessity for children—a typical baby needs 10-12 diapers a day, and a toddler needs approximately 8. Diapers are not covered by social welfare or federal assistance programs, but are listed as ‘hygiene items’ - not essentials. We will collect diapers in all sizes (except newborn), including “pull-ups.” Containers for them are in the Lair Sunday School room, outside the nursery, and in the third-floor hallway between the Adult Sunday School classrooms.

OFFERING - JUNE

Phil Feagan—Lead Deacon, Sharon Burrell
 Stephen Brady, Beth McCallister, Ed Justice

GREETERS—JUNE

Charles McKeller and Jodi Harris—Front
 Merry Price—Hall
 Lane Price—Side

DIACONATE

Elizabeth Burrell, Chair, Phil Scoggins, Vice-Chair,
 Ellis Fincher, Ron Frady, Danny Fox, Susan Smith,
 Phil Feagan, Keith Collins, Sadie McKaig

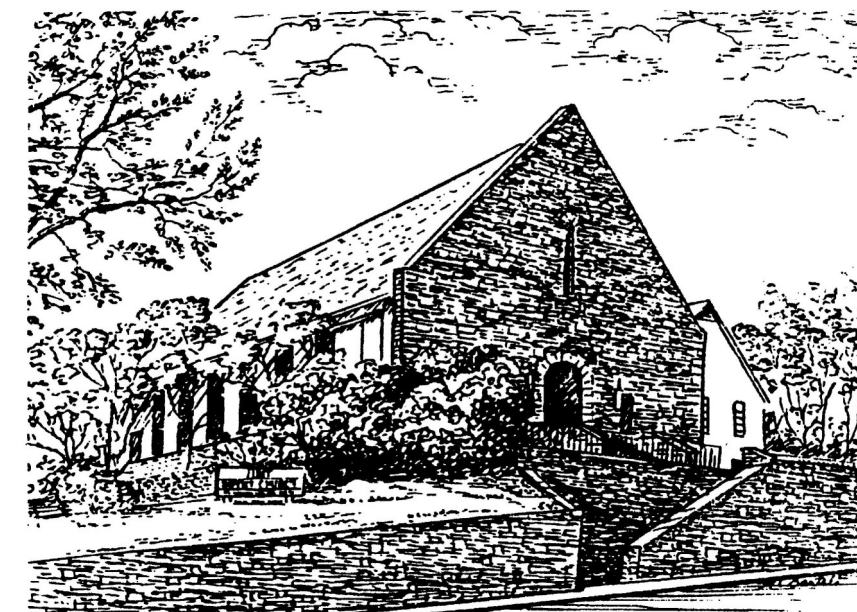
CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor
 Jaime Fitzgerald, Minister to Youth
 The Reverend Jim Hawkins, Minister of Music
 Kay Greene, Pianist
 E. Leslie Raymond, Organist
 John Spinks, Sexton

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June 4, 2017

Eleven O’clock in the Morning

Pentecost

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Pentecost

June 4, 2017 Eleven O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Ringing of the Hour John Spinks

Prelude -David H. Hegarty
Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

Call to Worship Jim Hawkins

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit. (Acts 2:1-4a)
Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and fickle people; and kindle in us the fire of your redeeming love.

†Invocation Jeff Harris

†Hymn 247 ITALIAN HYMN
Come, Thou Almighty King

†Passing the Peace Jeff Harris
The peace of the Risen Christ be with you.
And also with you.
Christ is Risen!
Christ is Risen indeed!

Children's Time Jaime Fitzgerald
(Kindergartners and preschoolers may leave for Children's Church after the Children's Time)

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Numbers 11:24-30 (p. 128) Georgia Garrett

Psalms 104:24-34 Brooke Scoggins
O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great.
There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

These all look to you to give them their food in due season;

when you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may the Lord rejoice in his works—

who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke.

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the Lord.

†Hymn 364 MARYTON
Come, Holy Spirit, Dove Divine

1 Corinthians 12:3-13 (p. 164) Carl Campbell

John 7:37-39 (p. 97) Kathryn Smith

Anthem -Cindy Berry
By The Gentle Waters

Sermon Jeff Harris
"Rivers of Living Water"

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†Hymn 613 BEACH SPRING
The Servant Song
(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 Jaime Fitzgerald

Offering and Meditation Ruth Elaine Schram
Spirit, Breathe on Me

†Doxology 253, Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Recognition of Graduates Jeff Harris

A Litany for Graduates Jeff Harris
We are gathered together to celebrate the accomplishments of members of our community.
We give blessings to you for all that you have achieved and many more achievements yet to come.

One part of your life's journey is complete.

You will prepare to begin another phase that will take you to unimaginable places.

As you prepare for your next journey, we hope that you remember the ones you leave behind, who have loved and supported you throughout the years.

We give you blessings of good will and love as you journey forth into the world.

We thank you for the laughter and fellowship that you have shared with us and pray that as you begin your next journey, to remember the times that we all have shared with you.

Use those memories as a beacon to guide you on your path. Don't look back; continue only forward, while using those memories to create a new path.

We pray that God will give you strength and determination to develop new relationships that will help to strengthen and sustain your faith.

Because we are made in the image of God we have been blessed with free will to make choices and decisions.

We pray that you make wise and rational decisions, always turning to God for help.

God hears, God listens, God is always with you. Do not forget that.

Always keep in mind that God is around and if you turn to him, God will guide you.

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

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

†Opportunities for Service Jeff Harris

†Benediction Malik Miller

†Congregational Response -Brad Stevens
May the Spirit Bind Us Together

*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 -James Mansfield
See How a Great Flame Aspires