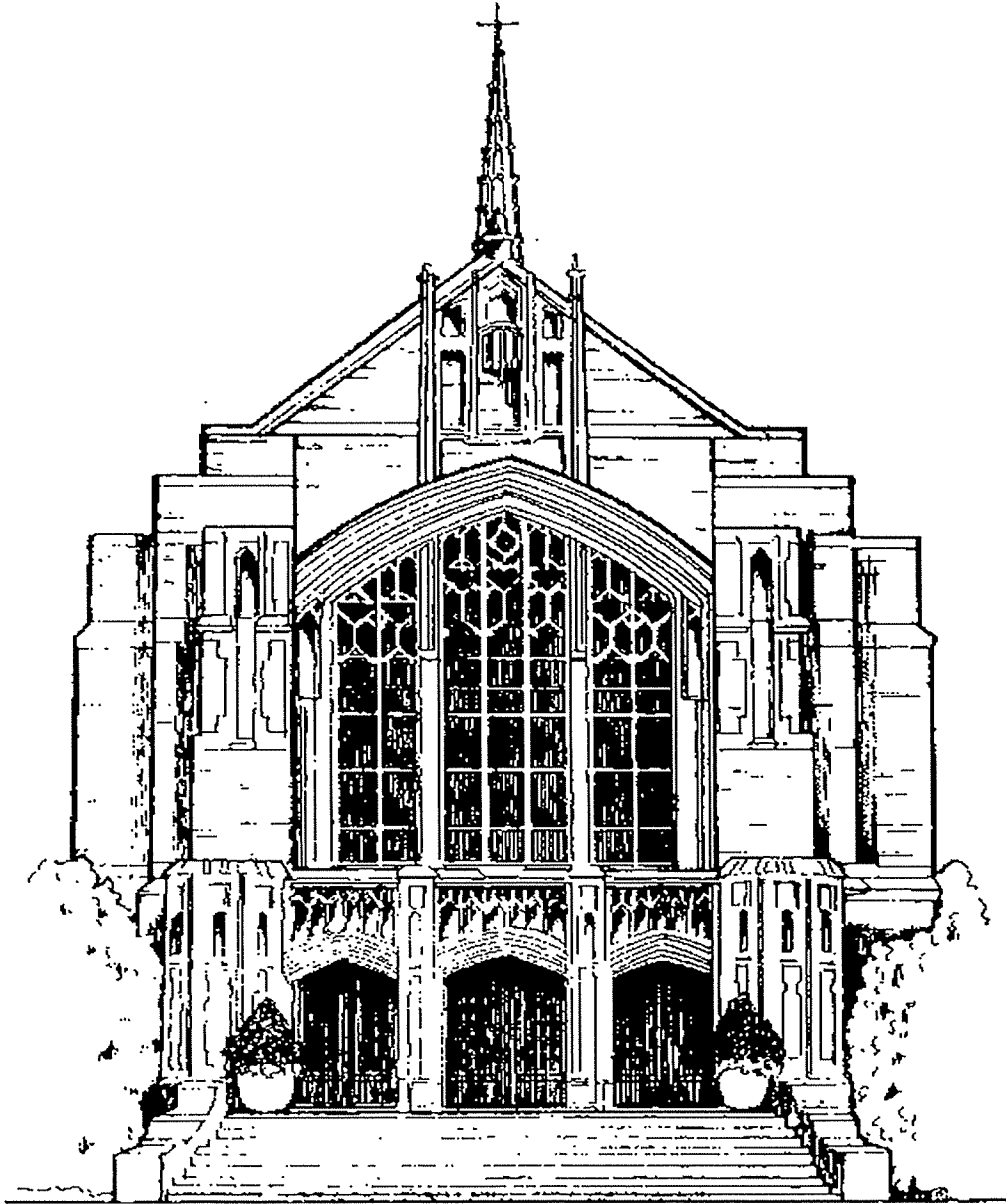


First Baptist Church of Dayton
A WELCOMING & AFFIRMING CONGREGATION

Third Sunday After Pentecost
June 9, 2024



Celebrating 200 Years 1824-2024

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The First Baptist Church at Worship
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
June 9, 2024 ~ 10:00 AM



THE PRELUDE

R. Alan Kimbrough, Organist

- Selected Chorale Preludes Johannes Brahms
- Prelude on "Down Ampney" Henry G. Ley
("Come Down, O Love Divine")

In Praise to the Lord

THE RINGING OF THE CHIMES

A three-fold ringing of three signifies the presence of the triune God:
Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.

WELCOME & RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 130)

Rev. Dr. Kent Berghuis

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD.
Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!
 If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?
But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.
 I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope;
my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning.
 O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem.
It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

*OPENING HYMN

#315 *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*
MIT FREUDEN ZART

Deuteronomy 32:3 was the basis for this hymn of praise. "For I will proclaim the name of the Lord; ascribe greatness to our God!" Using a variety of metaphors for God and for His works, this text overflows with proclamations of God's loving care for His people.

Listening for the Word of God

*GOSPEL LESSON: Mark 3:20-35

Rev. Jason Alspaugh

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord according to Mark.
People: Praise to you, Lord Christ!

And the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, "He has gone out of his mind." And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, "He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons." And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot

stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. "Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin"--for they had said, "He has an unclean spirit." Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you." And he replied, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" And looking at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

Leader: For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

*FELLOWSHIP HYMN

#407 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*
OLIVET

This hymn was written as a personal response to the realization of what Christ meant to the author, Ray Palmer. It is a prayer, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is the only source of forgiveness, love, comfort, and salvation.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Alspaugh

(Children are invited to come forward for the Children's Message during the last stanza of the fellowship hymn. All kids 3 years and older are invited to go downstairs (Room 4) after the Children's Message for a "One Room Sunday School" class. Parents are asked to pick up their children after service.)

CALL TO PRAYER

#385 *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord*
WHELPTON

**Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord;
incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace.**

*MOMENT OF REMEMBRANCE

Rev. David Coggins

Peter W. Thomson, Jr.
November 8, 1953 – May 25, 2024

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND
THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts/Debtors)

Rev. Coggins

**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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

Brad Kallenberg, soloist
Jeanne Kallenberg, piano accompaniment

"Just As I Am" (with Erik Satie's Gymnopédie No. 2)

Words by Charlotte Elliot (1834)
Music by William B. Bradbury (1849) and Erik Satie (1888)
Arr. Philip Keveren

*Just as I am, without one plea,
but that Thy blood was shed for me,
and that Thou bidd'st me come to thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

*Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
so, in Thy promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

THE SERMON

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

"A House Divided"

The Response of God's People

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

#460 *Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face*
ELLERS

Horatius Bonar, the author of this hymn text was born at Edinburgh in 1808. His education was obtained at the High School, and the University of his native city. He was ordained to the ministry in 1837, and since then had been pastor at Kelso. In 1843, he joined the Free Church of Scotland. His reputation as a religious writer was first gained on the publication of the "Kelso Tracts," of which he was the author. He has also written many other prose works, some of which have had a very large circulation.

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Rev. Dr. Berghuis

CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION

#518 *May the Grace of Our Lord Jesus*
GALILEE

**May the grace of our Lord Jesus, and the blessed love of God,
the communion of the Spirit, richly bless and keep you all.**

POSTLUDE

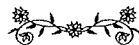
R. Alan Kimbrough

Rigaudon André Campra

(*) You're invited to rise in body or in spirit!

Please drop your offering and yellow card in the basket as you leave.

Thank you!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to our worship service! If you are visiting, we would love to get to know you. Please fill out a yellow card with your contact information and a pastor will be happy to get in touch with you. Anyone is welcome to use these cards to communicate with our office and share prayer requests or other information, too. We have baskets for our offering and communication cards at our entrances/exits.

We continue to **livestream and video record** our Sunday worship service through our YouTube channel. This can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/> and look for First Baptist Church Dayton Ohio, or check our website (<http://www.fbcd Dayton.org/>).

Prayer for the Armed Forces

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace, strengthen them in their trials and temptations, give them courage to face the perils which beset them, and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the People

(If you have someone you'd like to add or remove, please let us know.)

Glen Babb	Jett Family	Thomson Family
Clara Black	Ron Kalbfleisch	Anne Veghte
Jessica Blair	Ray Landis	Harold West
Gail Bowman	Gene Lee	Dorothy Williams
Don Brown	Vincent Liss	Sharon Wingham
Linda Ginter-Brown	Tom McKenzie	
Gerald Busch	Merkle Family	Military Duty:
Pamela Cress	Mary Ann Paloncy	Sebastian Ewald
David Donovan	Susan Parent	Sunny Ewald
Bill Harrell	Judy See	Brittany Kalbfleisch
Debbie Harshman	Judy Smith	Kyle Kline
Lanie Henry	Anita Suro	Andy Wilson
Lavanda Ferguson	Kaye Suryk	
Iglesia Bautista Dios Compasivo (El Salvador)		

Week of June 9 – 16

Sun. 9	10:00a	.....	Worship Service
	11:15a	.....	Coffee Fellowship
	11:30a	.....	Sunday School for All Ages
Wed. 12	6:30p	.....	Board Meetings
Sun. 16	10:00a	.....	Worship Service (Father's Day)
	11:15a	.....	Coffee Fellowship
	11:30a	.....	Sunday School for All Ages

JUNE ADULT EDUCATION CLASS

Philippians

Led by Dr. Brad Kallenberg

June 2, 9 & 16 @ 11:30am-12:15pm

1st Floor – Chapel

Philippians is one of the "prison epistles" written by the Apostle Paul to a congregation that he planted in northern Greece during his second missionary journey. The format of this adult Sunday School class will be interactive as we learn (and practice) a variety of ways of listening to Scripture together. Over these three weeks we will seek to get better at "reading in communion" in hopes that we begin to hear what God may be saying to us who gather at Monument and Ludlow this Eastertide, 2024.

June Church Meetings

Board Meetings

Wednesday, June 12 @ 6:30pm

Executive Council Meeting

Wednesday, June 19 @ 6:30pm

AMERICAN BAPTIST JUNE OFFERING

One Great Hour of Sharing: Share the Light

*"Let me tell you why you are here... You're here to be light, bringing out the God-colors in the world...
Keep open house; be generous with your lives." – Matthew 5:13-16, The Message*

When we participate in One Great Hour of Sharing, we become a dazzling prism of light scattering blessing in places that desperately need it. We offer hope to people forced to flee their homes in search of safety and new promise. We support life-giving recovery efforts when disasters devastate communities and lives. We empower partners in their labors to build sustainable futures. We plant seeds of peace where war has multiplied despair and destruction. This is why we are here: to be shining witnesses of uncommon love and enduring hope and to be generous with our lives. The need has never been greater. Special offering envelopes are in the pew racks.

Firepit Fellowship

Friday, June 21 @ 6pm

Dorothy Lane American Baptist Church (960 W Dorothy Ln) is inviting us to their "Firepit Fellowship" every 3rd Friday of each month throughout the summer beginning at 6:00pm. The next one will be on June 21st. Hotdogs, snacks, marshmallows and drinks are provided, but you can bring something to share if you wish.

Dedication of the Janet Lasley Legacy Garden

Friday, June 28, 2024

1:00 PM

Caesar Creek Nature Center

Summer Teachers Needed for Kids Sunday School 2024

We are seeking volunteers to help with our Kids One-Room Sunday School Class (preK-5) this summer (June 9 thru Sept. 1). There is a sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the main hallway. Note that there are two slots for each Sunday—one for the person who will teach, leading the reading/discussion of scripture; the other for the person who would provide a craft project to help the kids connect with the lesson. Please speak with Pastor Jason or Janet Landis, chair of CE. They will also be on hand to provide resources, supplies, etc., throughout the summer.



Summer Music

If you would like to provide special music for Sunday service while choir is on break, please check the sign-up sheet and pick a date (or two)! The sheet is located on the hallway bulletin board. Thank you for sharing your talent with us!

Booklet Now Available!
**A Review of the News of 1924 and
100th Anniversary of the Church**

The printed booklet of Angie Berghuis's presentation, "A Review of the News of 1924 and the 100th Anniversary of the Church" is now available! You can pick up a copy from Angie during coffee fellowship. Donations to help cover the cost of printing are appreciated.

BYF Gatherings on Summer Break

Our regular, monthly BYF Gatherings are on break for the summer (Jun-Aug). We look forward to times at summer camps—BYC & Quest—and other possible outings this summer. A special thanks to Michelle Smith for continuing to give her time and care to this ministry.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024
Church Stories: All Aboard!
July 8-12 @ 9:30am-Noon
Grades PreK-5

This summer we are following up our 2023 theme—*Jesus Stories*—with stories from the Early Church and stories from our own local church. As we celebrate our Bicentennial year, one of the interesting pieces to our history is a connection to the chapel car ministry that took place between 1890 and 1946. And so, we're integrating stories of this ministry into our VBS curriculum. We'll have a great time together with games, crafts and music; and in hearing these stories of how people have sought to share the Gospel of God's love. All aboard!

Our VBS Planning Team has been hard at work. If you are interested in helping out with VBS in some way, please contact Pastor Jason (jalspaugh@fbcd Dayton.org / 937-631-3579).



Save the Date!
CHURCH PICNIC
Sunday, July 21
Location to be announced



Have a great
Summer
Vacation!

Send

Family ties

We are all connected together in the Christian family. Draw a line to connect those who are wearing matching shirts at this picnic. Draw a cross on everyone's shirt. Everyone belongs to Jesus!



I praise you Lord with my voice, my actions, and my whole body. I will serve you always in every way. Amen

This week

Choose a hymn or song from worship that tells of forgiveness in God's family. Use it during prayer time each day this week as you pray for your own family and also others in God's family.

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Welcome to worship.

We are growing everyday. Our bodies grow on the outside and God's Spirit works inside our lives.

Finish drawing these people. They all look different on the outside but God's Spirit is with all of them.

