



WELCOME!  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
 OF SPRINGFIELD**  
 7300 GARY STREET  
 SPRINGFIELD, VIRGINIA 22150  
 703.451.1500

APRIL 26, 2009

10:30 AM

**Preparation for Worship**

Video: "What Would You Give Your Life For?"  
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**Prelude:** "My Tribute"  
 Chris Kang, Piano - Connie Jenkins, Organ

**\*Congregational Call To Worship:**  
 "Baptized in Water" #362

**Baptized in water, Sealed by the Spirit,  
 Cleansed by the blood of Christ, our King;  
 Heirs of salvation, Trusting His promise,  
 Faithfully now God's praise we sing.**  
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**\*Prayer of Invocation** Chris Jenkins

**THE TESTIMONY OF BELIEVER'S BAPTISM**

**God's Promise In Scripture:** Romans 10:8-13

**Affirmation of Faith**

Pastor: *Do you confess that Jesus is Lord, and do you believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead?*

Baptismal Candidate: I do.

**The Baptism of Believers:** Alex Moree, Andy Moree

**The Pledge of the Church Family**

Pastor: Hear now the pledge of your church family.

**People: We will share your joys and help bear your burdens. We will pray for you. We will grow together with you in the way of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Prayer of Dedication** Jim Weaver

**\*Hymn of Praise:** "To God Be the Glory" #4

**\*We Greet One Another In Christian Fellowship** Chris Jenkins

**\*A Worship Sequence:**

**THE CROSS – TREE OF LIFE**

**Leader:** *God forbid that I should boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.*

**All:** **It is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.**

(from Galatians 6:14, 2:20 NKJV)  
 "At Calvary" (Stzs. 1, 2, 4) #138  
 "At the Cross" (chorus only) #139  
 "Down at the Cross" (Stzs. 1, 2, 4) #140  
 "O How He Loves You and Me" (Stz. 2) #146

**\*Offertory Prayer** Bobby Vines, Deacon

**WELCOME!**

We are delighted that you have joined us to worship today. We want you to feel at home in our Fellowship. In order to provide you with additional information about our ministries, we invite you to take a few moments to fill out this guest form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Welcome Center in the foyer after the service. Thank you for being a part of the First Baptist family today. May God bless you and touch you with the joy of His presence.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of another church?

Yes:  No:

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the applicable items:

- First-time visitor
- New to the area
- Returning visitor

Age Group:

- 18-19  40s  60s
- 20s  50s  70+
- 30s

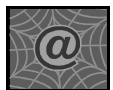
Single  Married

Names and Ages of Children:

\_\_\_\_\_

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**Sanctuary Flowers**



If you wish to place altar flowers in memory of or to honor a loved one on any Sunday during the year, please contact the Church Office to request a date for your donated arrangement. You may pick up the arrangement on the following Monday morning for extended enjoyment in your home or simply indicate when you call that the flowers may be shared with our homebound members.



**Church Goal:  
 \$25,000**

**Given to Date: \$17,634.96**

**Visit Your Church Library and Media Center**

(Second Floor near the Elevator)

**Open:**

*Sundays 8:45-10:30 am*

*Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm*

Check the table marked "FREE ITEMS" outside the Library periodically for media being retired. Help yourself!

**Mission Resources for April:**

"OM-On Mission" NAMB magazine: articles/photos on the AAEO featured missionaries

"PrayerPoints" - emphasis on Central & Eastern Europe

"Prayer-Gram" - "People Groups Among Us" & "How To Pray For People Groups"

"Pray for Missions": Back page of the "Midweekly Prayer Calendar"

**Copies are in the foyers & office.**

**Service Recordings Available**

Recordings of the 10:30 am worship services held in the Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall are now available on CD by request (\$1).

**Series on Teens vs. Parents**

During the month of May, the youth will discover practical and Biblical instructions on repairing and building healthy relationships with their parents. The series will be put into practice with **Family Game Night** on May 17. More details to come!

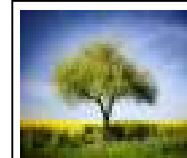


**Youth Selling Prepaid Giant Cards**

See Mark or Irene Rosenbaum after church to purchase a Giant card. A percentage of the sales will offset the Youth Summer Mission costs. During the week, you can contact the church office about a card.

**Schedule for Youth**

To see a full calendar of Student Ministry events, please visit [www.exit20cafe.com](http://www.exit20cafe.com).



DRIVEN is our Wednesday night service for Jr. and Sr. High students. We play games and work

with our student led band, then we discover what the Bible teaches us about being a Christian in a crazy world.

**Wednesdays:**  
 6:30 pm - Hang Time  
 7:00 pm - Driven



Friend Groups meet each Sunday Night. These are friendly small groups where you will meet other students that are going through the same

things you are in life.

**Sundays:**  
 4:00 pm - Student Band Practice  
 5:00 pm - Drama, Creative Arts  
 6:00 pm - Game On  
 7:00 pm - Friend Groups (Small Groups)

**CHURCH STAFF MINISTERS**

**James A. Weaver, Pastor**

**Hammond A. Coates, Minister of Discipleship and Congregational Ministries**

**Christopher T. Jenkins, Minister of Music and Worship**

**Jay Rawls, Minister to Students**

**Jey Kim, Minister to Korean Fellowship**

**Fernando Mangieri, Minister to Hispanic Fellowship**

**Zelleke Alemu, Minister to Ethiopian Fellowship**

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**WEEKDAY OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm**

**Choral Offertory:**

“Alas and Did My Savior Bleed” from The Weeping Tree

The Sanctuary Choir

(Following the choir anthem, children in Grades 1-4 who wish to participate in Children’s Church will meet their adult leaders in the foyer to go to Room C104.)

**The Message: “The Hands of Christ: Secure Hands”** Jim Weaver  
John 10:1-30

**WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER**

**THE BREAD**

The Prayer for the Bread

The Bread Is Served

Music for Meditation

Chris Kang, Piano

**THE CUP**

The Prayer for the Cup

The Bread Is Served

Music for Meditation

Connie Jenkins, Organ

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship Jim Weaver

\*Song of Invitation: “Jesus Paid It All” #134

Church Concerns and Announcements Jim Weaver

\*Benediction Prayer Jim Weaver

\*Congregational Response: “To God Be the Glory” #4  
(Chorus)

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice!

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the people rejoice!

O come to the Father thro’ Jesus, the Son,

And give Him the glory great things He hath done.

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\*Postlude Music “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

\*Congregation Standing

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**

Fellowship Hall - 10:30 am

Worship Led by the Praise Band

Tim Kim, Worship Leader

**Morning Offering**

Offertory Prayer - Tom McKay, Deacon

(Following the prayer, children in Grades 1-4 who wish to participate in Children’s Church will meet their adult leaders in the back of the room to go to Room C104.)

**The Message**

“The Hands of Christ: Joining Hands”

John 20:24-29

Hammond Coates

**Sign-ups for Gettysburg Needed**

On Saturday, June 6, PACE is sponsoring a bus trip to visit the **New Gettysburg Museum and Visitor Center**. This trip is open to any person interested in going with us - whether younger or older. We will have lunch at the historic **Dobbin House Tavern** and later tour the **battlefields** and visit the **David Wills House**, where Lincoln finished the Gettysburg Address.



The cost of the trip ranges from \$89 to \$99, depending on the number of people attending. At this time, we have only 15 people who have expressed an interest in going with the group, so we are in danger of having to cancel this trip. The last day to sign up is Sunday, May 3. Payment can be made later or just prior to the trip. Sign-up sheets are located in your Sunday School boxes or you may call Charlene Gibbens at 703-451-2832, **before May 3**.

**Parent-Child Dedication**

A Parent-Child Dedication ceremony can be scheduled for Mother’s Day or Father’s Day in the 10:30 am worship service in the Sanctuary. Children of any age may be dedicated. *If you wish to participate, please notify the Church Office by Wednesday, May 6.*

**Sermon Recordings**

Sermon recordings from both the Traditional and Contemporary Worship Services are now available on our website. You can listen to or download these mp3 recordings, or you can subscribe to the podcasts with a media player. Just look for the “Messages” and “Podcast” buttons on each page of our website: [www.fbcspringfield.org](http://www.fbcspringfield.org)

**Vacation Bible School Needs Helpers**

We need volunteers in the Nursery for the VBS workers and helpers for the Preschool classes. If interested, call Beverly Finnen at 703.455.1068.



**June 22-26**

**Online Invitations**

Our website now has an electronic invitation module where you can invite someone to come and worship at FBC. You can send an FBC greeting, which includes a personal message from you, and it will appear in your friend’s email box as if you had sent it. Look for the “Invite a Friend” button on each page of our website: [www.fbcspringfield.org](http://www.fbcspringfield.org).



All Women of the Church

are invited to a

*Bridal Shower*

for

*Emily Weaver*

on

Sunday, May 17

2 - 5 pm

Room C302 at the Church

Drop in for cake and punch!

*Emily is registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond and Target.*

Given by Connie Coates,  
Connie Jenkins,  
Carol Sikora and Ellen  
Chenoweth

**Church Bible Drill  
Tonight at 7:00 pm  
Sanctuary**

Come support our Youth and Children in the Bible Drill. The Association Bible Drill will be Sunday, May 3 at FBC Alexandria from 3-5pm.

**Venture Crew Yard Sale**

Saturday, May 9

9am-3pm

7803 Lobelia Lane

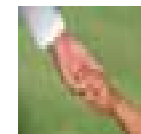
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Venture Crew 4031, chartered by First Baptist, is hosting a multi-family yard sale. Call Sharon Fontanella with questions. More details in next newsletter.

**Hand-in-Hand Day**

Saturday, May 16

9:00 am - Noon



**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF**

**April 26, 2009**

(The Nursery is available for all English-language worship services)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 26:**

- 8:45-10:30 am - Library Open
- 9:00 am - Hispanic Worship
- 9:15 am - Sunday School
- 9:15 am - Youth AWAKEN/Youth Area
- 10:15 am - Sanctuary Choir
- 10:15 am - Instrumental Ensemble/Sanc
- 10:30 am - Contemporary Worship/FH
- 10:30 am - Traditional Worship/Sanctuary
- 10:30 am - Hispanic Sunday School
- 12:00 pm - Hispanic Fellowship/FH
- 12:15 pm - Ethiopian Worship/Sanctuary
- 1:00 pm - Korean Worship/FH
- 4:00 pm - Church Council/OCR
- 4:00 pm - Youth Praise Band
- 5:00 pm - Youth Creative Arts, Drama
- 5:30 pm - Children’s Bible Drill/C104
- 5:30 pm - Adult Handbells
- 5:45 pm - Youth Snack/Supper FH
- 6:00 pm - Youth Game On/Gym
- 7:00 pm - Youth Small Groups/FH
- 7:00 pm - Church Bible Drill/Sanctuary

**MONDAY, APRIL 27:**

- 10:30 am - PACE Choir/Choir Room

**TUESDAY, APRIL 28:**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29:**

- 5:30 pm - Fellowship Dinner/FH
- 6:00 pm - First Baptist Instr. Ensemble
- 6:15 pm - Ladies’ Vocal Ensemble
- 6:15 pm - Nursery Opens
- 6:15 pm - Young Musicians/C110 (Gr. 4-6 Children’s Choir)
- 6:30 pm - Other Children’s Choirs
- Angelic Sounds, Age 4-5/B216
- Music Makers, Grade 1-3/C108
- 6:30 pm - Women’s Bible Study/C302
- 6:30 pm - Youth Hang Time/Gym
- 6:40 pm - Prayer Meeting/Media Center
- 6:45 pm - Sanctuary Choir/Choir Rm
- 7:00 pm - Driven, for Youth/FH
- 7:00 pm - Pastor’s Bible Study/Media Center
- 7:00 pm - Men’s Bible Study/CR2
- 7:15 pm - Mission Activities
- Mission Friends (Ages 3-K)
- RAs (Grades 1-3)/C102 (Grades 4-6)/C104
- GAs (Grades 1-3)/C106 (Grades 4-6)/C104
- 7:30 pm - Ethiopian Prayer Mtg/Sanctuary
- 8:00 pm - Son’s Singers /Choir Room
- 8:15 pm - Nursery Closes

**THURSDAY, APRIL 30:**

- 10:30 am - Sunshine Club, FH
- 7:00 pm - ESOL Classes/“A” Wing Classrooms

**FRIDAY, MAY 1:**

- 10:00 am - Women’s Bible Study/CR2

**SATURDAY, MAY 2:**

- 6:00 am - Hispanic Prayer/C211
- 7:00 am - Men’s Prayer/C302
- 2:00 pm - Praise Band Rehearsal/FH