

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, April 15	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
	5:00	pm	Refuge
Monday, April 16	6:30	pm	Brotherhood—Calvert’s Kitchen
Tuesday, April 17	1:30	pm	Staff Meeting
	6:00	pm	Deacons Meeting
Wednesday, April 18	10:00	am	Bible Study
	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal

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

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 as you exit today.

The Hooked fishing ministry begins with a trip to Tryon Estates today, April 15, from 3-6pm. We’ll supply fishing equipment, instruction, drinks, and a light dinner. This is a great opportunity for fun and friendship.

Kid’s Night Out, Friday April 20—in the Activity Building from 6-8:30pm. Learning, games, jokes, snacks—lots of activities for your children, ages K-5th grade! Please sign up by the end of today to reserve a spot for your child. If your children are already registered, contact Carol Batts at carolwb8@yahoo.com. Registration forms may be found in Sunday School rooms and the office.

Brotherhood meets at 6:30pm on Monday, April 16, at Calvert’s Kitchen in Columbus.

You are invited to a presentation from the Capital Improvement Team, with architect John Walters, at 5pm on April 22, in the Activity Building.

Boutique Fundraising Sale, Friday, April 27 and Saturday, April 28—Come to the Activity Building between 9 and noon for a sale of gently used (and new) clothing, shoes, accessories, and household goods. Proceeds will be used to help fund the Puerto Rico Mission trip. To donate or volunteer, call Becky Hudson at 894-8583, by April 26.

Summer is coming and that means it is time for PassportKids! Email Jaime at jaimeniftzgerald@gmail.com to sign your 3rd-5th grade children up for camp. We will be going to Converse College July 11th-14th.

April 8, 2018

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 5,814	Stillerman Fishing	\$1,000
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,068	CBF Global	\$ 100
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 105,353		
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 112,952		

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 located at the exits.

**March/April Mission Opportunity
Easter Missions Offering**

Easter Missions Offering – During the months of March and April, we are collecting donations for **CBF Global Missions** and the **Annie Armstrong Easter Offering**. If you have a box of offering envelopes, those designated envelopes are in your box. If not, they are available at the sanctuary entrances. Thanks for your generosity.

OFFERING - APRIL
Keith Collins, Lead Deacon, Philip Edwards,
Shelvie Foust, Ed Justice, Philip Pleasants

GREETERS—APRIL
Phil and Joyce Scoggins—Front
Kathy Campbell—Hall
Gigi Covil—Side

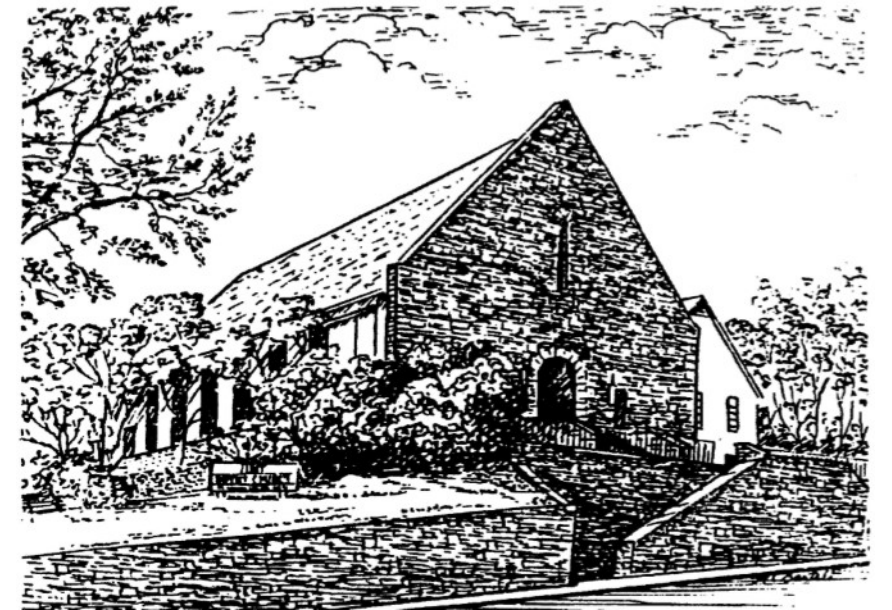
DIACONATE
Phil Scoggins, Chair
Keith Collins, Vice Chair
Susan Smith, Recorder
Danny Fox, Phil Feagan, Sadie McKaig
Don Batts, Phillip Edwards, Beth McCallister

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

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First Baptist Church Tryon, NC



April 15, 2018

Eleven O’clock in the Morning

Third Sunday of Easter

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Third Sunday of Easter

April 15, 2018

Eleven O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering

Kay Greene

Ringing of the Hour

John Spinks

Prelude *O, For A Thousand Tongues to Sing*

-Noel

Call to Worship

Jeff Harris

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed!

The kingdom of this world has become
the kingdom of our Lord,

and Christ shall reign forever and ever!

Great and marvelous are your works, Lord God Almighty!

Just and true are your ways, O King of the nations.

Who will not fear you, O Lord, and glorify your name?

You alone are holy.

All the earth will come and worship before you,

for your righteous deeds are revealed for all to see.

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed!

†**Hymn 13** *From All That Dwell Below the Skies* DUKE STREET

†**Invocation** Mason Jackson

†**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

Acts 3:12-19 (p. 115) Ashlyn Green

Psalm 4 Missy Fincher

Answer me when I call, O God of my right! You gave me room
when I was in distress. Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer.

How long, you people, shall my honour suffer shame?

How long will you love vain words, and seek after lies?

But know that the Lord has set apart the faithful for himself; the
Lord hears when I call to him.

**When you are disturbed, do not sin; ponder it on your
beds, and be silent.**

Offer right sacrifices, and put your trust in the Lord.

**There are many who say, 'O that we might see some
good! Let the light of your face shine on us, O Lord!'**

You have put gladness in my heart more than when their grain
and wine abound.

**I will both lie down and sleep in peace; for you alone, O
Lord, make me lie down in safety.**

†**Hymn 407** *Because He Lives* RESURRECTION

1 John 3:1-7 (p. 230) Jaime Fitzgerald

Luke 24:36b-48 (p. 87) Jeff Harris

Response *He Is Lord* HE IS LORD

He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!

Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

Anthem *The Pilgrim Song* -Larson

Sermon "Joy, Disbelief, and Wonder" Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†**Hymn 389** *To Worship, Work and Witness* WIE LIEBLICH IS DER MAIEN

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** Jim Hawkins

Offering and Meditation
For the Beauty of the Earth -Renfrow

†**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 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 of the Week Jaime Fitzgerald

†**Benediction** Jeff Harris

†**Congregational Response** CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT

Christ, Be Our Light

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness.

Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.

Postlude *A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing* -Leatherman

†Please stand if you are able.