

### **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** or anytime at [fbcknox.org](http://fbcknox.org).

11 am Worship  
March 12, 2017



# Hebrews

# The Worship of God

March 12, 2017 • 11:00 AM

Tom Ogburn, D.Min., Senior Pastor

Organ Prelude

*And Can It Be*  
Don Wyrzten

Rhonda Carpenter

Choral Call to Worship

Sanctuary Choir  
Becky Rowe, Guest Worship Leader

*Come Away from Rush and Hurry*  
PROMISE

Come away from rush and hurry  
to the stillness of God's peace;  
From our vain ambition's worry,  
come to Christ to find release.  
Come away from noise and clamor,  
life's demands and frenzied pace;  
Come to join the people gathered here  
to seek and find God's grace.

\*Hymn 295

*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*  
PLAINFIELD

Welcome

Pam Neal

## Sanctuary Flowers

March 12, 2017

Flowers are given by her family in honor of  
**Bettie Woolwine's** 90th birthday on March 11.

### In Service - Week of March 12

**First Community Greeters:**  
Ethel Powell, John & Lanita Rorrer

**Welcome Center Greeters:**  
Beth Nagel, Mary Nelle Robbins

**Preschool Extended Care:**  
Camille Jones, Jonathan & Liz Coffield

**TV Ministry Team:**  
Ned Russell, Judy Cox, Sarah Bittle, Brad Bittle,  
Julia Stark, Reba Green, John Heslop

**Hospital Ministry Team:**  
Steve & Sharon Bowman

**New Member Ministry:**  
Nancy Roberts, Scott Moore

**Outreach Deacon:**  
Winnie Wilson

**TeleCare Ministry:**  
Sharon Bowman

### Prayer List as of Friday, March 10, 2017\*

**Hospital**  
Elizabeth "Permenter" Dryburgh – Parkwest 472  
Ruth Fuson – North Knox Medical Center 3030  
William Eugene "Gene" Monday - Ft. Sanders 707

**Discharged**  
Terry Moore

**In Memoriam**  
Ira T. Siger Jr.  
October 25, 1921 – February 26, 2017  
Date Joined: June 11, 1939

**Our church extends congratulations to:**  
Larry and Patsy Belle upon the birth of their  
granddaughter, Olivia Belle Watkins. Proud parents  
are Brian and Camille Watkins.

**\*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)

**Minister on Call (865) 546-9661, Option 9**

**510 W. Main Street, Knoxville, TN 37902**

Sermon Tom Ogburn  
“The People of God: A New Covenant”  
Hebrews 9:14-15

\*Hymn of Response 499

*I Surrender All*  
SURRENDER

Opportunities at First Baptist Susan Tatum

Sharing of Public Decisions

\*Spoken Benediction Tom Ogburn

\*Choral Benediction Sanctuary Choir

*A Parting Prayer*  
Albin C. Whitworth

We part to serve Thee better, Lord,  
To do the tasks which Thou hast given,  
O may we ever do Thy will  
Until we see Thy face in heaven. Amen.

Organ Postlude Rhonda Carpenter  
*Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners (Our Great Savior)*  
Don Wyrzten

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

Family Dedication Tom Ogburn & Susan Tatum  
The Hodges Family: Derek & Amanda, Adeline Rebecca

**Charge to Parents:**

Do you today recognize this child as a gift of God and give heartfelt thanks for God’s blessing?

Do you now dedicate your child to the Lord who gave her to you all, surrendering all worldly claims upon her life in the hope that she will belong wholly to God?

Do you pledge as parents that, with God’s help, you will bring up Adeline in the discipline and instruction of the Lord, making every reasonable effort, with patience and love, to build the Word of God, the character of Christ and the joy of the Lord into her life?

Do you promise to provide, through God’s blessing, for the physical, emotional, intellectual and spiritual needs of your child, looking to your own heavenly Father for the wisdom, love and strength to guide her?

Do you promise, with God’s help, to make it your regular prayer that, by God’s grace, Adeline will come to trust in Jesus Christ alone for the forgiveness of her sins and for the fulfillment of all his promises to her, even eternal life; and in this faith follow Jesus as Lord and obey his teachings?

**Charge to the Church:**

Church family, you have your role to play in the life of this child and family as well.

Will you share willingly and gladly as a church family in helping these parents raise Adeline? Will you pray for, teach, model Christ’s example, and work with her as well as seek to inspire Derek and Amanda so that they will be encouraged to lead their child to a personal faith in Christ Jesus?

**Congregation: In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, we do.**

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

\*Dedication Hymn 529

*See the Children Here Before Us*  
DEANNA

**Stanza 1 – Choir**

See this child here before us, fresh expression of God’s love,  
This young life a precious promise, sent from heaven’s realm above.  
Lord, we ask You now to bless her as she learns and grows each day.  
Help us teach her all the lessons that will guide her on her way.

**Stanzas 2 & 3 – Choir and Congregation**

Priceless gift beyond all measure is this child in our care.  
At this hour of dedication, Lord, please hear our humble prayer:  
Bless these parents on their journey through a vast, uncharted land;  
Help them follow as You lead them with a gentle guiding hand.

Now the church has come together with a promise we must share:  
To be faithful to this child You entrusted to our care.  
Let us see Your love reflected in this small and precious face;  
Help us show her all the wonders of Your endless love and grace.

Morning Prayer with *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying*

Chris Justice, Lauren Stewart, Alan Tatum

Lord, listen to Your children praying,  
Lord, send Your Spirit in this place;  
Lord, listen to Your children praying,  
Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Scripture Reading (Hebrews 9:14-15)

Jama Mosher

How much more, then, will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself unblemished to God, cleanse our consciences from acts that lead to death, so that we may serve the living God!

For this reason Christ is the mediator of a new covenant, that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance—now that he has died as a ransom to set them free from the sins committed under the first covenant.

\*Hymn 186

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*  
HAMBURG

Offertory Prayer

Cliff Shirley

Choral Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

*More Love to Thee*  
by Timothy Shaw

More love to Thee, O Christ,  
More love to Thee!  
Hear Thou the prayer I make  
On bended knee.

This is my earnest plea:  
More love, O Christ, to Thee,  
More love to Thee, more love to Thee!

Once earthly joy I craved,  
Sought peace and rest;  
Now Thee alone I seek,  
Give what is best.

This all my prayer shall be:  
More love, O Christ, to Thee  
More love to Thee, more love to Thee!

Then shall my latest breath  
Whisper Thy praise;  
This be the parting cry  
My heart shall raise.

This still its’ prayer shall be:  
More love, O Christ, to Thee,  
More love to Thee, O Christ, to Thee!  
Amen, Amen, Amen.