

Communion Sunday Worship - March 3rd, 2019

Prelude		Nick Carlson
Welcome and Announcements		
Call to Worship		Pat De Neui
<i>Leader: I was glad when they said, "Let us go into the house of the Lord."</i>		
People: In this place we may find sanctuary to seek peace in the midst of busy lives.		
<i>Leader: In this place we may experience the grace of God expressed by the people around us.</i>		
People: Thanks be to God for a kind word, a gentle touch, a moving of the Spirit through song and word.		
<i>Leader: Hear us, O God, as we bring all that we have and are into your presence here.</i>		
People: Thanks be to God, for God's steadfast love endures forever. Amen.		
Hymn of Praise	<i>The Solid Rock</i>	No. 315
Offering & Offertory		Nick Carlson
Doxology		
Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Circling through earth so all may grow. Vanquishing fear so all may give. Widening grace so all may live. Amen.		
Song of Praise	<i>Build My Life- Insert</i>	
Prayers of the People		
Anthem	<i>Leaning on the Everlasting Arms</i>	
Choir		
Scripture	Luke 6:39-49	
	<i>The scripture can be found in your pew Bible on page 999.</i>	
Sermon	"With Eyes Wide Open"	Pastor Dave Roberts
Communion Hymn	<i>Open Ours Eyes, Lord</i>	No. 132
Service of Communion	<i>The Bread – The Cup</i>	
Closing Hymn	<i>Will the Circle Be Unbroken - Insert</i>	
Benediction	<i>Act Humbly – Love Completely – Live Differently</i>	
Postlude		Nick Carlson

First Baptist Church News & Events

Today:

8:30 am	Sunday School
10:00 a.m.	Worship No Children's Church on Communion Sunday
4:00 p.m.	Table Grace - Feeding Ministry

This Week:

March 6 th	6:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Dinner and Worship in the Fellowship Hall
March 7 th	9:00 am	Bible Study in the Fireside Room
	7:00 pm	Choir
March 8 th & 9 th		Camp Bethel Lenten Prayer Retreat (No Emmaus on the 9 th)
March 9 th	11:00 am	Widows' Group at Silvers

Daylight Savings Time is almost upon us! It will begin at **2:00 AM** on Sunday, **March 10th**. For next Sunday service *be sure to change your clocks* so you will arrive at the correct time.

Join us for an Ash Wednesday worship experience this **Wednesday, March 6th**! We will start with a simple soup and bread dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. At 6:30 p.m. we will move into the Fellowship Hall for a worship service that will include familiar elements as well as some experiential interactions around some of the Lenten themes. This will be interactive, intergenerational and experiential. The sign-up sheet for the dinner is on the long table in the narthex.

Lenten Prayer Retreat, March 8th & 9th, Camp Bethel "Awakening!" Sign-up today and start making plans to be a part of our annual Lenten Prayer Retreat at Camp Bethel, Friday night, March 8th and all-day Saturday, March 9th. We are hoping that the new Lodge will be open for us to use but if not, the Retreat Center will continue to serve our needs. Your cost will include one night's lodging, food, and miscellaneous retreat supplies. Here is the price breakdown if we are in the Retreat Center: Cost for the weekend will be as follows:

Friday night & Saturday—\$60/person (Retreat Center)...

Friday night & Saturday—\$42/person (RV's or Cabins)

Saturday, only—\$30/person

Rooms in the Retreat Center are available at a first come, first served basis! There will be a price increase adjustment, approximately \$20, if the new Lodge is available to us. If you have any questions and/or need a partial scholarship, please talk to Pastor Mark!

Mark Your Calendars! The ABW Meeting has been rescheduled for **March 13!** The planned program will still take place then with Merletta Roberts, wife of Pastor Dave Roberts presenting the program: “Transforming: Through Humor/Clowning”. Merletta and Dave are both clowns (no joke intended). They were part of a clown ministry for 15 years. It promises to be an interesting program – and all women of the church are invited. Bring a sack lunch, we will provide dessert and beverages.

Save the Date! for the Spring Clean-up Day Work Party: This will take place on **April 6th at 9:00 am.** There is much to be done and your help is needed and appreciated. More details will follow. Thank you.

NOTES

GIVING

January

Income \$23,254 **Expenses** \$26,436

Childcare: Will be provided in the nursery by Margie Johnson.

Children’s Activities and Bulletins: Are located in the back of the sanctuary with a clipboard and coloring materials.

Hearing Devices: Are available from the ushers – please ask for assistance.

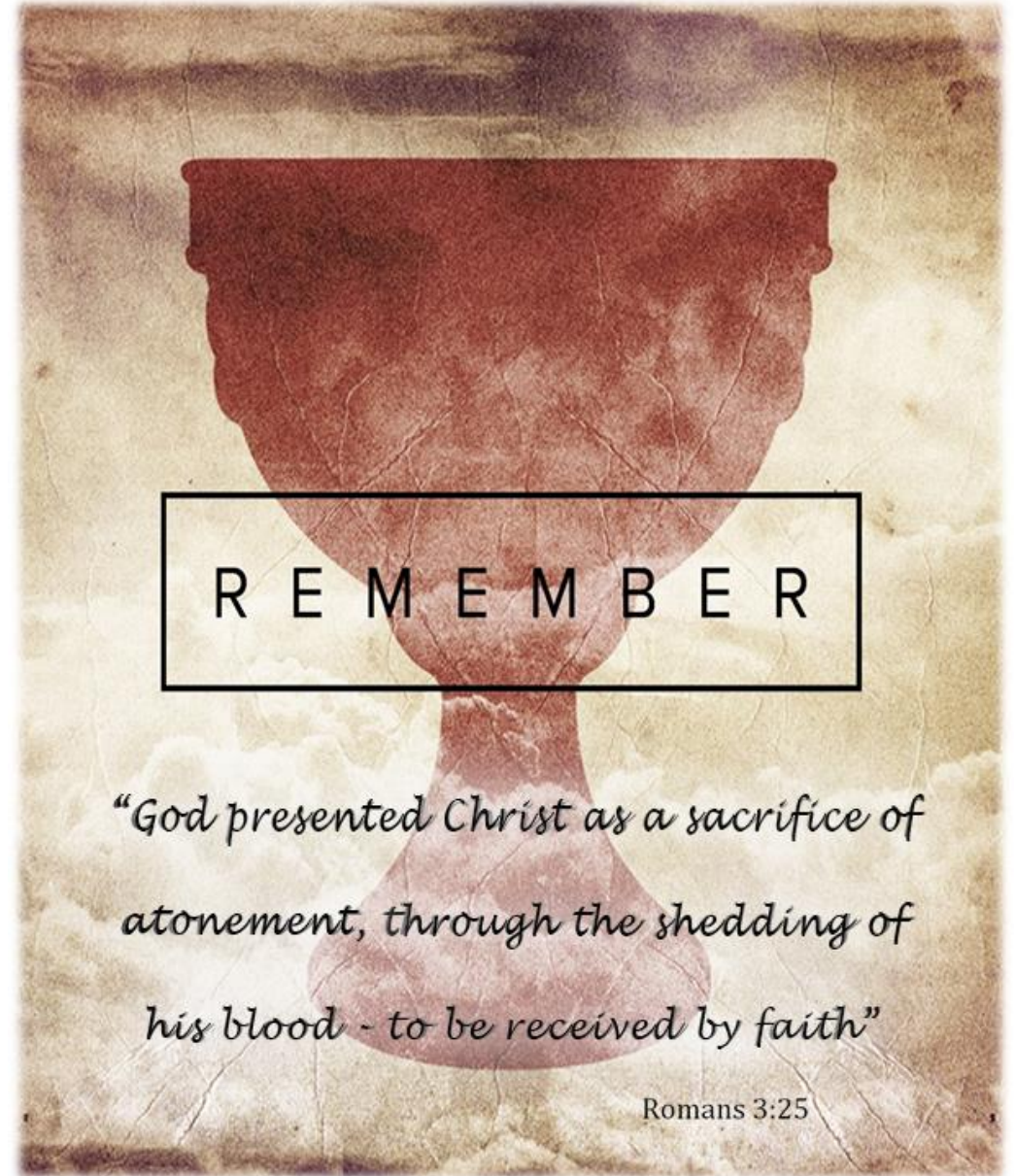
We Are Scent Free: Some people are allergic or sensitive to different scents so please be considerate of our congregation members and plan accordingly.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Dave Roberts, Interim Pastor | Rev. Mark Rambo, Associate Pastor
Rev. Caroline Lehman, Visitation Pastor | Nick Carlson, Organist
Darrell Born, Choir Director | Lela DePaolo, Secretary | Gary Rogers, Caretaker

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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Romans 3:25

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