

Be-Attitudes

We Come Prepared to Worship

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

“The religious system of his day left the multitudes out, but Jesus welcomed them all into his kingdom. Anyone could come as well as any other. They still can. That is the gospel of the Beattitudes.” – Dallas Willard, The Divine Conspiracy

PRELUDE

“Canticle on ‘Kingsfold’”  
(Arr. Sondra Tucker)

Glad Ringers

WORDS OF WELCOME

Kip & Lianne Wright

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

“Here I Am to Worship”  
“By Faith”

L – “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.  
**P – “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.**  
L – “Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.  
**P – “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.**  
L – “Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.  
**P – “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.**  
L – “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.  
**P – “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

[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.]

\*HYMN

“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”  
(Verses 1 & 2)

No. 52

\*INVOCATION

BAPTISM

Connie Poling

ANTHEM

“Hallelujah”  
(Arr. Rob Landes)

String Quartet  
Alayna & Kyla Peters  
Kathryn Tuttle & Vanessa Edwards

{Children age 4–Grade 6 are dismissed to downstairs learning in the Drama Room 101}  
{Parents please come to room 101 to pick up your children following worship.}

ANTHEM

“When in Our Music God Is Glorified”  
(Arr. Mary McDonald)

Reunion Chancel Choir

\*HYMN

“God Is So Good”

No. 75

OFFERING PRAYER

Jeff Caldwell

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“They Who Wait for the Lord”  
(John Carter)

Chancel Choir  
Clarinet, Zach Crowder

Commissioned by FBC, Columbus, Indiana in honor of Joyce Crowder, Minister of Music celebrating her leadership as President of the Fellowship of American Baptist Musicians, 2005-2006.  
Premiered at The Conference for Church Musicians, Green Lake, WI, July 2005.  
Published by Augsburg Fortress 2010.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

“Reminiscence”  
(Michael Glasgow)

Glad Ringers

The opportunity to celebrate the things of the past  
and be renewed to live the life God lays ahead of us.

MESSAGE

“Be-Attitudes”  
Matthew 5:1-20

Pastor Dan Cash

\*HYMN

“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”  
(Verses 1 & 2)

No. 539

-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

“When In Our Music God is Glorified”  
(Arr. S. M. Wallace)

We Depart to Serve

\*All who are able may stand

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**Please remember to turn off your cell phone.** All songs copied by permission CCLI # 167629  
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## THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

### TODAY, Jan. 27

9:30 am – Worship  
10:45 am – Celebration Reception  
for Joyce Crowder  
11:15 am – Community/Family Life Team (Chapel)

### MONDAY, Jan. 28

4:00 pm – Prayer Group (Prayer Room)

### TUESDAY, Jan. 29

9:00 am – BSF Leaders  
10:00 am – Staff Meeting  
12:00 pm – Prayer Shawl Ministry  
5:30 pm – Worship Pastor Search Committee

### WEDNESDAY, Jan. 30

9:00 am – BSF  
6:00 pm – Winter Learning Series  
7:00 pm – Chancel Choir

### THURSDAY, Jan. 31

9:00-1:30 pm – SCIHE (Home School)

### FRIDAY, Feb. 1

6:15 am – Men of Faith Bible Study (at Four Seasons)

### NEXT SUNDAY, Feb. 3

9:30 am – Worship, “Treasure in Heaven,” Matthew 6:7-21,  
Pastor Dan Cash  
10:45 am – 2<sup>nd</sup> Hour Classes  
5:00 pm – WAVE

### LOOKING AHEAD

Feb. 5 – Worship Planning Team (5:30 pm)  
Feb. 7 – Adult Education Team (6:00 pm)  
Feb. 10 – Sermon Conversation (during 2<sup>nd</sup> Hour)  
Feb. 15 – Newsletter Deadline  
Feb. 17 – Blood Pressure Screening (before/after worship)  
Feb. 19 – Church Council (7:00 pm)  
Feb. 24 – Annual Meeting (10:30 am)  
Feb. 24 – Pitch-In Coffee Fellowship (last names J-P)  
Feb. 26 – Abigail Circle (7:00 pm)



FIRST BAPTIST  
COLUMBUS  
JOIN OUR *Family* OF FAITH



January 27, 2019

***First Baptist Church***  
***3300 Fairlawn Drive***  
***Columbus, Indiana***

**“Connect . . Grow . . Serve”**

## **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 Information:** Information about our congregation & ministry is available on the back ledge of the sanctuary or through one of the greeters.

**Child Care/Children’s Ministries:** Child Care is provided for infants & toddlers. Children, age 4-grade 6 are dismissed early in worship to share a time of faith formation during the worship hour. Children’s area is located on the lower level. **Parents remember to pick up your children in room 101 after worship.**

**Flowers/Decorations:** Please fill out a card located on the back ledge of the sanctuary 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.firstbaptistcolumbus.org](http://www.firstbaptistcolumbus.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, Custodian; Melissa Hernandez, Nursery Care Supervisor  
812 376-3321 – [www.firstbaptistcolumbus.org](http://www.firstbaptistcolumbus.org)

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**MESSENGER EXTRA**  
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**The Body of Christ Prays For...**

- Homebound Members; Military Personnel & Families
- Don Hughes, Linda & Cecil Workman, Heidi Putterill

**Happy Birthday:** Betty Euler (1/23); Ken Greenlee (1/26); Daniel Greene (1/28)

**Happy Anniversary:** Shorty & Ro Whittington (1/27/68)

**Emergency Responder** – Mike Compton

**Cookie Ministry** – Janet Bailey

**Pastoral Care Team for this week** – Daryl & Dot McMath

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**FISH Project for Love Chapel – Please give generously!**

**TODAY** is the last Sunday we are collecting monetary donations for the Love Chapel Food Pantry. Let's make sure that the shelves are overflowing with abundant goodness for our neighbors. Collected so far: \$1155. Gratefully, The Missions Team

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**2<sup>ND</sup> HOUR CLASSES** will not meet today.

**Please join us for the Celebration Reception following worship in Fellowship Hall, in honor of Joyce Crowder on her retirement.**

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**COMMUNITY AND FAMILY LIFE TEAM MEETING – TODAY**  
**11:15 a.m. ~ In the Chapel**

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**WINTER LEARNING SERIES CONTINUES ON WED., JAN. 30**  
**This Week's Leader: Rev. Jon Carlstrom**  
**Topic: *Stephen's Witness* - Acts 6**

Who was Stephen and what made him special? What was his calling to the church? Stephen's witness is one piece in the movement that will take Christianity beyond a sect of Judaism to the world stage through the conversion of Saul to Paul. It is through Stephen that we come to meet Saul who consents to Stephen's death in Acts 8:1.

Acts 6: 1-7 introduces us to Stephen brings him forward to his ministry and witness in the early church. Acts 6: 8-15 reveals his character and witness. We shall see his Spirit-filled character.

How will Stephen's witness help us share our faith in today's world?

**If you didn't get a schedule, please pick one up from the literature ledge.**

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**4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Giving Statements** are available on the literature ledge.

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**ANNUAL MEETING**  
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Our Annual Congregational Meeting has been rescheduled to Sunday, February 24 and will be held after worship and prior to our Coffee Fellowship that day.

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**VOLUNTEERS AND VEHICLES NEEDED**

Volunteers & vehicles are needed on **Sat., Feb. 9 from 9:00-10:30 a.m.** to pick up bulk food items at Aldi and deliver to Love Chapel Food Pantry. Youth welcomed. If you can help, please phone or text Jim Reid (309-648-2169) or Bob Hoffman (608-219-6006).

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**COOKIE MINISTRY**

Please sign up today (at the Welcome Desk) for a month with the Cookie Ministry. Participants take cookies, a mug of candy, and information about our church to guests who have visited several times. This visit at the door is an expression of hospitality meant to encourage guests to return. If you would like to give this ministry a try contact Janet Bailey. Training will be available.

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**2019 State American Baptist Women's Ministries of Indiana**  
**Scholarship Application**

All undergraduate college students, incoming and current, who are members of an American Baptist Church are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Application forms are available in the church office, and must include a statement of purpose, letters from a teacher who has had you in class, a minister, an American Baptist Woman and a transcript of grades (3.0 grade average on a 4.0 scale required). All first, second, third and fourth year students will be considered equally. Scholarships are granted on the basis of dedication, financial need, and scholastic ability. **Deadline for mailing: Feb. 15.**

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**ANNOUNCING A NEW GROW GROUP**

***A Couple's Guide to a Growing Marriage***, a guide to a deeper relationship with your spouse and God, by Gray Chapman, will begin Tuesday evening, February 12. It will be every other week in the Chapel at 6:00 pm. Arrangements are being made for child care. All couples are welcome to participate. Those interested should contact Alice Richmond or Missy Zimmerman so we can order books.

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**Men of Faith to Begin New Study**

Men are invited to join on Fridays at 6:15 a.m. as Pastor Dan leads a study titled **"The Days of Elijah."** We will explore several narratives in I Kings that involve the Old Testament prophet Elijah, a key figure in the history of Israel and scriptures. A study guide is available for this study on the literature ledge in the Sanctuary. Men of Faith meets in the private dining room at the Four Seasons Retirement Community.

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