Framing a New Picture for Ministry

We Come Prepared to Worship

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

To care for the needs of all who mourn in Zion, give them bouquets of roses instead of ashes, messages of joy instead of news of doom, a praising heart instead of a languid spirit.

Rename them "Oaks of Righteousness" planted by GOD to display his glory.

- Isaiah 61:3, The Message

PRELUDE "How Firm a Foundation" (Arr. J. D. Payne)

WORDS OF WELCOME Adrienne Hatton

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

"Mighty to Save"
"Blessings"
"Facing a Task Unfinished"

[Please sign and pass the pew registration pad to those seated next to you. Prayer cards can be found in the pews. You may place these in the offering to share with the church staff.]

CALL TO WORSHIP L – Jerald Hatton **P – People**

L – The work of our hands,

P – Our labor of care.

L – The sound of our smiles.

P – The color of our songs.

L – Our open hand,

P – Our tender embrace,

L – Loving God,

P – By loving the world,

L – Caring for all people,

P – Especially the poor, the young, the forgotten.

L – Loving God,

P – By caring for creation.

*HYMN "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" No. 52

*INVOCATION

ANTHEM "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" Quartet (Walker Williams)

VIDEO "Breathe" RightNow Media

*HYMN "Glorify Your Name" No. 10

{During the hymn, children age 4 – Grade 3 are dismissed to Children's Worship}

UNISON OFFERING PRAYER

Jennifer Kelley

"Let us laugh so much, O God, that we become Laughter, Let us sing so much that we become Song – Let us give so much that we become Gift. Amen."

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Be Still My Soul" Matt Hamon

(Arr. Greg Howlett)

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER Rev. Dwight Bolick

MESSAGE "Becoming Oaks of Righteousness" Rev. Dwight Bolick

Isaiah 61:1-4

*HYMN "Into My Heart" No. 444

-During the hymn those who would like to profess their faith in Jesus Christ or transfer church membership to First Baptist are encouraged to come forward.

The Pastor will meet you at the front of the sanctuary.-

*BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

POSTLUDE "O Almighty and Merciful God"

(R. J. Powell)

We Depart to Serve

*All who are able may stand

Please remember to turn off your cell phone. All songs copied by permission CCLI # 167629

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

TODAY, August 12

9:30 am - Worship

10:45 am – Sunday School

10:45 am – 2nd Hr. Elective: Scripture or Tradition (Chapel)

11:45 am – 5K Planning Team

MONDAY, August 13

4:00 pm – Prayer Group in Prayer Room 7:00 pm – Missions Team (conference room)

TUESDAY, August 14

12:00 pm – Prayer Shawl Ministry 7:00 pm – Health Care Team

WEDNESDAY, August 15

Newsletter Deadline

7:00 pm – Chancel Choir begins

THURSDAY, August 16

9:00-1:30 pm – SCIHE (Home School) begins

SATURDAY, August 18

8:30 am - Council Retreat (Public Library)

NEXT SUNDAY, August 19

9:30 am – Worship, Rev. Jordan Morris

10:30 am - Special Called Business Meeting

10:45 am – Sunday School

10:45 am – 2nd Hr. Elective: Scripture or Tradition (Chapel)

LOOKING AHEAD

Aug. 26 - Coffee Fellowship (pitch-in: last names N-Z)

Aug. 26 – 5K Planning Team (11:45 am)

Aug. 29 – BSF Class Workshop (8:00 am)

Sept. 4 – Hannah Circle (2:00 pm)

Sept. 7 – Men of Faith Bible Study begins (6:15 am)

(at Four Seasons)

Sept. 9 – 5K Planning Team (11:45 am)

Sept. 9 – Welcome Home Picnic for Cash Family (12 pm)

Sept. 12 – Four Seasons Mending (9:00 am)

Sept. 15 – Newsletter Deadline

Sept. 15 – SEEDS of Love 5K Run/Walk (8:00 am)

Welcome to First Baptist Church!

To Our Guests: We are delighted to have you worship with us. Please take a moment to sign the registration pad located in the pews.

Prayer Cards in the pew rack may be used for prayer requests. You may place these in the offering to share with the church staff.

Welcome Center: Please stop at the Welcome Center in the Narthex and check out the information available about our congregation and ministry.

Child Care/Children's Ministries: Children's Church is provided for toddlers & pre-school age children. Child Care is provided for infants. Nursery & toddler rooms are located on the lower level.

Flowers/Decorations: Please fill out a card at the Welcome Desk if you would like to give flowers to honor someone or recognize a special day. Please place it in the offering plate along with \$25.

Hearing assistance devices are available. Please see an usher. Find us online at www.fbccolumbus.org and Like Us on Facebook.

Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Daniel Cash, Senior Pastor; Joyce Crowder, Minister of Music Laura Friedrich, Administrative Assistant Donna Tull, Organist; Carla Williams, Pianist; Dortha Anderson, Librarian Barry Ferrill, Jeremy Martin, Custodians; Melissa Hernandez, Nursery Care Supervisor 812 376-3321 – www.fbccolumbus.org



August 12, 2018

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"Connect.. Grow.. Serve"



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Our guest in the Pulpit: Rev. Dwight Bolick and his wife Barbara, American Baptist missionaries, work with the Mapuche churches in Southern Chile in the areas of economic and leadership development. They have been serving in Chile since 1999.

2ND HOUR ELECTIVE – TODAY (and Aug. 19) – IN THE CHAPEL "Scripture or Tradition"

As people of the Word, we often think that all of our practices are Bible-based. These sessions explore that notion, seeing what is biblically-based and what comes from our Christian traditions. Led by Kip Wright.

UPCOMING ELECTIVE:

Sept. 2: "Through Different Frames"

Larry Mayfield will interview Rev. Robert & Mrs. Jean Langdon

AUGUST PHOTO CHALLENGE: "Sacred Spaces at First Baptist Church"



In August you're invited to participate in a Photo Challenge theme of "Sacred Spaces at First Baptist Church." Our beautiful sanctuary is a logical place to start, but also seek out those many other places, inside or out, with special meaning for you. Please post only new photos that you have taken to fbcphotos47@gmail.com and/or to Facebook and Instagram. See Sabbatical booklet for more details.

SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING SUNDAY, AUGUST 19 IMMEDIATELY AFTER WORSHIP

We will hold a vote regarding the name change.

The Body of Christ Prays For...

- Homebound Members; Military Personnel & Families
- Cecil Workman, Linda Workman, Verna West, Clyde Mayfield

Happy Birthday: Forest Daugherty (8/16); Don Hughes (8/19)

Happy Anniversary: Ron & Peggy Lane (8/15/59); Bill & Lois Griffith (8/18/62);

John & Jan Stafford (8/18/62); Ken & Donna Tull (8/18/62)

Flowers: Ron & Peggy Lane in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

Emergency Responder – Joyce Briggs

Cookie Ministry – Marsha Daugherty

Pastoral Care Team for this week – Janet Bailey & Alice Richmond

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN MOBILE PACK EVENT

This year's Feed My Starving Children Mobile Pack Event will be Friday & Saturday, September 7 & 8 at Asbury United Methodist Church. Sign-up at the Welcome Desk or contact: Dave Stehouwer at dmstehouwer@gmail.com, or call 812-350-2454.

IT'S TIME TO SIGN UP TO HELP WITH THE SEEDS OF LOVE 5K RUN/WALK

We need a lot of helpers for race day (Sept. 15). Please sign up to help at the table in the Narthex.



COMING IN SEPTEMBER—MEN OF FAITH BIBLE STUDY



"Regime Change: Your Kingdom come..."

Study Begins Friday, Sept. 7, at 6:15 a.m. Four Seasons Retirement Center – Breakfast available \$5.00–\$6.00

Study Guide books will be available soon.

IT'S TIME TO SIGN UP FOR A HANDBELL CHOIR

Contact Joyce if you are interested. All persons (any age) are invited to join either group:

Jubilation Ringers - Mondays 1:00-2:00 pm - Beginning September 10 **Glad Ringers** - Sundays 5:00-6:00 pm - Beginning September 9