

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS:

Emergency Prayer Chain: Josephine Pedrick (299-3229) & Evelyn Shiffer (299-4874)

- Service Personnel– Isaac Hernandez, Jeff & Sue Springsteen, Kyle Hennessey, Michael Kacer, Melissa Smith, Brad Hyatt, Mark Lindle, Tammy Hunt ,Micah Warren, Joe Wallin, Sam Baker, Kyle Frankenfield, Frank Servais V, Matthew Suiters
  - Lois Nipe-Merion Gardens 1029, Frieda Bennett, Lindsay Place, Rm. 133
- Missionary of the Week— John Sorenson/Fred Kress (Evangelism Explosion)

K.C. Biermann  
Jessie Kite  
Bill Goss—MS  
Bob Young  
Caitlin DeVault  
Helen & Bill Keating  
Jonathan Rizzo  
Gretchen Biermann  
Charles Jackson  
Grace Alderman  
Ken Stanley  
Meghan Cox-migraines  
David Warren  
Kim Baker  
Jo Pedrick  
Jane Anderson Mauer  
Connie Clark  
Tristan Garcia—ICU  
Sugar Huber  
Pat Hepple  
Jeff Tarzwell  
Jeanette Nichols  
Matt Westcott –addiction  
Helen Tunstill  
Duncan  
Carrie Biermann  
Christopher Sandone  
Nancy Kohler  
Pastor Doug Smith & Family  
Family of Laurie Goforth  
Family of Vivian Peterson  
Cheryl Stieg-surgery 7/15  
Melissa Barry  
Patty Jitima

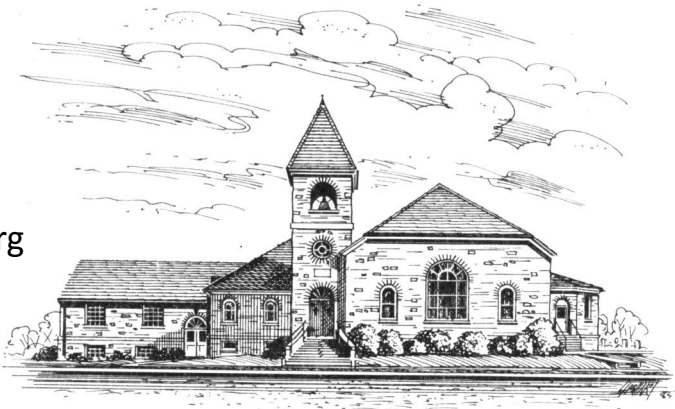
Angela Gattuso  
Kathryn Asher  
Brian McFarland & Family  
Elizabeth Darlington  
Nikki-Addiction  
Mid Doughten  
Bill Doughten  
Mike Seders-MS  
Kathie Garofolo  
Eric Jacobson  
Justin Kane  
Jay Ehrlich  
Michele Unger  
David Lemke  
Tom McDonough  
Debbie Nelson  
Linda Shannabrook  
Helen Whitehead  
Bill Dennis  
Monica Gomez  
Melby Hite  
Greyson-seizures  
Ira Weinstein  
Carol Blithe  
Bud-Travers –stroke  
Family of Louise Taylor  
Wayne Niebauer  
Family of Reggie Hayman  
Family of Roy French  
Betty Egan  
Family of Pastor George  
Kevin Crouch– foot surgery  
Lois Jeneson  
Norma Blake—stroke

Cancer:  
Jack Mulligan  
Kevin Jordan  
Nancy Cox  
Carol McFarland  
Christina Aciavatti  
Dawn Asher  
Karl Biermann  
Leslie Salas  
JoAnne Piel Damiani  
Maggie  
Donald Shiffer  
Ed Ryan  
Jack Ryan  
Joe Curiale  
Linda Stearley  
Tom Freeman  
Jennifer Haines  
Matthew Schaeffer  
Jesse Barreras  
Deanna Sakaguchi  
Gina Grasso  
Jen McCalister  
David Smith  
Beth Kulik  
Nancy Hicks  
Bernie Lodge  
Anita Delvechio  
Warren Shiffer  
Norm Engel  
Barbara McBride



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Church Office Hours:  
Tuesday through Friday  
9 a.m.—12 noon

***Our Mission..."to birth and develop mature disciples of Jesus Christ who are characterized by faith, hope and love."***

Our Sunday Schedule:  
8:30 a.m.—Prayer  
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School

Pastor:  
Merrit Marsango  
(856) 467-1405

The Lord’s Day  
June 30, 2019

Prelude  
Worship Leader John Jordan  
Welcome and Announcements  
Prayer of Dedication  
Call to Worship  
\*Hymn: “Blessed Assurance” #295  
Invocation, Lord’s Prayer (sins), Gloria Patri #620  
\*Praise Songs: “To God Be the Glory” Video  
“I’m Trusting You” Video  
Prayers of the People  
Scripture Reading Romans 3:9-26 Johnny Cobin  
Children’s Sermon Esther Jackson

Children ages 4-9 may leave for Junior Church at this time

Sermon “The Cross: The Answer to Guilt” Pastor Marsango  
\*Closing Hymn: “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” #253  
Benediction  
Postlude

\*CONGREGATION STANDS TO PRAISE GOD!  
Please turn off all cell phones during worship. Thank you!

If you need prayer or encouragement, please come down front  
after the service and speak with a member of the Pastoral Care Team.

Ministers: Every Member (Ephesians 4:12-16)

Staff:  
Pastor.....Merrit Marsango  
Minister of Music.....Brian Heintzelman  
Custodian.....Warren Shiffer  
Church Secretary.....Michele Wallin

TODAY AT CHURCH: 8:30 AM — Morning Prayer  
9:45 AM — Worship

THIS WEEK:  
Tuesday 7/2 - Stewardship Team Meeting 7:00 PM  
Wednesday 7/3 - Prayer Group 8:30 PM

LOOKING AHEAD:  
Tuesday 7/9 - Child/Youth Team Meeting 7:00 PM  
- Worship Team Meeting 7:30 PM  
Wednesday 7/10 - Prayer Group 8:30 AM

Volunteers Needed!  
If you would like to help out with some of the duties of the custodian please see the list on the bulletin board outside of the kitchen. If you complete something on the list please check it off so we don’t duplicate duties.

ABCNJ Emerging Scholars Grant Applications are now available for college and seminary students. All application materials must be sent to ABCNJ by July 1st. For further information see Pastor Merrit today!

Stewardship Report:

	Last Week (6/23/19)	Fiscal Year	Mission Fund as of 6/23/19:
Tithes Received:	\$2,297.00	\$70,871.20	Revenue: \$27,765.00
Budget Needed:	\$3,013.00	\$78,338.00	Expenditures: \$24,086.00
Difference +/-:	-\$716.00	-\$7,466.80	

Worship Attendance for 6/23/19: (69)  
One Great Hour of Sharing as of 6/23: \$2058 Goal: \$3300



2019 Overland White Cross Request

This year our Overland White Cross Request is for Puerto Rico. Due to the high cost for postage in mailing the specific items there, the Mission Team has decided to send gift cards to purchase the needed items.

The Mission Team has posted the specific Christmas gifts, household items, and clothing items requested with a suggested dollar amount next to each item. If you would like to participate with this vital mission, please write your name next to the item on the list located on the bulletin board in the nartex. Instead of actually purchasing the item, place your donation in an envelope marked White Cross along with your name and the dollar amount written on your envelope. Claire and Nancy will be available in the narthex each Sunday in July and early August to receive your donation.

DONATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED THROUGH AUGUST 18TH.

As always the Mission Team THANKS YOU for your generous support of FBC's mission endeavors.


Reminder: The church office will be closed on Thursday, July 4 and Friday, July 5th.


Your Greeter This Morning: Claire Kohler

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WE WELCOME ALL IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST, OUR LORD AND SAVIOR.  
IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME WITH US, PLEASE FILL OUT A WELCOME CARD

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 If, during the worship service, you have been touched by the Holy Spirit and would like to accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, please come forward after the service and speak to the Pastor or one of the Pastoral Care Team members.



Please consider using our childcare facility for those children who are nursery age. Your little ones will enjoy being there each week and will be well taken care of by our very capable volunteers. LOCATION: All Children (infant thru age 4) may go to the Toddler room at the bottom of the stairs and to the left, next to the bathrooms.

Call to Worship

- Leader:

In God's realm, weakness becomes strength.
- People:

Emptiness becomes complete.
- Leader:

Fear grows into courage.
- People:

The foolish learn wisdom.
- Leader:

The wise learn God's foolishness.
- People:

The great are humbled, and the humble are lifted up.
- Leader:

In God's steadfast love, all things are made whole.
- People:

We will worship the God of wisdom and truth. Let us sing before the Lord glad songs of thanksgiving.

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:**  
**NURSERY AND TODDLER ROOM VOLUNTEERS:**

Today: JoAnne Taylor & Nancy Kohler  
July 7: Vicki Justice & Valerie Rinnier

**JUNIOR CHURCH VOLUNTEERS:**

Today: Lisa & Joel Rudderow  
July 7: Beth & Amelia Biermann

*Please report to the nursery/toddler rooms by 9:30am. If you are unable to volunteer on your scheduled week, please arrange for another volunteer to take your place and inform the church office (299-2123) of the change by 9am Thursday morning of that week. Thank you so much for your time! If you are interested in spending some time with our little ones once every few months, please contact Jaclyn Minguez at (609) 202-8491.*

**Sermon Series:** Pastor Merrit has begun a four-week series, The Cross of Jesus, based on the book by Dr. Leon Morris. The cross is central to our Christian faith, to our life together and to our belief in Jesus as the Son of God. In this series we will think about the various ways that Jesus' death has served to overcome the effects of sin on us and our world. Sermon topics are:



Why the Cross? (Hebrews 2:5-18)  
The Cross- The Answer to Guilt (Romans 3:9-26)  
The Cross- The Answer to Sickness and Death (1 Corinthians 15:50-58)  
The Cross- The Answer to Isolation (2 Corinthians 5:14-21)

**Second Baptist Church** is celebrating the 5th anniversary of the ministry of Reverend Kevin M. Peterson with a banquet honoring the pastor and his wife Stephanie. The banquet is on Saturday August 10th at 5pm at the Dorn Community Center. Tickets are \$60.00 per person and can be ordered by calling Sonya Hunter (856-275-8734) or Gary Hunter (267-471-6638). The deadline for ordering tickets is August 3rd. Additional events are listed on the bulletin insert.

**PULPIT COMMITTEE PRIMER**

The Leadership Community will sponsor an informal meeting for those who may be interested in serving on the Pulpit Committee on **Sunday, July 28, 2019** following morning worship. Members of the Church who have served on previous pulpit committees will share their experiences. If you are interested in knowing more about service to the Church as a member of the Pulpit Committee, please attend.



John D. Jordan, Moderator

**SIGHT & SOUND**

There will be a brief meeting in the Fellowship Hall **after morning worship** to discuss transportation and lunch arrangements for those attending the Sight & Sound presentation on August 3rd. We will meet at the table which is furthest away from the donuts. Please join us if you have questions or if you would like to have input on these items.

**A Great Big Thank You** goes out to John & Lois Jordan, Lacey's Express (Patty & Bill Ferrell) for providing funds for the Vacation Bible School snacks. Also thank you to the Adult Sunday School class of Second Baptist Church for providing the drinks for VBS.