

The Mission Focus for the month of **August** is “**Christmas in August.**” During the month of August, you have an opportunity to donate either to CBF Global Missions, or to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. Special envelopes are included in your offering envelope boxes, or you may use the envelopes provided that may be found at the sanctuary entrances. You may also indicate a donation on the memo line of your check.

Back-to-School Pool Party and Pizza Bash! We are having a fun, back-to-school party for children who have completed grades K-5 on **Tuesday, August 11** at the Tryon Country Club Pool. We will meet at the church at 11:00am and carpool to the Country Club for swimming and pizza. We will arrive back at the church around 3:00pm. There is no cost for this event. Parents are invited, but children may come without parents. The Country Club does not have a lifeguard on duty but there will be several adults (who can swim) accompanying the children. **Please RSVP by August 9**, so we can plan for drivers and the amount of pizza needed.

Brotherhood will not meet in the month of August. The next meeting is September 21 at 6:30pm.

Hooked - The David Stillerman Fishing Project of FBC Tryon
We'll go fishing at these times and places, and hope that you can join us:

Aug 23, Derbyshire/Lake Sandy Plains, 4-7pm

Sept 20, Tryon Estates, 4-7pm

Please RSVP to 828.859.5375 or tryonfirstbaptist@gmail.com.

S.E.E. (Sunday Evening Ekklesia) Fall Schedule

September 13 and 27

October 11 and 25

November 8

Bible Study resumes **Wednesday, September 16**, at 10:00am. Meet us in the Activity Building for a time of study and discussion. We'll be using *The Divine Conspiracy* by Dallas Willard. Bring a light dish to share as we enjoy a luncheon fellowship afterward.

August 2, 2015

Weekly Budget Giving \$ 9,474

Weekly Budget Goal \$ 6,640

YTD Budget Giving \$ 189,744

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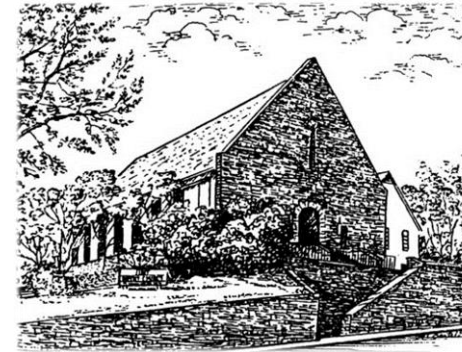
The Reverend Candace Wilson,

Minister of Music and Christian Formation

Kay Greene, Pianist

E. Leslie Raymond, Organist

John Spinks, Sexton



First Baptist Church

August 9, 2015

Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

The Worship of God

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Words of Preparation Jeff Harris

Prelude *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* -Temple/Wagner

Call to Worship Candace Wilson

When the journey is long and we hunger and thirst

Bread of Life, you sustain us.

When the road is hard and our bodies weak

Bread of Life, you heal us.

When our spirits are low and we can't carry on

Bread of Life, you renew us.

When we offer our hand in love and in service

Bread of life, you bless us.

When the challenge is great and the workers are few

Bread of Life, you empower us.

Thanks be to God for the life-giving bread of Jesus.

Invocation Jonathon Edwards

†Hymn of Praise 56 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* CWM RHONDDA

†Passing of the Peace Jeff Harris

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Sharing Time VBS Students
10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord) -Myrin/Redman/Larson
 (Congregation please join on the chorus)
Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; worship his holy name.
Sing like never before, O my soul; I'll worship your holy name.
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 (Kindergartners and preschoolers leave for Children's Church after the SharingTime)

Recognition of Scholarship Recipients Sadie McKaig

Old Testament Reading Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15 (p. 62) Candace Wilson

Responsive Reading Psalm 78:23-29 Trey Dusenbury
 Yet he commanded the skies above, and opened the doors of heaven;
he rained down on them manna to eat, and gave them the grain of heaven.
 Mortals ate of the bread of angels; he sent them food in abundance.
He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens, and by his power he led out the south wind;
 he rained flesh upon them like dust, winged birds like the sand of the seas;
he let them fall within their camp, all around their dwellings.
 And they ate and were well filled, for he gave them what they craved.

New Testament Reading Ephesians 4:1-6 (p. 183) Jeff Harris

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Jeff Harris

†Hymn of Dedication 613 *The Servant Song* BEACH SPRING

Offertory Prayer Di Greene

Offertory and Meditation *Like a River Glorious* -arr. Cindy Berry

†Doxology 253 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100th

Gospel Reading John 6:24-35 (p. 95) Jeff Harris

Sermon "The Bread of Life" Jeff Harris

Celebration of The Lord's Supper (please see insert) Jeff Harris

†Hymn of Response 371 *I Come with Joy to Meet My Lord* LAND OF REST

†Benediction Jeff Harris

†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.

†Postlude *The Day Thou Gavest* -arr. J. Wayne Kerr

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, August 9	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship. Lord's Supper, Scholarships
Monday, August 10	7:30 am	Whitewater Rafting trip – meet at Food Lion
Tuesday, August 11	10:00 am	Staff Meeting
	11:00 am	Pizza and Pool party, Tryon Country Club
Wednesday, August 12	6:00 pm	Info session, Activity Building
Sunday, August 16	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship

If you are a guest, we are grateful that you are here. Please complete a welcome card (found in the pew pocket) and place it in the offering plate, so we can send you a written word of greeting. As you exit, we have a small gift to offer in appreciation of your presence with us today.

Join us on Wednesday, August 12 at 6:00pm in the Activity Building for an information session on proposed changes to the current committee structure.

Let's Grace It Forward! Slips of paper for you to sign are found in today's bulletins. Your commitment will help as we plan for this year's GraceItForward Mission Day. We are called to be Christ's hands and feet for our community, and we are asking for your help on Saturday, October 3rd. Help is needed both in the morning (8-12) and afternoon (12-4).

2015 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

We are recognizing fifteen students who have been awarded scholarships from First Baptist Church, as well as two children who received a camp scholarship this year. We are proud of the hard work they've done and pleased to award scholarships to the following:

College Scholarships

Andrew D. Appleyard, University of Georgia
Taylor A. Ballard, University of South Carolina
William C. Ballard, Tri-County Technical College
Emily D. Brady, UNC Charlotte
S. Wesley Brady, UNC Charlotte
Tanner A. Garrett, University of South Carolina
Jamie D. Greene, Western Carolina University
Melissa N. Hardee, Catawba Valley Community College
Casey Collins Harris, Clemson University
Donna H. Littlefield, Chamberlain College of Nursing
W. Alexander Miller, North Carolina State University
Holland S. Morris, Clemson University
Emily N. Miller Raines, Old Dominion University
Brooke E. Scoggins, Western Carolina University
Mary-Margaret Smith, UNC Chapel Hill

Camp Scholarships

Katie Cothran
Verae Upton

BIBLE STUDY LEADERSHIP ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITY

Formed by God and One Another

Dear Teachers and Leaders,
We have an opportunity to attend a workshop regarding Bible study and discipleship. There is something offered for teachers of all age levels. This event will be held at First Baptist Church of Asheville on Sunday, August 16, 2:00-5:15 pm. There will be workshops for Preschool Ministry, Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, and Adult Ministry. There is no cost for this event and it is an opportunity not to be missed! Session leadership includes Terry Hamrick, Bree Welmaker, Paul Raybon, and Brett Younger. See the description below for more information.

As we approach a new season of Bible study and discipleship, we are inviting all Bible study leaders (teachers, shepherds, class officers) to connect with and encourage one another, to deepen our understandings of spiritual formation and community, to gain a few tips that might be helpful in our ministry, and to remember our calling to teach and lead. This enrichment time will also be open to churches in the WNC Baptist Fellowship and our downtown churches.

Please make every effort to attend this event, and send your RSVP soon! Let Candy or the church know soon so that she can make reservations. We are hoping to have as many leaders present as can come. Thank you. –Jeff and Candy

Schedule

2:00pm - Welcome & Opening Session - led by Terry Hamrick
2:40pm - Workshops, Session 1

- Preschool Ministry – led by Bree Welmaker
- Children's Ministry – led by Paul Raybon
- Youth Ministry – led by Brett Younger
- Adult Ministry – led by Terry Hamrick

3:30pm - Dessert Fellowship
4:00pm - Workshops, Session 2
4:50pm - Closing Worship – led Brett Younger
5:15pm - Adjourn

The Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Confession of Sin

Merciful God,

We confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have failed to be an obedient church.

**We have not done your will, we have broken your law,
we have rebelled against your love.**

We have not loved our neighbors, and we have refused to hear the cry
of the needy.

Forgive us, we pray.

Free us for joyful obedience; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN.**

Silent Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

**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)

Sung Response (3x)

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; worship His holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul; I'll worship your holy name.

Words of Institution (I Corinthians 11:23-26)

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.”**

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.”**

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death
until he comes.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Distribution of the Elements

The body of Christ given for you.

The blood of Christ shed for you.