

# At the Lord's Table

## We Come Prepared to Worship

### THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

*"I have always been complaining that my work was constantly interrupted, until I slowly discovered that my interruptions were my work."* - Notre Dame professor, as quoted by Henri Nouwen.

### PRELUDE

"Just a Closer Walk with Thee"  
(Arr. Patti Drennan)

### WORDS OF WELCOME

[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.]

### PRAISE SONGS

"This is Amazing Grace"  
"Breathe"

{Children ages 4 through 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.}

### CALL TO WORSHIP

L – Linda Foster

P – People

L: Lord, come into our hearts today.

**P: Heal us from all our pain.**

L: Lord, come into our lives today.

**P: Bring us hope and peace.**

L: Come, let us worship God who brings hope and peace.

**P: Praise be to God for God's healing mercies.**

### OPENING PRAYER

Linda Foster

### \*HYMN

"To God Be the Glory"

#72

### WORSHIP THROUGH OFFERINGS

Offering Prayer

Anthem Offertory

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

Chancel Choir

### SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 5:21-43

Linda Foster

### MESSAGE

"Pardon the Interruption"

Pastor Cash

### \*COMMUNION HYMN

"As Your Family, Lord, Meet Us Here"  
(Tune: Kum Ba Yah)

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## COMMUNION AT THE LORD'S TABLE

Video Invitation to Communion "Come to the Table"

Prayers at the Table including The Lord's Prayer

Sharing the Bread

"Here, I My Lord"  
(Lani Smith)

Sharing the Cup

"A Prayer of Need"  
(Penny Rodriguez)

### \*HYMN

"Living for Jesus a Life That is True"

#569 (vv 1-2)

- 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

"March"  
(Arr. James Mansfield)

### 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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### The Body of Christ Prays For...

- Homebound Members; Military Personnel & Families
- Heidi Putterill, Randy Wheeler, Donita Compton, Donna Tull, Alvin Arbuckle, and Our Worship/Music Leader Search Team/Process

Happy Birthday: Margaret Nelson (2/5) & Jeannie Wheeler (2/7)

Emergency Responder – Terri Ketterling

Cookie Ministry – Linda Reid

Pastoral Care Team for this week – Carolyn Baker & Sue Hoffman

### 2<sup>ND</sup> HOUR CLASSES TODAY

ASF Class – Fellowship Hall

"Single-Minded Obedience" – Matthew 4:1-11 – Leader: Lois Griffith

J.O.Y. Class – Prayer Room

Youth (grades 7-12) – Fellowship/Study Time  
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**THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST**

**TODAY, February 2**

9:30 am – Worship  
10:45 am – 2<sup>nd</sup> Hour

**MONDAY, February 3**

4:00 pm – Prayer Group

**TUESDAY, February 4**

9:00 am – BSF Leaders  
11:30 am – Prayer Shawl Ministry  
2:00 pm – Hannah Circle

**WEDNESDAY, February 5**

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

**THURSDAY, February 6**

Cleaning Kitchen area (a.m.)

**FRIDAY, February 7**

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

**NEXT SUNDAY, February 9**

9:30 am – Worship  
10:45 am – 2<sup>nd</sup> Hour

**LOOKING AHEAD**

Feb. 12 – Four Seasons Mending  
Feb. 14 – Newsletter Deadline  
Feb. 18 – Church Council  
Feb. 23 – Pitch-In Coffee Fellowship (Last Names I-P)  
Feb. 25 – Abigail Circle (7:00 pm)



FIRST BAPTIST  
COLUMBUS  
JOIN OUR *Family* OF FAITH

**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 and toddlers. Children, ages 4 through 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;  
Laura Friedrich, Administrative Assistant  
Donna Tull, Organist; Carla Williams, Pianist; Dortha Anderson, Librarian  
Barry Ferrill, Custodian; Melissa Hernandez, Nursery Care Supervisor  
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## MESSENGER EXTRA

### COOKIE MINISTRY

We still have openings on the Cookie Ministry schedule: June, October, & November. If anyone is interested in participating, please sign up for one of the open months. Sign-up sheet is on the Welcome Desk. If you have any questions, see Janet Bailey.

### WINTER LEARNING SERIES

Our 2020 Winter Learning Series, "Joining Jesus in God's Mission," continues Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. This four-week series features guest leaders. Rev. Mark Thompson, Region Minister with ABC/IN-KY, will continue to lead us this week. **Join us Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.**

### MINI-MISSION OPPORTUNITY

Turning Point is in need of about 175 more volunteers to chaperone Dance Marathon 2020. The shifts needed are the late night and early morning shifts, Feb. 29, 10:45pm to 1:30am; or March 1, 1:45am to 5:00am, or 4:45am-6:15am. Dance Marathon is at Central Middle School. Sign up by going to the link:

<http://weblink.donorperfect.com/dancemarathon2020>

### CPR CLASS – FEB. 22 AT 9:00 AM – OTTER CREEK CLUB HOUSE

Please sign up at the Welcome Desk by Feb. 16. All are welcome. Cost is \$10.00. Sponsored by FBC Health Ministry Team.

### JUDSON UNIVERSITY CHOIR HOSPITALITY NEEDS

We look forward to hosting the Judson University Choir on Feb. 28. Cookies, Brownies, and Rice Krispie Treats are requested to serve for the Feb. 28 dinner and sack lunches on the following day. Please sign up at the Welcome Desk if you can provide a treat. The baked goods should be brought to the church kitchen by 4:00 p.m. on Feb. 28.

Thank you, the Church Hostess Team

### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

The First Baptist Church Foundation is accepting applications between now and April 1<sup>st</sup> for two scholarships. The E. Don Tull Scholarship is for a graduating high school senior planning to attend an institution of higher learning full-time next year and is in the amount of \$1,000. The Foundation Scholarship is for any full-time undergraduate student and is also in the amount of \$1,000.

Applications may be obtained from the church office and are due back to the church office or a Foundation board member by April 1, 2020 to be considered. Scholarship recipients will be announced in May.

### MEN OF FAITH BEGIN NEW FEBRUARY STUDY

During February the *Men of Faith* bible study group will share in a study titled, "Christian Symbols". We live in a world where we are bombarded with symbols daily. Our Christian faith is filled with symbols as well. In four sessions, led by Bill Griffith and Dan Cash, we will look at some of the most familiar Christian symbols, exploring their meaning, engaging in Scripture study and deepening our appreciation for what each one meant and means to us yet today.

A new study session is a great time to join *Men of Faith* which meets on Fridays, 6:15 a.m. in the private Dining Room at Four Seasons Residential Center (1901 Taylor Rd). Pick up your study guide on the back ledge and join us. All men of the church and community are welcome.

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP SEMINAR – WED., FEB. 5 "PERSONAL QUIET TIME" – 9:10 & 10:55 a.m.

Gain practical tools for personal daily study and prayer. All women are welcome.

### DO YOU LOVE FLOWERS?

The Flower and Decorating Team is in need of help!! If you are creative, love flowers, and love to be a worker bee helper then we need you! If you are interested in becoming a member of our team we would be more than happy to have you join us! Please contact Adam Zimmerman or Deanna Glick.

### HOSTS NEEDED FOR JUDSON CHOIR VOCALISTS – Judson Choir Concert Tour

Judson Choir will be visiting FBC on Feb. 28 to share a concert for the church and community. We need overnight host homes for 45 to 50 choir members that evening.

Hosting includes:

- Transportation to and from your home
- Accommodations for 2 or more young adults on Friday, Feb 28
- Breakfast for your guests on Saturday, Feb 29

Anyone willing to open their hearts and homes for the Judson choir members can sign up by completing the information below and returning in the offering plate. We will provide additional details to the host families in February, as needed.

\*Your Name:

\*Number of people you can host:

Please circle gender of guest (optional):    Male        Female