## THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, August 13	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
	4:00	pm	Youth Sunday planning/song practice
Monday, August 14	1:00	pm	Staff Meeting
Wednesday, August 16	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir rehearsal

**Acolytes for today's service** are Oakley Whiteside and Hattie Jolly Crawford.

We welcome Matthew and Lora Baker and their son Cade as new members of First Baptist Church. The Bakers joined July 30.

Youth will meet this afternoon at 4pm to plan for Youth Sunday.

**Chancel Choir rehearsal** resumes on Wednesday, August 16, at 6:30pm. If you love to sing, this is the place for you! We invite you to come and make 'a joyful noise' with us.

Youth Lock-In, August 25, 7pm-August 26, 10am. The event is being held at Fincher's shed on White Oak Mountain.

**CBFNC Youth Retreat at Caswell, September 15-17.** Please RSVP and have your \$60 to Jaime by August 20.

**S.E.E. Kick-off and Kickball, September 10, 5pm.** Join us for the first S.E.E. of the school year with a rousing kickball game. Other dates for S.E.E. are September 24, October 8, October 22, and November 12.

If you miss worship, a CD of the service is available in the church library. Please sign and date the card, and return CD the following week.

**The 2018 Nominating Committee is:** Stephen Brady, Paula Edwards, Phil Feagan, Lib McKeller, Emily Pereira, and Lane Price.

If you are in the hospital, have had a significant change in your health, or would like a visit from the pastor, please contact the church office at 859-5375. In case of an emergency, you may reach the pastor at (828) 899-1386.

#### August 6, 2017

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 6,382	Capital Campaign	\$ 230
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 6,830	I Love My Church	\$ 100
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 214,621	Bereavement	\$ 150
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 218,560	Love Offering	\$ 20
•		SS Church	\$ 30

## 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.

#### **AUGUST MISSION FOCUS**

The Mission Focus for the month of August is "Back to School." We'll be collecting supplies for Tryon Elementary School. Supplies needed throughout the school year include wide-ruled notebook paper, #2 pencils, two-pocket folders with no rings but with punch holes, non-spiraled composition books, glue sticks, highlighters, tissues, and disinfectant wipes. The number one need throughout the year is notebook paper. Boxes for collection of the supplies will be in the Lair, Scoggins, and Taylor Sunday School rooms, as well as the narthex.

#### **OFFERING - AUGUST**

Danny Fox—Lead Deacon, Di Greene Sadie McKaig, David Thompson, Keith Collins

#### **GREETERS-AUGUST**

Joyce Scoggins & Ron Frady—Front Merry Price—Hall Phil Scoggins—Side

#### DIACONATE

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

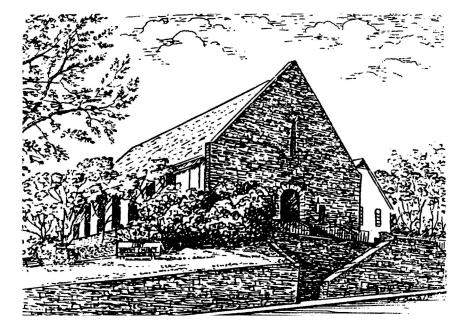
#### **CHURCH STAFF**

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

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# First Baptist Church Tryon, NC



August 13, 2017

Eleven O'clock in the Morning

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

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Eleven O'clock

## **GATHERING TO WORSHIP**

**Music for Gathering** 

Kay Greene

**Ringing of the Hour** 

**Prelude** Satisfied

-arr. Lloyd Larson

**Call to Worship** 

Jeff Harris

This is our inheritance:

It is hard to be attentive. It is hard to be patient. It is hard to wait.

We are Noah, waiting for rain, waiting for the rain to stop, waiting for the waters to recede, always waiting.

We are the Israelites, waiting and wandering in the desert.

We are Elijah, waiting for God's voice, expecting it in the wrong places.

We are the Psalmist, beckoning our hearts to be still before the Lord.

We are Simon Peter, sinking in doubt and despair.

We are the disciples, waiting fearfully in the upper room. We are believers waiting expectantly, impatiently, and sometimes obliviously, for Christ's return.

But we are here, and we are waiting.

Let us awaken our hearts to worship attentively as we wait for God's voice.

†**Hymn 16** 

O Worship the King

LYONS

†Invocation

Alice Tennant

†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 may leave for Children's Church after the Children's Time)

## LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

1 Kings 19:9-18 (p. 321)

**Jeff Harris** 

Psalm 46

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea; though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be moved; God will help it when the morning dawns.

The nations are in an uproar, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts.

The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

Come, behold the works of the Lord; see what desolations he has brought on the earth.

He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear; he burns the shields with fire.

'Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, I am exalted in the earth.'

The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

†**Hymn 292** O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go ST. MARGARET

Romans 10:9-15 (p. 151) Jaime Fitzgerald

Matthew 14:22-33 (p. 20) Rick McCallister

**Solo** Holy Ground Sandy Frady

**Sermon** "Listening" Jeff Harris

## RESPONDING IN FAITH

†**Hymn 587** Jesus Shall Reign DUKE STREET (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

Stephen Brady

Ashlyn Green

Offering and Meditation -arr. Tedd Smith

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

†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

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer** Jim Hawkins

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** 

Jaime Fitzgerald

†Benediction

Jaime Fitzgerald

†Congregational Response

WEAVE

Weave Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together in unity and love. Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together, together in love.

†**Postlude** To Worship, Work, and Witness -J. Steurlein