

WE JOIN HANDS IN GLOBAL MISSIONS

Pastoral Prayer Walter Draughon

*Offertory Hymn 412 *My Faith Has Found a Resting Place*
(verses 1 & 2)
Donna Hare, instrumentalist

Offertory Prayer Mike Browder

Offertory *God Bless America* Berlin
David Hicks, soloist

*The Doxology 253 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.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Choral Message *America* Mauldin

Message Walter Draughon

"Independence Day - Freedom Crossroads"

Mark 6:6b-13 & 2 Corinthians 3:17

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

*Hymn 630 *America the Beautiful*
(verses 1 & 4)
Donna Hare, instrumentalist

Congregational Blessing and Benediction Walter Draughon

Postlude *My Country, Tis of Thee* Musicus

***Congregation Stands**

Scripture Reading: Mark 6:6b -13 NIV (Pew Bible, pages 970)

^{6b} Then Jesus went around teaching from village to village. ⁷ And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. ⁹ "This, then, is how you should pray:" 'Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, ¹⁰ your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹ Give us today our daily bread. ¹² And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³ And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 3:17 NIV (Pew Bible, pages 1159)

¹⁷ Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.

Notes:

Announcements

Deacon of the Week: Mike Browder

- Wednesday, July 4, there will be no Wednesday Night Services and the church office will be CLOSED in observance of the July 4th Holiday.
- **SAVE THE DATE:** Church-wide family picnic at Steele Creek Park Shelter G, Sunday evening, July 8, 5 to 8 p.m.!!! Activities for all ages! Dinner begins at 6 p.m. Anthony Mangrum will be providing music. The shelter is reserved all day; you're welcome to come any time. Make sure you have it on your calendar. *Please note, we are in the same shelter as last year and let the gatekeeper know you are with FBC to avoid entrance fees.
- **TERRIFIC TUESDAYS!!** – Mark your calendars! Terrific Tuesdays are right around the corner and registration is open for all children 2 ½ years old to 5th grade. Dates are: July 10 – Kingsport Aquatic Center, Kingsport, TN; July 31 – Ripley's Aquarium, Gatlinburg, TN. **VOLUNTEERS** are needed for the remaining two Terrific Tuesdays. If you are interested please contact Tabetha.

*****This Week's Prayer for the Pastor Search Team*****

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 55:6

"Seek the Lord while he may be found: call on him while he is near."

Prayer Prompt: Pray that in times of discouragement, the search committee and the church will seek the Lord diligently and have confidence that He is at work bringing the church and future pastor together.

For the Record June 24, 2018

Weekly Budget Needs	\$8,982.00
Giving This Week	\$7,061.00
Giving This Week Last Year	\$7,743.00
Budget Needs to Date	\$224,118.00
Giving to Date	\$218,780.00
Giving to Date Last Year	\$228,887.00
Giving to Date vs. Budget Needs to Date	(\$5,338.00)
Capital Campaign Total Pledged	\$246,914.00
Capital Campaign- Giving to Date	\$191,388.00

Extended Session for July 8

Babies during Church

May Tabor & Phyllis Dye

Twos - Fives

Karen & Jamie Barger

Elementary-Aged Sunday School

Tabetha Palumbo and Emma Crussell

Elementary-Aged Children's Church

Tabetha Palumbo and Emma Crussell

We Invite You to Join our Church

By coming forward at the invitation time following the sermon or
By indicating your desire to join in the box provided below

- I would like to become a member of this church. (The pastor will contact you and answer any questions. He will also arrange the announcement of your desire for membership in a future service.)

Ways to become a member of our church

- By profession of faith in Christ and Baptism
 By transfer of your membership from another Baptist Church
 By statement of faith in Christ and previous Baptism

Our church welcomes all who would be a part of our faith family!

Calendar

Wednesday, July 4

Office CLOSED
*NO Wednesday Night Services

Sunday, July 8

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Church Picnic at Steele Creek Park 5 p.m.

Tuesday, July 10

Terrific Tuesday: Kingsport Aquatic Center 9 a.m.

Wednesday, July 11

Big Breakfast for dinner: Pancakes, French Toast, Bacon, Eggs, Sausage Biscuits & Gravy, Fresh Fruit 5:30 p.m.
Prayer & Bible Study with Steve Playl 6 p.m.
Children's/Youth Activities 6-6:50 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 7 p.m.

Welcome to FBC!

Thanks for joining our worship today! Please take a moment to fill out the registration form below as we value your time with us. Detach the form and place it in the offering plate when it is passed or give it to a greeter or minister.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Apt. _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Email address: _____

This is your Date: _____

- First time to attend
- Attend often

Age Range or School Grade of Family Members (please circle):

26-32 33-42 43-54 55 & up
Pre-K K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 College

- Would you like to receive more information about FBC?
- Would you like a visit from one of our ministers?

Prayer Requests: _____

Welcome



We gladly welcome you to worship, and we pray that this service will be a time in which you experience the presence of the risen Christ.

Several portable audio headsets are available for use. These FM units allow you to receive sound directly from the speaker's microphone with clarity.

Children

While children are certainly welcome to sit with their parents in the service, childcare is provided for children ages birth through kindergarten. For elementary-age children, there is a designated time for children to come to the front of the sanctuary and listen to a children's message. Then they will have the option to go with Tabettha for "Children's Time," a program of worship/learning activities, or remain in the worship service with their family.

Also, children's activity sheets are available for all children who remain in the sanctuary. Just pick up a clipboard with the "Kids Bulletin" and pencil from the basket in the sanctuary foyer. When your child finishes the activity sheet, remove it, and return the clipboard to the foyer.

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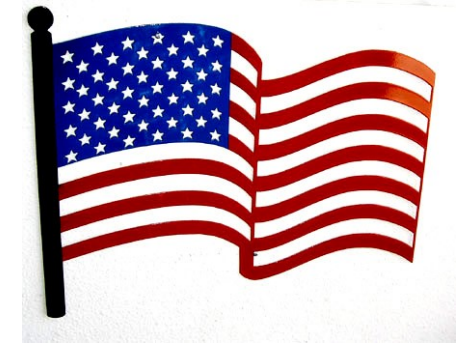
Church Staff

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To contact the church office or one of the ministers via email use the following email address: office@fbcbristol.org

First Baptist Church



July 1, 2018 11 a.m.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude *America, the Beautiful* Ward

Welcome to Worship Tom Parker

*Song of Welcome *Holy Ground*

*We are standing on holy ground,
And I know that there are angels all around.
Let us praise Jesus now.
We are standing in His presence on holy ground.*

Invocation & The Lord's Prayer Tom Parker

Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE PRAISE GOD!

*Hymn 635 *The Star-Spangled Banner (verse 1)*
Donna Hare, instrumentalist

Children's Time Marilyn Butler

Scripture Reading Mike Browder