

“Pentecost”

We Assemble in God's Name

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

“Let the Spirit of God blow on you,
so that you will be able to speak bold truths,
see vibrant visions and
spread the glorious good news of the salvation of God.”

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

“The Water is Wide ” Drew Wright

“Soon and Very Soon”
“God Is Good All the Time”
“God Will Make a Way”

[Please sign and pass the pew registration pad to those seated next to you. Prayer cards can be found in the pews. You may place these in the offering to share with the church staff.]

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP L – Leader P – People

L – Spirit alive, wind blowing,
P – Poured out on all,
L – Young and old,
P – Skipping or limping.
L – Spirit alive, fire burning,
P – Touching all,
L – Daughters and sons,
P – Strong ones and smart ones,
L – Outspoken ones and shy ones,
P – Poor and oppressed.
L – Spirit alive,
P – Wind and fire,
L – Stirring us to praise,
P – Setting loose a song of joy.

*HYMN “Spirit of Holiness” No. 287

*UNISON INVOCATION

“We rejoice greatly, loving God, in the birthday of the church known to us at Pentecost. Your Holy Spirit has come bringing the church into reality. Likewise, your Holy Spirit seals us as members of Christ’s family. Your Spirit emboldens the

church and keeps us faithful as disciples of Christ. So we praise you, Lord, for the church that continues to nourish us today. Amen.”

ANTHEM “Speak, O Lord” Chancel Choir
(Stuart Townend and Keith Getty)

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE “Litany to God, the Holy Spirit” No. 288

*HYMN “Spirit, Now Live in Me” No. 284
{During the Hymn, children age 4 through Grade 3 are dismissed to Children’s Worship.}

OFFERING PRAYER Casey Arbuckle

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Fairest Lord Jesus” Glad Ringers
(Arr. Arnold Sherman) Flute - Beth Slaton
Violin – Vanessa Edwards

THE CONGREGATION'S PRAYER

MESSAGE “Children of God” Pastor Dan Cash
Romans 8:14-17

*HYMN “Sweet, Sweet Spirit” No. 291
- During the hymn those who would like to profess their faith in Jesus Christ or transfer church membership to First Baptist are encouraged to come forward. The Pastor will meet you at the front of the sanctuary. -

*BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

POSTLUDE “The Triumph of Our King”
 (“Good Christian Men, Rejoice and Sing”)
(L. Smith)

We Depart to Serve

*All who are able may stand

(Please remember to turn off your cell phone.)

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The Pentecost quilt on display today is hand crafted by Lois Griffith.

Thanks to Lois Griffith for the use of her handmade quilt that is displayed in the front of the sanctuary for Pentecost.

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**Welcome to First Baptist Church!**

**To Our Guests:** We are delighted to have you worship with us. Please take a moment to sign the registration pad located in the pews.

**Prayer Cards** in the pew rack may be used for prayer requests. You may place these in the offering to share with the church staff.

**Welcome Center:** Please stop at the Welcome Center in the Narthex and check out the information available about our congregation and ministry.

**Child Care/Children's Ministries:** We offer excellent children's ministries. Children's Church is provided for toddlers and pre-school age children. Child Care is provided for infants.

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THIS WEEK

TODAY, May 23

9:30 am – Worship
10:30 am – Sunday School
11:30 am – Mission Trip Team Meeting
6:00 pm – Glad Ringers

MONDAY, May 24

4:30 pm – Prayer Group (prayer room)

TUESDAY, May 25

9:00 am – Staff Meeting
11:30 am – Prayer Shawl Ministry
5:00 pm – Wed. Night Program Task Force
5:15 pm – Bell Quartet
6:30 pm – Abigail Circle (Salad Pitch-in at Wheelers)

WEDNESDAY, May 26

6:00 pm – Pastor's Bible Study
6:30 pm – Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm – Ice Cream Social (on the lawn)
7:45 pm – Chancel Choir

THURSDAY, May 27

5:30 pm – Women's Exercise (Chapel)
7:00 pm – Lighting Informational Meeting
8:00 pm – Assoc. Pastor Search Team

FRIDAY, May 28

6:15 am – Men of Faith Bible Study (at Sadie's Restaurant)

NEXT SUNDAY, May 30

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

9:30 am – Worship – "Not Just a Character",
Romans 5:1-5, Dr. Dan Cash
10:30 am – Coffee Fellowship (host: Inquirers)
6:00 pm – Glad Ringers

Looking Ahead

May 31 – Church Offices closed for Memorial Day
June 1 – Children's Ministry Team (5:00 pm)
June 2 – Glad Ringers call time (4:00 pm)
June 2 – Music Appreciation Banquet (6:00 pm)
June 2 – Glad Ringers in Concert (7:30 pm)
June 3-6 – Glad Ringers Bell Tour
June 3 – Staff Relations Committee (5:30 pm)
June 3 – Assoc. Pastor Search Team (7:00 pm)
June 8 – Wed. Night Task Force (5:00 pm)
June 9 – Four Seasons Mending (9:00 am)
June 9 – Adult Christian Ed. Team (5:30 pm)
June 11-18 – Mexico Mission Trip

Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Daniel Cash, Senior Pastor
Joyce Crowder, Minister of Music; Lauren Skelton, Children's Minister;
Donna Tull, Organist; Laura Friedrich, Administrative Assistant;
Dortha Anderson, Librarian; Peter Hensley, Barry Ferrill, Custodians
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"Practicing Our Faith"

May 23, 2010

*"I will pour out my Spirit
on all people."*

Joel 2:28, NIV



MESSENGER EXTRA

The Body of Christ Prays For...Military Personnel & Families & Homebound Members

Also remember... Marie Brown, Reba Erickson, Naomi Ruth Broyer, Mike Riley, Betty Vinson, Marilyn Estell, Carol Burton, Fannie Barker, Paula McGuire, Marcia Battle, & Carl Harlow

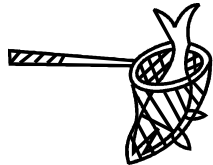
Emergency Responder – Betty Harrison

Cookie Ministry – Janet Bailey

Pastoral Care Team for this week – Ruby Cunningham & Marcia Battle

A few prayer shawls are available in the back of the sanctuary for those who feel chilly and need something for warmth. Please see an usher.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL



This week in Children's Sunday School we celebrate "Jesus: Miracle Worker" with 3 fun stations! Make a 3D fish as we learn about the "great catch," play "Lazarus, Come out!" and join us in a bandage relay and cheer on your partner, "Your faith has healed you!"

THANK YOU!

Thank you First Baptist for your generous support of the Youth and the Penny Project. An Offering of \$750 was collected and blessed on Sunday, May 16th through this effort. Proceeds will go toward the purchase of soccer balls to share with the children of Calnali, Mexico with remaining funds given toward the purchase of shoes or other supplies for Calnali. God bless you for blessing others!



PUT A BELL IN THE VAN

You are invited to share in financial support with the upcoming Glad Ringers Bell Tour. In the narthex you'll see the "Put a Bell in the Van" display. See Lance Alexander, Breanne Crowder, or Jessica Arbuckle for information about how you can help this music ministry.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL!
THIS WEDNESDAY, MAY 26
7:00 PM



Bring a friend and join us on the lawn as we celebrate Children's Ministries and Missions at First Baptist! Sign up at the Welcome Desk to donate supplies.

INFORMATIONAL MEETING ON THE LIGHTING PROPOSAL

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 7:00 PM

CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO ATTEND!

GLAD RINGERS ON TOUR

Plan to invite a friend and join us on **Wednesday, June 2 here at First Baptist** for our first concert of the tour. We'll meet in the Sanctuary at 7:30 PM.

If you have friends or family in the following places, please invite them to join us later on our tour:

Thursday, June 3 - Coldwater, MI - 7:00 PM - Pine Ridge Bible Church

Friday, June 4 - Alma, MI - 7:00 PM - Alma First Church of God

Sat., June 5 - Warren, IN - 2:00 PM - Heritage Point Retirement Center/FBC, Warren

Sun., June 6 - Fort Wayne, IN - Morning Worship - Three Rivers Wesleyan Methodist

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR CALNALI MISSION TRIP

Ball Caps (new or clean gently used)

Aprons

Fabric (2 yd. lengths of cotton/cotton blend)

Bath Soap/Toothpaste/Toothbrushes

T-Shirts (new or clean gently used – nothing bigger than "large")

Monetary donations for a shoe fund (will be used to purchase shoes for children)

ORGAN RECITAL AT ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6045 E. STATE ST., COLUMBUS

FRIDAY, JUNE 4 at 8:00 PM

Dr. David Lamb currently serves as Director of Music and Organist for First United Methodist Church of Columbus. He is a graduate of the IU Jacobs School of Music. He will perform music by Bach, Walther, Bedard, Handel, Guilman, Boyce, Stanley, Walond, Dubois, and Manz. Refreshments will be served before the recital beginning at 7:30 PM.

A BIG THANK YOU!

With your help, the FBC kids were able to put together THREE Baby Kits for White Cross Gifts of the Heart and contribute to shipping costs! A special thanks to the Inquirers Sunday School class for their heartfelt donation!