

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, April 7	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	4:00 pm	Encouragement and Hospitality Team (Phillip Edwards)
	4:30 pm	Easter Egg Hunt
Monday, April 8	5:00 pm	Congregational Meeting
	4:00 pm	Capital Campaign Executive Team
	5:00 pm	Capital Campaign Steering Team
	6:00 pm	Awareness Distribution Team (Alice Tennant)
	7:00 pm	Advance Commitment Team (Phil Scoggins)
Tuesday, April 9	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday, April 10	7:00 pm	Sisterhood
	10:00 am	Bible Study
	1:00 pm	Capital Improvement Team
Thursday, April 11	5:30 pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	10:00 am	Awareness Distribution Team (Alice Tennant)
Friday, April 12	6:00 pm	Kid's Night Out
Saturday, April 13	9:30 am	Choir Cantata Practice

Acolytes: Simms Harris and Gabriel Gates

Children's Church Workers: Justin and Andrea Lay

Nursery: Raye Dusenbury - 2's and 3's Volunteer: Rollins Carter

Hooked! Fishing. Anyone interested in helping with our Hooked program should come to the parlor for a brief meeting after worship today.

Easter Egg Hunt TODAY at 4:30. Prize eggs are waiting to be found! After the egg hunt, there will be activities for all children while adults attend the congregational meeting. Games, snacks, crafts and EGG TOSS!

Important Congregational Meeting. Join us tonight at 5pm in the Activity Building for a report from our Capital Improvement Team and our architect, John Walters.

- Explanation and drawings of the renovation and addition
- Cost of the project
- Timeline of the project
- An opportunity to ask questions



Hop to . . . KIDS NIGHT OUT . . . Let's Get Outside! April 12, 6-8:30pm. Games, Balloons, Puzzles, Books, Pizza—Activity Building, K-5th grade.

On Sunday April 14 the Chancel Choir will offer an hour of worship with the presentation of Joseph Martin's cantata, "Covenant of Grace". Through the use of music, narration and pageantry the story of God's redemption of mankind is portrayed. Through this service we will celebrate Communion and Palm Sunday.

Volunteers needed for Breakfast after Easter Sunrise. If you can help set up, cook, and clean up, please contact Phil Scoggins at (864) 706-2875.

Bring flowers on Easter Sunday to help decorate our outside cross and proclaim the Risen Lord!

Children's Choir will sing in worship on Easter Sunday.

Our team of greeters are working hard to provide a warm and welcoming spirit as people arrive for Worship. We are now looking for children, youth and adults who will be GREETERS before SUNDAY SCHOOL. We will need at least 3 people each Sunday who will greet and welcome from 9:40am-10am. See Joyce Scoggins or Jodi Harris if you can help with this ministry.

March 31, 2019

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 8,791	CBF Global	\$60
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 7,929	Feed-A-Kid	\$215
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$109,759	I Love My Church	\$2,675
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$103,077		

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.

April Mission Opportunity — Easter Missions Offering

During the month of April, we are collecting an offering for missions. You may designate your gift to:

The Offering for Global Missions (CBF) provides the love of Christ in real ways to children, women, and men in most need by life-saving medical care and ministry in hard-to-reach places of the world, food and shelter for people living in poverty, education for forgotten children, loving compassion and community for marginalized people, and care and support for widows and orphans.

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (SBC) goes to train, resource, and send more than 5,000 missionaries across the United States and Canada. This offering was named after Annie Armstrong, a tireless advocate for giving, praying and going to share the gospel of Jesus Christ with those who did not know him.

OFFERING - APRIL

Keith Collins, Lead Deacon; Stephanie Mathis, Shelvie Foust, Phillip Edwards, Phil Pleasants

GREETERS—APRIL

Raye Dusenbury and Andrea Lay—Front
Franklin Williams—Hall
Charles McKeller—Side

DIACONATE

Keith Collins, Chair; Phil Feagan, Vice-Chair;
Sadie McKaig, Don Batts, Phillip Edwards, Beth McCallister,
Shelvie Foust, Mason Jackson, Stephanie Mathis

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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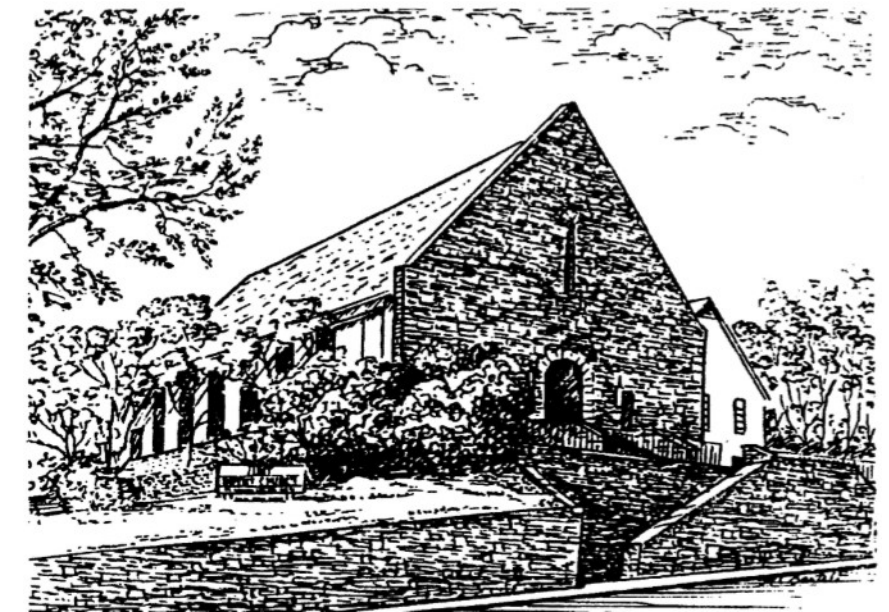
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First Baptist Church Tryon, NC



April 7, 2019

Eleven O'clock in the Morning

Fifth Sunday in Lent

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

April 7, 2019

Eleven O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering

Kay Greene

Opportunities of the Week

Jodi Harris

Trinity Chime

John Spinks

Call to Worship

Jeff Harris

Lent is a season of repentance.

**Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.**

Lent is a season of renewal.

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.**

Lent is a season for revival.

**O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth will declare your praise.**

Voluntary

On Eagle's Wings

-Joncas/Wagner

Invocation

Shelvie Foust

†Hymn 4

To God Be the Glory

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†Passing of the Peace

Jeff Harris

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Children's Time

Becky Hudson

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

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

†Hymn 329

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

MOODY

Psalm 51:1-13

Jaime Fitzgerald

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

**Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin.**

For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

**Against you, you alone, have I sinned, and done what is evil
in your sight, so that you are justified in your sentence and
blameless when you pass judgement.**

Indeed, I was born guilty, a sinner when my mother conceived me.

**You desire truth in the inward being;
therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart.**

Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be
whiter than snow.

Let me hear joy and gladness;

let the bones that you have crushed rejoice.

Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities.

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and put a new and right spirit within me.**

Do not cast me away from your presence,
and do not take your holy spirit from me.

**Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and sustain in me a willing spirit.**

Then I will teach transgressors your ways,
and sinners will return to you.

II Corinthians 5:17-21 (p. 171)

Jaime Fitzgerald

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

*the word catholic means universal

Anthem

Father, Forgive Us

-Courtney

Luke 18:9-14 (p. 79), Matthew 6:14-15 (p. 11)

Jeff Harris

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“. . .The Forgiveness of Sins”

Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†Hymn 267 *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind* REST

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

Ray Hudson

Offering and Meditation

-Schram

Jesus Paid it All

†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.

Easter Missions Offering

Becky Hudson

DEPARTING TO SERVE

†Benediction

Jeff Harris

†Congregational Response

CHRIST BE OUR LIGHT

Christ, Be Our Light!

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.

Shine in the darkness.

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

Postlude *O Lord, Now Let Your Servant Depart in Heavenly Peace* -Held

†Please stand if you are able.

Holy Week at First Baptist Tryon

Palm Sunday, April 14, 10am—Sunday School
11am—“Covenant of Grace” and The Lord's Supper

Monday, April 15, 12pm—Noonday Prayer

Tuesday, April 16, 12pm—Noonday Prayer

Wednesday, April 17, 12pm—Noonday Prayer

Thursday, April 18, 7pm—Maundy Thursday Worship

Friday, April 19, 12pm—Community Good Friday Worship, Tryon UMC

Easter Sunday, April 21, 6:30am—Sunrise Service at TFAC Amphitheater,
with breakfast to follow
10am—Sunday School
11am—Easter Worship

I believe in . . .

Lenten sermons exploring the Apostles' Creed

March 10 God, the Father Almighty
March 17 Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord
March 24 The Holy Spirit
March 31 The Church: the Communion of Saints
April 7 The Forgiveness of Sins
April 14 Covenant of Grace, Chancel Choir
April 21 Resurrection and Life Everlasting