

<i>The Worship of God</i>		
July 15, 2018	Eighth Sunday	
The Gathering		
“Hear No Evil, See No Evil, Speak No Evil originated in the 17 th century. Among Buddhists, the proverb means to be of good mind, speech and action. In the Western world, both the proverb and the image are often used to refer to a lack of moral responsibility on the part of people who look the other way on evil deeds. Within organized crime, it can signify a code of silence.”		
Pre-Service Music	Dr. Bill Blackerby	
Prelude	“Voluntary in G”	Henry Coleman
Choral Introit	“All Creatures of Our God and King”	arr. Freeman
Opening of the Bible	Cameron Maddox	
Call to Worship	Ethan Fulbright	
Leader: Why have you gathered here?		
People: We have responded to the gospel of God’s love for us in Jesus Christ.		
Leader: What do you hope to do here?		
People: We hope to be united with the faithful of all ages, tongues, and races in praising the God of love and power.		
Leader: With what mission will you be sent from this place?		
People: To be God’s servants in serving humanity, to spread the gospel, and to resist the powers of evil.		
Hymn No. 99	“When Morning Gilds the Skies”	DOMINI
Lighting of the Christ Candle		
The Children’s Time	Jen-Fuller Allen	
Christian Greetings	Phil Ryalls	
Scripture Reading	Amos 5:12-24; Romans 12: 9-21	

Hymn No. 669	“God of Grace and God of Glory”	RHONDDA
Morning Prayer		
Anthem	“Eternal Life”	Sticlkes
Sermon	“Hear No Evil, See No Evil, Speak No Evil”	Rev. Tommy Wilson
Hymn No. 710	“We Are Called to Be God’s People”	HYMN
Offertory Prayer		
Josh Boyle		
The Offertory	“Prayer”	Carl F. Mueller
Doxology	OLD HUNDREDTH	
Choral Benediction	“May the Grace of Christ Our Savior”	arr. Freeman
Postlude	“Passamezzo”	Samuel Scheidt
Today’s Lay Reader is Jim Tate		
Musicians for Today’s Service		
Beverly Khemlani, Organist		Sanctuary Choir
Budget Update		
Received last week: \$7,943.85		
Year-to-date deficit as of June 30 th : \$31,628.09		
FBC-Friends		
Are you receiving a weekly email from FBC-Friends? If not, please send us your email address.		
Celebrating New Life		
The rosebud in the vestibule is in honor of the birth of Maeson Cole Perkins on July 9 th . Proud grandparents are William and Michelle Hopkins. Big sister is Zowe Lilly		

This Week at First Baptist

Every Sunday at 9 a.m.

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Prayer Ministry in the Conference Room

Finance Meeting in the Parlor

Coffee and fellowship on the Second Floor

Book Bags

We will be collecting book bags and school supplies this summer for deserving children in Lexington and Davidson County.

Right Now Media

Right Now Media is an online resource featuring literally thousands of Christian videos, Bible Studies, Leadership Enrichment, Parenting, Money Management and more. Our Deacons are providing this great resource to our congregation for a year. You should have already received an email asking you to join this resource. There is no cost to you, this is a gift to our church from our Diaconate. If you have not received an email, contact the church office.

Junior/Senior Meal

The Junior/Senior Adults will meet July 19th at 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for a covered dish meal along with fried chicken that will be provided. Bingo will be played afterwards. Please contact Sharon Palmer if you plan on attending at 336-798-1369 or 336-239-2696.

Vacation Bible School

VBS is coming up soon! All preschoolers thru 5th graders are invited to join us as we travel to Babylon with Daniel and his friends. VBS is from July 30-August 2 from 5:30 to 8:00 pm. You may register at vbspro.events/p/53303d.

We still need volunteers! If you are able to help lead a group, a station, or provide a meal let us know!

July 15th **Bed Babies-** M/M Don Watson; **2-4 Year Olds-** M/M Kevin Brown

July 22nd **Bed Babies-** Donna Routh/Wendy Walker; **2-4 Year Olds-** Sandra Blackwelder/Crystal Alexander

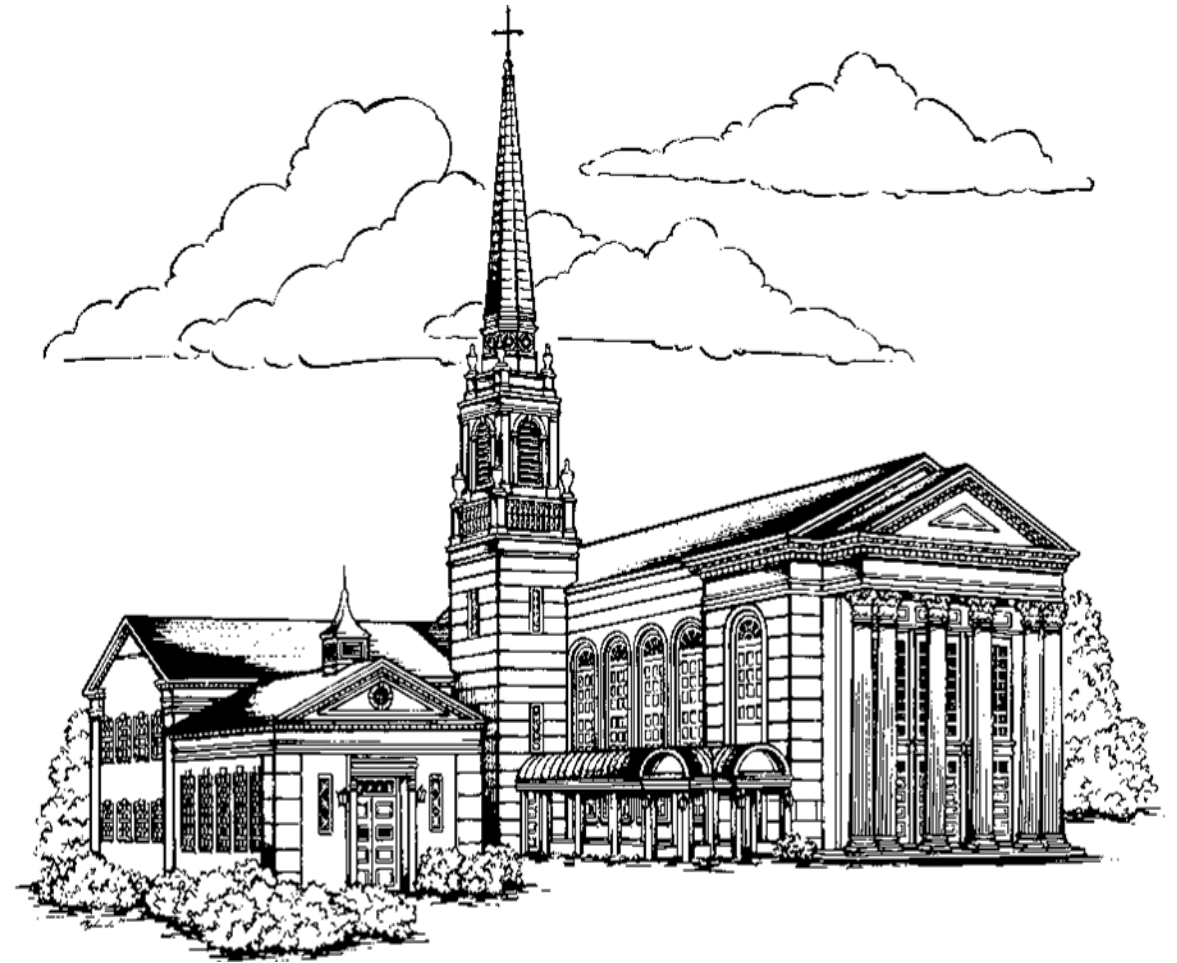
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