

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

January 12, 2020

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
First Sunday After Epiphany
Baptism of the Lord
January 12, 2020

Morning Worship

Eleven o' clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting

Dr. Fred Senter

Meditation

Creator God, our soul's delight,
your voice thunders over the waters,
liberating the future from the past.
In the Spirit's power and the waters of rebirth,
Jesus was declared your blessed and beloved Son;
may we recall our baptism,
and be disciples of the Anointed One. Amen.

Prelude

What Star Is This With Beams So Bright

Mr. Jim Council
Michael Praetorius

Call to Worship

Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above

Chancel Choir
AMSTERDAM

Invocation

Dr. Senter

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 29

Rev. Eddie Fort

* **Hymn of Praise, No. 42**

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

FOREST GREEN

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 42:1-9

Mitchell Sauls

Hymn Response, No. 73

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

ST. ANNE

Epistle Reading

Acts 10:34-43

Mrs. Hilda Ray

* **Offertory Hymn, No. 124** *Who Is He in Yonder Stall*

WHO IS HE

* **Offertory Prayer**

Mr. Stephen Prince

Offertory

O Splendor of the Father's Light

Mr. Council
arr. Garcia Grindol

* Offertory Response	<i>Doxology</i>	OLD 100TH (altered)
	Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
Children's Sermon		Mrs. Sandra Floyd
	<i>We invite children to come forward for the Children's Sermon. Afterwards, children under the age of seven are welcome to attend Children's Church or they can return to their seat and worship with the congregation. Children are a gift and we want them to feel involved and welcome in our worship.</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Dr. Senter
Worship Through Song		Chancel Choir Benjamin Harlan
	<i>He Is Lord of All</i>	
The Gospel Reading	Philemon 4:7	Dr. Senter
Sermon	To Communicate Something Good	Dr. Senter
* Hymn of Commitment, No. 238		TRUETT
	<i>Breathe on Me</i>	
Benediction		Dr. Senter
* Benediction Response		Chancel Choir GOD BE WITH YOU
	<i>God Be with You</i>	
* Postlude		Mr. Council Thomas Hawkis
	<i>Hark, The Glad Sound</i>	



The flowers are given to the Glory of God.

The meditation was copied from *Call to Worship*, PAM, Louisville, KY, 2016.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, January 12

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Warm-up
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Children's Worship
- 3:50 p.m. Youth Bible Study
- 4:30 p.m. Youth/Adult Handbells
- 5:20 p.m. Youth Choir
- 6:00-p.m. Youth Committee & Youth Mtg. at
at First Presbyterian, Whiteville

Monday, January 13

- 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Committee Reports
Staff Meeting

Wednesday, January 15

- 5:00 p.m. Children's Choir (grades 1-5)
- 5:45 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Bible Study,
Godly Play Children's Program
- 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir

Sunday, January 19

- 2:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting
- 5:30 p.m. Family Life Committee Chili/Game
Night

Deacons of the Week

David Carter / Charlie Duncan



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Dr. Fred Senter, Pastor Supply
Rev. Eddie Fort, Minister of Music

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