

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON			
Sunday, March 20	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
	4:00	pm	Youth, Children’s Choir/Missions
Monday, March 21	10:00	am	Staff Meeting
Tuesday, March 22	5:30	pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday, March 16	11:00	am	Bible Study—Activity Building

The third Sunday of each month we collect an offering for the Food Pantry of Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry. This offering directly helps feed hungry families in Polk County. You may give as you exit today.

Easter Egg Hunt on April 10. The time is 4:15pm, and children should meet at the playground. There’s an egg hunt for both preschool children and for ages K-5th grade.

Everyone is invited! Palm Sunday Covered Dish Meal and Fellowship. The time is 5pm on April 10. Meat and beverages are provided, so we’re asking you to join us and bring a side dish, salad, or dessert.

Scholarship applications are available by contacting the church office. Scholarships are a one-time award of \$1,000 for any first-time college student who is a member of the church. Scholarships to offset the cost of Passport camp are also available. Applications should be returned by April 30.

LENT 2022 Wondering in the Wilderness

March 2	Ash Wednesday
March 6	Led by the Spirit
March 13	Particular and Peculiar Places
March 20	Gifts and Grumblings
March 27	Remember Who You Are
April 3	Surprise Ending
April 10	Palm Sunday
April 14	Maundy Thursday
April 15	Good Friday Community Worship, 5:30pm
April 17	Easter Sunday

March 13, 2022			
Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 6,165	Capital Campaign	\$ 2,810
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,303	Help for Ukraine	\$ 855
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 82,864	CBF Global	\$ 300
YTD Plan Goal	\$ 91,333	Annie Armstrong	\$ 320
Total Committed to Capital Campaign		\$1,047,860	
Total Received for Capital Campaign (through February)		\$1,089,735	

Welcome! We are grateful to worship with you today. If you are a guest, we hope you will experience God’s love through our worship and among our congregation.

Nursery is provided during for children ages 0-2, and Children’s church is provided for children ages 3 to 5 (children exit after the Children’s Time during worship). If you are able to help with this ministry, please let Jodi know at 828-447-1157.

March/April Mission Opportunity — Easter Missions Offering

During the month of March, we are collecting an offering for missions. You may designate your gift to:

CBF -Offering for Global Missions provides the love of Christ in real ways to children, women, and men in most need by life-saving medical care and ministry in hard-to-reach places of the world, food and shelter for people living in poverty, education for forgotten children, loving compassion and community for marginalized people, and care and support for widows and orphans.

SBC -The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering go to train, resource, and send missionaries across the United States and Canada, as well as

GREETERS

Charles and Lib McKeller— Sanctuary Door
Tommy and Margaret Richardson— Lobby Entrances

OFFERING

Keith Collins*, Sandy Frady,
Elizabeth Burrell, JT Johnson
*Denotes Lead Deacon

DIACONATE

Shelvie Foust, Mason Jackson, Billy McFarland,
Ellis Fincher Jr., Lane Price, Di Greene,
Rachel Hawkins, Phil Scoggins, Susan Smith

CHURCH STAFF

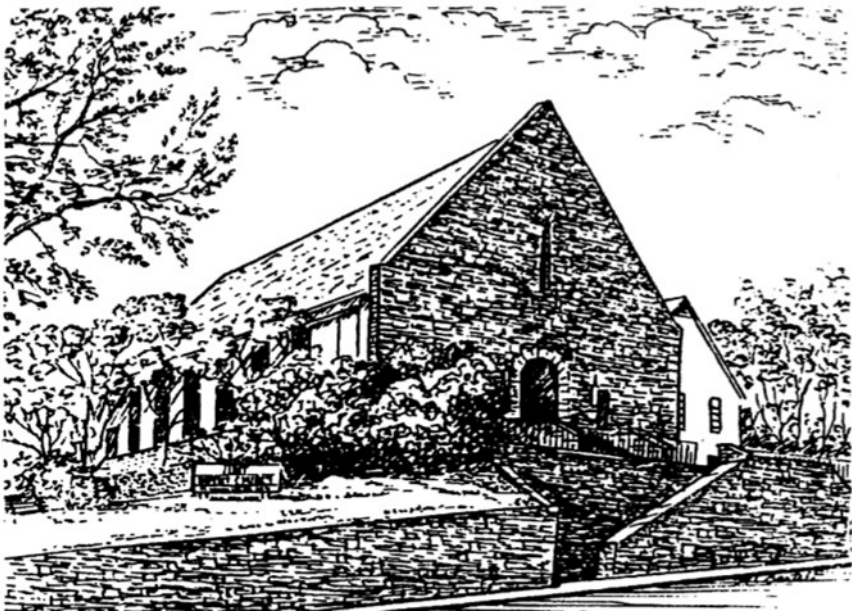
The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor
The Reverend Jim Hawkins, Minister of Music
Jodi Harris, Minister of Education and Children
Kay Greene, Pianist
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
TRYON, NC



MARCH 20, 2022

ELEVEN O’CLOCK IN THE MORNING

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP		
THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT		
March 20, 2022		Eleven O'clock
Music for Gathering	Kay Greene	
Passing of the Peace	Jeff Harris	
The peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.		
Trinity Ring	John Spinks	
Lenten Chorus	<i>I Come With Joy</i>	LAND OF REST
<i>I come with joy to meet my Lord, Forgiven, loved, and free, In awe and wonder to recall His life laid down for me.</i>		
<i>I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved and free, The life of Jesus to recall, His love laid down for me.</i>		
Call to Worship	Jeff Harris	
God hovered over the void and breathed life into dust. God created in the wilderness. The Israelites wandered in the desert for forty years. The Israelites found God in the wilderness. Jesus said “no” to the tempter time and time again. Jesus claimed his identity in the wilderness. We grow in the wilderness. We learn in the wilderness. God is with us—before, through, and after the wilderness. Fill us with wonder. Fill us with awe. Fill us with your Spirit. Remember that you belong to God.		
Voluntary	<i>Can God Spread a Table in the Wilderness?</i>	-Martin
Invocation	Don Batts	
Hymn 33	<i>Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah</i>	CWM RHONDDA
Children are invited to come to the front during the last stanza.		
Children's Time	Jodi Harris	
Kindergartners and preschoolers may leave for Children's Church after the Children's Time.		

Psalm 78:10-20, 35-40	Reva Williams	
They did not keep God's covenant, but refused to walk according to his law. They forgot what he had done, and the miracles that he had shown them. In the sight of their ancestors he worked marvels in the land of Egypt, in the fields of Zoan. He divided the sea and let them pass through it, and made the waters stand like a heap. In the daytime he led them with a cloud, and all night long with a fiery light. He split rocks open in the wilderness, and gave them drink abundantly as from the deep. He made streams come out of the rock, and caused waters to flow down like rivers. Yet they sinned still more against him, rebellng against the Most High in the desert. They tested God in their heart by demanding the food they craved. They spoke against God, saying, “Can God spread a table in the wilderness?” Even though he struck the rock so that water gushed out and torrents overflowed, can he also give bread, or provide meat for his people?” They remembered that God was their rock, the Most High God their redeemer. But they flattered him with their mouths; they lied to him with their tongues. Their heart was not steadfast toward him; they were not true to his covenant. Yet he, being compassionate, forgave their iniquity, and did not destroy them; often he restrained his anger, and did not stir up all his wrath. He remembered that they were but flesh, a wind that passes and does not come again. How often they rebelled against him in the wilderness and grieved him in the desert!		
†Choral Response	<i>Thy Word</i> (3x)	THY WORD
<i>Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.</i>		
Exodus 16:1-12 (p. 48)	Jodi Harris	
The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.		

Exodus 17:1-7 (p. 49)	Phil Feagan	
The Word of the Lord.		
Thanks be to God.		
Anthem	Walk Worthy	-Martin
Sermon	“Gifts and Grumbings”	Jeff Harris
Offering and Meditation	-arr. Berry	
	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need	
†Doxology	Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.	OLD 100th
Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer	Jeff Harris	
	Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen.	
†Hymn 67	In Suffering Love the Thread of Life	LAND OF REST
Those making decisions of faith, renewals of faith, or desiring to unite with our church through membership, may come forward at this time.		
Benediction	Jeff Harris	
Postlude	Sol Maggiore	-Kühns

†Please stand if you are able.