

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
JULY 23, 2017

WE GATHER TOGETHER

Worship MusicMary Daniel

Welcome & Announcements..... Pastor Charlie

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Spoken Call to Worship..... Blaine Britt

*Prayer of Invocation Tracy Ferrell

*Hymn of Praise No. 395
"God of Grace and God of Glory"

(On the last verse, all children are invited to the front for the Children's Message)

WE CELEBRATE OUR CHILDREN

Children's Message and Prayer Blaine Britt

(Children Exit to Kinder Church and Children's Church)

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*Offertory Hymn No. 62
"All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

Offertory Prayer.....Rayna Lester

OffertoryLaRue Daniel, Organist

Morning Prayer..... Pastor Charlie

AnthemAdult Choir
"Trusting Jesus"

Message Pastor Charlie
"Running from God"
Jonah 1:1-17, 4:1-11

*Hymn of Invitation No. 323
"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

*Benediction..... Congregation

*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

PostludeLaRue Daniel, Organist

*Congregation Stands



In 1999, a movie starring Julia Roberts and Richard Gere was released. It was about a young woman who had a number of unsuccessful relationships. In fact, as the movie begins, she has already left three men standing at the altar on their wedding day. Julia Roberts' character, Maggie, received the nickname, "Runaway Bride." During the movie, Maggie gets cold-feet for a fourth time and leaves her fiancée at the altar by catching a ride on a Fed-Ex truck. She eventually gets married in the movie to Ike, played by Richard Gere, and during the post credit scenes we see that they are still happily married. Today, we will be looking at the "Runaway Prophet." God has called Jonah to be his prophet with the assignment of going and preaching in Nineveh. However, Jonah chose to go the opposite direction because he didn't like the assignment that God had given him. As we know, he gets on a ship which is caught in a terrible storm at sea. Finally, the sailors realize that Jonah is the problem and they toss him overboard. He is swallowed by a large fish which eventually spits him out on the shore. Once again God tells him to go to Nineveh to preach. Jonah reluctantly does, and as a result, many of the Ninevites repent and turn to God. Wouldn't it have been so much easier if Jonah had done what God told him to do in the first place instead of running? Are you ever like Jonah and running from what God wants you to do? If so, why not learn from the mistakes of Jonah, and follow God and His plan from the beginning?

Pastor Charlie



SERMON NOTES: _____



Nursing/Retirement/Rehab:

- ♦Andy Fisher
Durham Nursing & Rehab
- ♦Ethel Gilliam
Brantwood, Room 310
- ♦Doris Royal
Universal Healthcare Raleigh
- ♦Martha Garrison
Galloway Ridge
- ♦Marvin Pring
Heritage Meadows
- ♦Peggy Ferrell
Franklin Manor
- ♦Bobby Stone
Toney Rest Home
- ♦Clara Swain
Penelton Manor, Greenville, SC

Homebound:

- Susie Ortmann
Hank Plott
Curtis Boone
Alvin & Janice Gates
Judy Thompson

Hospital/Health Concerns:

- Ruth Parrish
Mae Ray
Elliott Wilder
Paulette Duke
Edgar & Vickie Smoak
Gloria Adcock
Jane Frost
Pam DeZurik
Lloyd & Mattie Goodwin
Hazel Lyon
Curtis Watkins
Jan Andrews
Paul Medlin
Betty Fogleman
Frank Lemons
Johnnie Riggan
Anna Mimken
Teresa Craig
Janice Gates
Shirley Gupton

Our deepest Christian sympathy is extended to the Family of Rachel Stone and the Family of Patricia Haskins

Welcome to Our Guest

First Baptist Church Butner is delighted that you have joined us for worship today! We want you to consider yourself among friends who care. So that we may know you better, please take a few moments to fill out this card and return it as directed. If you would like to receive our monthly newsletter The Together, please include your email address below. Again, we express an enthusiastic welcome and we encourage you to visit again soon.

Date _____

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Status: Single _____ Married _____

Age Group:
13-19 _____: 20-29 _____: 30-39 _____:
40-49 _____: 50-59 _____: 60& up _____

Children:
Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____

Please check all applicable boxes:
 First time visitor
 Returning Visitor
 New to the area
 Would like a visit
 Would like to know more about us
 Would like to know more about being a Christian

I am a guest of _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Let Us Know...

Information checked below will help us to serve you and others. Please detach and place in the offering plate at the appropriate time. Thank you.

___Sickness in the home

___Pastor please call

___Scheduled for surgery/hospital admission

___Know of prospects for this church (list below)

___Moved to new address

___Provide email for church communications

___CD/DVD Request;
Date of Service _____
CD = \$1.50 _____
DVD = \$3.00 _____

___Wednesday Night Supper
Add Name _____
Remove Name _____

Interested in...
Teaching (Specify _____)
Choir
Baptist Women (WOM)
Baptist Men
Bible Study
Sunday School
Visitation Team
Serving on a committee
(Specify _____)

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith."
Matthew 21:22

I ask your prayers for

ATTENDANCE
WEEK OF JULY 16, 2017

Sunday School 83
Worship Service 130
Wednesday (07/19) 84

FINANCIAL REPORTS

JULY 2017

Weekly Budget Need
\$7,976.78

Monthly Budget Need
\$39,883.90

Month-to-Date
\$27,458.88


WEEKLY RECEIPTS
JULY 16, 2017

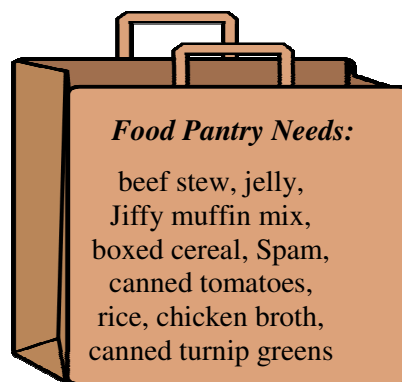
\$ 3,934.00 Budget

\$ 120.00 Building Fund
\$ 235.00 Child. & Yth. Camp
\$ 4.00 Children's Church
\$ 215.00 Benevolence
\$ 10.00 Youth Dept.
\$ 425.00 Handbell Choir
\$ 50.00 Hot Dog Ministry
\$ 100.00 Ruth Helms Pr. Gr.

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

CCM Toy Ministry
Stocking Stuffer Item:

toothbrushes 



The flowers on the altar have been placed by
Jimmy & Teresa Walker
in loving memory of their parents;
James & Dorothy Walker and Jim & Rose Bullock



| Weekly Volunteers | This Week (July 23-29) | Next Week (July 30-August 05) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| Deacon of the Week | Rayna Lester | Bobby Pearce |
| Greeters | Rayna Lester (M) Kyla Fisher (B) Bobby Pearce (S) | Kyla Fisher (M) Rayna Lester (B) Darry Whitlow (S) |
| GROW Visitation Team | Blaine Britt (Team 4) | Shirley Gupton Wilma Tunstall (Team 1) |
| Supper Team (Wednesdays) | Baptist Men (Team 1) | Wilma Tunstall (Team 2) |

| Serving Our Children | This Week (July 23-29) | Next Week (July 30-August 05) |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Nursery (Worship) | Bill & Gail Birdsong | Meghan Harrison |
| Kinder Church | Cecily McDowell | TBD |
| Children's Church | Monica Elliott | Wanda Ferrell |
| Children's Sermon | Blaine Britt | Pastor Charlie |
| Nursery (Wednesday Night) | TBD | TBD |

Memorials & Honorarium

We have received gifts to the General Ministry, Hot Dog Ministry, and Building Fund in memory of **Dr. Gene Garrison** by: Chris Emory, Robert & Nancy Rogers, and the Joseph Watson Family

We have received gifts to the Handbell Choir, and Benevolence Ministry in memory of **Sandra Wilder** by: Faye Ayscue, the Bible Explorers Sunday School Class, Don & LaRue Daniel, Chris Emory, Robert Lane, Robert & Nancy Rogers, and Brenda Tuck

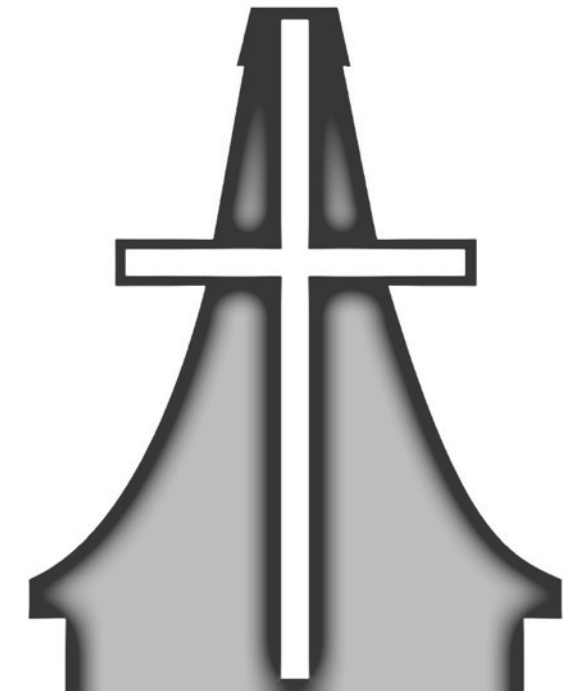
We have received a gift to the Ruth Helms Prayer Group in memory of **Linda Alligood** by: Chris Emory

We have received a gift to the Building Fund in memory of **Rachel Stone** by: Billy & Shirley Gupton

We have received a gift to the Handbell Choir in honor of **Jane Frost** by: the Bible Explorers Sunday School Class

Charlie Bryan - Pastor
Blaine Britt - AP of Children, Youth & Ministries
Tracy Ferrell - Choir Director
LaRue Daniel - Organist
Phillip Duke - IT Support
Mary Lou Brogden - Ministry Assistant
Church Office

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Butner, NC

**"REACH,
TEACH,
PREPARE,
SEND"**

Sunday, July 23, 2017

**11:00 a.m.
Worship Service**

200 West D Street, P. O. Box 44
Butner, North Carolina 27509
Website: www.fbcobutner.org
Email: fbcobutner@raleigh.twcbc.com

*OPPORTUNITIES
AND ANNOUNCEMENTS*

CHILDREN'S OUTING

The Children will go to Adventure Landing **today** immediately following Morning Worship.



BAPTIST MEN'S BREAKFAST AND WORKDAY



The Baptist Men will have a Breakfast and Workday on **Saturday, July 29**. We will begin with breakfast at 8:00 a.m. in the Family Life Center. After breakfast we will divide into groups for a workday. Please sign up on the sheets placed throughout the church or contact Chandler Wynne so that we will know how much to prepare for breakfast and how to divide up the work teams.

REUNION

The Youth and Children who were under the leadership of Marty Childers during his tenure here from 1982-1984 are invited to meet in the Fellowship Hall on **Saturday, July 29 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.** for a reunion. Contact Michael Cone for more information.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



Join us **Sunday, July 30 at 6:00 p.m.** in the Family Life Center for Family Movie Night. We will watch "The Shack". Popcorn and drinks will be available.

COVERED-DISH LUNCHEON FOR PASTOR CHARLIE

Pastor Charlie will receive the Doctor of Ministry Degree from Gardner-Webb University on August 5. On **Sunday, August 6** we would like to celebrate Pastor Charlie's achievement with him by having a covered-dish luncheon in his honor. Lunch will begin immediately following our morning worship service. We hope you will join us for this special time.



BAPTISTS ON MISSION - MEN, WOMEN, YOUTH



The Region 4 NCBM Regional Missions Rally will be held on **Tuesday, August 15** at New Hope Baptist Church in Raleigh. We will have a group going to this rally on the church van. Come and join us for a night of mission inspiration as we experience what God is doing through NC Baptists around the world. There will be worship, testimonies, videos, and information on mission opportunities. A free supper will be served at 6:00 p.m. and the program will be from 6:50 - 8:30 p.m. Sign up on sheets provided throughout the church, contact Chandler Wynne or call the Church Office no later than August 7.

NEWSLETTER

August Newsletter Articles are due by **Tuesday, July 25**.



CHURCH-WIDE

**Fun Friday Trip
KINGS
DOMINION
Friday, August 4**

We will leave at 7:00 a.m. in the morning and return late the same night. Pack a lunch, but bring money for snacks and dinner.

ALL ARE INVITED!!

Children and youth will be supervised, but children age 5 and younger require an adult to join them on the trip.

Ticket Price: \$37.00 each

Sign up on sheets located throughout the church or call the Church Office. Money is due to the Church Office by Sunday, July 30

See Liz Davis with any questions.

Happening This Week

Sunday, July 23

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages**
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service**
- 12:15 p.m. Children's Outing to Adventure Landing
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting (Youth House)
- 6:00 p.m. Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

Exercise Group: Monday-Friday at 8:00 a.m., Family Life Center...All are welcome.

Monday, July 24

- 6:30 p.m. Handbell Practice (Gym)

Tuesday, July 25

- 10:00 a.m. Ruth Helms Prayer Group Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Journaling/Coloring Class (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, July 26

- 5:45 p.m. Supper: fried chicken, potatoes, green beans, dessert, drink**
- 6:15 p.m. Preschool/Children's Choir (3 years through Grade 5)
- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study/Prayer Meeting**
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Meeting (Youth House)
- 6:45 p.m. Children's Activities
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, July 27

- 10:00 a.m. Hot Dog Ministry (Family Life Center)

Friday, July 28

Saturday, July 29

- 8:00 a.m. Baptist Men's Breakfast and Workday
- 4:00 p.m. Reunion with Marty Childers (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, July 30

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages**
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service**
- 5:00 p.m. Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00 p.m. Family Movie Night (Family Life Center)