

“Building Character”

We Assemble in God's Name

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

“Speak to us, Father, for your children are listening. We quiet ourselves and wait for you. Impress your word upon our hearts. Give us teachable spirits, quick to learn and faithful to apply what you impart to us. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.”

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

“Do Lord”
“Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”
“In the Secret”

[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 “Allegro Giocoso from ‘Carmen” Lance Alexander, Carla Williams
(Bizet/arr. Michael R. Keller) Breanne Crowder, Vanessa Edwards

*INVOCATION

***HYMN** “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” No. 77
(Last Verse in Unison)

GRADUATION RECOGNITION Lori Cash and Sharon Tobias

High School Graduates:

Beth Lynch	Alison Reed
Logan McDaniel	Paige Williams
Melanie Morris	Nile Wright

College Graduate:

Jenna Frady – Bachelor of Arts, Psychology – from Ball State University

ANTHEM “I Am Not Afraid” Chancel Choir
(Pamela Martin and Lloyd Larson)

“I am not afraid, I am not alone.
You hold me in Your hands and will not let me go.
Though the waters rise and though the winds may blow,
I will not be afraid, for I am not alone.”

SCRIPTURE Romans 5:1-5

***HYMN** “Fire of God, Undying Flame” No. 301
{During the Hymn, children age 4 through Grade 3 are dismissed to Children’s Worship.}

OFFERING PRAYER Leanne Putterill

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “Fugue in C Major” Lance Alexander, Breanne Crowder,
(Bach/arr. Charles Maggs) Vanessa Edwards, Carla Williams

CELEBRATING THE COMMUNITY OF FAITH

ANTHEM “In the Quiet Hour” Chancel Choir
(Susan Boersma and David Lantz III)

MESSAGE “Not Just a Character” Pastor Dan Cash

***HYMN** “Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove” No. 298

- 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 flowers in the sanctuary this morning are in memory of E. Don and Joyce Tull.

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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 30

9:30 am – Worship
10:30 am – Coffee Fellowship
10:45 am – Sunday School
6:00 pm – Glad Ringers

MONDAY, May 31-Memorial Day

Church Offices Closed

TUESDAY, June 1

9:00 am – Staff Meeting
11:30 am – Prayer Shawl Ministry
5:00 pm – Children's Ministry Team

WEDNESDAY, June 2

4:00 pm – Glad Ringers Call Time
6:00 pm – Music Appreciation Banquet
6:30 pm – Men's Bible Study
7:30 pm – Glad Ringers Concert

THURSDAY, June 3

5:30 pm – Staff Relations Committee
5:30 pm – Women's Exercise (Chapel)
7:00 pm – Assoc. Pastor Search Team
7:00 pm – Glad Ringers in Quincy, MI

FRIDAY, June 4

6:15 am – Men of Faith Bible Study (at Sadie's Restaurant)
7:00 pm – Glad Ringers in Alma, MI

SATURDAY, June 5

2:00 pm – Glad Ringers in Warren, IN

NEXT SUNDAY, June 6

Glad Ringers in Ft. Wayne, IN
9:30 am – Mission Team Commissioning, Communion
Worship – "The Most Important Ingredient",
1 Kings 17:8-24, Dr. Dan Cash
10:45 am – Sunday School

Looking Ahead

June 8 – Wed. Night Task Force (5:00 pm)
June 8 – Mexico Mission Team Packing Night (7:00 pm)
June 9 – Four Seasons Mending (9:00 am)
June 9 – Adult Christian Ed. Team (5:30 pm)
June 11-18 – Mexico Mission Trip
June 13 – Health Ministry Sun. School Elective
June 15 – Newsletter Deadline
June 15 – "Wings for the Journey"
Bereavement Support (7:00 pm)
June 22 – Wed. Program Task Force (5:00 pm)
June 22 – Church Council (7:00 pm)
June 23 – Columbarium Committee (6:30 pm)
June 24 – Assoc. Pastor Search Team (7:00 pm)
June 25 – Talents Class going to Indians Game
June 27 – Coffee Fellowship (host: Church Council)

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 30, 2010



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

We wish a happy birthday to Lucille Alexander, who turns 92 on June 3.

We rejoice with the following couples as they celebrate their wedding anniversaries:

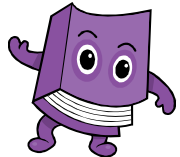
Robert & Betty Vinson – 63rd on May 31
Bill & Carolyn Baker – 49th on June 4
K.M. & Molly George – 46th on June 6

Emergency Responder – Joyce Briggs

Cookie Ministry – Dale & Betty Harrison

Pastoral Care Team for this week – Janet Bailey & Grace Marshall

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.



KIDS - LIBRARY BOOKS

There is a table downstairs in the hallway for library books to be checked out. We have tried to put a variety for different age groups. Look and see if there is anything that would be of interest to you.

Special Event today in Children's Worship!
Kim Hamon of the Health Ministry Team will be sharing a Hand Washing Lesson with the children!



Goodness Gracious! Elijah, Great Balls of Fire!

Join us as we begin a new Children's Sunday School unit today!

PUT A BELL IN THE VAN



Today is the last Sunday 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.

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 – Quincy, 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 – 9:00 AM – Three Rivers Wesleyan Methodist

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR CALNALI MISSION TRIP (Please bring your donations in by next Sunday, June 6)

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)

Vacation Bible School

Egypt: Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace

August 6th-8th at First Baptist Church!

Fri., Aug. 6: 5:30-8:00 PM

Sat., Aug. 7: 9:00-3:00 PM

Sun., Aug. 8: 9:30 AM - Celebration during Worship & Demonstration Following

Register in the Church Office or online at www.fbccolumbus.org

