

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

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**Tim Begeot**  
*Worship*

**Rev. Steve Spurlock**  
*Pastor*

January 12, 2025

\*\*\*\*\* **Morning Service** \*\*\*\*\*  
 10:45 A.M.

Hymn 516 ..... “When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder”

Hymn 215 ..... “Majesty”

Morning Prayer..... Deacon Vic Conley

Hymn 550 ..... “I’d Rather Have Jesus”

~ Worship through Giving ~

Message

“Overcoming Temptation”

Commitment Hymn 295..... “Near to the Heart of God”

*Children’s Worship: Children will be dismissed just prior to the message*

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**Dream Night**

**Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 PM

As a new year begins individuals are invited to come together to “dream” about possible plans, events, activities and ministry steps for First Baptist as we step into the year 2025. Some areas to consider are: *Discipleship, Evangelism, Fellowship, Ministry and Worship*. All are welcome to participate.

**January Church Business Meeting:** The meeting will take place immediately following today’s Morning Worship Service and will be held in the 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Classroom.

**Prayer Concerns**

*George & Nellie Parsons, Jeff Allan, Kelly Duel, Bill Murphy III, Bob Dove, Jane King family  
 Hailee O’Connor, Bob Abbuhl, Garry Greathouse, Collin Beale, Judy Cadle, Karen Peden  
 William Dydell family, Judy Rios family, Mike Kelley, LouAnn Glaspell, Patti Hornor  
 Linda Gordon, Eva Cottrell, Becky Dye, Joan White, Patty O’Neal, Flin Jowers, Sophie Dry*

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

Today	Adult Bible Study/Sunday School	9:30 AM
	Morning Worship	10:45 AM
	Church Business Meeting	Noon
	Children’s Sunday Night Ministry	5:00 PM
Monday	Nursing Home Ministry	9:45 AM
	Steel Valley Baptist Assoc. Ex. Board Mtg.	6:00 PM

**Upcoming Events/Activities**

January 19	“Men’s Day” <i>(AM)</i>
January 19	“Teach the Old Testament to Christians” <i>(PM)</i>

**Rescheduled Meeting**



**WOMEN ON MISSION** meeting has been rescheduled to Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>. The meeting will take place here at the church and will begin at **6:00 PM**. A part of the meeting will include a **“white elephant”** sale. (A “white elephant sale” is a sale of items that are no longer wanted but have some sentimental value, or are items that are difficult to get rid of!) Individuals are encouraged to bring various items to donate for the sale.

**2024 Church Contribution Record:** If you would like a copy of your 2024 *Church Contribution Record* please contact the church office or the church’s recording secretary, Mr. Ron Brown at (330) 307-5226 or via his email: [fsr44444@yahoo.com](mailto:fsr44444@yahoo.com)

**2025 Calendars:** Please find copies on the table in the rear of the sanctuary. This is a gift to you!!



The **Steel Valley Baptist Association** will have its quarterly Executive Board meeting on Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>. The meeting will be held at *Cortland Trinity Baptist Church*. A supper meal will be provided at 6:00 PM and the meeting will begin at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to attend.

**Men’s Day**  
**Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>**

Our men will be leading the Morning Worship Service. Also, there will be a free breakfast for all men/boys that same morning here at the church beginning at 8:00 AM.

**Coming in February – “I LOVE MY CHURCH MONTH”**

**Worship Service Ministry**

	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Week (Jan.19)</u>
Nursery:	Teresa Spurlock	Teresa Spurlock/Eileen Begeot
Children’s Worship:	Eileen Begeot	Jennifer Streets
Greeters:	Gary & Sharon Cooke	Denise Kolacz/Ted Kolacz



## LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

for International Missions

**Church Offering Goal: \$ 1,500.00**

**Current Total: \$ 2,388.00**

*\*\* You can also donate to the offering online at church website \*\**

**To God be the Glory!!!** ❤️

### TEACH THE OLD TESTAMENT TO CHRISTIANS

Sunday Nights...6:30 to 7:30 PM

Begins - January 19<sup>th</sup>

The Hebrew Scriptures are the beginning of—and foundation for—God’s incredible story of redemption. Studying the Old Testament, and its relationship to God’s new covenant, inspires wonder and awe at God’s grand plan of salvation that spans millennia. This study, led by the pastor, will walk through steps of understanding the Old Testament, interpretation of the stories/narrative in the Hebrew scriptures and how to apply the Old Testament to life today. This 6-week class will begin on Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>. The study books for the course may be purchased for \$6.00.

### CHILDREN’S SUNDAY NIGHT MINISTRY

5:00 PM to 6:30 PM

**...Mission Friends...**

*Pre-school through Kindergarten*

**...Children in Action...**

*Grades 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup>*

**2025 Church Budget:** At the recent church Business Meeting the budget for the new year {2025} was approved. Copies of the new budget are available on the table in the rear of the sanctuary.

#### HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

- By a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ followed by New Testament baptism
- By the transfer of letter from another Baptist church provided the individual has been baptized in the manner taught in the New Testament
- By a statement of faith, indicating the individual has been saved and baptized in the manner taught in the New Testament

*First Baptist Church is affiliated with the Southern Baptist Convention,  
the State Convention of Baptists in Ohio and the Steel Valley Baptist Association*