

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.

You can watch a replay of our 11 am worship service on Community Television
each **Friday at 8 am** or anytime at fbcknox.org.

11 am Worship
February 26, 2017



Hebrews

The Worship of God

February 26, 2017 • 11:00 AM

Sanctuary Flowers
February 26, 2017

Flowers are in honor of our **Youth Ministry** by the Flower Committee.

Tom Ogburn, D.Min., Senior Pastor

Piano Prelude
People Need the Lord
arr. Mark Hayes
Brandon Coffey

Call to Worship
Festive Fanfare
Susato/arr. Wagner
First Baptist Handbell Choir

*Responsive Call to Worship
Peyton Johnson

Leader: Who has known the mind of the Lord?

People: May we have the mind of Christ.

Leader: How can we demonstrate our faith?

People: May we live and serve one another in the imitation of Christ.

Leader: Are we not called to better things?

People: May we grow in our faith as we embody the kingdom of God.

*Hymn 285
God of Grace and God of Glory
CWM RHONDDA

Welcome
Ben Winder

In Service - Week of February 26

First Community Greeters:
Barbara Phillips, Sylvia Williams

Welcome Center Greeters:
Carol Stricklin, Mary Johnson

Preschool Extended Care:
Jennifer Mabe, Courtney & Patrick Carmichael

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

Hospital Ministry Team:
Pam & Cliff Shirley

New Member Ministry:
Jama Mosher, Lacy Wallace

Outreach Deacon:
Monte Miller

TeleCare Ministry:
Alice Crook

Prayer List as of Friday, February 24, 2017*

Hospital
William Eugene "Gene" Monday - Ft. Sanders 707

Discharged
Terry Moore
Gene Sanders
Alice Kaserman
James Cunningham

In Memoriam
Betty Padgett
December 13, 1926 – February 23, 2017
Date Joined: September 29, 1976

Brian Daniel
August 24, 1974 - February 9, 2017
Date Joined: June 18, 2006

***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)
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NOTES AND REFLECTIONS

Children's Message

Susan Tatum & Emilie Guigou

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

Youth Ensemble

Good, Good Father
by Anthony Brown and Pat Barrett

I've heard a thousand stories of what they think You're like;
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night:
You tell me that You're pleased and that I'm never alone.

*You're a Good, Good Father, it's who You are;
It's who You are, it's who You are.
And I'm loved by You, it's who I am;
It's who I am, it's who I am.*

I've seen many searching for answers, far and wide;
But I know we're all searching for answers only You provide,
Because You know just what we need before we say a word.

You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways.
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us.

Love so undeniable, I can hardly speak.
Peace so unexplainable, I can hardly think.
As You call me deeper still, as You call me deeper still,
As You call me deeper still into love, love, love.

Scripture Reading (Hebrews 6:9-12)

Emma Denton

Even though we speak like this, dear friends, we are convinced of better things in your case—the things that have to do with salvation. God is not unjust; he will not forget your work and the love you have shown him as you have helped his people and continue to help them. We want each of you to show this same diligence to the very end, so that what you hope for may be fully realized. We do not want you to become lazy, but to imitate those who through faith and patience inherit what has been promised.

Pastoral Prayer

Tom Ogburn

*Hymn 159

Fairest Lord Jesus
CRUSADER'S HYMN (ST. ELIZABETH)

Congregation with First Baptist Handbell Choir

Offertory Prayer

Andie Sexton

Choral Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

The Mind of Christ
by Mark Hayes

May we have the mind of Christ,
Who was in very nature, God.
He laid aside His crown,
from glory He came down,
Divinity within a human soul.
God in the form of a man.

May we have the mind of Christ,
for love, He emptied up Himself.
Becoming like a slave,
to all He freely gave.
He stooped to wash the feet
of common men.
May we be more like You, Lord.

May we have the mind of Christ,
Who knew the very heart of God.
He embraced the Father's will
and climbed Golgotha's hill,
obedience for all the world to see,
on Calvary, on lonely Calvary.

Therefore God exalted Him to the highest place.
Therefore God, therefore God exalted Him to the highest place.

Therefore God exalted Him,
and gave Him the name that is above every other name.
That at the name of Jesus, that at the name of Jesus,
that glorious name, that wonderful name of Jesus, Jesus Christ!

Every knee on earth should bow and every tongue in Heaven confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord;
Let every heart adore, let every voice proclaim His name!
Every knee on earth should bow and every tongue in Heaven confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord;
Let every heart adore, let every voice proclaim,
let every voice proclaim that Jesus Christ is Lord!

Sermon

"The People of God: A Life of Imitation"
Hebrews 6:9-12

Tom Ogburn

*Hymn of Response 491

Wherever He Leads I'll Go
FALLS CREEK

Opportunities at First Baptist

Pam Neal

Sharing of Public Decisions

*Spoken Benediction

Tom Ogburn

*Benediction

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian
I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

Sanctuary Choir

Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.

Organ Postlude

Intrada
by Ovid Young

Rhonda Carpenter

*Congregation is asked to stand as you are able.