

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Broadcast WCTI Television  
Sunday, October 13, 2024

Channel 12 ~ Cable 13  
10:15 AM

### MumFest Sunday

*Please feel free to exchange greetings with one another upon your arrival. We invite you to a time of quiet meditation as the prelude begins.*

Prelude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ  
*Hymn to Joy* - arr. Charles Callahan

Welcome and Announcements Tammi Newton

Invocation Kerry Peeler

Call to Worship Kerry Peeler

Leader: We follow a God who calls us to take risks.

**People: Help us God of risk-taking!**

Leader: We follow a God who calls us to be "all in."

**People: Help us to be "all in."**

Leader: We follow a God who calls us to be present.

**People: Be present with us in this time and place.**

Leader: Let us worship God!

\*Hymn of Praise No. 356 KREMSER  
*We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer*

Children's Time Sheree Bagley  
(Children ages 4 through 3rd grade will be dismissed to Children's Church)

Stewardship Testimony Joy Duff

Instrumental Meditation Chancel Bell Choir  
Dellaina & Marlie Kate Hardy, interpretive movement  
*Come to Jesus* – Chris Rice

Weak and wounded sinner, lost and left to die,  
O, raise your head for love is passing by.

Now your burden's lifted, and carried far away,  
and precious blood has washed away the stain.

Sing to Jesus, sing to Jesus, sing to Jesus and live.

And like a newborn baby, don't be afraid to crawl,  
and remember when you walk sometimes we fall.

Sometimes the way is lonely, and steep and filled with pain,  
so if your sky is dark and pours the rain.

Cry to Jesus, cry to Jesus, cry to Jesus and live.

O, and when the love spills over, and music fills the night,  
and when you can't contain your joy inside.

And with your final heartbeat, kiss the world goodbye,  
then go in peace, and laugh on glory's side.

Fly to Jesus, fly to Jesus, fly to Jesus and live.

Morning Prayer Jeremy Slagle

\*Hymn No. 640 SHOWALTER  
*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

Offertory Anthem Sanctuary Choir

*If You Love Me* – John Purifoy

All who love the Father love His children.

All who love the Son will feed my lambs. Give to them  
as I have given to you. Ev'rything you have is from my hand.

Be a vessel filled with my compassion, emptied  
out and then refilled anew. Serve as I have come to serve  
the Father. Let me feed a hungry world through you.

#### CHORUS

Prepare a table; come set a place. Call the hungry  
to now partake. Then bless the bread and bless the wine.  
Bless the ones who come to dine. Let the body first be filled,  
then the troubled spirit stilled. If you love me, if you  
love me, love my lambs and feed my sheep.

If you love me, share with others freely, disregarding  
worthiness of need. See the lives devoured by their longing.  
If you truly love me, feed my sheep.

Nourish and relieve their thirsty bodies. Feed the inner  
famine of their souls. Break the bread and satisfy their hunger.  
Pour the Living Water, make them whole.

#### REPEAT CHORUS

\*Hymn of Offering Dedication OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*Offertory Prayer Josh Bell, deacon

Old Testament Reading Josh Bell  
Ecclesiastes 11:1-4 (Pew Bible 621)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

**People: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon Richard Seagle  
*The Economy of God*

Invitation to Discipleship and Membership Richard Seagle

\*Hymn of Commitment 482 HERE I AM, LORD  
*Here I Am, Lord*

Sharing of Public Decisions Ministers

\*Benediction Richard Seagle

\*Postlude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ  
*I Will Magnify the Lord* - Mark L. Williams

\*Please stand if able

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## PRAYER CONCERNS

### CHURCH FAMILY

Alan Ashe	Mary Ann Jones	Bobby Reece
Valeria Barrow	Howard Mathews	Ty Smith
Kathy Daniels	David Page	Richard Wagner
Mary Lou Harrell	Gwyn Page	Jewel Watson
Peter Heiman, Sr.	Selma Piner	Kimsey Welch
Janice Huggins	Lynn Rausch	Ellen Young

### CARE FACILITY & RETIREMENT\* RESIDENTS

<u>Cypress Glen—GVL</u> Elizabeth Brinkley	<u>Spring Arbor - KIN</u> Beverly Leathers	<u>Merrill Gardens - NBN</u> Rev. David Page
<u>Champions-WIL</u> Doris Dyson	<u>Woodland Terr - CARY</u> Louise Blizzard*	Gwyn Page Sylvia Pina
<u>Homeplace</u> Christine Peedin Rudy Rowe	<u>NC Veterans Home - KIN</u> Mary Ellen Kirschner	<u>Riverpoint Crest - NBN</u> Jewel Watson
	<u>McCarthy Court—NBN</u> Dot Smith	

### CHURCH FRIENDS

Deborah Ashley ( <i>sister Betsy Dickerson</i> )	Joey Holton ( <i>father</i> )
Jerry Ashley ( <i>L.B. Pope</i> )	Matt Kaylor ( <i>friend Alicia</i> )
Sheree Bagley ( <i>Jennifer Bufford</i> )	Jim/Claudia McManamey ( <i>niece</i> )
Jo Ann Banks ( <i>Wanda, Chris, &amp; Donna</i> )	Sandy O'Brien ( <i>BIL Jerry Hardin</i> )
Jennifer Bernabi ( <i>nephew</i> )	Roger Pait ( <i>father</i> )
Judy Blythe ( <i>Fran Eaves</i> )	Anna Pearson ( <i>Granddaughter Blythe, cousin</i> )
Jan Burke ( <i>Neal Cobb</i> )	Keith Russell ( <i>dad Archie Russell</i> )
Lisa Chitty ( <i>parents, friend Sherry &amp; family</i> )	Melodie Seagle ( <i>mother</i> )
Sandra J. Dail ( <i>Tommy Gaskins</i> )	Kathy Swindell ( <i>Ben Bunn</i> )
Janet Doughty ( <i>mother</i> )	Jeremy Tavares ( <i>Dennis Dowdy's mother</i> )
Lisa Francis ( <i>husband Jesse</i> )	Beth Wagner ( <i>Marian Elmore, John Wiltrout</i> )
Anita Gray ( <i>Breanna Gray, Jim Baldrige</i> )	Kathy White ( <i>Buddy Kirschner</i> )
Phil Kaylor ( <i>William &amp; Peggy; John &amp; Martha</i> )	Jane Wooten ( <i>friend</i> )
Karen Killingsworth ( <i>father</i> )	Ken Wooten ( <i>mother</i> )
Lori Hale ( <i>brother in law</i> )	Beth Wynn ( <i>Lori Saunders, Lori M.S. Marx</i> )
Fred and Nancy Hausman	<i>Persecuted relatives of our church families</i>
Brandy Holton ( <i>father</i> )	<i>Pray for our country</i>



The rose in the pulpit is in celebration of the birth of Sylvie James Kaylor Martin, born September 30, 2024. Parents are Joey Martin and Mary Thomas Kaylor and grandparents are Phil and Debbie Kaylor.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK**

**SUNDAY 10/13/2024 Mumfest Sunday Youth Fundraiser**

9:00 AM Café Connections  
 9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
 10:15 AM Worship Service  
 1:30 PM T-Ball Team @ Fort Totten  
 Rookie Team @ Field 1  
 3:00 PM Defined Bible Study  
 Minor Team @ Progress Energy  
 5:00 PM Adult Ensemble  
 7:00 PM Deacons Meeting

**MONDAY 10/14/2024**

2:00 PM Home Place  
 4:00 PM Reservation deadline for WNS

**TUESDAY 10/15/2024**

10:00 AM Staff Meeting

**WEDNESDAY 10/16/2024**

6:30 AM Men's First Light  
 10:00 AM Community Gospel Choir  
 5:15 PM Wednesday Night Supper  
 5:40 PM Announcements & Prayer  
 6:00 PM Discipleship  
 Adults: "How Did We Get Our Bible?"- Dr. Seagle  
 Preschool Music Activity  
 Sanctuary Choir

**THURSDAY 10/17/2024**

10:30 AM Women's Bible Study room A109  
 5:30 PM Chancel Bell Choir

**FRIDAY 10/18/2024**

4:15 PM Youth/Parent Ensemble depart to DEADWOOD

**SATURDAY 10/19/2024**

8:00 AM Local Missions Morning

**SUNDAY 10/20/2024**

9:00 AM Café Connections  
 9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
 10:15 AM Worship Service  
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 Major Team @ Weyerhaeuser  
 3:00 PM Rookie Team @ Field 1  
 3:00 PM Defined Bible Study  
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 Minor Team @ Progress Energy  
 5:00 PM Adult Ensemble  
 Youth Reconnect

We express our Christian sympathy to Lori Meads, Wendy Karam and their families upon the death of Donald Provencal.



We express our Christian sympathy to the family of Patsy Setzer upon her death.

<b>MENU</b>
Cheeseburgers Baked Beans Chips Dessert

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK		
	10/13/2024	10/20/2024
<b>DEACONS</b>	Don Brinkley Josh Bell	Cathy Chitty Pike Bobby West
<b>WATCHMEN</b>	Eddie Games	Donald Heath
<b>USHER TEAMS</b>	Mike Seawell	Eddie Games
<b>CAFÉ CONNECTION</b>	Kathy Swindell	Brant Bills
<b>GREETERS</b>	Hall	Rock
<b>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</b>	Beth Wynn Matthew Holton Westleigh Holton Mona Quick	Elizabeth Swicegood Mary Ella Swicegood Carole Hart Lori Meads
<b>EXTENDED CARE 10:15 AM</b>	Lori Meads Sherry Wilkinson Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow	Sonya Thurman Gale Evancho Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow

**Welcome to Our Guests!**

We are grateful that you are present today! You are invited to fill out an information card indicating your presence in worship and interest in First Baptist Church. Guest Information Cards are available in the Sanctuary pews or from an usher. Once completed, feel free to hand your card to an usher, one of our pastors, or drop it in one of the stationary offering plates.

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**God's Invitation to You!**

During worship, we hope you encounter Jesus Christ and His Good News, hearing the call to follow Him with your life. If the call of Christ is new to you, we encourage you to respond and receive Him, making a public profession of faith and receiving baptism. Or, if you already know Christ as Savior, you may be led to make other faith decisions such as life rededication or by joining the membership of this church. Our pastors will receive people during a time of invitation as we sing the last hymn of worship. You may also contact a pastor by telephone or email at any time to discuss your decision.

**First Baptist Church**

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Dr. Richard D. Seagle, Senior Pastor  
 Rev. Barry E. Templeton, Associate Pastor of Music & Worship  
 Rev. Kerry Q. Peeler, Associate Pastor of Christian Education  
 Rev. Jeremy L. Slagle, Associate Pastor of Youth & Family Life  
 Mrs. Sheree G. Bagley, Director of Children's Ministry

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