

A Service of Worship

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 21, 2019

11:00 a.m.

With Hearts and Voices

Welcome Jerry Perdue

Ritual of Friendship Rev. Libby Grammer

Prelude *Prelude in G* Brahms
Baxter Jennings, organist

*Call to Worship Jerry Perdue

Leader: We join together to focus on our God;

People: We lay aside our anxieties and burdens as our driving forces.

Leader: We join together to worship in heart and mind;

People: We lay aside our lists and plans as our motivations.

Leader: We join together to serve and to love;

People: We gather our gifts to point to the One who leads us.

*Invocation & Lord's Prayer

**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, forever.
Amen.**

*Hymn 99 *When Morning Gilds the Skies* LAUDES DOMNI

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 15 (pg.470) Judy Epperly

The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God.**

*Gospel Lesson Luke 10: 38-42 (pg.903)

The Gospel of our Lord; **Praise be to you, O Christ.**

*Please stand as you are able.

Call to Prayer *O Taste and See* Williams

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is:
Blest is the man that trusteth in Him.

Morning Prayer Rev. Libby Grammer

With Open Hands

*Hymn 568 *Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated* HENDON

Prayer of Dedication Ross Gale

Offertory *Be Thou My Vision* Bohnhorst

Gathering of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn 809 *Doxology* OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow:
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

With Teachable Minds

Anthem *10,000 Reasons* arr. Larson

*Refrain: 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.*

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning, it's time to sing your song again. Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me, let me be singing when the evening comes.

Refrain

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger. Your name is great and your heart is kind. For all your goodness, I will keep on singing; ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

Refrain

And on that day when my strength is failing, the end draws near and my time has come; still my soul will sing your praise unending ten thousand years and then forever more!

Refrain

Sermon *Focused Service* Rev. Grammer

With Obedient Feet

*Hymn 540 *Take Time to Be Holy* HOLINESS

*Benediction Rev. Grammer

*Benediction Response *Amen* Dresden

Postlude *Fugue in G* Brahms

This is the season after Pentecost in the Christian year. Having celebrated the "birthday of the church" through the giving of the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost, we enter the Season after Pentecost for 24 weeks, to celebrate the existence of the church and recall her mission in the world. The liturgical color for the season is green, symbolic of the church's growth and mission.

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The Rose on the Lord's Table is in honor of Booker Clark Rood, born on July 1, 2019. His adoptive parents are John and Annette Rood and his grandparents are Jean and Cliff Rood.

Prayer Reminder

CHURCH FAMILY: John Abbott, Wes Barrow, Mary Alice Bowman, Karen Doss, Martha Drane, John Fulcher, Jean and Boyd Gray, Betty Jennings, George Lester, Mary Lou McGoldrick, Marvin Midkiff, Betty Minter, Betty Prillaman, Hal Prillaman, Jimmie Sexton, Benny and Betty Shires, Gayle Williams.

MISSIONARY PRAYER: Lita and Rick Sample, San Francisco Bay Area, California. Lita and Rick serve with the international and refugee community in the San Francisco Bay Area of California, being the presence of Christ through relationship building, evangelism, and outreach. This area is a diverse region where more than 100 languages are spoken and Lita and Rick seek to minister holistically to the international community, including immigrants and refugees from Afghanistan, China, Iran, Pakistan, Yemen, India, and Turkey.

Opportunities for the Week

Sunday, July 21

9:45 a.m. Sunday School in Fellowship Hall

11:00 a.m. Worship

3:00 p.m. Cross Necklace Workshop, Room 105

Monday, July 22

10:00 a.m. Children's Chapel

IN APPRECIATION: FLOWER FUND: A gift has been given in memory of Pam Caudill's sister, Charlotte Davis, by Edith Bolen.

Worship Care Schedule

Sunday, July 21st - Marsha & Ronnie Garren
Sunday, July 28th - Roslyn Wingett & Linda Gale

JULY BIRTHDAYS: 20 Ruth Dandridge, 21 George Draper, Patrick Drane, 23 Catherine Collins, 24 Betty Allen Hall, Max Hall, Joshua Penta, 25 Sue Lester, Samuel Penta, 26 Debbie Stokes, 29 Linda Cox, Nancy Arnold, Stephens Turner, William Underwood.

Deacons of the Month

Each month, two deacons will be "Deacons of the Month," serving to welcome visitors with a home visit and/or call and welcoming any new members. Additionally, if your deacon is unavailable, you are welcome to call one of our Deacons of the Month, who will be assisting our pastor with visitation as needed.

**July's Deacons of the Month are: Roslyn Wingett
Jean Rood**

Cross Necklace Workshop, TODAY at 3:00 p.m.

A Cross Necklace Workshop will be held in Room 105 across from the church office. Everyone is invited to attend and help with this mission project.

4 Sundays @ 4 Organ Concert Series

July 28th at First United Methodist Church
Jill Gardner, Director of Music Ministries at First United Methodist Church will be performing.



Back2school is gearing up to celebrate the 12th year of their outreach event that has served over 21,000 kids with efforts of over 19+ churches across our communities. This program provides local children with a new pair of shoes, socks, and a backpack with supplies.

First Baptist Church, along with other churches in the area, helps to make this event a success.

Registration Tuesday, July 23 (6-8 p.m.)
at Albert Harris Elementary
Big Event Setup Thursday, August 1
at Albert Harris Elementary
The Big Event Saturday, August 3 (starting at 7:30 a.m.)

New Church Website is Live!

www.fbcmartinsville.com

For months now, our church has been working with Faithlab, a church website development company, to redesign our website for usability and a fresh look. We now have a better web presence than ever. You will find more information on the site, shareable pages and a pastor's blog, and you'll even be able to give online!

Bringing our website up-to-date is one of many steps to engaging our community and the world with our ministries. Now that the site is up, I hope you'll share it with friends and acquaintances in the area through word of mouth, through sharing the site via email, and through sharing the site via social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.).

Make sure you also note that staff email addresses have changed along with this new website:

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Mission Statement:

The congregation of First Baptist Church, led by the Holy Spirit, covenants to worship Almighty God and to be disciples of Jesus Christ. Consistent with the Great Commission, we will share our spiritual gifts beyond our doors with enthusiasm, generosity, and grace.



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Season After Pentecost