

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Rev. Steve Spurlock
Pastor

Tim Begeot
Worship

December 17, 2017

***** Morning Service *****
11:00 AM

Phoebe Smith, organist

Lucy Starkey, pianist

~ Lighting of the Advent Wreath ~
William & Nidia Molina

Prayer...Max Digman

Hymn 113..... “We Three Kings of Orient Are”

Responsive Reading 75

Hymn 107..... “Oh, Come, Little Children”

~ Worship through Giving ~

Children’s Time

~ The Adult Choir ~
presents:

“Repeat the Sounding Joy”

Commitment Hymn 83..... “Arise, Your Light Is Come”

***** Welcome Guests *****

We welcome you to the service today and pray that your life will be renewed and refreshed by God’s Spirit while worshiping here. Please take a moment and fill out the tear-off section of the bulletin and place it in the offering plate as it is passed. Please be assured that we will respect the personal nature of any information you share. The offering time is an opportunity for members and regular attendees to invest in the ministry and mission of the church. We don’t expect guests to give.

Sunday Evening Events

6:00 PM

“Kidz, Karols & Kookies”

(After service fellowship: please bring cookies/snacks)

Prayer Concerns

Matthew Fedderolf, Bill Murphy III, Cindy Kasiewicz, Troy Heckathorn, Kasey Halter
Rebecca and Ron Rood, Josetta Harris, Bob Abbuhl, Brian Guthrie, Mary O’Neal
Diane and Jim McBride, Vera Detwiller, Patti Bennett, Thomas Jones, George Howard
Cheryl Dye, John Bennett, Dee Hyde, John Goldmen, Kelly Duel, Melinda Cunningham
Ruby McConnell family, Jeff Allen, Joan Hopkins, Denny Livezey, Mike Kelley
Barb Jagietta, Kathy Horvath
Special Prayer: Our search for a Youth Director

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today	Sunday School	9:45 AM
	Morning Worship	11:00 AM
	Kidz, Karols & Kookies	6:00 PM
Monday	Nursing Home Ministry	10:00 AM
Tuesday	Women On Mission Christmas Party	7:00 PM
Thursday	Christmas Caroling	6:00 PM

Upcoming Events/Activities

December 24	Candlelight Christmas Eve Service {5:00 PM}
January 13	Nutrition Seminar for Women

Lottie Moon
Christmas Offering®

Goal: \$1,500.00
Present Total: \$1,116.38



“Why should we not...do something that will prove that we are really in earnest in claiming to be followers of Him who, though He was rich, for our sake became poor.” – Lottie Moon, September 15, 1887

The Lottie Moon Challenge with the children is going exceptionally well!!!!
Overall, the children have raised a total of \$42.38. Below are the results so far....

Nursery	\$14.00	PK-K	\$4.04	1st-3rd	\$1.00	4th-6th	\$15.34	Youth	\$8.00
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Christmas Eve Morning Worship Service

10:00 AM

(no Sunday School)

Candlelight Christmas Eve Service

5:00 PM

Worship Service Ministry

	Today	Next Week (Dec 24)
Nursery:	Eileen Begeot/Ginny Begeot	Teresa Spurlock/Jane King
Greeters:	Sandy Jordan/Evan Simones	Jason Horvath/Melissa Yingling

The GA's (Girls in Action) are collecting nonperishable food items to give to those in need in our community during the holiday season. Please consider donating food items. Today is the deadline for donations. Items can be dropped off in the box located in the back of the sanctuary.



2018 Calendars: Please find on the table in the rear of the sanctuary a *2018 Calendar* as a gift to you and your family from the church family.

Women On Mission will be meeting this Tuesday, December 19th at 7:00 PM here at the church. This will be the annual Christmas gathering (*there will be a \$10 gift exchange for those who would like to participate*) and also the revealing of “Secret Sisters”.

Angel Tree Ministry: Those who are assisting with the *Angel Tree* gifts are reminded that the “unwrapped” gifts are asked to be returned today.

...NEW LIFE...

...Tim & Jessica Begeot, Jr. are the parents of a new baby boy, Weston Dwayne (*9lbs. 10 ozs*). Proud grandparents are Tim & Eileen Begeot, Sr. and great-grandparents Nelson & Kathy Begeot!
...Richard & Krista deVilliers are the parents of a new baby girl, Elle Victoria (*6 lbs. 7 ozs*). Proud grandparents are Steve & Paula Maas and great-grandparent Eleanor Rush!

Nutrition Seminar for Women
Saturday, January 13th.....11:00 AM - 3:00 PM
(lunch provided)

First Baptist Church, Newton Falls
Leader: Ellie Marrandette

This FREE fast-paced, informative program will explore our mental, physical, and spiritual connection to food and how we, as Christians, can honor God with our bodies.
...Based on 2 Corinthians 5:17...

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

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