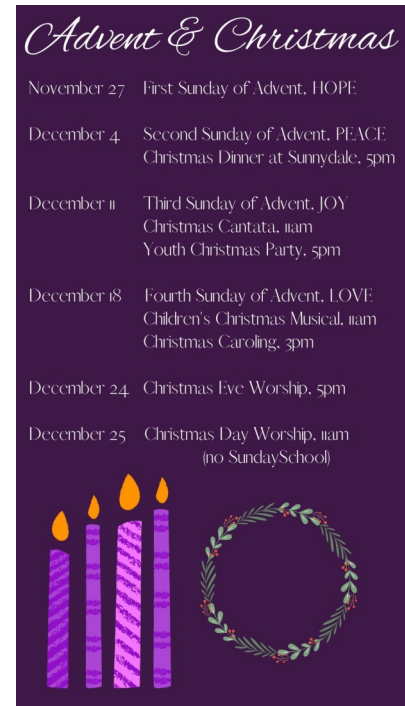


THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, December 4	9:30	am	Coffee and Catch-Up
	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
Monday, December 5	5:00	pm	Annual Christmas Meal—Sunnydale
	10:30	am	Staff Meeting
	5:30	pm	Mission Team Meeting
Tuesday, December 6	6:30	pm	Sisterhood Meeting
	10:00	am	WMU
	5:30	pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, December 8	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	2:00	pm	Foothills Music Club
Saturday, December 10	10:00	am	Chancel Choir Cantata Practice

The Annual Christmas Dinner is tonight at Sunnydale from 5-7pm. The Social Team is providing Smoked Pulled Chicken, Smoked Brisket, and Spiral Ham. Bring a side or dessert to share and come join the fun and fellowship this evening.



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November 27, 2022

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 8,782	Capital Campaign	\$ 1,135
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,303	Kathy's Kids	\$ 50
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$355,559		
YTD Plan Goal	\$398,544		

Total Received for Capital Campaign (through November) \$1,140,148
Remaining balance on Construction Loan \$321,082.49

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 church for children ages 0-2, and Children's Church is provided for children ages 3 to 5. Children's Church begins after the Children's Time.

December Mission Focus

Kathy's Kids

Kathy's Kids is a personal ministry designed to help needy children from Tryon Elementary School who may not receive a gift this year. You are invited to shop for a child by choosing a card with their name, and their information is on the front of the card. Gifts should be left unwrapped, and returned to the church no later than December 16 (before the children go on Christmas break). Becky Hudson will be in the Gathering Space with cards after worship. You are welcome to take more than one card if you choose. Thank you for your love and generosity on behalf of Kathy's Kids.

GREETERS

Justin, Andrea, and Finley Lay, Sanctuary Door
Phil and Joyce Scoggins, Lobby Entrances

OFFERING

Keith Collins (Lead), Susan Smith, Lane Price, Beth McCallister

NURSERY WORKERS

Linda Fincher, Merry Price

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Casi Burrell

ACOLYTES

Gabriel McKaig, Rhys Jackson

DIACONATE

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

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
E. Leslie Raymond, Organist
John Spinks, Sexton

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
TRYON, NC



DECEMBER 4, 2022

ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP
SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 4, 2022 Eleven O'clock

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Welcome Jeff Harris
The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Trinity Ring John Spinks

Call to Worship Jeff Harris
Wake us up, O Lord,
To the beauty and goodness that surround us.
Teach us patience and stillness, O Lord,
So that every heart may prepare Him room.
Guide us in your way of simplicity, O Lord,
As heaven and nature sing.

Voluntary *I Wonder as I Wander* -Norian

Lighting the Candle of Peace
Tommy and Margaret Richardson

Choral Response 80 *Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love* BAUGH
Hope, peace, joy, and love!
These are gifts You bring from above.
Jesus, Emmanuel, come to be
Light of Your peace, reflected in me.

Invocation Hugh Porter

†Hymn 103 *O Come, All Ye Faithful* ADESTE FIDELIS
Children are invited to come forward during the last stanza.

Children's Time Jodi Harris
Kindergartners and preschoolers may leave for Children's Church after the
Children's Time.

Isaiah 11:1-10 Jennie Cannon
A shoot shall come out from the stump of Jesse,
and a branch shall grow out of his roots.
The spirit of the Lord shall rest on him,
the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of counsel and might,
the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord.

His delight shall be in the fear of the Lord.
He shall not judge by what his eyes see
or decide by what his ears hear,
but with righteousness he shall judge for the poor and
decide with equity for the oppressed of the earth;
he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth,
and with the breath of his lips he shall kill
the wicked.

Righteousness shall be the belt around his waist
and faithfulness the belt around his loins.
The wolf shall live with the lamb;
the leopard shall lie down with the kid;
the calf and the lion will feed together,
and a little child shall lead them.
The cow and the bear shall graze;
their young shall lie down together;
and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.
The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp,
and the weaned child shall put its hand on the
adder's den.

They will not hurt or destroy
on all my holy mountain,
for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the Lord
as the waters cover the sea.
On that day the root of Jesse shall stand as a signal to
the peoples;
the nations shall inquire of him, and his dwelling
shall be glorious.

Bells for Worship *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing* -arr. Page

Romans 15:4-13 Hilda Pleasants
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Matthew 3:1-12 JT Johnson
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Anthem *Shalom* -Schram

Sermon "The Holy Mountain" Jeff Harris

Offering and Meditation -arr. Brantley
Bethlehem Medley

†Doxology *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100th
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.

Silence

Bells for Worship *Infant Holy, Infant Lowly* -arr. Piercy

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 79 *O Come, O Come Emmanuel* VENI EMMANUEL
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

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Bell Postlude *Go, Tell It On the Mountain* -arr. Lutes
Please use this as a final opportunity for prayer as you head into the new week.
†Please stand if you are able.