

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, October 21	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	5:00 pm	Refuge
Monday, October 22	11:00 am	Capital Improvement Team
Tuesday, October 23	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
	10:00 am	Bible Study
Wednesday, October 24	5:30 pm	Bell Choir
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir

Acolytes: Mason Littlefield, Hattie Jolly Crawford

Children's Church Leader: Susan Smith

The Nominating Committee will meet briefly in the parlor after worship.

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.

Thanks to all who participated in #GraceItForward week.

There will be a Quarterly Church Conference during worship on Sunday, October 28.

CHURCHWIDE FALL PARTY

Get your pies baked! Get your silly costumes ready!
Churchwide FALL PARTY for children, youth and adults

OCTOBER 28 at 6:00 in Activity Building

(Children's Choir and Adult Bible Study will still meet at 5:00)

- Food for all...including a PIE BAKING CONTEST
- Games and prizes for kids
- Costumes are encouraged (who is creative?)
- Throw a pie in the preacher's face

On All Saints' Sunday, November 4, we will remember the saints departed from First Baptist Tryon within the last year. We are also inviting you to submit names of family and friends for us to prayerfully remember who have died since November 5, 2017. Names should be submitted by October 31. You may submit names by calling the church office, emailing: tryonfirstbaptist@gmail.com, or by writing the name on the All Saints' list in the Educational Foyer.

Including children in congregational Worship helps them experience God's presence now and helps them grow as worshiping disciples. Three ways we include children are through "bringing in the light" as acolytes, reading Scripture and offering prayer. On Nov. 11, at 4:00 (before Children's Choir), we will meet in the Sanctuary to talk about ways to participate in Worship, and we will PRACTICE lighting the candles, speaking in the microphone and how to use the bulletin. This is for children in grades 1-5.

PASSPORTkids! (grades 3-5) June 30-July 3, 2019 at Montreat, Black Mountain, NC. Cost: \$325. FBC Tryon will cover \$165, kids will be responsible for \$160. \$100 deposit due by November 15.

PASSPORTmissions (grades 6-12) June 23-28, 2019 at Averett University, Danville, VA. Cost: \$415. FBC Tryon will cover \$210, youth will be responsible for \$205. \$100 deposit due by November 15.

October 14, 2018

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 5,330	Hurricane Relief	\$ 250
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,068	I Love My Church	\$ 50
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 295,487	#GraceItForward	\$ 50
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 330,788		

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.

OCTOBER MISSION FOCUS

Thanks to all who participated in #GraceItForward week. We're also filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Cardboard shoeboxes (with labels and instructions for packing) will be available next week. A check for \$9 (made out to Samaritan's Purse) should be included in your box for shipping and handling costs. National collection dates are November 12-19, which gives you several weeks to fill a shoebox and bring joy to a girl or boy in a far-off land. Please try to have filled boxes at the church by the 9th of November.

OFFERING - OCTOBER

Phil Feagan, Lead Deacon; Beth McCallister,
Rick McCallister, Sharon Burrell, Franklin Williams

GREETERS—OCTOBER

Diane Cothran, Charles McKeller—Front
Ashlyn Green—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
Jodi Harris, Minister of Education and Children
Kay Greene, Pianist
E. Leslie Raymond, Organist
John Spinks, Sexton

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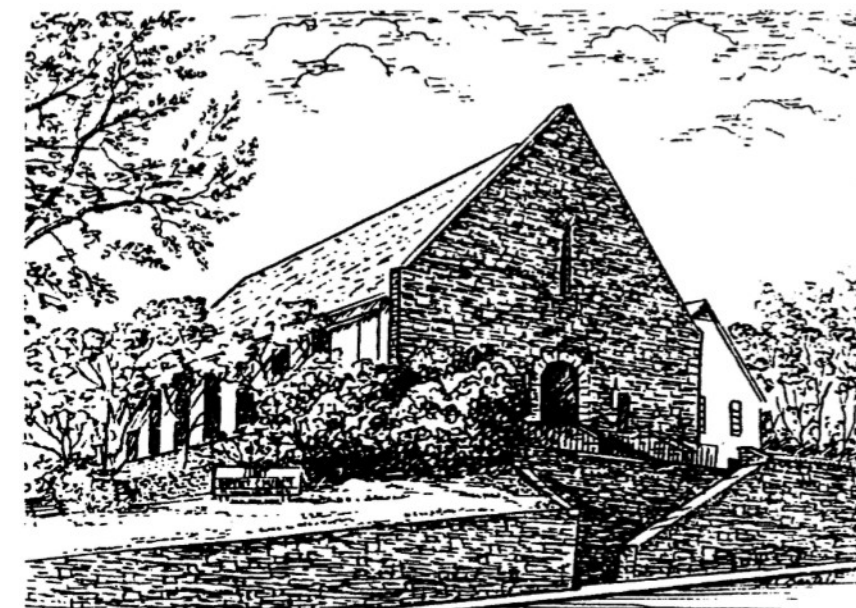
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First Baptist Church Tryon, NC



October 21, 2018

Eleven O'clock in the Morning

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

October 21, 2018

Eleven O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Trinity Chime John Spinks

Opportunities of the Week Jodi Harris

Prelude *Fairest Lord Jesus* -arr. Wilhelmi

Words for Worship Jeff Harris

Jesus calls us to serve.

Pretense, disharmony, and greed have no place.

Serving means receiving each person as though they are a beloved child of God.

“Whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant.”

Create in us hearts for ministry and service.

“For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve.”

Call to Worship -arr. Lister

To God Be the Glory
Men's Choir

Invocation Oliviah Miller

†**Hymn 390** *We Are Called to Be God's People* AUSTRIAN HYMN

†**Passing of 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

Isaiah 53:4-12 (p. 648) Jeff Harris

Psalms 91:9-16 Randi Koistinen

Because you have made the Lord your refuge, the Most High your dwelling-place, no evil shall befall you, no scourge come near your tent.

For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways.

On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.

You will tread on the lion and the adder, the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.

Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name.

When they call to me, I will answer them;

I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them and honor them.

With long life I will satisfy them, and show them my salvation.

Hebrews 5:1-10 (p. 210) Jaime Fitzgerald

Anthem *Holy, Holy, Holy* -arr. Lister
Men's Choir

Mark 10:35-45 (p. 48) Jeff Harris

Sermon “Totally Backward” Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†**Hymn 489** I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

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 *He Leadeth Me* -arr. Berry

†**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 Jaime Fitzgerald

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.

†**Benediction** Jeff Harris

†**Congregational Response** ARGENTINA

May the God of Hope Go With Us

*May the God of hope go with us every day,
filling all our lives with love and joy and peace.*

*May the God of justice speed us on our way,
bringing light and hope to every land and race.*

*Praying, let us work for peace; singing, share our joy with all;
working for a world that's new, faithful, when we hear Christ's call.*

Postlude *Postlude Brevis* -Lasky

†Please stand if you are able.