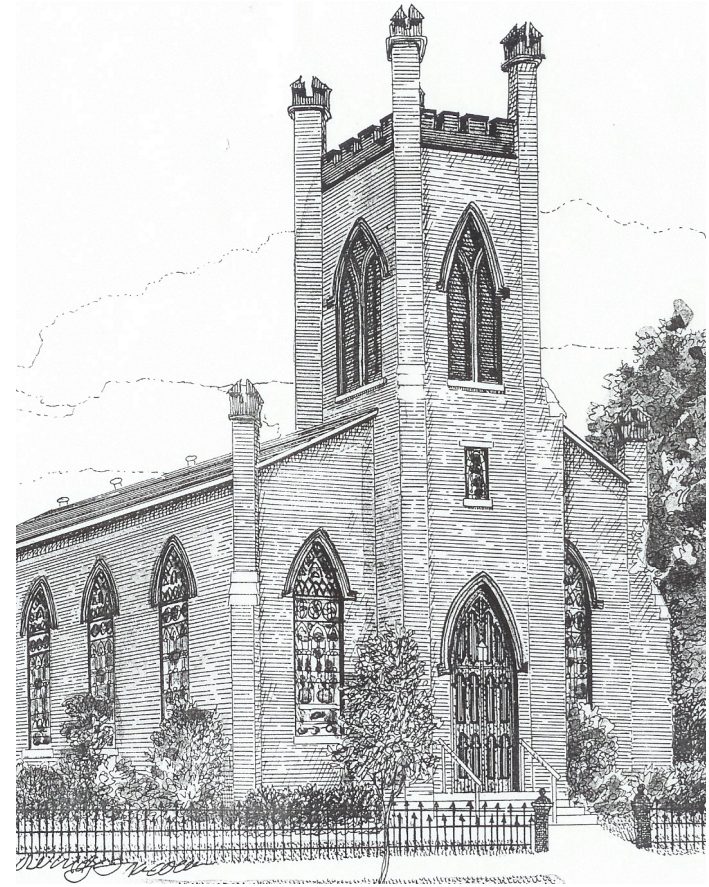


VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK		
	03/02/2025	03/09/2025
DEACONS	Mona Quick Jennifer Emens	Wayne Brown Charlotte Fuller
WATCHMEN	Wayne Brown	Dwayne Alligood
USHER TEAMS	Mike Seawell	Eddie Games
CAFÉ CONNECTION	Elaine Varley	Terry Hall
GREETERS	Bunting	Hall
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Jennifer Benton Bella Bernabi Allison Bunting	Beth Wynn Wes Holton Lori Meads
EXTENDED CARE 10:15 AM	Brenda & Terry Hall David & Thaih Zink Susan Trout Christine Soler Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow	Cindy Lewis Courtney Tavares Jeremy Tavares Christine Soler Mandy Mueller Molly Streblow

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 02, 2025 10:15 AM



SUNDAY 03/02/2025 Communion

- 9:00 AM Café Connections
- 9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages
Adults in FLC - Larry Hovis
- 10:15 AM Worship Service
- 11:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- 12:15 PM Adult Ensemble Rehearsal
- 5:00 PM Youth Reconnect

MONDAY 03/03/2025

- 9:00 AM Early Morning Prayer Group
- 1:00 PM Sweet Pittard

TUESDAY 03/04/2025

- 9:00 AM Staff Meeting

WEDNESDAY 03/05/2025 Ash Wednesday

- 6:30 AM Men's First Light
- 10:00 AM Community Gospel Choir
- 5:15 PM Wednesday Night Supper
- 6:00 PM Ash Wednesday Service

THURSDAY 03/06/2025

- 8:00 AM RCS Soup Kitchen
- 9:30 AM Bonus Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 11:00 AM Sounds of Praise Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 5:30 PM Chancel Bells

SUNDAY 03/09/2025

- 9:00 AM Café Connections
- 9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages
- 10:15 AM Worship Service
- 11:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- 12:15 PM Adult Ensemble Rehearsal
- 5:00 PM Youth Reconnect
- 7:00 PM Deacons Meeting

MENU for 03/05/25

- Beef Stew with
Potatoes & Carrots
- Congeaed Salad
- Corny Cornbread
- 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 to 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 02, 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 Bette Jo Oglesby, organ
I Sing the Mighty Power of God - arr. Matt Limbaugh

Welcome Kerry Peeler

*Call to Worship Sheree Bagley

We come together, a community of faith.
We have gathered to talk and listen to our God.
May our faces shine in anticipation.
Our God has invited us to this moment of meeting.
We share in a new covenant of promise and hope.
Our spirits have been set free for worship and praise.
We come with boldness to encounter our Creator.
We assemble here, eager to be changed by God.
Our fears melt into awe and wonder before God.
Our failures become opportunities for learning.
Let us praise God's holy name in chorus.
Let us share in the glory of life. What a gift!

*Hymn of Praise No. 58 ST. DENIO
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
(stanzas 1, 2 & 4)

*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)

Morning Prayer Kerry Peeler

Invitation to the Table Richard Seagle

Breaking the Bread
Pouring the Cup

Musical Offering Sanctuary Choir

Above All - arr. Rouse & Kirkland

Above all powers, above all kings, above all nature and all created things.
Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,
You were here before the world began.
Above all kingdoms, above all thrones,
above all wonders the world has ever known.

Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,
there's no way to measure what you're worth.
Crucified, laid behind a stone. You lived to die, rejected and alone.
Like a rose trampled on the ground,
You took the fall and thought of me.
Above all.

*Hymn of Perseverance No. 636 CHILDREN OF GOD
Children of God

*Offertory Prayer Jennifer Emens, deacon

Musical Offering Michael McKnight, piano
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name - arr. Mark Hayes

*Hymn of Offering Dedication No. 706 OLD 100TH
Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Introduction of Speaker Richard Seagle

Message Dr. Larry Hovis,
Executive Coordinator CBFNC

Together
Acts 2:42-47

Invitation to Discipleship and Membership Richard Seagle

*Hymn of Response No. 272 ST. BRENDAN'S
They'll Know We Are Christians

Sharing of Public Decisions Ministers

SENDING FORTH GOD'S PEOPLE

What's Coming Your Way! Kerry Peeler

*Benediction Richard Seagle

*Postlude Bette Jo Oglesby, organ
Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven - arr. Don Hustad

*Please stand if able

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We welcome Dr. Larry Hovis as our guest speaker in worship today. Larry has been Executive Coordinator of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of North Carolina since 2004. His responsibilities include bringing together the diverse parts of CBFNC into a coherent and efficient whole to accomplish CBFNC's purpose of "bringing Baptists of North Carolina together for Christ-centered ministry".