†Choral Response, May God Give You Peace -Choplin

May God give you peace through ev'ry trial.

May God give you courage for ev'ry mile.

May God give you comfort and be your friend,

And give you life eternal, life without end.

Postlude

God of Our Fathers

-Warren, arr. Lau

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, November 5	9:30	am	Coffee and Catch-Up
	10:00	am	Sunday School
	11:00	am	Worship
Monday, November 6	6:00	pm	House and Grounds, Gathering Space
Tuesday, November 7	10:00	am	WMU, Activity Building
	5:30	pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	6:30	pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday, November 8	11:30	am	Bible Study, Gathering Space
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We welcome Badger Burrell and Ronald Rosenberger as new members of First Baptist Tryon.

On this All Saints Sunday, we remember these departed members of First Baptist Tryon: Leah Justice, Anthony Pereira, Rolland Rasmussen, Jerry Atwood, Martha Covil, and Evelyn Bradley.

We have hearing devices available for worship, in the narthex. Please ask a greeter for assistance.

SEE Fall 2023 (Nov 12)

We begin at 4pm and share a meal at 5pm.

Music & Movement for Toddlers, Children's Choir—Main Church Youth—6th-12th grade—Lower Activity Building Adults—Upper Activity Building

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October 29, 2023

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 10,034	Capital Campaign	\$ 235
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,322	Food Pantry	\$ 50
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$344,751	I Love My Church	\$ 1,000
YTD Plan Goal	\$366,168		

Total Received for Capital Campaign (through October) \$1,208.678.87 Remaining balance on Construction Loan \$232,014.71

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.

Light refreshments are available in the Gathering Space after worship.

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER MISSION FOCUS Operation Christmas Child

Sisterhood invites you to fill a shoebox for a child this Christmas. Boxes are available in the church lobby, along with a brochure for detailed instructions. Please bring your filled boxes and a \$10 check (made out to Samaritan's Purse) to the church by noon on Sunday, November 19. Boxes will not be accepted after the deadline.

GREETERS

Hub and Joyce Arledge, Sanctuary Door Bill and Sharon Mitchell, Lobby Entrances

OFFERING

Phil Feagan (Lead Deacon), Elizabeth Burrell Justin Lay, Sadie McKaig

> NURSERY WORKERS Peggy Edwards, Harper Harris

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Margaret Richardson ACOLYTES

Badger Burrell and Gabriel McKaig

DIACONATE

Ellis Fincher Jr., Lane Price, Susan Smith, Di Greene, Rachel Hawkins, Phil Scoggins, Justin Lay, Beth McCallister, Alice Tennant

CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor Wendi Arms, Minister of Music Kay Greene, Pianist E. Leslie Raymond, Organist

John Spinks, Sexton
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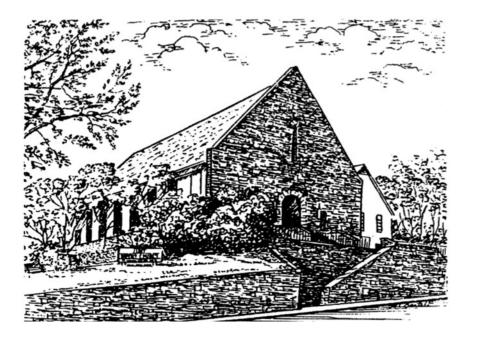
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TRYON, NC



NOVEMBER 5, 2023

ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

[†]Please stand if you are able.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 5, 2023

Eleven O'clock

Music for Gathering

Kay Greene

Welcome and Passing of the Peace The peace of Christ be with you. Jeff Harris

And also with you.

Trinity Ring

John Spinks

Call to Worship

Jeff Harris

In all our weakness and strength, with our youth-filled spirits and aging bodies, we come to be your people, O God.

Strong in faith and eager with questions, singing your praise and whispering our prayers,

we come to be your people, O God.

Filled with saintly determination yet mindful of our brokenness,

we come to be your people, O God.

Made strong by your endless love for us, we know ourselves to be yours,

we come to be your people, O God.

So make us your people, O God, flawed and faithful, now and forever.

Voluntary Let All Things Their Creator Bless

-Fedak

Invocation

Mason Jackson

†Hymn 567

For All the Saints

SINE NOMINE

Children are invited to come forward during the last stanza.

Children's Time

"Mr. Skip" Williams

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

Psalm 34:1-10, 22

Badger Burrell

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.

I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

Look to him, and be radiant, so your faces shall never be ashamed.

This poor soul cried and was heard by the Lord and was saved from every trouble.

The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him and delivers them.

O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

O fear the Lord, you his holy ones, for those who fear him have no want.

The young lions suffer want and hunger, but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.

The Lord redeems the life of his servants; none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

Remembering the Saints

Jeff Harris

We remember, O God...

The countless saints of history who have blazed a trail of courage through time.

We remember, O God...

The tender touch of loved ones, the example of heroes, the healing words of comforters, the remarkable acts of fearless ones.

We remember, O God...

The gentle strength of grandmothers, the loyalty of friends, the kindness of strangers, the joy of children, the sacrifice of parents.

We remember, O God...

The supreme love of Jesus, the blessing of his Spirit, the reminder of his words, the sharing of his suffering, the glory of his resurrection: shown forth in the lives of his disciples, young and old, dead and living, articulate and silent, strange and familiar, brilliant and ordinary.

We remember in every time and place the saints of God who have shown us the Lord.

Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us worship God with joy!

Remembering Saints of First Baptist Tryon Leah Justice, Anthony Pereira, Rolland Rasmussen, Jerry Atwood, Martha Covil, Evelyn Bradley

†Choral Response, 561

HANSON PLACE

Mona Kimble

Shall We Gather at the River (v. 1)

Revelation 7:9-17, p. 196

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

1 John 4:7-12, p. 188

John Spinks

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem

Give Me Jesus

-Fettke

Jeff Harris

Sermon

"What Will You Do . . ."

Meditation and Offertory

- arr. Schram

For All the Saints

†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.

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 259 Blest Are They

BLEST ARE THEY

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