

First Baptist Church

Communion Sunday
August 2, 2015, 10:00 a.m.

Organ Prelude:

Ruth Mueller

Welcome and Announcements

Deacon Robert Bryant

Fellowship Period (Extending God's love to one another)
Congregational Introit: "Come Into His Presence"

Red # 420

*Call to Worship

Leader: "Do not withhold your mercy from me, O Lord; may your love and your truth always protect me.

People: For troubles without number surround me; my sins have overtaken me, and I cannot see. They are more than the hairs of my head and my heart fails within me.

All: But may all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you; may those who love your salvation always say, 'The Lord be exalted.'"
Psalm 40: 11-2.16

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*Hymn of Praise: "Holy Spirit, Light Divine"

Red # 392

*Prayer of Invocation

The Lord's Prayer

*Gloria Patri

Red # 812

Blessings of Joy and Thanksgiving

Worship in Prayer

Call to Prayer "I Must Tell Jesus" 1 & 2

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response "I Must Tell Jesus" Verse 3

Pastor Flemmings

Blue # 430

Testify: (Time to share your testimony of God's Blessings)

Special Music:

Ruth Mueller

Worship in Tithing and Offerings

Offertory Sentence (In Unison)

"And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."

2 Corinthians 9: 8

Red # 815

*Doxology

* Prayer of Dedication

Worship via The Word

*Hymn of Preparation: "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

Blue # 410

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament: Isaiah 54:17

Pew Bible page No. 1148

New Testament: Romans 7: 14-20

Pew Bible page No. 1863-1864

Sermon: "The Enemy from Within"

Pastor Flemmings

***Hymn of Invitation:** "There Is Power in the Blood"

Blue # 191

Commemoration of the Lords Supper

Responsive Reading "Sanctification"

Blue # 673

Blessing and Partaking of the Elements

Hymn of Fellowship "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

Blue # 354

*Benediction:

Amen: Denmark"

Blue # 628 IV

Organ Postlude:

*Congregation Please Stand

Ruth Mueller

Worship Service – Welcome to the Morning Worship Service:

The 2015 theme Vacation Bible School was "Climbing Mount Everest: Conquering Challenges with God's Mighty Power". The members of Fountain of Living Water and First Baptist jointly sponsored VBS and worked together with our young campers to let them know that God has the power to provide, the power to comfort, the power to heal, the power to forgive and the power of eternal life. In God's strength we can be like a deer that can leap to new heights with God's strength and the help and support of other mountain climbers. God promises the sure-footed confidence that we need to make it to our final destination of eternal life. Let us strive in the month of August not to become spectators and start climbing Mount Everest. We are reminded of the words of Isaiah "You who bring good tidings to Zion, go up on a high mountain. You who bring good tidings to Jerusalem, lift up your voice with a shout, lift it up, do not be afraid; say to the towns of Judah "Here is your God!" Isaiah 40: 9

Preschool Family in need: There is an awesome opportunity to provide support for a preschool family to attend First Baptist Preschool! Due to extenuating circumstances, a family is unable to pay the entire monthly tuition for their child in our upcoming school year. They are able to contribute a significant portion for our Three Day program; however we are looking to subsidize the difference. Our request is for \$1800 for the year but can be paid on a monthly basis of \$180. If this is something you would be able to assist us with please contact Jennifer at the Church Office at 908 725-1016 for more information. The gift of early education is priceless!

ABCNJ Annual Session: If you are interested, please contact Jennifer at the Church Office by phone at 908 725-1016 or email at fbcsomsec@verizon.net by Wednesday August 12, 2015 to qualify for the group discount tickets.



OUR PRAYER CONCERNS Members, Friends and Family – Resting at Home



Bill Berry
Kimberly Bryant
Evelyn Field
Judy Hoak
Adeline Lofstrom
Quaid Mobus (Darin Lentzsch's cousin)
Ligia Piedra
Andrew Walsh

Josephine Bowden
Barbara Esposito (Mary Miller's daughter)
Jennifer Harbach
Evelyn Kopf
Cardinia Namendi
Aurora Piedra
Ruthann Pohl
Marge Schoonover

Hospital & Nursing Home

Corrine Chen/Arbor Glen
Susan Lofstrom/Brighton Gardens
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"We are becoming fishers of people" Mark 1: 16-20