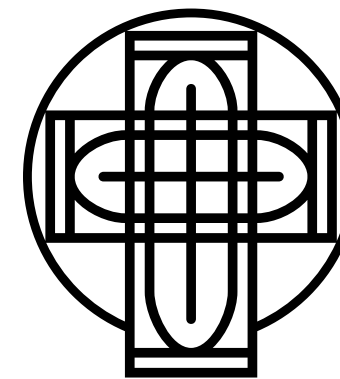


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**Sunday, September 12, 2021**

10:30 am Worship

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**Wednesday, September 15, 2021**

5:30pm Meal

Contact church office to reserve your spot.

6:15pm Adult Bible Study (Contact church office for ZOOM link)

6:15 pm Children & Youth Activities

**Thursday, September 16, 2021**

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Food Pantry

**Saturday, September 18, 2021**

Men's Golf Outing



**Memorial Gifts:**

A gift has been given to the Food Pantry  
in memory of DANA AKINS

by  
Phil Majors

A gift has been given to the Shoebox Ministry in memory of

NELVA FARBACH  
RONNIE IRVINE

by  
Steve & Betty Surmont



FBC Family,  
Thank you for the graduation basket. I appreciate your prayers and support throughout my educational career, and now this new chapter of my life. I couldn't have done it without you all.  
With Love, Mollie Daniel



In case you have not heard, Wednesday night activities for children and youth are back! Introducing- Wednesday Mission Nights!

If we take time to listen to the story of faith we are learning and celebrating each week, we will quickly learn that a big part of what faith is about is being invited into God's big story! To help us remember this, we will take time each Wednesday to explore ways we can participate in God's great big story. Activities will include: crafts and creative projects, service projects, topical bible studies & scripture memorization, prayer practices and family worship ideas, and possibly even occasional trips out into the community!

Come join us at 5:30 pm for dinner and 6:15 pm for activities. Following dinner, children are to meet downstairs and youth are to meet upstairs. See you then!

Peace and blessings,  
Jeremiah Banks

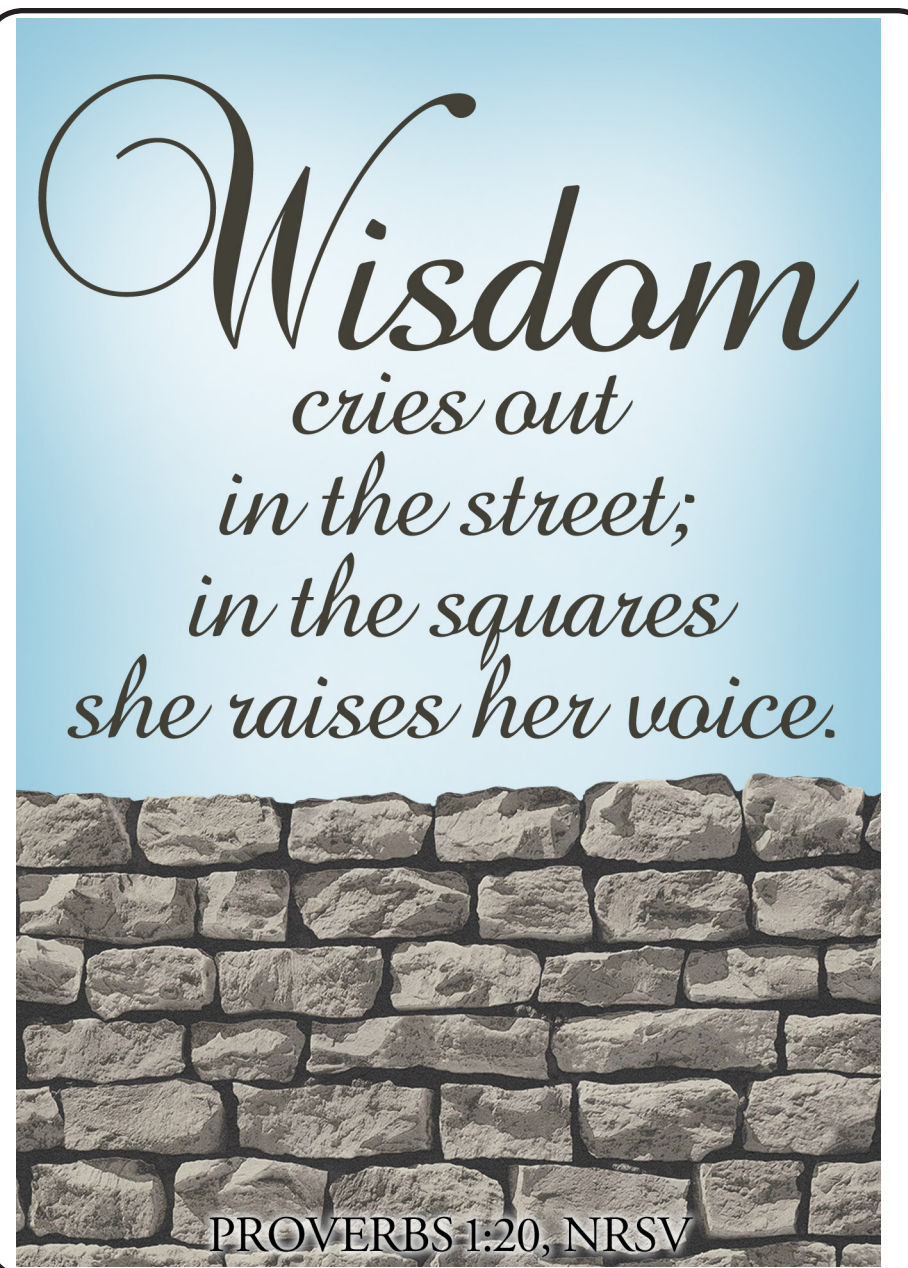


**Menu 9/15**

Spaghetti  
Salad  
Garlic Bread  
Dessert



On Saturday, September 18, novices and pros alike are invited to go golfing at the Woodlake Golf Course in Tazewell, TN. The cost is \$38 per golfer. **Contact the office by noon on Friday, September 10, to make your reservation.** We will play a round of golf with tee times between 12:40 and 1:20. Then we will eat together at the restaurant for an early dinner. This will be a fun fellowship opportunity, so make plans to be there!



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# First Baptist Church at Worship

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 12, 2021

## Gathering

Organ Voluntary *Prelude on CLONMEL* setting by Anna Laura Page

□ *in all our learning may we seek the wisdom from above* □

- Hugh McElrath

Greeting and Call to Worship **Alex Lockridge**

*The heavens tell of the glory of God; all creation tells God's story.*

**All God's creatures reflect God's beauty.**

*The commandments of God give shape to human community.*

**Our life together speaks of God's wisdom.**

*The life of Jesus shows forth God's love.*

**Our faith tells God's story.**

Hymn 341 *For the Beauty of the Earth* DIX

stanzas 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6

Prayer of Confession **Paul Sims**

Response **\*NETTLETON**

*Come and seek the ways of Wisdom, she who danced when earth was new.*

*Follow closely what she teaches for her words are right and true.*

*Wisdom clears the path to justice, showing us what love must do;*

*Alleluia, alleluia: showing us what love must do.*

*Listen to the voice of Wisdom, crying in the marketplace.*

*Hear the Word made flesh among us, full of glory, truth, and grace.*

*When the word takes root and ripens, peace and righteousness embrace;*

*Alleluia, alleluia: peace and righteousness embrace.*

*Sister Wisdom, come, assist us; nurture all who seek rebirth.*

*Spirit-guide and close companion, bring to light our sacred worth.*

*Free us to become your people, holy friends of God and earth;*

*Alleluia, alleluia: holy friends of God and earth.*

- Ruth Duck

## Proclaiming

A Moment for Children **Jeremiah Banks**

A Reading from Wisdom Literature **Alex Lockridge**

Wisdom cries out in the street; in the squares she raises her voice. At the busiest corner she cries out; at the entrance of the city gates she speaks: "How long, O simple ones, will you love being simple? How long will scoffers delight in their scoffing and fools hate knowledge? Give heed to my reproof; I will pour out my thoughts to you; I will make my words known to you.

"Because I have called and you refused, have stretched out my hand and no one heeded, and because you have ignored all my counsel and would have none of my reproof, I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when panic strikes you, when panic strikes you like a storm, and your calamity comes like a whirlwind, when distress and anguish come upon you.

□ Then they will call upon me, but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently, but will not find me. Because they hated knowledge and did not choose the fear of the Lord, would have none of my counsel, and despised all my reproof, therefore they shall eat the fruit of their way and be sated with their own devices. For waywardness kills the simple, and the complacency of fools destroys them; but those who listen to me will be secure and will live at ease, without dread of disaster. □

- Proverbs 1:20-33

Psalm 19 setting by Joe Cox



The heav-ens are tell-ing the glo-ry of God, the sky pro-claims all God's works.

*The law of the Lord is perfect, the soul to revive.*

*The law of the Lord is trusted, making the simple wise. REFRAIN*

*The laws of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart.*

*Radiant are God's commands, giving light to our eyes. REFRAIN*

*The fear of the Lord is pure and forever endures,*

*Altogether righteous and altogether sure. REFRAIN*

*May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart*

*Be pleasing in Your sight, O Lord, my Rock and Redeemer.*

A Reading from the Epistles **Paul Sims**

James 3:1-12

Hymn 395 *Open My Eyes, that I May See* SCOTT

stanzas 1, 2, and 3

Sermon "Fools Hate Knowledge" **Alex Lockridge**

## Responding

Hymn 368 *We Praise you with Our Minds, O Lord* CLONMEL

Prayers of the People **Alex Lockridge**

The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

## Sending

Hymn 323 *How Great Thou Art* \*O STORE GUD

Commission and Blessing **Alex Lockridge**

*Go out with your minds set on the things of God.*

*See to it that the words of your mouths*

*and the thoughts of your hearts*

*are acceptable to God and enlightening to all.*

*And may God make the holy word known to you;*

*May Christ Jesus lead you in the ways of sacrificial love;*

*and may the Holy Spirit set you ablaze with divine wisdom. Amen.*

Organ Postlude *Psalm XIX* by Benedetto Marcello



The Sanctuary flowers for Sunday, September 12th  
are placed in memory of

EDMOND and EDITH WYATT and RAY TIPTON

by

*Joyce Tipton*

*Wes, Lynn & Wesley Tipton; Sarah, Seth & Wyatt Reeves;*

*Jeff & Debbie Tipton, Lauren & Vance Rose;*

*Kim, Steve, Michael Ray, Hannah & Jeffery Morton*



Christian love and sympathy are extended to Gary & Janie  
Akins and family in the passing of Gary's brother, Dana Akins

Christian love and sympathy are extended to Bill and Ann  
Hacker and family in the passing of their sister-in-law,  
Margie Hacker.

## Pastoral Care Emergencies Nights and Weekend:

**Minister: Paul Sims  
606-202-0595**

If you are unable to reach this minister, please leave a  
message on voice mail. Messages will be monitored at  
regular intervals.

**Deacon: Gary Akins  
606-524-5804**

## September 5th Summary:

Budget Offerings:	\$	52,910.00
Fiscal YTD Budget Offerings:	\$	529,536.94
YTD Budget Goal:	\$	504,200.00