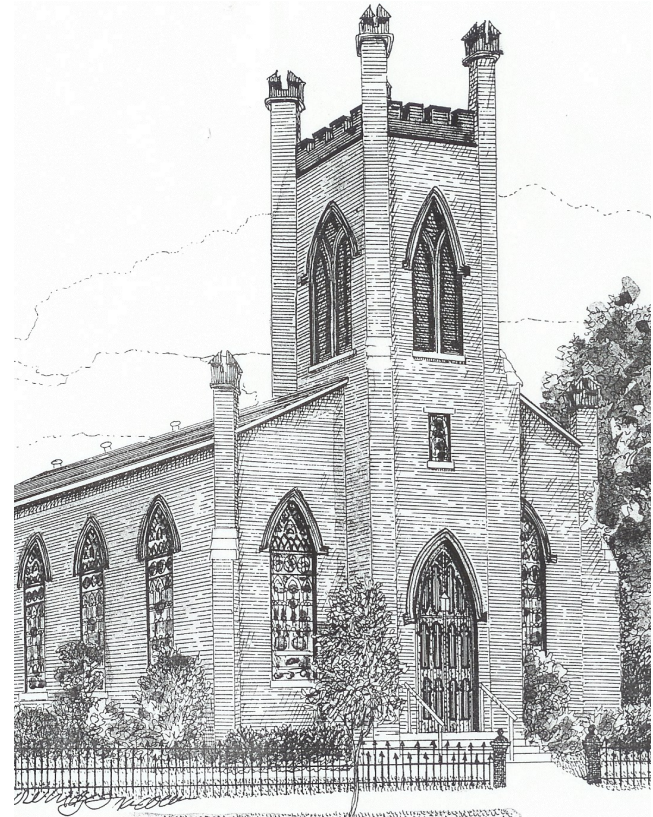


VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK		
	03/30/2025	04/06/2025
DEACONS	Dwayne Alligood Kathy Swindell	Kelsie McBride
WATCHMEN	Eddie Games	Donald Heath
USHER TEAMS	Todd Spear	Mike Seawell
CAFÉ CONNECTION	Lee Ann Smith	Kathy Daniels
GREETERS	Wilkinson	Bunting
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Jennifer Benton Bella Bernabi Allison Bunting	Beth Wynn Wes Holton Lori Meads
EXTENDED CARE 10:15 AM	Rebecca Sanchez Jennifer Emens Kathy Swindell Cathy Rock Christine Soler Mandy Mueller Molly Streblov	Kelsie Ferguson Trey Ferguson Gretchen Overby Brian Swicegood Christine Soler Mandy Mueller Molly Streblov

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 30, 2025 10:15 AM

Fourth Sunday of Lent



SUNDAY 03/30/2025 4th Sunday of Lent

9:00 AM Café Connections
 9:15 AM Fifth Sunday Shuffle in the FLC
 10:15 AM Worship Service
 11:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
 12:15 PM Adult Ensemble Rehearsal
 2:00 PM Baseball League Kick Off

TUESDAY 04/01/2025

9:00 AM Staff Meeting

WEDNESDAY 04/02/2025

6:30 AM Men's First Light
 10:00 AM Community Gospel Choir
 5:15 PM Wednesday Night Supper
 5:40 PM Announcements & Prayer
 6:00 PM Discipleship

THURSDAY 04/03/2025

8:00 AM RCS Soup Kitchen
 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study
 5:30 PM Chancel Bells

SUNDAY 04/06/2025 5th Sunday of Lent

9:00 AM Sunday School for All Ages
 9:50 AM Café Connection
 10:15 AM Worship Service
 11:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
 12:15 PM Adult Ensemble Rehearsal

MENU 4/2/2025

Sliced Pork Loin
 Stuffing
 Green Bean Casserole
 Apples
 Dessert

Dr. Richard D. Seagle, Senior Pastor
 Rev. Kerry Q. Peeler, Associate Pastor of Christian Education
 Rev. Michael McKnight, Interim Minister of Music
 Rev. Barry E. Templeton, Associate Pastor of Senior Adults
 Mrs. Sheree G. Bagley, Director of Children's Ministry
 Mrs. Kelly W. Brinson, Interim Minister of Youth

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Broadcast WCTI Television
Sunday, March 30, 2025

Channel 12 ~ Cable 13
10:15 AM

Please feel free to exchange greetings with one another upon your arrival. We invite you to a time of quiet meditation as the prelude begins.

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude Angela Jovanovich, violin
Jesus Paid It All / O Sacred Head Now Wounded

Welcome Sheree Bagley

Our Journey in Lent Dennis Sawyer & John Duff

*Hymn of Praise No. 303 HOLY MANNA
All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

*Invocation Michael McKnight

LISTENING FOR GOD'S VOICE

Children's Time Sheree Bagley
(Children ages 4 through 3rd grade will be dismissed to Children's Church)

Old Testament Reading Dwayne Alligood, deacon
Psalm 32 (Pew Bible 506-507)

Morning Prayer

*Song Medley of Assurance
Seek Ye First / Jesus Is the Answer
Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness,
And all these things shall be given unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

Jesus Is the answer for the world today.
Above Him there's no other; Jesus is the way.
Jesus is the answer for the world today.
Above Him there's no other; Jesus is the way.

*Offertory Prayer Dwayne Alligood

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Musical Offering Sanctuary Choir
Hope of All the World - arr. Lloyd Larson

Hope of the world, help to the helpless; a humble Servant, Savior, Friend;
God's only Son, sent to redeem us; hosannas ring praise without end.

Amazing love! How great a Savior!
Christ comes to set the captive free - a love beyond all comprehension,
the grace of God for all to see. Amazing love for you and me!

Jesus walked this lonesome valley, He had to walk it by Himself;
O, nobody else could walk it for Him: He had to walk it by Himself.
Jesus walked this lonesome valley; despised, rejected and alone.
He carried our sorrows, griefs and burdens.
He had to bear them all alone.

*Hymn of Offering Dedication OLD 100TH

Praise God throughout these forty days;
Praise Christ, our Lord, whom God did raise;
And praise the Spirit who imparts
God's love in Christ into our hearts. Amen.

Sermon Kerry Peeler
Which Brother Am I?
Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Invitation to Discipleship and Membership Kerry Peeler

*Hymn of Response No. 501 RESOLUTION
I Am Resolved

Sharing of Public Decisions Ministers

SENDING FORTH GOD'S PEOPLE

What's Coming Your Way!

*Benediction Congregation
God's Great Love Is So Amazing!
God keeps waiting, searching, yearning! See – a father's heartfelt joy!
Thankful for his son's returning, He runs out to greet his boy.
To the angry older brother, Hear the father's patient call.
So, God says to love each other, For in Christ God loves us all.

*Postlude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ
Just As I Am - arr. Gordon Young

*Please stand if able

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The roses in the pulpit are in celebration of:



The birth of Wrenleigh Kate Potter born March 24 to parents Tate & Anna Potter; Proud Grandparents are Barry & Yvonne Templeton

The birth of Delilah-Jo Ann Rice born March 25 to parents Philip & Melanie Rice. Proud Grandparents are Wayne & Gwyn Rice.

The birth of Riley Andrew Wynn born March 18 to parents Trent & Brittany Wynn; Proud Grandparents are Pat & Beth Wynn.