

**THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON**

Sunday, September 15	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	4:00 pm	Hooked! Fishing, White Oak Mountain
Monday, September 16	6:00 pm	Brotherhood at Calvert's Kitchen
Tuesday, September 17	9:30 am	Staff Meeting
	6:00 pm	Deacons Meeting—Rock House
Wednesday, September 18	10.00 am	Bible Study—Activity Building
	6:30 pm	Choir Practice—Activity Building

**Acolytes: Oakley Whiteside, ScottLynn Whiteside**

**Children's Church Worker: Cindy Dusenbury**  
**Nursery: Alyssa Wulliman, 2's & 3's: Carolyn Baughman**

**We welcome the Reverend Billy Honeycutt to the pulpit today.** Billy's ministry has been as a hospital chaplain, youth minister, pastor, director of missions for a Baptist Association and now as chaplain at WNC Baptist Retirement Home in Asheville. He and his wife Terry, who is a chaplain with Hospice of the Carolina Foothills, are blessed with two children, their spouses, and five grandchildren.

**We'd like to recognize the newest members of our First Baptist Family, Doug and Lindel Henderson, and Mark and Donis Schweizer, who joined on Sunday, September 8.** Please greet them with a warm welcome when you see them!

**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.

**HOOKED! Fishing event, today, September 15.** We're going to White Oak Mountain from 4-7 pm to fish. We'll supply fishing equipment, instruction, drinks, and a light dinner. This is a great opportunity for fun and friendship.

**Combined Adult Sunday School.** Adult Sunday School classes are combining into one class while our main building is under construction.

Remember we will serve coffee and a light breakfast before Sunday School each week.

May we all prayerfully consider these exciting times and how we can be renewed and restored . . . So that we can also REACH OUT!

Here is the adult teaching schedule and text for the next few weeks:

Sept. 15, Jeremiah 4:11-28	Jeff Harris
Sept. 22, Jeremiah 8:14-9:1	Phil Scoggins
Sept. 29, Jeremiah 32:1-3, 6-15	Phil Scoggins

**LOOKING AHEAD**

September 15	Hooked! Fishing event, White Oak Mountain, 4pm
September 29	Quarterly Church Conference, I Love My Church Offering
October 6	World Communion

**SERMON SERIES: THE MISUNDERSTOOD PAUL**

September 8	Slavery
September 22	The Family
September 29	The Role of Women in the Church

I would like to thank everyone who sent prayers and cards, and for the wonderful visits while I was in rehab. They brightened my stay, and I am thankful and glad to be home! -Eloise Johnson

September 8, 2019

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 5,582	Capital Campaign	\$ 1200
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 7,929	Feed-A-Kid	\$ 592
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 274,973	BRH	\$ 230
YTD Plan Goal	\$ 285,444		

Total Committed to Capital Campaign	\$1,047,860
Total Received for Capital Campaign	\$ 642,427

**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.**

**September Missions Offering  
 Baptist Retirement Homes**

Our September Mission Focus is to help support Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina. BRH of North Carolina is a not-for-profit, church-related organization with a commitment to providing quality care and a meaningful way of life for residents and staff. There are envelopes for donations and other information at the entrances to the sanctuary. Thank you for helping to improve the lives of our elders who lack the resources needed for a quality life. Thanks for your generosity.

**OFFERING - SEPTEMBER**

Shelvie Foust, Lead Deacon; Ron Frady,  
 Ellis Fincher, Mason Jackson, JT Johnson

**GREETERS—SEPTEMBER**

Nancy Brady, Charles McKeller—Front  
 Gigi Covil, Diane Cothran

**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  
 Jodi Harris, Minister of Education and Children  
 Kay Greene, Pianist  
 E. Leslie Raymond, Organist  
 John Spinks, Sexton

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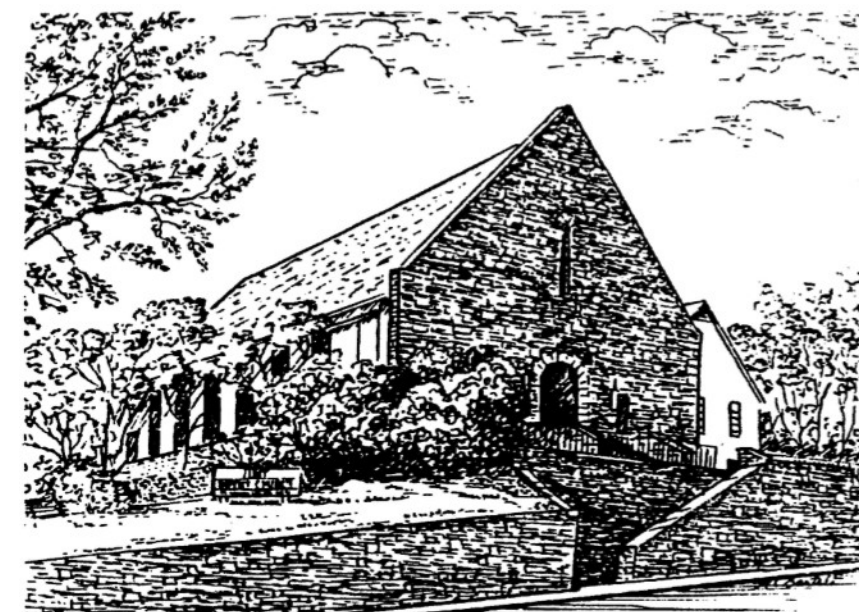
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**First Baptist Church  
 Tryon, NC**



September 15, 2019

Eleven O'clock in the Morning

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

## FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 15, 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

No one is an island.

We are all joined in Christ Jesus.

**Who else is like you, loving God?**

**Who is like you: beautiful in holiness,  
awesome in all the things you do for us.**

No one lives by themselves,

no one dies by themselves.

Whether we live or die

we are the Lord's.

**The Lord is my strength and my song,  
and he has become my salvation.**

**Voluntary** *Shall We Gather at the River?* -Leatherman

**Invocation** Ray Hudson

†**Hymn 36** *Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him* HYFRYDOL

†**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

†**Hymn 335** *Standing on the Promises* PROMISES

**Psalm 92:1-11** Hilda Pleasants

It is good to give thanks to the Lord,

to sing praises to your name, O Most High;

**to declare your steadfast love in the morning,  
and your faithfulness by night,**

to the music of the lute and the harp,

to the melody of the lyre.

**For you, O Lord, have made me glad by your work;  
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.**

How great are your works, O Lord!

Your thoughts are very deep!

**The dullard cannot know,  
the stupid cannot understand this:**

though the wicked sprout like grass and all evildoers flourish,

they are doomed to destruction forever,

**but you, O Lord, are on high forever.**

For your enemies, O Lord,

for your enemies shall perish;

all evildoers shall be scattered.

**But you have exalted my horn like that of the wild ox;  
you have poured over me fresh oil.**

My eyes have seen the downfall of my enemies;

my ears have heard the doom of my evil assailants.

**Anthem** *The River of Life* -Moose  
Stephanie Mathis, soloist

**Psalm 92:12-15** (p. 529) Billy Honeycutt  
The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon** Billy Honeycutt

### RESPONDING IN FAITH

†**Hymn** *Lord, It's a Pleasant Thing* THE GIFT OF LOVE

*Lord, it's a pleasant thing to stand  
in gardens planted by your hand;  
that is the place I would be seen  
like palm or cedar, fresh and green.*

*There grow your saints in faith and love,  
blessed with your influence from above;  
not Lebanon, with all its trees,  
yields such a comely sight as these.*

*Well blessed with fruits of life, they show  
that God is holy, just, and true.  
All who approach your gates shall find  
that you are faithful, good, and kind.*

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** Kim McFarland

**Offering and Meditation** -arr. Berry  
*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

†**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.  
Amen.

### DEPARTING TO SERVE

†**Benediction** Jeff Harris

†**Congregational Response** TRADITIONAL FOLK MELODY  
*May God Give You Peace*

*May God give you peace through ev'ry trial.  
May God give you courage for ev'ry mile.  
May God give you comfort and be your friend,  
And give you life eternal, life without end.*

**Postlude** *Morning Has Broken* -arr. Larson

†Please stand if you are able.

### #GraceItForward Food Boxes

We are collecting canned and boxed food items for our  
#GraceItForward Food Delivery on October 19. Please bring  
these items to church with you, and make note of portion  
sizes—most families consist of 5-7 members. We are providing  
food for 20 families, and have need of the following staples:

38 oz. Canned Green Beans  
40 oz. Canned Sweet Potatoes  
24 oz. Boxed Mac and Cheese  
29 oz. Canned Fruit  
33 oz. Pudding Cups  
16 oz. Brownie Mix

Serving portions for 5 or more are preferred. We can also use  
some more help with packing and delivery on October 19.  
Thank you for helping feed those in our community!