

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
SEPTEMBER 10, 2017**

**WE GATHER TOGETHER**

Worship Music

Welcome & Announcements..... Pastor Charlie

**WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

Spoken Call to Worship

\*Prayer of Invocation ..... Tracy Ferrell

\*Hymns of Praise

*“You Are My All in All”* Words on Screen  
with

*“I Love Thy Kingdom Lord”* No. 354

(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. 405

*“Have Faith in God”*

Offertory Prayer..... Harvey Bishop

Offertory ..... LaRue Daniel, Organist

Morning Prayer..... Pastor Charlie

Anthem ..... Adult Choir

*“Have Your Way in Us”*

Message ..... Pastor Charlie

*“Do We Have the Right to Question God?”  
Habukkuk 1:2-4, 12-17*

\*Hymn of Invitation No. 312

*“Softly and Tenderly”*

\*Benediction..... Congregation

\*Doxology *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

Postlude ..... LaRue Daniel, Organist

\*Congregation Stands



I have to say that the book we are focusing on today has one of my favorite names in the Bible, Habakkuk. I am not even sure if I pronounce it correctly, but I love saying it. However, I have to watch myself and not say it like Grandpa (played by Walter Brennan) might have said it on the old television show, *The Real McCoys*. Besides having a great name, the book also has a great message for us to hear in our day and age. The book begins with a number of questions being raised by the prophet which are also questions that we continue to raise. They mainly center around wondering why God is doing what He is doing or not doing what we think He ought to be doing. After posing his questions to God, Habakkuk then takes the time to listen to God. And finally, the book concludes with Habakkuk moving from asking questions to rejoicing in God’s goodness, from a place of anger, confusion and misgivings to a place of faith, trust and confidence in God. Habakkuk’s strength was renewed because he spent time with God. He again has joy in his heart and an increased trust in God. We can learn from Habakkuk that despite how we feel and the circumstances in which we find ourselves, God will sustain you and see you through all that you face if you will trust him and have confidence in Him. God is in control and He will listen to and respond to His people and their needs. Why not spend some time with God so that He can encourage you in your faith as you face whatever life throws your way.

*Pastor Charlie*

SERMON NOTES: \_\_\_\_\_  
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*The flowers on the altar have been placed by  
Claude & Kitty Fogleman  
and  
Tony & Betty Fogleman  
in loving memory of  
Beatrice Fogleman*



*Prayer Concerns*

- Nursing/Retirement/Rehab:  
♦Andy Fisher, Room 12  
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 Ortman  
Hank Plott  
Curtis Boone  
Alvin Gates  
Judy Thompson

- Hospital/Health Concerns:  
Ruth Parrish  
Mae Ray  
Elliott Wilder  
Paulette Duke  
Edgar & Vickie Smoak  
Gloria Adcock  
Pam DeZurik  
Lloyd & Mattie Goodwin  
Hazel Lyon  
Curtis Watkins  
Frank Lemons  
Sylvia Strickland  
Tyler Duke  
Frank Hilton



**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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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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 SEPTEMBER 03, 2017**

Sunday School (members)	88
Sunday School (visitors)	6
Worship Service	152
Wednesday (09/06)	82

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**FINANCIAL REPORTS**

**SEPTEMBER 2017**

*Weekly Budget Need*  
\$7,976.78

*Monthly Budget Need*  
\$31,907.12

*Month-to-Date*  
\$5,999.41

**WEEKLY RECEIPTS**  
**SEPTEMBER 03, 2017**

**\$ 5,999.41 Budget**

- \$ 43.34 Building Fund
- \$ 250.00 Hurricane Relief
- \$ 40.00 Choir Robes
- \$ 25.00 Benevolence
- \$ 105.00 NC Missions
- \$ 72.50 Mission Trip
- \$ 62.00 Wed. Night Supper
- \$ 5.00 Men in Action
- \$ 52.00 Christmas in August
- \$ 65.00 Hot Dog Ministry

**MISSION OPPORTUNITIES**

*CCM Toy Ministry*  
*Stocking Stuffer Item:*

boys boxers  
(sizes 14/16, 16/18)



| Weekly Volunteers               | This Week (September 10-16)                               | Next Week (September 17-23)                                |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Deacon of the Week</b>       | Harvey Bishop                                             | Vanessa Clark                                              |
| <b>Greeters</b>                 | Harvey Bishop (M)<br>Joy Barbour (B)<br>Vanessa Clark (S) | Vanessa Clark (M)<br>Harvey Bishop (B)<br>Wanda Conrad (S) |
| <b>GROW Visitation Team</b>     | Tracy & Deborah Ferrell (Team 2)                          | Chandler & Vicki Wynne (Team 3)                            |
| <b>Altar Flowers</b>            | Claude & Kitty Fogleman and<br>Tony & Betty Fogleman      | Hazel Andrews                                              |
| <b>Supper Team (Wednesdays)</b> | Covered Dish                                              | Robert & Nancy Rogers (Team 6)                             |

| Serving Our Children             | This Week (September 10-16) | Next Week (September 17-23) |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Nursery (Worship)</b>         | TBD                         | David & Stacy Ayscue        |
| <b>Kinder Church</b>             | TBD                         | Cecily McDowell             |
| <b>Children's Church</b>         | TBD                         | TBD                         |
| <b>Children's Sermon</b>         | Blaine Britt                | Blaine Britt                |
| <b>Nursery (Wednesday Night)</b> | TBD                         | TBD                         |

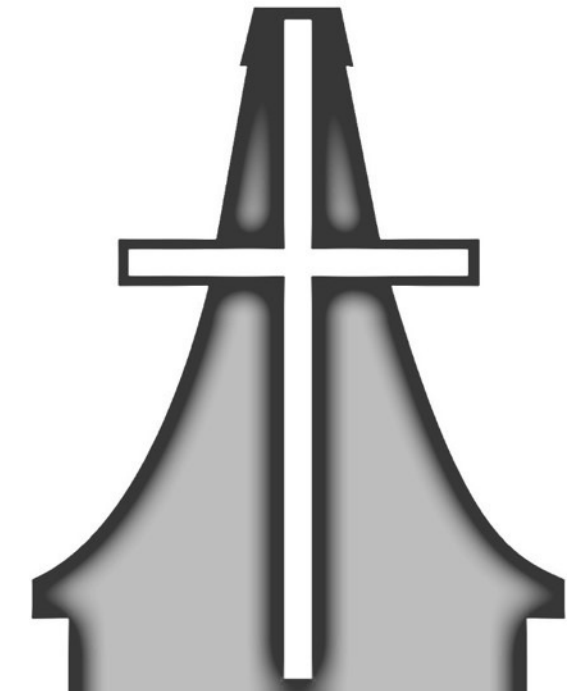


We have received gifts to the General Ministry, Choir Robe Fund, and the Hurricane Relief Effort in memory of **Clarence Godwin** by: Faye Ayscue, Mike & Brenda Ellis, Tracy & Deborah Ferrell, and Brenda Tuck

We have received gifts to the Hurricane Relief Effort and Choir Robe Fund in memory of **Janice Gates** by: Mike & Brenda Ellis and Brenda Tuck

**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**

Cell Phone 704-310-1225  
 Cell Phone 919-717-2590  
 Cell Phone 919-815-2251  
 Phone 919-575-6696  
 Cell Phone 919-730-5870  
 Cell Phone 919-702-2240  
 Phone 919-575-6606



Butner, NC

***“REACH,  
TEACH,  
PREPARE,  
SEND”***

**Sunday, September 10, 2017**

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

200 West D Street, P. O. Box 44  
 Butner, North Carolina 27509  
 Website: [www.fbcofbutner.org](http://www.fbcofbutner.org)  
 Email: [fbcofbutner@raleigh.twcbc.com](mailto:fbcofbutner@raleigh.twcbc.com)

**OPPORTUNITIES  
AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ADOPT A SHOEBOX**

Save the date, please! Operation Christmas Child (Shoebox Sunday) is coming **November 19**. Even though our church will not be a designated collection site, we will still be participating in this mission project that reaches across the globe. Its sole purpose is to show children Christ's love through a small Christmas box. Suggestions on what to place in the box can be found online at [www.samaritanspurse.org/occ](http://www.samaritanspurse.org/occ) Boxes are available in the Family Life Center. \$9.00 should accompany each box to cover shipping costs, training local church leaders, and The Greatest Journey materials each child receives.



**CHILDREN'S COUNCIL MEETING**



The Children's Council will meet immediately following Morning Worship on **Sunday, September 17** in the Fellowship Hall. This will be a planning meeting for the upcoming year. Lunch will be provided. Please contact Blaine Britt if you have any questions.

**CONCERT**

The Youth (and any other music lovers) will have an outing to the Red Hat Amphitheater in Raleigh on **Saturday, September 23** to see *Newsboys* in concert.. Ticket cost is \$20 each. A sign-up sheet is available on the board outside Blaine's office.



**NATIONAL NIGHT OUT**

National Night Out will be held on **Tuesday, October 3 from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.** We will distribute free popcorn and lemonade during this time. Please take this opportunity to show the love of God and support our community police and fire department by volunteering a little of your time. Sign-up sheets have been placed throughout the church for your convenience.



**FALL FESTIVAL**

Our Fall Festival will be held on **Saturday, October 7 from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** There will be FREE food, games, activities, and door prizes!



We need your help to make this a success! Sign-up sheets have been placed throughout the church. Prayerfully consider where you can help with this outreach opportunity. You may contact Joy Barbour for more information.

**NC MISSIONS OFFERING**



During the **month of September** we will collect an offering for NC Missions. Our goal is \$1,000. Money collected supports the ministries of Baptists on Mission, Church Planting, mission camps, associational projects, and mobilization ministry projects.

**OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED**

**COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES**

We will soon begin collecting items for Care Packages for our college students. If you know someone who is college that you feel would like to receive a package please call the Church Office and provide their name and address. For more information you may contact Debbie Britt.



**GETTING BACK TO FUNNY TOUR**



We will have a group going to the *Getting Back to Funny Tour* featuring Chonda Pierce with Karyn Williams on **Sunday, October 8 at 7:00 p.m.** This will be held at the Catch the Fire Worship Center, 2304 Page Road, Durham. Tickets are \$24 if 10 or more people go. Please sign up by Sunday, September 24 if you would like to attend. Contact Brenda Tuck or Liz Davis if you have questions.

**MISSION TRIP**

A mission trip to Red Springs, NC has been planned for **Friday, October 13 - Saturday, October 14**. This trip is open to anyone over the age of 13. We will have two groups leaving the church on Friday; the first at 9:00 a.m. and the second at 5:00 p.m. We will eat on the way to Red Springs on Friday and then will have a devotional time and meal on Friday night. Saturday we will have breakfast and lunch (either with our work groups or at the camp). We should return home by 6:00 p.m. on Saturday.



The following are areas in which help is needed: nursing homes, children's home (Pembroke), construction, yard work, power washing, and cookers. You may sign up to work in any area you feel led to help with. Sign-up sheets have been placed throughout the church for your convenience.

Items you will need to bring with you are as follows: sheets (twin bed), pillow and pillowcase, towels and washcloths, shower shoes, toiletries, medications (if needed), earplugs, sunscreen and bug repellent, work gloves, laundry bag or garbage bag (for dirty clothes), and a flashlight.

For more information please contact Chandler Wynne.

**FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT**

Family Movie Night will be **Sunday, September 24 at 6:30 p.m.** in the Family Life Center. Our movie will be *Like a Country Song*. The story of an up-and-coming country singer who ruins his budding career by hard-partying and how he works to rebuild it and meets his father for the first time.



**LAWN RESEEDING**

Our lawn has recently been reseeded. Because of this you may notice some overgrowth while allowing the seeds to take root. The next mowing will take place during the week of September 18.



**SUNDAY MORNING DEVOTIONAL TIME**

The Outreach Committee is developing a plan to help Pastor Charlie have a 15-minute devotional time at the BAP on **Sunday mornings around 7:30 a.m.** before ballgames start. Game times will not be available until Wednesday nights at 8:00 p.m. so long-range planning is not possible. If you would like to be a part of this ministry please sign up on the sheets provided throughout the church. An instructional meeting will be held soon for those who sign up.



**COMMUNITY EVENT:**

**CAMP BUTNER 75TH ANNIVERSARY**



Celebrate the 75th Anniversary of one of our Nation's largest WWII training camps, Camp Butner. On **Saturday, September 23rd** you can stand along the parade route to view vintage and new military vehicles, visit re-enactment camps, tour historic Camp Butner sites, and more.

**Happening This Week**

**Sunday, September 10**

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting (Youth House)

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

**Monday, September 11**

**Tuesday, September 12**

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

**Wednesday, September 13**

- 4:00 p.m. Piano Class
- 5:45 p.m. Supper: covered-dish
- 6:15 p.m. Preschool/Children's Choir (3 years through Grade 5)
- 6:30 p.m. Monthly Business Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Meeting (Youth House)
- 6:45 p.m. Children's Activities
- 7:45 p.m. Adult Choir Practice

**Thursday, September 14**

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

**Friday, September 15**

**Saturday, September 16**

**Sunday, September 17**

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service
- 12:30 p.m. Children's Council Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:15 p.m. Instrumental Ensemble Practice
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting (Youth House)