

### **A Special Welcome to our Guests**

We are so glad you have joined us today. We invite you to complete a visitor card from the pew rack and share it with us by dropping it in the offering plate or bringing it to the guest table in either the Welcome Center or Front Door Foyer following the service. Also at the guest tables, we have a church mug for you which will provide you a keepsake of your visit, and tell you more about the ministries of First Baptist.

### **Worshipping with Children**

First Baptist desires to come alongside families as they raise their children to be all God is calling them to become. Several resources are available to aid your family as you worship together.

*Children age 3 and under* may be dropped off on the 1st floor prior to the service to be part of our Preschool Extended Session, designed specifically for them. Pagers are provided to communicate with parents in case of an emergency.

*All children* are invited to the front of the Sanctuary for a children's sermon during the service.

*Children age 4 - Kindergarten* are invited to attend Passage, our children's worship experience, following the children's sermon, or to remain with their families in the service.

*All Children* are invited to worship using a children's bulletin, which can be picked up at the entrances.

### **Becoming a Member**

If you want to know more about having a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, feel free to talk with any of our ministers or most anyone in the pew. During our time of response you are welcomed and encouraged to come to the front of the church to meet with a minister to request baptism or to join the church. Our ministers will also be available following the service at each exit, or you may call the church office to request an appointment with any minister during the week.

**Restrooms are located in the hallway directly behind the choir loft.**

**Hearing devices are available in the Reception Office  
courtesy of the Senior Adult Ministry.**

You can watch our 11 am service live each Sunday morning  
on The CW 20 or livestreamed at [fbcknox.org](http://fbcknox.org).

You can watch a replay of our 11 am worship service on Community Television  
each **Friday at 8 am (new time)** or anytime at [fbcknox.org](http://fbcknox.org).

11 am Worship  
January 15, 2017



Hebrews

# The Worship of God

January 15, 2017 • 11:00 AM

Tom Ogburn, D.Min., Senior Pastor

Organ Prelude

*Rejoice, The Lord Is King*  
arr. Jason D. Payne

Rhonda Carpenter

Call to Worship

*Share His Love*  
SULLIVAN

Sanctuary Choir

The love of God is broader than earth's vast expanse, 'tis deeper and wider than the sea.  
Love reaches out to all to bring abundant life, for God so loved the world His only Son He gave.  
Share His love by telling what the Lord has done for you, share His love by sharing your faith,  
and show the world that Jesus Christ is real to you every moment, every day.

\*Responsive Call to Worship 579

Wendell Boertje

I will sing of your steadfast love, O Lord, for ever;

**With my mouth I will proclaim your faithfulness to all generations.**

I declare that your steadfast love is established for ever;

**Your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.**

The heavens are telling the glory of God;

**And the firmament proclaims his handiwork.**

Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.

**There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;**

yet their voice goes out through all the earth,

**and their words to the end of the world.**

*Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart  
be acceptable to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.*

## Sanctuary Flowers

January 15, 2017

The flowers in the Sanctuary this week are placed in memory of  
**Bill Brewer**  
honoring what would have been his 61st birthday.

### In Service - Week of January 15

**First Community Greeters:**  
Barbara Phillips, Sylvia Williams

**Welcome Center Greeters:**  
Barbara Frei, Dent Young

**Preschool Extended Care:**  
Betty Vawter, Kristi & Joshua Turner

**TV Ministry Team:**  
Paul Ivie, Pat Shope, Julia Stark, Elaine Rhodes,  
Charles Brooks, Tiffany Brooks, John Heslop

**Hospital Ministry Team:**  
George Johnson, Steve Foster

**New Member Ministry:**  
Scott Moore, Reggie Keaton

**Outreach Deacon:**  
Gracie Bishop

**TeleCare Ministry:**  
Dianne Rairdon

### Prayer List as of Friday, January 13, 2016\*

**Hospital**  
James "Bud" Mynatt – No Visitors

**In Memoriam**  
Carolyn Hancock  
August 8, 1928 – December 23, 2016  
Date Joined: January 22, 1961

**Our church extends sympathies to:**  
Gene and Tommie Reagan and family upon the death of  
her sister, Hazel Oaks

Gene Sanders upon the death of his sister, Trudy Norton

**\*A complete prayer list may be picked up  
in the Welcome Center.**

### First Baptist Knoxville Contacts

To phone staff, dial (865) 246- plus the four-digit number found beside  
the staff member's name, or call the main number, **546-9661**.

Richard Buerkle, Minister of Music and Worship (4668)  
Scott Claybrook, Minister with Young Adults (4678)  
Arthur Clayton, Minister of Congregational Mission & Minister of the Deaf (4661)  
Pam Neal, Minister for Administration (4660)  
Tom Ogburn, Senior Pastor (4652)  
Susan Tatum, Minister with Children and Families (4666)  
Dave Ward, Minister Emeritus (4667)  
Ben Winder, Minister with Youth and Families (4663)

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## NOTES AND RELECTIONS



### Staff Anniversaries This Month

January 6	Ben Winder	4 years
January 10	Kim Pieratt	17 years
January 14	Vanessa Moore	4 years
January 18	Carolyn Green	1 year

\*Hymn 335

*Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him*  
HYFRYDOL

Welcome

Scott Claybrook

Children's Message

Becky Rowe

[Four year-olds and Kindergarteners who are attending Passage (Children's Worship) will be escorted at this time to the Kids Connection hallway.]

\*Hymn 576

*I Stand Amazed in the Presence*  
MY SAVIOR'S LOVE

Pastoral Prayer

Tom Ogburn

Scripture Reading (Hebrews 2:1-4)

Josh Durham

We must pay the most careful attention, therefore, to what we have heard, so that we do not drift away. For since the message spoken through angels was binding, and every violation and disobedience received its just punishment, how shall we escape if we ignore so great a salvation? This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord was confirmed to us by those who heard him. God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will.

\*Hymn 584

*My Faith Has Found a Resting Place*  
LANDAS

Offertory Prayer

Sherry Coffield

Choral Anthem

*Go Ye Therefore*  
arr. Mary McDonald

Go ye therefore, teach all nations,  
baptizing them in the name of the Lord.  
Go ye therefore, teach all nations,  
baptizing them in the name of the Lord.

Go ye therefore, teach all nations,  
all He commands in the name of the Lord.  
Go ye therefore, teach all nations,  
all His commands in the name of the Lord.

And lo, I am with you always,  
even until the end of the world.  
Go in my Name, I am with you,  
until the end of the world, the world!

Go ye therefore, He is with you,  
even until the end of the world.  
Go ye therefore, He is with you,  
even until the end of the world.

Even until the end of the world, of the world.

Sermon

**“The People of God: Testimony”**  
Hebrews 2:1-4

\*Hymn of Response 619

*Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine*  
ASSURANCE

Opportunities at First Baptist

Sanctuary Choir

Tom Ogburn

Pam Neal

Sharing of Public Decisions

\*Spoken Benediction

Tom Ogburn

\*Benediction

Congregation

*We All Are One in Mission*  
COMPLAINER

We all are called for service to witness in God’s name.  
Our ministries are different, our purpose is the same:  
to touch the lives of others by God’s surprising grace  
so every land and nation may feel God’s warm embrace.

Organ Postlude

Rhonda Carpenter

*Postlude on "Coronation"*  
by Jason D. Payne

\*Congregation is asked to stand as you are able.

*Many thanks to Wendell Boertje for leading us in worship today!*