

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, October 6	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
Monday, October 7	5:30 pm	Mission Team Meeting
Tuesday, October 8	9:30 am	Staff Meeting
	7:00 pm	Sisterhood—Activity Building
Wednesday, October 9	10.00 am	Bible Study—Activity Building
	6:30 pm	Choir Practice—Activity Building

Children’s Church Workers: Susan Smith
Nursery: Jami Temple, 2’s & 3’s: Linda Fincher

Hurricane Dorian Relief. Over the next few Sundays we are collecting an offering to help hurricane victims of Abaco and Grand Bahama. Our offering will be sent to the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Florida Disaster Response Ministry. Envelopes are provided for your love offering. If you prefer to donate online, you may at <http://www.floridacbf.org/donate/>

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.

Here is the adult teaching schedule and text for the next few weeks:
 Sept. 29, Jeremiah 32:1-3, 6-15 Phil Scoggins
 Oct. 6, Habakkuk 1:1-2:4 Stephen Brady
 Oct. 13, Jeremiah 29:1-9 Stephen Brady
 Oct. 20, Luke 17:22-25, 22-27; 18:1-8 Phil Scoggins

Sisterhood’s guest speaker for October 8, 7pm, is B.J. Bayne, the new Executive Director of Steps to Hope, our local domestic violence shelter located in Columbus. *Note:* Thanks to your generosity, our church has collected personal toiletries from your travels to give to Steps to Hope. Sisterhood has collected these items for 10 years, and for the past 5, Di Greene has collected and delivered them to the shelter. All are welcome to attend.

I Want To Lead Worship! Children in 1st through 5th Grades are invited to find out more about being a leader in worship on October 13th at 4:00 in the Activity Building. We will explore ways we lead in worship, as well as stations for practicing these roles.

Nominating Committee. Our new Nominating Committee members are John Spinks, Carroll Brady, Phil Edwards, Raye Dusenbury, Taylor Jackson, and Stephanie Mathis.

LOOKING AHEAD

October 13	Worship Committee 9am
	Worship Leadership for Kids, 4pm
	SEE 5pm
October 13-19	#GraceItForward Week
October 20	Hooked!, Tryon Estates Lake, 3pm
October 27	Mysterious SEE

SERMON SERIES: THE MISUNDERSTOOD PAUL

September 8	Slavery
September 22	The Family
September 29	The Role of Women in the Church
October 6	Welcome to the Table

September 29, 2019

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 9,840	Capital Campaign	\$ 1,620
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 7,929	I Love My Church	\$ 950
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 298,296	BRH	\$ 125
YTD Plan Goal	\$ 309,231	Bahamas Relief	\$ 195
		Lottie Moon	\$ 400

Total Committed to Capital Campaign	\$1,047,860
Total Received for Capital Campaign	\$ 697,943

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 at the front table with the bulletins, 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.

Baskets for recycling bulletins are located at the exits.

OCTOBER MISSION FOCUS

#GraceItForward is a concrete way to share God's love with our community. If you haven't already committed to serve #GraceItForward week (Oct 13-19), we hope you will. There are ways for everyone to serve, so commit and help us share God's grace in Tryon and beyond. Here are some examples of our projects: yard work, crafts at nursing home, gift cards for coffee and food, collecting and delivering food to hungry families, gifting quarters for laundry, etc.

OFFERING - OCTOBER

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

GREETERS—OCTOBER

Merry Price, Lane Price—Front
 Sharon Burrell, Franklin Williams

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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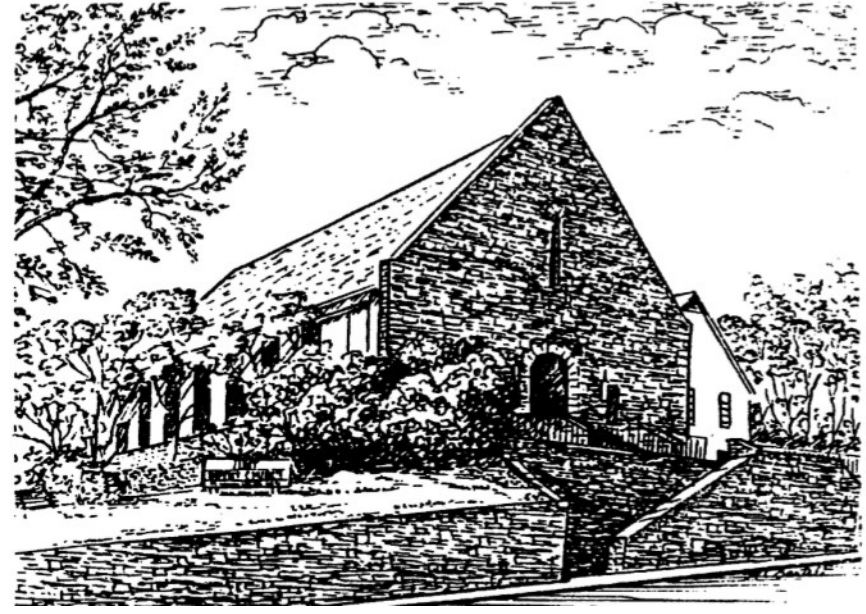
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**First Baptist Church
 Tryon, NC**



October 6, 2019

Eleven O’clock in the Morning

World Communion Sunday

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

October 6, 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

We gather around God's table from near and far

We are the People of God!

Though we differ in language and culture

We are brothers and sisters in Christ!

For there is one Lord, one faith, and one baptism

We are One in God's Spirit!

Come, let us worship the One who reconciles the whole world.

Voluntary *Jesus Paid It All* -arr. Larson

Invocation Oliviah Miller

†**Hymn 377** *Jesus, at Your Holy Table* BEACH SPRING

†**Passing of the Peace** Jeff Harris

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Children's Time Jodi Harris

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

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

†**Hymn 368** *Here, at your Table, Lord* BREAD OF LIFE

Romans 4:9-12 (p. 146) Jeff Harris

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Welcome to the Table" Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

Invitation to the Table Jeff Harris

Confession of Sin Jodi Harris

God of compassion and mercy,

We are your wounded and wounding children.

We bring our wounded selves,

Our divided society,

And our broken world,

Seeking your healing and transforming grace;

It is easy for us to point the finger at others,
Yet we know that we all need your forgiveness;

So we lift into your presence today,

Not only the victims of conflicts,

But also those we have called enemies.

Break down the walls of hatred, distrust and bitterness

And open a way for us to reach one another in truth and love.

Enable us to build a society where all can belong;

To share our gifts in mutual respect

And to seek for the new future which you offer us.

Through Jesus the Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness Jodi Harris

If we confess our sins,

he who is faithful and just

will forgive us our sins

and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. I John 1:9

Words of Institution I Corinthians 11:23-25 Jeff Harris

For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that

the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said,

"This is my body that is for you.

Do this in remembrance of me."

In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying,

"This cup is the new covenant in my blood.

Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Prayer of Thanksgiving Jeff Harris

Anthem *The One* -Courtney

Sharing the Bread and Cup

As you pass the bread to your neighbor, please say:

"The body of Christ given for you."

As you pass the cup to your neighbor, please say:

"The blood of Christ shed for you."

Everyone is welcome to receive The Lord's Supper. We use gluten-free bread.

†**Hymn 371** *I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord* LAND OF 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** Billy McFarland

Offering and Meditation -arr. Berry

Fairest Lord Jesus

†**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 *Always Remember Me* -Blake

†Please stand if you are able.

Mysterious S.E.E.

On Oct. 27, during our normal S.E.E. times, children and adults are invited to come in costume (extraordinary or simple), and join us for some mysterious wanderings and wonderings at 5:00pm. We will share a meal and some fun at 6:00pm. Stay tuned!

Certified CPR Class for anyone 12 and up. Saturday, Nov. 16 from 10am-4pm in the Rock House. This event is FREE, but if you wish to have a certification card it is \$10. See Donna Littlefield for details.

#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!