

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST TRYON

Sunday, March 31	6:50 am	Sunrise Service, TFAC Amphitheater
	7:30 am	Breakfast
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 pm	Easter Worship and Baptisms
Monday, April 1	5:30 pm	Mission Team, Rock House
Tuesday, April 2	10:00 am	WMU, Activity Building
Wednesday, April 3	11:00 am	Bible Study, Gathering Space
	6:00 pm	Men's Fellowship Meal, Activity Building
	6:00 pm	Sisterhood, Open Road Coffee
Thursday, April 4	pm	Visitation Team, Rock House

Hearing devices are available for worship in the narthex.
Please ask a greeter for assistance.

We are grateful to celebrate the baptisms of
Badger Burrell
Olivia Downey
Susanna Hodge
Tradd Hodge

2024 Scholarship Applications are available in a wall pocket in the Education hallway. A one-time scholarship of \$1,000 is available for eligible students. Applications must be returned to the church office no later than April 8.

Men's Fellowship Dinner is scheduled for March 6, at 6pm. Cost for a meal is \$10. There's a sign-up sheet in the Education Hallway.

Thanks to Skip Williams for leading the improvements to the Baptistry.

Thanks to Merry and Lane Price for the stained glass that baptismal candidates see as they enter the Baptistry.

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March 24, 2024

Weekly Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 4,876	Capital Campaign	\$ 5,425
Weekly Ministry Plan Goal	\$ 8,524	Food Pantry	\$ 75
YTD Ministry Plan Giving	\$ 85,772	Annie Armstrong	\$ 10
YTD Plan Goal	\$ 102,288		

COMPLETE the Capital Campaign

Total Received for Capital Campaign (through 3/24/24) \$1,279,425.87
Remaining balance on Construction Loan as of 3/24/24 - \$149,639.16

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 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.

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:

The Offering for Global Missions (CBF) 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 those living in poverty, education for forgotten children, loving compassion and community for marginalized people, and care and support for widows and orphans.

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

GREETERS

Erik and Randi Koistinen, Sanctuary Door
Charles and Lib McKeller, Lobby Entrances

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Carolyn Baughman

NURSERY

Raye Dusenbury and Peggy Edwards

ACOLYTES

Katie Benedict and Roselee Crawford

OFFERING

Phil Feagan (Lead Deacon), Elizabeth McCallister,
Elizabeth Burrell, Franklin Williams

DIACONATE

Di Greene, Rachel Hawkins, Phil Scoggins, Justin Lay, Beth McCallister,
Alice Tennant, Cale Burrell, Carol Batts, Tommy Richardson

CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor

Wendi Arms, Minister of Music

Kay Greene, Pianist

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
TRYON, NC



MARCH 31, 2024

ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

EASTER SUNDAY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP
EASTER SUNDAY

March 31, 2024 Eleven O'clock

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Ringing of the Bells

Ensemble *The Easter Song* Herring, arr. Glad
Sarah Benedict, Laura Spinks, Wendi Arms,
Alex Tapp, Gary Benedict, Matthew Baker

Words from the Water, 446 Jeff Harris

Baptism Badger Burrell, Olivia Downey,
Susanna Hodge, Tradd Hodge

Voluntary *Lord, God, Now Open Wide Thy Heaven* -Bach
In Cruce Gloria Conkey/arr. Wilson

Invocation Elizabeth McCallister

†Hymn 194 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* EASTER HYMN
Children are invited to come forward after the last stanza.

Children's Time "Mr. Skip" Williams
Kindergartners and preschoolers may leave for Children's Church after the
Children's Time.

Greeting and Passing the Peace Jeff Harris
The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.
Christ is risen!
Christ is risen indeed!

Words for Worship Jeff Harris
Alleluia! Christ is risen!
Christ is risen indeed!
The kingdom of this world has become
the kingdom of our Lord,
and He shall reign forever and ever!
**We give thanks to You, Lord God Almighty,
who was and is and is to come!**
Great and marvelous are your works,
Lord God Almighty!
Just and true are your ways!

You alone are holy.
All the earth will come and worship before you.
Alleluia! Christ is risen!
Christ is risen indeed!

Children's Choir *This Is the Day* -Sleeth

Isaiah 25:6-9 Paula Edwards

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all
peoples a feast of rich food,
a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with
marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

**And he will destroy on this mountain
the shroud that is cast over all peoples,
the covering that is spread over all nations;
he will swallow up death forever.**

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces,
and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all
the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

**It will be said on that day,
"See, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that
he might save us.**

**This is the Lord for whom we have waited;
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."**

†Choral Response 208 *He Is Lord* HE IS LORD

1 Corinthians 15:1-11, p. 135 Erik Koistinen
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Mark 16:1-8, p. 42 Tradd Hodge
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Anthem *Christ Is Risen!*
Fieldes/Maher, arr. Sorenson
Chancel and Children's Choirs

Sermon "When an Ending Is Not an Ending" Jeff Harris

Offering and Meditation -Ham
Crown Him King and Rejoice

†Doxology OLD 100th

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.*

Renewal of Baptismal Covenant Jeff Harris

Do you in the presence of God and this congregation desire
to renew the covenant which you made at your baptism?
I do.

Do you believe that Jesus is the Risen Christ,
the Son of the living God, the Savior of the world;
and do you declare him Lord of your life?
I do.

Will you again, renounce evil and seek to walk in the loving,
sacrificial way of Jesus, as a faithful disciple and servant of
Christ's church?
I will, with God's help.

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 223 *Crown Him with Many Crowns* DIADEMATA
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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Postlude *Lead On, O King Eternal / The Lord is My Light* -Page

†Please stand if you are able.