

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS:

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

- Service Personnel— Isaac Hernandez, Sue Springsteen, Kyle Hennessey, Michael Kacer, Melissa Smith, Brad Hyatt, Mark Lindle, Tammy Hunt ,Micah Warren, Sam Baker, Kyle Frankenfield, Frank Servais V, Matthew Suiters, Arturo Hernandez-Cruz
  - Lois Nipe-Merion Gardens 1021, Frieda Bennett, Lindsay Place, Rm. 133
- Missionary of the Week— Skip Kite (Eternal Impact Ministries, Fellowship International Mission)

K.C. Biermann  
Jessie Kite  
Bill Goss—MS  
Mary Ann Culletto  
Helen & Bill Keating  
Jonathan Rizzo  
Charles Jackson  
Meghan Cox-migraines  
David Warren  
Jo Pedrick  
Jane Anderson Mauer  
Pat Heppel  
Matt Westcott –addiction  
Helen Tunstill  
Christopher Sandone  
Patty Jitima  
Ruth Jordan  
Jim Ludlam  
Luis Santiago  
Brian Smith—missionary  
Jacelyn Rudderow  
Wilma Hyatt  
Gretchen Biermann  
Joseph David-newborn  
Tom Strong  
Family of Bill McIntyre  
Willard Bond  
Brent Hathaway  
John Ruhl  
Martha Dennis  
Susan Ewen—heart  
Walt Neibauer  
Family of Hope Wheatley Ward  
Claire Kohler

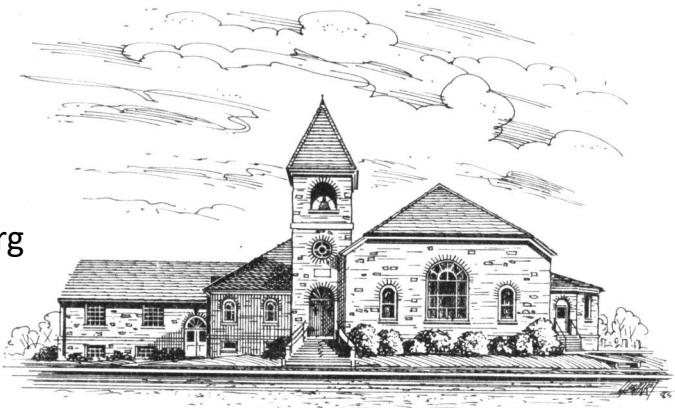
Angela Gattuso  
Brian McFarland & Family  
Elizabeth Darlington  
Nikki-Addiction  
Mid Doughten  
Bill Doughten  
Mike Seders-MS  
Kathie Garofolo  
Eric Jacobson  
Jay Ehrlich  
Michele Unger  
David Lemke  
Bill Dennis  
Carol Blithe  
Harry Moore  
Katie Ferrell  
Joseph Smathers  
Joseph Clemente  
Danny Whiteman  
Dick Dennis  
Barbara Baber  
Alma Lawson  
Susan Walker  
Carter Hostetter  
Family of Norris Dutton  
Family of Sarah Cline  
Family of Chris Bauer  
Joseph-speech  
Family of Lee Roy Hyatt, Jr.  
Puerto Rico  
Nancy Hocknell  
Kelly McIlvaine  
Family of Louise Panarello  
Thelma Griffin  
Maribeth Glynn

Cancer:  
Jack Mulligan  
Kevin Jordan  
Carol McFarland  
Dawn Asher  
Karl Biermann  
Donald Shiffer  
Ed Ryan  
Joe Curiale  
Linda Stearley  
Tom Freeman  
Jesse Barreras  
Deanna Sakaguchi  
Gina Grasso  
David Smith  
Nancy Hicks  
Bernie Lodge  
Anita Delvechio  
Warren Shiffer  
Norm Engel  
Barbara McBride  
Patty Kosky  
Maggie  
Matt Schaeffer  
John Harvey  
Barb Snyder  
Len  
Rev. Kevin Lowe  
Duff Wheeler  
Matthew Bunsu  
Andy Cook  
Bo Griever  
Sarah Scala



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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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:  
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School

Pastor:  
Merrit Marsango  
(609) 364-3690

Communion Sunday  
February 2, 2020

Prelude		
Worship Leader		Pastor Marsango
Welcome and Announcements		
Prayer of Dedication		
Call to Worship		
*Hymn:	"To God Be the Glory"	#79
Invocation, Lord's Prayer (sins), Gloria Patri		#620
*Hymn:	"Wonderful Grace of Jesus"	#319
Prayers of the People		
Scripture Reading	Romans 3:19-28	Marion Crawford
Children's Sermon		Esther Jackson

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

Sermon:	"A Message That Bears Repeating"	Pastor Marsango
*Hymn of Preparation:	"Just As I Am, Without One Plea"	#387
The Lord's Supper		
The Bread		
The Cup		
*Closing Hymn:	"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"	#138
Benediction		
Postlude		

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	
	11:15 AM—Sunday School	
	7:00 PM—Discipleship Group	
THIS WEEK:		
Tuesday 2/4	- Pastor’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
	- Marion’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
	- Stewardship Team Meeting	7:00 PM
Wednesday 2/5	- Prayer Group	8:30 AM
	- Esther’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
Thursday 2/6	- Youth Group	6:00 PM
	- Joyful Noise Choir	7:00 PM
	- Senior Choir	7:30 PM
LOOKING AHEAD:		
Sunday 2/9	- Church Business Meeting	11:15 AM
	- Discipleship Group	7:00 PM
Tuesday 2/11	- Marion’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
	- Pastor’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
	- Child/Youth Team	7:00 PM
	- Worship Team	7:30 PM
Wednesday 2/12	- Prayer Group	8:30 AM
	- Esther’s Discipleship Group	10:00 AM
Thursday 2/13	- Youth Group	6:00 PM
	- Joyful Noise Choir	7:00 PM
	- Senior Choir	7:30 PM

Stewardship Report:

Last Week (1/26/20)		Fiscal Year	Mission Fund as of 1/26/20:	
Tithes Received:	\$3,020.05	\$11,232.05	Revenue:	\$4,510.00
Budget Needed:	\$3,010.00	\$12,040.00	Expenditures:	\$0
Difference +/-:	+\$10.05	-\$807.95		



Worship Attendance for 1/26/20: (135)

Moderator Needs

As John Jordan has completed his tenure as our Church Moderator, and he and Lois will begin retirement in earnest, we find ourselves with no nominee willing to serve in that capacity at this time. The Church Bylaws allow for such a situation and name the Chair of the Adult Discipleship Team to become Acting Moderator until such a time that a nominee for election can be brought forward for a congregational vote. For all Moderator business and concerns, please contact Esther Jackson at this time. She will serve with the Leadership Community to move forward with all church business in this time of transition, and all reports and concerns for the Leadership Community can be directed to the LC members and to Esther. Her phone for calls and texts is 609-221-9400 and email is esjack48@gmail.com. Pray for our church leadership and the fellowship of our church family as we move forward in continued worship and service to the Lord.

ATTENTION!

Beginning **TODAY**, the front door of the church that leads to the foyer with the church bell will remain locked at all times. Please use the front door that is nearest the Pastor’s office to enter at the front of the church.



Take Note!

Please mark your calendars for the Business Meeting on Sunday, February 9th after worship


**Prayer Vigil:** On Saturday, February 29th from 6 AM to 6PM. Please sign up for this opportunity to pray for those in our church and the surrounding community.

Your Greeters This Morning: Bonnie & Daniel Heintzelmann

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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.

Call to Worship

- Leader:

Lord, as we gather together, we acknowledge we are a forgiven people.
- People:

May we, like you, be generous in offering forgiveness to others.
- Leader:

You forgive us each and every day for the many ways we fall short of your mercy.
- People:

Teach us to embody your grace, your love, your mercy and your forgiveness to all those we encounter this day.



### Kids Corner @ fbcpedricktown

Children are a gift from God! We are excited you are here and hope you feel comfortable and enjoy worship this morning. Don't worry if "joyful noises" occur during service, we believe children's voices are the sound of new life in church. J

#### During the service:

Families are welcome to use our children's room for infants and toddlers at any time during service. The room is equipped with toys and an intercom where you can listen to the worship service. Location: once downstairs, go left, the room is straight ahead.

After the Children's Message, children ages 4-9 may go downstairs for Jr. Church. Our volunteers will share a message, play a game or do crafts with the kids. Snacks are usually offered so please let us know of any allergies or restrictions for your child(ren). Location: once downstairs, go right, then left, it's the second classroom on the left.

Today's Jr. Church Volunteer: Laura Brickner  
Next Week: Pam Golt

#### After the service:

We hope you'll plan to stay for Sunday School following service (11:15am – 12:00pm). We have an elementary class (K-5th grade) and Jr/Sr High class (6-12th grade).

#### During the week:

On Thursday nights, we have Youth Group and Kids Choir for elementary and middle school students. Youth Group runs from 6-7pm and Kids Choir is from 7-7:30pm.

### Church Cancellation due to Weather

If the National Weather Service has issued a weather warning, such as a winter storm warning, that is in effect during a scheduled service, that service may be cancelled. Notice of cancellation will be posted on the church website ([www.fbcpedricktown.org](http://www.fbcpedricktown.org)) and the FBC Pedricktown Facebook page by 8:00 AM or as soon as possible. In addition, a recorded message concerning the cancellation of a service may be accessed by telephoning the church at (856)299-2123. If you would like to be notified by phone concerning the cancellation of a service, please contact the church office at (856)299-2123 and your name will be added to the "Please Call" list.



### Sunday School News for 2020

The Angels Class has been on a journey to look at Baptists in Pedricktown: Past, present and future. We will begin with some "Baptist basics" on history of the denomination and then our little church. We will be having "guests" from each of our current boards. We will be looking at the past as I research documents from the archives in the catacombs and talk to our treasured "heritage" members. Also we will be doing a "field trip" through the church building to look at the physical facility including a trip through the catacombs (downstairs back hall way). I anticipate this fun journey will take us into the spring and I look forward to exploring who we as a body of believers were, are and will become. Please bring any memories, materials, questions and prayers and join me with the Angels class. Connie Clark



### Men's Fellowship Breakfast Saturday February 15th at 9 AM

Talk of the Towne Restaurant  
With the Women's Group Included  
Join Us, with hearts full of Christian Love

### Volunteer Opportunity

**Meals on Wheels** is seeking volunteer drivers to cover their delivery routes, they deliver about 40,000 hot nutritious meals annually to homebound elderly and disabled residents of Salem County. At this time, we are specifically recruiting for the Pennsville area in the hopes of creating an additional route to prevent a waiting list for new clients.

It is a small commitment of time, yet it can be one of the most rewarding volunteer experiences you will ever encounter. Just 2 hours every four weeks delivers much more than a meal. To learn more about this opportunity, please contact Teresa Christoff, 856-935-3663 or [tchristoff@scmealsonwheels.org](mailto:tchristoff@scmealsonwheels.org)

**Please make sure to sign up for the Prayer Breakfast on  
Saturday, February 8th at 8:30. Please also sign up indicating  
what you would like to bring.**