

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, July 8	10:00	am	Worship
	11:00	am	PASSPORTkids! Meeting in Parlor
Tuesday, July 10	1:30	pm	Staff Meeting

During the month of July worship is at 10am, and there will be no Sunday School.

“Blessed are the Peacemakers”

- July 8** Jesus (Matthew 5:9, 43-48)
July 15 Naomi, Ruth and Boaz (Ruth 1-2)
July 22 Jonathan, Michal, and David (I Samuel 18-20)
July 29 Martha and Mary (Luke 10:38-42)

Our acolytes today are Mason Littlefield and Olivia Miller.

There will be a PASSPORTkids! meeting in the parlor immediately following worship.

One Room Sunday School. During the month of August, children in grades 1-5 will meet in the Grade 1 & 2 classroom.

The Annual Wiffleball game is rescheduled for July 22 at 4pm. The first 30 minutes will be for anyone wanting to play, and from 5pm until 6pm it will be youth versus adults. There will be no cookout afterward.

Vacation Bible School time is almost here! Join us as we explore what it means to live as peacemakers. VBS is July 30—August 2, 9am-12pm for children 3 years old through those who’ve completed 5th grade. The URL to preregister is: <https://goo.gl/forms/FRK4O8XEwRd2lOZP2>

Peace Week for youth is July 30—August 2 from 5-9 pm. Peace Week includes dinner, mission projects, games, and worship. Plan to join us!

We’ll celebrate The Lord’s Supper on August 5, and award scholarships during worship.

Join us in the Activity Building at 11am on August 12, when we’ll have an opportunity to hear about our Puerto Rico Mission Team’s experience in Carolina.

July 1, 2018

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$	10,525
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$	8,068
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$	193,369
YTD Ministry Plan Goal	\$	209,768

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.

July Mission—Christmas Mission Offering

“Christmas in July” is our monthly mission focus. During the month of July, we’ll collect for CBF Global Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. Offering envelopes for this mission should be in your offering envelope boxes. There are also envelopes at the sanctuary entrances. Thank you for your donations!

OFFERING - JULY

Phil Pleasants, Lead Deacon; Sandy Frady,
Phil Scoggins, Sadie McKaig, Ellis Fincher Jr.

GREETERS—JULY

Linda Martin and Franklin Williams—Front
Charles McKeller—Hall
Phil Scoggins—Side

DIACONATE

Phil Scoggins, Chair
Keith Collins, Vice Chair
Susan Smith, Recorder
Danny Fox, Phil Feagan, Sadie McKaig
Don Batts, Phillip Edwards, Beth McCallister

CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor
The Reverend Jim Hawkins, Minister of Music
The Reverend Jaime Fitzgerald, Minister to Youth
Kay Greene, Pianist
E. Leslie Raymond, Organist
John Spinks, Sexton

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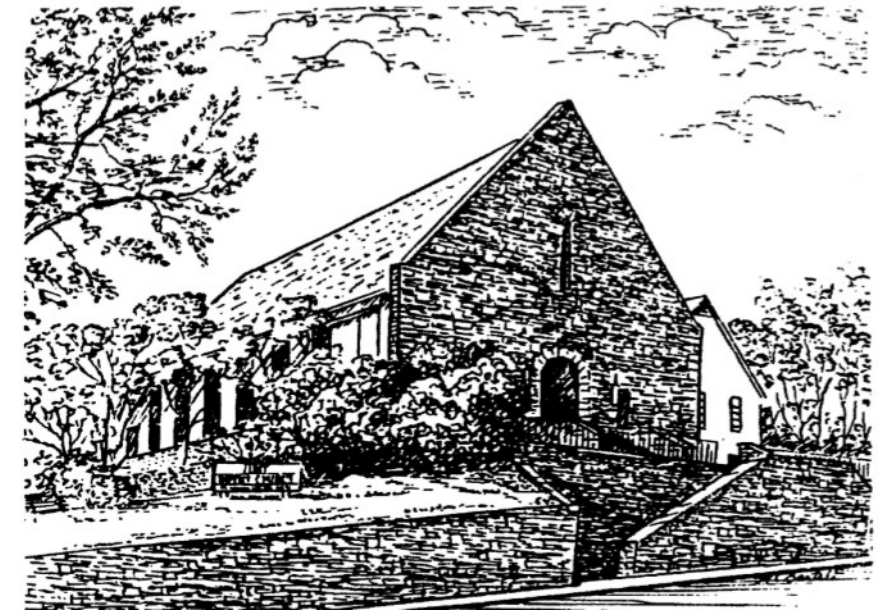
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First Baptist Church Tryon, NC



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Ten O’clock in the Morning

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

“Blessed are the Peacemakers”

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

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July 8, 2018 Ten O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Trinity Chime John Spinks

Opportunities of the Week Jaime Fitzgerald

Prelude *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* -Callahan

Call to Worship (Romans 12:16-18) Jeff Harris

Live in harmony with one another;
do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly;
do not claim to be wiser than you are.
Do not repay anyone evil for evil,
but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all.
If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all.

†Hymn 395 *God of Grace and God of Glory* CWM RHONDDA

†Invocation Phil Pleasants

†Passing of the Peace Jeff Harris
The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

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

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Matthew 5:1-12 Jim Hawkins

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him.

Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.

Blessed are the merciful,
for they will receive mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called the children of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake,

For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

†Hymn 279 *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* MARYTON

Matthew 5:9, 43-48 (p. 10) Jeff Harris

Anthem *Come Build a Church* -Medema

Sermon “Blessed are the Peacemakers—Jesus” Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†Hymn 423 *Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire* GIFT OF LOVE
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 Phil Feagan

Offering and Meditation -Bober
Be Still/Day by Day

†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.

†Benediction Jeff Harris

†Congregational Response -Choplin

May God Grant 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 *Heeding the Call* -Birchwood

†Please stand if you are able.