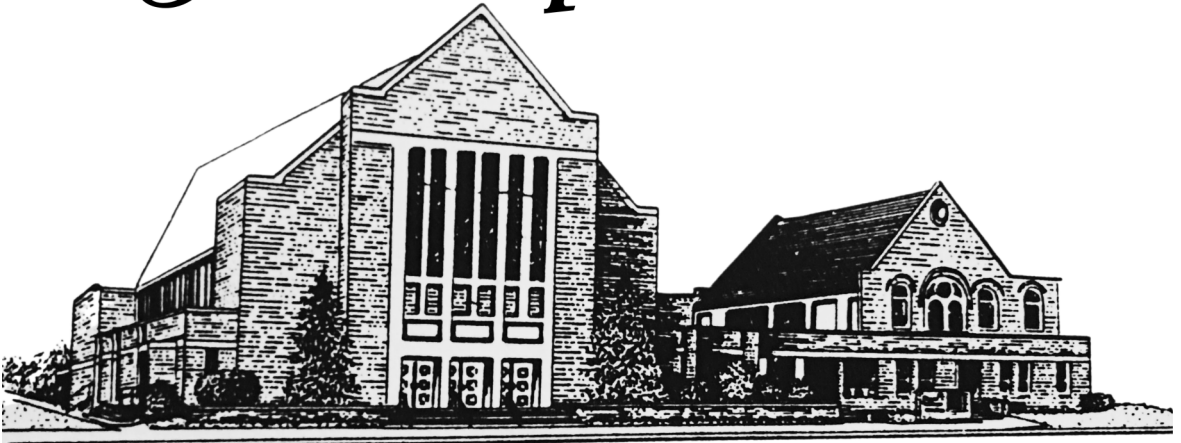


God's People Gathered at
First Baptist Church



In Christ for Community. In Community for Christ.

Proclaimer

Dr. Rick Bennett

Message

For the Beauty of the Earth

Sunday, April 21st, 2024

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

SHERRY HENDRIX

GREETING

TYLER ENGLE

HYMN 29

HOW MAJESTIC IS YOUR NAME

CONGREGATION

WELCOMING ONE ANOTHER TO WORSHIP

HYMNS 44

FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

CONGREGATION

45

EVERYTHING WAS MADE BY GOD

CHILDREN'S SERMON

THERESA BARNETT

HYMN 10

HOW GREAT THOU ART

CONGREGATION

OFFERTORY PRAYER

BILL PADGETT

THE OFFERTORY

SHERRY HENDRIX

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS MAY BE GIVEN IN PERSON, BY MAIL (P.O. BOX 526), OR ONLINE AT ERWINFIRST.ORG.

DOXOLOGY

CONGREGATION

A READING FROM SCRIPTURE

PSALM 8

SARA COVEY

SERMON

DR. RICK BENNETT

HYMN OF INVITATION 496
(CELEBRATION)

NO ONE EVER CARED FOR ME LIKE JESUS

CONGREGATION

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

TYLER ENGLE

POSTLUDE

SHERRY HENDRIX

FINANCIAL REPORT
WEEK OF APRIL 14, 2024 CONSOLIDATED REPORT

Revenues Received:	GENERAL FUND	\$ 3,148.22
	BUILDING FUND	\$ 161.32
	<u>FOOD PANTRY</u>	<u>\$ 200.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$ 3,509.54

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE CONGREGATIONAL LISTENING

THE PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE WILL BE SPENDING THE MONTH OF APRIL LISTENING TO OUR CONGREGATION AS WE SEEK TO FAITHFULLY FULFILL OUR MISSION OF FINDING A NEW PASTOR FOR OUR CHURCH. A CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY WAS DISTRIBUTED EARLIER THIS MONTH. ALL SURVEYS WILL BE KEPT ANONYMOUS. PLEASE RETURN THIS SURVEY DOCUMENT TO ONE OF THE LARGE WHITE BOXES IN THE FOYER OR CHAPEL BY NO LATER THAN SUNDAY, APRIL 28TH, TO SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS WITH US. PLEASE ONLY COMPLETE ONE SURVEY PER PERSON. ADDITIONALLY, MEMBERS OF THE SEARCH COMMITTEE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOLLOWING CHURCH THIS SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST, IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND A LISTENING SESSION TO PROVIDE FEEDBACK OR ASK QUESTIONS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO HAVING CONGREGATIONAL CONVERSATIONS WITH YOU ABOUT OUR FUTURE AND OUR FUTURE PASTOR!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SUPPLIES

WE ARE COLLECTING USED PAPER TOWEL ROLLS FOR VBS PROPS. THERE WILL BE A TOTE AT THE END OF THE HALL NEAR THE PRE-SCHOOL CLASSROOM. PLEASE PLACE THE ROLLS IN THE TOTE.

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM GROUNDS, PROPERTY & SPACE COMMITTEE

A ONE-TOUCH, EASY TO USE, BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR HAS BEEN PLACED IN THE CHURCH PARLOR. DIRECTIONS FOR USE ARE LOCATED BESIDE THE MONITOR.

SAVE THE DATE!

- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24TH—6PM—QUARTERLY BUSINESS CONFERENCE IN THE CHAPEL—THE 1ST QUARTER FINANCE REPORT WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE FOYER THIS SUNDAY.
- SUNDAY, APRIL 28TH—GET YOUR VOICE READY! WE WILL ENJOY A HYMN-SINGING SERVICE THIS SUNDAY DURING MORNING WORSHIP!
- SATURDAY, MAY 11TH—11AM TO 1PM—MAIN STREET MARKET CAKE SALE FUNDRAISER IN THE FBC PARKING LOT.

APRIL'S FOOD PANTRY ITEM OF THE MONTH

IN THE MONTH OF MARCH, WE WILL COLLECT **INSTANT MASHED POTATOES** FOR THE FOOD PANTRY. WE ARE ALSO COLLECTING **BABY WIPES** FOR OUR FRIENDS AT FREEDOM BAPTIST CHURCH.

APRIL USHERS

GLENN FISHER, PAUL FARNOR, GREG PETERSCHMIDT, BOB KEGLEY

NURSERY WORKERS

APRIL 21: JESSICA COFFEY & MARY CATHERINE HOLLEY

TERRY OLSON & ANDY FENN (INFANT TO 2 YEARS OLD)

Ministry Leaders

Sherry Hendrix	Accompanying Artist
Preston Holley	Minister of Music
Dr. Guillermo Mendoza	Minister to Students
Leslie Peterschmidt	Church Administrator

Technical Services

Samuel Christensen	Audio-Visual Technician
Reid Kegley	Audio-Visual Technician
Jeffrey Lind	Broadcast Director
Natalia Mendoza	Broadcast Director

To Our Guests



We kindly ask you to complete a Guest Connection Card so we can learn more about you. This may be done by completing a paper card (found in the pew rack in front of you), which may then be placed in the basket found in the lobby. Or help us welcome you by using the camera on your phone and following the QR code to the left.

Deacon of the Week

Rob Stromberg 423/742-5795

Opportunities This Week at the First Baptist Church

SUNDAY	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Worship Hour
MONDAY	9:00 A.M.	Main Street Market Distribution
WEDNESDAY	5:30 P.M.	Snack Supper
	6:00 P.M.	Chapel Bible Study
		*Pathlight for Kids
		Youth Programs
	7:00 P.M.	Sanctuary Choir Practice

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