

## Thank you...

Dear First Baptist Church family,  
 Thank you very much for the special gift that you sent to us back in February! We greatly appreciate your prayers and support. We are praying that the Lord will sustain you through the crisis that we are all facing.  
 Until our Lord returns, may we all be found faithful! In Christ,  
 The Finleys, missionaries to Ireland

Dear Pastor John and our church family,  
 Don and I would like to thank everyone for your cards, emails, phone calls and especially your prayers since he had heart surgery.  
 Don is in therapy now and slowly getting better.  
 What a Great Church Family we have. God is good. Don & Thelma Trueman

To Pastor John and our church family,  
 Thank you so much for your cards, calls, prayers and your concern during our son Aaron's stroke and other health issues.  
 He seems to be improving slowly. He is now in rehab and the length of that is currently unknown. Your continued prayers are appreciated.  
 You all mean so much to us. Thank you. Ed & Brenda Cain

**OPEN HOUSES SCHEDULED :**


**April 25**—Silas Whiteman  
Rescheduled for ???  
 FBC Fellowship Hall—

**May 30**—Madison Siders  
Rescheduled for ???  
 FBC Fellowship Hall—Time TBA

**June 13**—Gracie Shipman  
 FBC Fellowship Hall—2-5 pm

**June 14**—Erica Deetz  
 Veterans Bldg, Montpelier—in the afternoon

Also celebrate with our college graduate, **Kyle Rohrs**, who graduated from Malone University!




NOTE FROM THE LIBRARIAN...

The following books are missing from the library. If you know of their location, would you please return? No questions asked!! Thank you.

- The Shore Road Mystery
- Shadow of the Almighty
- Eternal Life
- Jewish Culture & Customs
- The Treasure Hunt
- When God Chooses
- Mandie & the Ghost Bandits
- Over the Misty Mountains
- The Sword of Truth

Below are excellent CD's in the library that will enrich your life.:

- Shepherding a Child's Heart
- The Evidence for Creation
- Dinosaurs
- The Seven Subtleties of Satan



# Upcoming Calendar

(subject to change)

May 25—Memorial Day

June 13—Gracie Shipman open house @ FBC 2-5 pm  
 June 14—15 yrs in our building fellowship at noon  
 June 14—Erica Deetz open house @ Veterans Bldg, Montpelier; Time: in the afternoon  
 June 21—Fathers Day  
 June 28—Guest speaker: Missionary to New York City  
 June 28—Communion in evening service

Aug 2—Missionary Tracy Paver will be our guest  
 Aug. 16—church picnic

**May, 2020**  
**Lock-up Committee**

Doug Smith, Ch.  
 Floyd Kendrick  
 Frank Middleton

Regular Services:

- Sunday**
- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
- Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesday**
- Mid-week services: 7:15 p.m.
- Nursery is provided at all services.

## Offering:

Month of:	
March	35198.55
April	28838.64
May 1—thru 12	29307.50
May 17—	\$ 13632.50

God's people are faithful in giving their tithes and offerings. Thank You.

Weekly average needed to meet '20 budget: : **\$6614.05**

**The Missionary Outreach of First Baptist Church**  
 Active Missionaries and their field of service:

Miss Jennifer Andrews (Liechtenstein)  
 Rev. & Mrs. Johnny Binzel (Honduras)  
 Rev. & Mrs. Ken Dady (Word of Life Regional office)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Tom Depew (China)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Finley (Ireland)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Freel (Romania)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Gary Hale, (Dominican Republic)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Josh Hedges (Chad, Africa)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Steve Herzig, (Friends of Israel, Bellmawr, NJ )  
 Mr. & Mrs. Michael Hinson (Republic of Georgia)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Steve Kissling, (Military in Japan)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Bradly Kubik, (Mongolia)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Steven Maldoff (BIMI SE Asia Regional Dir.)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Joe Mifsud (Malta)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Pak, (Japan)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Xavier Parak, (Siberia)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Tyson Rohrs (Push the Rock Ministry)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Sechrest (New Zealand)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Don Sixt (Scandinavia)  
 Rev. & Mrs. Bill Smith (Brazil)  
 Mr. & Mrs. Adam Walz (Taiwan)

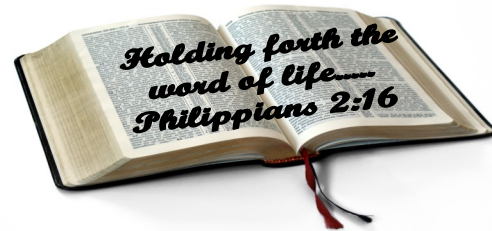
**Organizations:**  
 Baptist Children's Home (Valparaiso, IN)  
 Cedine Bible Camp (Spring City, TN)  
 Friends Of Israel (Bellmawr, NJ)  
 Our Daily Bread Ministries (Grand Rapids, MI)  
 Roloff Ministries (Corpus Christi, TX)  
 Shepherds Home, (Union Grove, WI)  
 Local Church: Ladies Missionary Circle & Dorcas Circle  
 Retired Missionaries: Rev. Skip Britton; Rev. & Mrs. Wolford Moore

Pastor	John MacFarlane
Church Secretary	Dottie Vogelsong
Church Custodian	Dean Shipman
Church Treasurer	Joe Pilarski
Deacons	Brad Tilse, Ch. Keith Heising, Hunter Clingaman
Trustees:	Mike Whiteman Ch., Kirk Wyse, Ed Porath
Church School Supt.	Mark Chamberlain
Junior Church Director	Todd Davis
Choir Director	Pastor MacFarlane
Sound Director	Larry Vogelsong
Nursery Directors,	Marlene Beard/Carmella Hamaker, Darla Tilse, Hunter & Michaela Clingaman
Preschool Club Directors	Todd Davis
Olympian Club Directors	Todd Davis
Word of Life Club Director	John Drinnon
Ladies Missionary Circle President	Barb Heising
Dorcas Circle President	Jill Baker
Fishermen's Club President	Del Kittle
Librarian	Carma Evers
Security Chief	Todd Kline

# MEMORIAL DAY



Welcome to  
**First Baptist Church**  
 925 E. Fountain Grove Drive  
 Bryan, Ohio



*Sunday, May 24, 2020*

Special welcome to our "first-time" visitors!  
 We invite you to fill out a Visitor Card,  
 located in the rack in front of you,  
 and drop it in the offering box  
 at the Visitor Center. Come again!



Church office hours: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tues, Wed, Thurs.  
 Phone and Fax : 419-636-5813  
 Church email address: [firstbaptistbryan@frontier.com](mailto:firstbaptistbryan@frontier.com)  
 Website: [www.firstbaptistchurchbryan.com](http://www.firstbaptistchurchbryan.com)

**John MacFarlane, Pastor**

cell phone: 419-553-6048

Pastor's email address : [vehjm0316@gmail.com](mailto:vehjm0316@gmail.com)

## MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

May 24, 2020

“Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people” *Proverbs 14:34*

Prelude  
 Welcome & Announcements Pastor  
 Star Spangled Banner  
 Pledge of Allegiance  
 Prayer: 1st service: Bro. Keith Heising  
 2nd service: Bro. Brad Tilse

*America The Beautiful*

Hymn #531

Placing of Wreaths

Playing of Taps

Special Music Bro. Larry Davenport and Matthew

Hymn 529

*My Country, 'Tis of Thee*

Hymn 530

*Battle Hymn of the Republic*

Video

Sermon Pastor

Invitation Hymn #394

*I Surrender All*

Dismissal Hymn #496

*Victory In Jesus*

No Greeters will be at the door until further notice.

Church Pianist: Mrs. Rhonda Drinnon, Mrs. Martha

Miller, Mr. George Miller, Jan Cupp

Church Organist

Mrs. Linda Middleton

Since we are not passing the offering plates, your tithes and offerings may be dropped in the box located just before you come into the sanctuary.

Please keep all cell phones and pagers off or on vibrate during the Sunday School hour and all Worship Services.

Also, remember the nursery is always available as needed; even if your little one gets fussy after the services have started, feel free to take them back to the nursery. Thanks so much.



## This week at First Baptist

Sunday	8:30 am	Worship Service for those whose names begin with A to L
	10:30am	Worship Service for those whose names begin with M to Z

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to everything that has happened over the last several weeks, it has been decided to cancel VBS for 2020. Staff is asked to bring all materials to Miss Carmalla. This will be used for 2021.

**Missionary Jon Canavan to NYC will be our guest on June 28th. His ministry is going to be especially interesting and exciting, considering all that has happened in this city!**

**August 2nd—Missionary Tracy Paver to Chile will be our guest.**

PLEASE HELP US DURING THIS TIME AS WE GENTLY RESUME NORMALCY.

- If you have been sick, with or without a fever in the last 7 days, please do not come to the church services;
- Families, please sit together. Everyone else, please socially distance **4 cushions** between you and the next person;
- **No physical contact (ie. Hugs, handshakes, etc)**

Nobody likes this!!! Such measures are hard on everyone. However, this will not be forever. Like the Scriptures say, "And it came to pass...." It did not come to stay.

*Today's floral arrangement is provided by Mrs. Ila Simmons in loving memory of her husband Nelson and their son, Mark.*

