

**Sunday Morning
Worship**

**February 3, 2019
10:30 a.m.**

Scout Sunday

Gathering

Welcome / Announcements / Sharing

Presentation of Colors:

Boy Scout Troop 718

*Pledge to the Christian Flag:

I pledge allegiance to the Christian flag and to the Savior for whose kingdom it stands: one Savior, crucified, risen and coming again, with life and liberty to all who believe.

*Pledge to the American Flag:

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Prelude: “*Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus*”

arr. Theodore Beck

*Worship Song:

“*Big House*”

Words on Screen

Offerings

Ministry of Music: “*Come, Christians, Join to Sing*” arr. L. Shackley
Phil Thornbery, keyboard; Christine Baird, piano

Pastoral Prayer and 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 debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

Offertory: “*I Worship You, Almighty God*”

Tom Fettke

Sanctuary Choir

Sharing God’s Word

Children’s Message:

Beth Daly

*Hymn: “*Make Me a Blessing*”

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Scripture Reading: Revelation 2: 8-11 (p. 995)

Rosy Burchett

Sermon: The State of the American Church –

“Where We Need to Look for Our Substance” Rev. Scott Robertson

Departing to Serve

*Hymn of Invitation: “*Nothing But the Blood of Jesus*” 471

The Lord’s Supper

Invitation to the Table

Breaking the Bread

Sharing the Cup

*Closing Hymn: “*Blest Be the Tie That Binds*”

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Benediction

Postlude: “*All Creatures of Our God and King*”

arr. Evanovich

*Congregation stands as able.

Received 1/27- \$ 9,106.55 1/27 Worship Attendance: 128

2019 Stewardship Report – 64 pledges for a total of \$228,700.00

First Baptist will be hosting SHALOM the week of February 17th.

Thank you if you have already signed up to serve in some way. Please be part of this vital ministry to our homeless neighbors. Remaining needs are for driving the van for evening pick-up and morning drop-off and for being with our guests during the evening and overnight. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex. This is our mission trip in our own community.

There will be a short meeting for SHALOM volunteers right after worship **TODAY**. The agenda is a general update, a few new informational items and hand-outs with specifics per task.

J-Lab After-School will be starting up **Wednesday, February 6th**.

This program is for children in 1st – 6th grade and meets on Wednesday’s from 4:30-6:00 pm. Suzanne DeCamp, Kadie Henry and Beth Daly will be leading the kids in faith-based activities. See Beth for a registration form.

This Week at First

Today, February 3

9 a.m. Prayer

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship

After Worship – SHALOM

Volunteer meeting

6:30 p.m. Bible Study

Monday, February 4

6 p.m. Cub Scouts

7 p.m. Yoga

7:30 p.m. FB Ringers

8 p.m. Basketball

Tuesday, February 5

9 a.m. Rev It Up aerobics

6 p.m. Cub Scouts

7 p.m. Boy Scouts

Wednesday, February 6

10 a.m. Yoga

6:30 p.m. Praise Singers

7 p.m. ABY

7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, February 7

9 a.m. Rev It Up aerobics

10:15 a.m. Tai Chi

7:30 p.m. AA mtg.

Friday, February 8

5 p.m. Young Life

Saturday, February 9

9 a.m. Mary & Martha Class

party

Serving Among Us Today

Senior Pastor: Rev. K. Scott Robertson
Director of Music/Organist: Christine Baird
Interim Sanctuary Choir Director: Nina Markle
Children's Church Teacher: Beth Daly
Greeters: Ingrid and Ken Standafer
Deacons Greeting:
Video Technicians: Travis Adkins, Mark Dunaway
Audio Technicians: Ron Cobb, Ryan Krause
Head Usher: Dave Adams

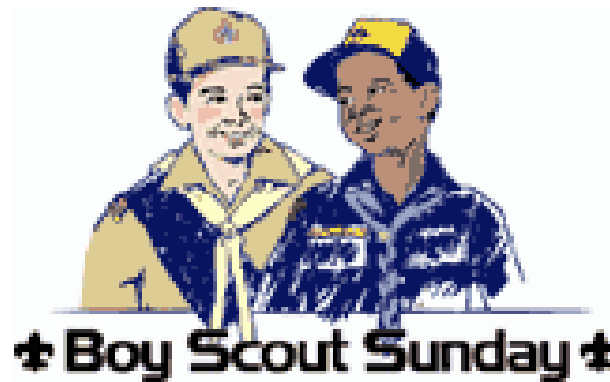
Bible Study on Sunday evening is now at 6:30 p.m. until further notice.

ABC/Ohio is presenting a Church Leadership Conference on March 15-16 at Karl Road Baptist Church in Columbus, for Pastors, church staff, church leadership and other church members. The theme for the conference is "Looking at the Next Generation Through Missional Eyes". Dr. David Sanders, Tenured Professor of Christian Ministries at Judson University in Elgin, IL, will be the guest speaker, teaching church leaders and leading us in a conversation about reaching the next generations with the Gospel. If you are interested in attending, please let Pastor Scotty know before Mar. 1.

Come & Sing with Praise Singers - During worship most Sunday mornings, the congregation will sing at least one worship song, led by the Praise Singers. This group rehearses on Wednesday evenings, 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. (before Sanctuary Choir). We would love to have a few more voices sing with us, and help lead the singing of praise and worship songs that may or may not be familiar to the congregation. Teens through adults of all ages and musical abilities are welcome to come any Wednesday night to rehearse songs to lead God's people in worship. No auditions! Simply a love to sing and worship God is all that you need. –Chris Baird

Cards by Sandi haven't been around for awhile, but they are back! These handmade cards made for two purposes. Donations are given to different projects around the church. Also they can brighten someone's day. This past week the money donated went to Lexiana Krause's mission trip to Africa. For the immediate future donations will aid our church's own mission trip to Puerto Rico! Watch for them!

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Coming Soon

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After Worship pick up

Sub orders

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