

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, March 15	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
	5:00 pm	Refuge
Monday, March 16	6:00 pm	Brotherhood—Calvert's Kitchen
Tuesday, March 17	9:30 am	Staff Meeting
	6:00 pm	Deacons Meeting
Wednesday, March 18	10:00 am	Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, March 21		Super Saturday

Acolytes: Gabriel Gates and Jack Baughman

Children's Church Worker: Jodi Harris and Harper Harris

Nursery: Angela Radaker; 2s and 3s: Missy Fincher

We welcome Tommy and Margaret Richardson as the newest members of First Baptist Tryon.

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.

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

March 15, Psalm 95	Stephen Brady
March 22, 1 Samuel 16:1-13	Don Batts
March 29, Ezekiel 37:1-14	Don Batts

SEE "Generous Conversations." The Christian mandate to love neighbors (and even enemies) is increasingly difficult in our age of polarization and tribalism. Instead of adding to the division and mistrust, churches have a unique opportunity to model a more generous way of being and reasoning. Join us for an opportunity to practice generous conversations around an array of complex situations.

2020 Spring SEE dates:

January 26, February 9, February 23, March 8, March 22, April 5

All Church Committees and Teams should find a time to meet and choose a chairperson for 2020. If you need help scheduling a time, please contact the church office.

Habitat for Humanity Faith Build. We need volunteers! Join us on Saturday, March 28, at 8:30am as we help Habitat for Humanity, along with other churches, to build a home on 126 E. Livingston Street in Tryon. That day marks the ceremonial groundbreaking of the project, and the walls will be raised. Everyone is invited to join Habitat for Humanity at 11:30am for a brief ceremony and wall-signing. More information to come.

Scholarship applications are available in the wooden rack by the door. Scholarships are a one-time award of \$1,000 for any first-time college student who is a member of the church. Scholarships to offset the cost of Passport camp are also available. Applications should be returned by April 5.

March 8, 2020

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 7,141	Capital Campaign	\$ 1,700
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,034	Heck-Jones Offering	\$ 10
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 79,084	Passport	\$ 500
YTD Plan Goal	\$ 80,340	Love Offering	\$ 50

Total Committed to Capital Campaign	\$1,047,860
Total Received for Capital Campaign (through February)	\$ 751,381

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 on 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-First Grade, 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.

March/April Mission Opportunity — Easter Missions Offering

During the month of March, we are collecting an offering for missions. You may designate your gift to:

CBF -Offering for Global Missions provides the love of Christ in real ways to children, women, and men in most need by life-saving medical care and ministry in hard-to-reach places of the world, food and shelter for people living in poverty, education for forgotten children, loving compassion and community for marginalized people, and care and support for widows and orphans.

SBC -The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering go to train, resource, and send missionaries across the United States and Canada, as well as international missions.

OFFERING - MARCH

Keith Collins, Lead Deacon; Sadie McKaig,
Elizabeth Burrell, Stephen Brady, Jeff Miller

GREETERS—MARCH

Joe and Gigi Covil
Tilly Harris

DIACONATE

Ellis Fincher, Chair; Beth McCallister, Co-Chair;
Don Batts, Phillip Edwards, Shelvie Foust, Mason Jackson,
Stephanie Mathis, Stephen Brady, Susan Smith

CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor
The Reverend Jim Hawkins, Minister of Music
Jodi Harris, Minister of Education and Children
Jacob Weaver, Minister to Youth

Kay Greene, Pianist
E. Leslie Raymond, Organist
John Spinks, Sexton

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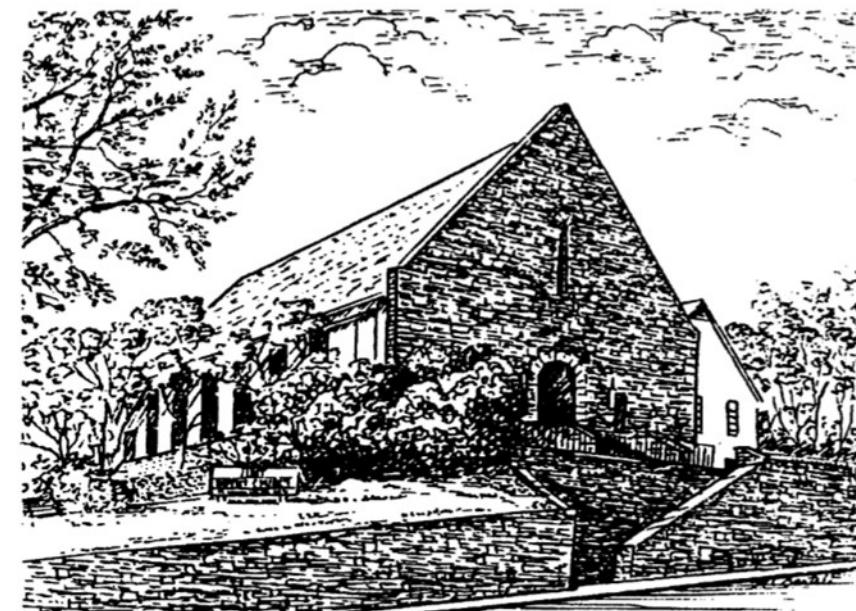
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TRYON, NC



MARCH 15, 2020

ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP
THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

March 15, 2020 Eleven O'clock

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Opportunities of the Week Jodi Harris

Trinity Chime John Spinks

Call to Worship *Open the Eyes of My Heart* OPEN THE EYES
*Open the eyes of my heart, Lord. Open the eyes of my heart;
I want to see you; I want to see you;
Open the eyes of my heart, Lord. Open the eyes of my heart;
I want to see you; I want to see you.*

Opening Words Jeff Harris
Lord, teach us to pray.
So we might realize that life is a gift.
So we might live with gratitude.
So we might be your people.
Lord, teach us to pray.

Voluntary *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go* -Peace/Larson

Invocation Jacob Weaver

†Hymn 379 *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* HOLY MANNA

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

Children's Time Jodi Harris
First-graders and under may leave for Children's Church
after the Children's Time.

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

†Hymn 68 *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need* RESIGNATION

Matthew 6:5-13 Jeff Harris
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Give us this day our daily bread . . ." Jeff Harris

RESPONDING IN FAITH

†Hymn 58 *Like A River Glorious* WYE VALLEY
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 Hilda Pleasants

Offering and Meditation -Larson
My Savior's Love

†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

Call to Prayer *Open the Eyes of My Heart* OPEN THE EYES

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

Anthem *Peace In the Valley* -Dorsey/Shackley

†Benediction Jeff Harris

†Congregational Response -Brad Stephens

May the Spirit Bind Us Together
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 *Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness* -Page

†Please stand if you are able.

Lord, Teach Us to Pray—A Lenten Sermon Series

March 1 Our Father . . .
March 8 Thy kingdom come . . .
March 15 Give us this day our daily bread. . .
March 22 And forgive us our trespasses . . .
March 29 And lead us not into temptation . . .
April 5 For thine is the kingdom . . .

Easter Egg Hunt, April 5 at 4pm

Egg Hunt on the green space at the Fine Arts Center for children up
through 5th grade. Egg Toss, Crafts and Treats in the Activity Building.

Meals for Bob and Judy Lair. Anyone who is interested in provid-
ing a meal for Bob and Judy may give a gift certificate through Patty
Compton, a chef who has been working with the Lairs for some time.
If you would like to help, you can make a check out directly to Patty
Compton and mail it to her at 300 Harmon Field Road, Tryon, NC
28782. Please include your name, and mark your check for the Lairs.
If you need assistance, you may contact Joan Feagan.

VBS Volunteers. We are already thinking about summer at First Bap-
tist! Vacation Bible School Is August 3-6 from 9am-12pm. This year's
theme is *God's Great Big Beautiful World!* Will you help us make this
week a meaningful learning experience for our children? Many ways
to serve . . .group leaders, music, crafts, snacks, games, registration,
drama, props, etc. Please sign up to help at the entrance table, or
contact Jodi Harris at (828) 447-1157.