

The Worship of God

April 7, 2019Fifth Sunday in Lent

The Gathering

“Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?” Isaiah 43:18-19

Prelude“Just a Closer Walk With Thee”FolkTune

Choral Introit“Oh Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down”arr. FREEMANOpening of the BibleEaston Boyle

Call to WorshipDrew LingerfeltLeader: "I have not already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me.”People: Lord of our days and our ways, we are reminded that we are on our Lenten spiritual journeys.Leader: "Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead...”People: Bless us, Lord, with a holy forgetfulness.Leader: "I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.”People: Holy Spirit, for the journey still ahead, fill us with faith, hope, and love. Remind us of who and Whose we are!

Hymn No. 22“Come We That Love the Lord”ST. THOMASLighting the Christ Candle

The Children’s Time

Christian Greetings

Hymn No. 212“What Wondrous Love Is This?”WONDROUS LOVE

Scripture LessonPhilippians 3:4-14

Hymn No. 519“It Is Well with My Soul”VILLE DU HAVRE

Scripture LessonJohn 12:1-8

Morning Prayer

Anthem“The Upper Room”Besig

Sermon“We’ve Never Done It That Way Before”Rev. J. Randy Hall

Offertory PrayerDon Watson

The Offertory“He Touched Me”Gaither

DoxologyOLD HUNDREDTH

Choral Benediction“An Old Irish Blessing”arr. RICHARDSON

Postlude“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”Darwell

Today’s Lay Reader is Connie Russell

Music for Today’s Service

Mike Hendrix, OrganistSanctuary Choir

Christian Sympathy

Heartfelt Christian sympathy is extended to the family of Sarah Vick who passed away on March 30, 2019.

Budget Update

Received Last Week: \$6,158.35

Weekly Amount Needed: \$13,608.64

YTD Deficit as of Last Week: \$26,123.61

This Week at First Baptist

Today at 9 a.m. Prayer Ministry in the Conference Room
Today at 9 a.m. VBS Organizational Meeting in Fellowship Hall
Today at 9:30 a.m. Coffee and fellowship on the Second Floor
Today at 6 p.m. Snack Supper in the FH followed by youth activities
Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir in Music Suite

Touching Davidson County with Love

This Saturday at 7 a.m., we will join churches across Davidson County in Touching Davidson County with Love. Check out the downstairs bulletin board to see where you can participate. We are also collecting large print Bibles and incontinence briefs/pull ups for all sizes.

Wednesday Night Meal

The Missions Committee will sponsor a discussion about the church's Budgeted Missions Giving following our Wednesday night meal. We will enjoy quiches assorted (Lorraine, Broccoli & Cheese, etc.) assorted salads and dessert. Committee members will review the current allocations and lead a discussion with church members about their priorities. Of special interest will be feedback about local agencies the church supports and any that members would like to fund. Comments can be emailed to committee chairman Chad Killebrew at killebrews@triad.rr.com. Reservations are necessary by noon on Monday. Please remember if you make a reservation and do not cancel by noon on Monday you are responsible to pay the cost of your dinner.

Senior Adult Service

Senior Adult Sunday is planned for April 28 followed by a meal in the fellowship hall. Please contact Sharon Palmer for reservations and more information 336-798-1369.

Vacation Bible School

It is time to start planning for an exciting VBS, on June 24-27. Volunteers are needed in many areas. If you are available to help in anyway please contact Eryn Myers at 336-250-8363 or at jegwmyers@triad.rr.com

Crisis Ministry Donations

Soup and jelly donations are needed for Crisis Ministry. Please consider picking up these extra items when you are at the grocery store. There is a basket by the elevator into which you may place your donated items.

Randy Hall's Contact Number

Our interim Associate Minister Randy Hall's correct cell number is 336-250-2402.

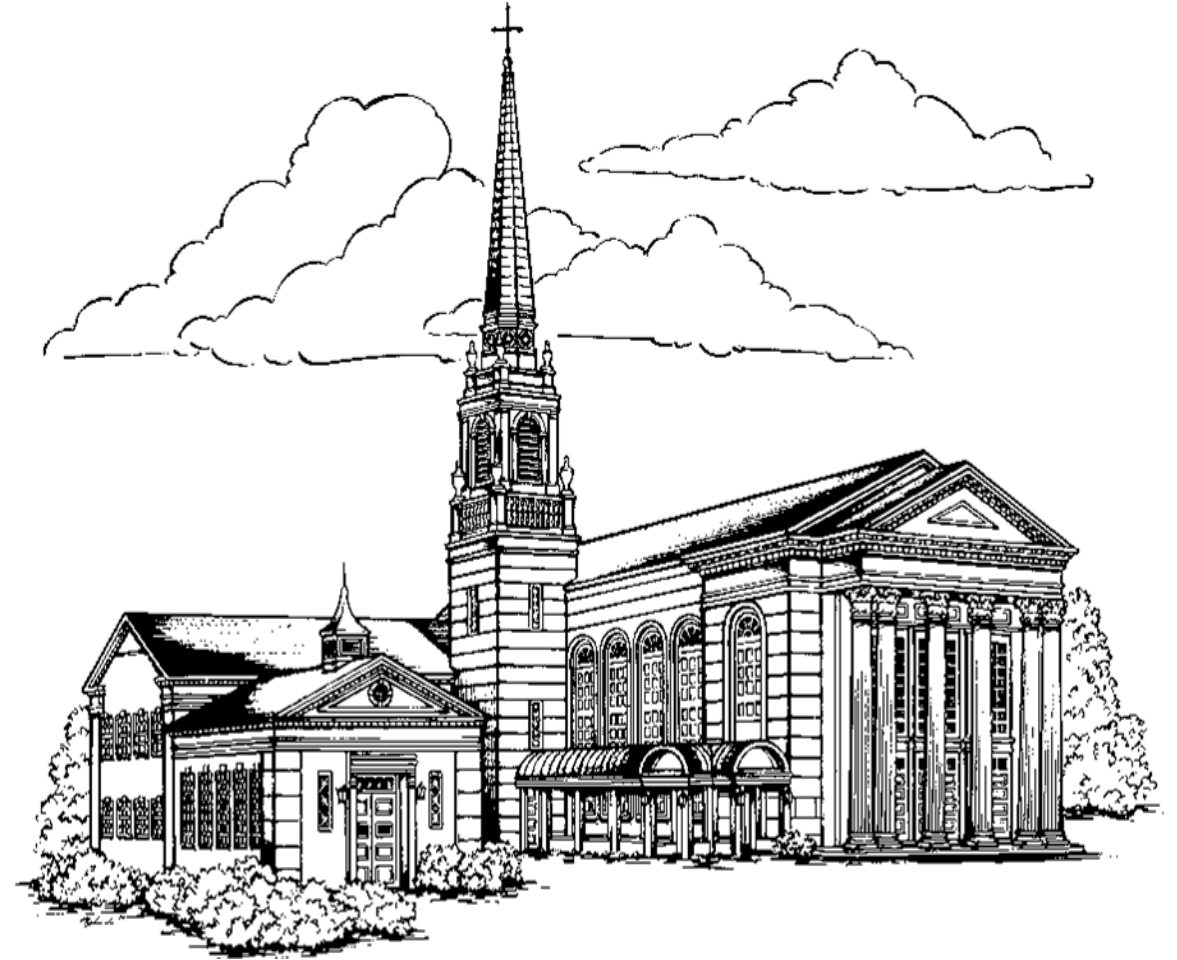
April 7th **Bed Babies-** M/M William Fulbright
2-4 Year Olds- M/M Josh Boyle
April 14th **Bed Babies-** Jen Fuller Allen, Brooke Williams
2-4 Year Olds- Donna Sink, Ben Bishop

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