

What's Happening this Summer . . .

Stop Hunger Now is a community-based mission, sponsored by the Rotary Club Foundation of Tryon. On **July 26**, volunteers are needed at the Polk County High School Cafeteria to help pack nutritious meals for school children in Haiti. A sign-up sheet is in the education foyer. There is always a need for gifts and donations to cover the cost of the food being packed. If you'd like to donate, please write "Stop Hunger Now" on the memo line of your check.

Adult and Youth Sunday School will meet at 10am in the Activity Building during July. Because we are exploring significant passages of the Old Testament in worship, we will use this time to explore the Ten Commandments.

PassportKids! July 6-9 at Converse College. Children leave after worship today.

Save Your Place Now!

Church Camping Trip at Orchard Lake in Saluda, **August 15-17**. This date is coming up fast, so get your reservations in early. This promises to be a fun-filled weekend outing of fellowship with our church family. We've reserved the campground for the weekend and hope you will bring a tent, an RV, or think about renting a cabin and joining us.

FBC Tryon is heading to the historic **Barter Theatre in Abingdon, VA** on **July 17**. We'll share a meal in Abingdon before watching a matinee performance of "Welcome Back to Ivy Gap" (a comedy centered on the First Baptist Church of Ivy Gap). We'll travel via charter bus so the ride will be comfortable and enjoyable. The trip will cost \$40, which will cover your ticket and transportation costs. There's plenty of room on the bus so feel free to bring a friend. A sign-up sheet is located in the education foyer. There are still a few spots available, so sign up quickly.

FBC is going to **Carowinds** on **July 22!** We will depart at 8:00am and return no later than 6:00pm. The cost is \$40 per person and includes an all-day pass to the park and transportation to and from Tryon on a charter bus. Children who haven't completed the third grade must be accompanied by a parent. We still have a few spaces available – sign up today!

The Thermal Belt Habitat for Humanity ReStore needs volunteers. For more information, please contact the church office.

June 29, 2014

Weekly Budget Giving	\$ 7,118	I Love My Church	\$1,855
Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 6,674		
YTD Budget Giving	\$ 157,889		
YTD Budget Goal	\$ 173,524		

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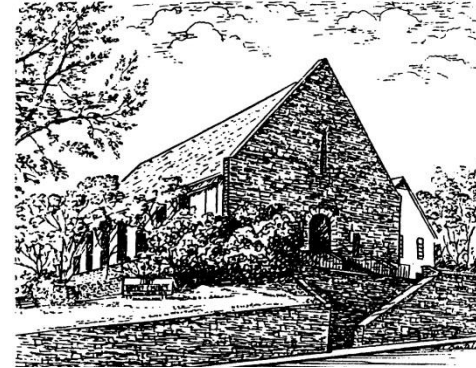
Minister of Music and Christian Formation

Kay Greene, Pianist

E. Leslie Raymond, Organist

Sandy Frady, Handbell Choir Director

John Spinks, Sexton



First Baptist Church

July 6, 2014

Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

The Worship of God

The Music for Gathering Kay Greene

The Words for Worship Jeff Harris

The Prelude Gordon Young
Voluntary on 'Eine Furste Burg'

The Call to Worship Candace Wilson

Come into this sacred space to worship God

whose teaching is perfect; whose directions are sure.

Come into this holy place to worship God

whose standards are right; whose commandment is clear; whose judgments are true.

Come with holy fear –

to be given life, and made wise,

to have your heart stirred and your eyes opened wide.

Come — let us worship God.

**Let the words of our mouths and the whispering of our hearts
be according to your will, O God. Amen.**

The Invocation Dick Wilson

†The Hymn of Praise 338 FOUNDATION
How Firm a Foundation

†The Passing of the Peace Jeff Harris

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Children's Time Candace Wilson

(Kindergartners and preschoolers leave for children's church after The Children's Time.)

The Responsive Reading Psalm 19:7-10 Verae Upton
 The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul;
the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple;
 the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart;
the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;
 the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring for ever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.
 More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold;
sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.

The Missions Moment

The Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Dedication 293 *Jesus Calls Us O’er the Tumult* GALILEE

†The Offertory Prayer Phil Feagan

The Offertory *Be Thou My Vision* -arr. Phillip Keveren

†The Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100th

The Scripture Reading Exodus 20:1-17 (p. 65) Jeff Harris

The Music for Worship *That Glad Reunion Day* -Adger M. Pace
 (Duet: John and Laura Spinks)

The Sermon “The Peculiar Commandments” Jeff Harris

†The Hymn of Response *I Have Brought You Out of Egypt* NETTLETON

“I have brought you out of Egypt,” Moses heard the Lord God say.
 “I have saved you! I have freed you! People, listen and obey.
 Have no other gods before me; don’t make idols for yourselves.
 I will judge those who reject me; worship me and no one else.”

“Do not use the Lord’s name wrongly, use God’s name for what is good.
 Keep the Sabbath; keep it holy; rest and worship as you should.
 Honor father, honor mother; do not murder! Honor life!
 Do not wander to another from your husband or your wife.”

God continued these commandments: “Do not steal another’s things;
 And you shall not bear false witness – see the anguish that it brings.

Do not seek with bitter longing what you see across the street.
 Keep these laws and find within them where my love and justice meet.”

God of grace, we see your promise in the covenant you give.
 For your law is wise and wondrous as it shows us how to live.
 Loving God and loving neighbor, may we follow where you call.
 Saved by grace, may we together seek to live your gracious law.

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The Benediction Jeff Harris

†The Congregational Response *May the Spirit Bind Us Together* -Brad Stevens
*(May the Spirit bind us together as we build this house of faith; One in heart and one in spirit
 may we grow; May we raise our voices in witness; May our lives reflect Thy grace; One in
 heart and one in spirit as we go, as we go.)*

The Postlude *As Great Jehovah Lives* -G.F. Handel
 †Standing, if you are able, please.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 6	10:00 am	Sunday School (combined Adults & Youth) in Activity Building
	11:00 am	Worship
	12:00 pm	Leave for PassportKids! Camp
Monday, July 7	all day	Office closed
	7:00 pm	Mission Team Meeting – Rock House
Sunday, July 13	10:00 am	Sunday School (Adults & Youth in A/B)
	11:00 am	Worship
Monday, July 14	10:30 am	Staff Meeting
Thursday, July 17	8:00 am	Bus trip to Barter Theatre – Abingdon, VA
Sunday, July 20	10:00 am	Sunday School (combined Adults & Youth) in Activity Building
	11:00 am	Worship

The acolytes today are Sydney Waldman and Wilson Edwards.

If you are a guest, we offer you a warm welcome, and hope you will experience a meaningful time of worship. As your offering today, please complete a welcome card, found in the pew pocket, and place it in the offering plate.

Our Mission Focus for this month is “**Christmas in July**”. During this month, you have an opportunity to donate either to CBF Global Missions, or the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Envelopes are provided in the pew racks, or you may mark your check’s memo line with the designated mission.