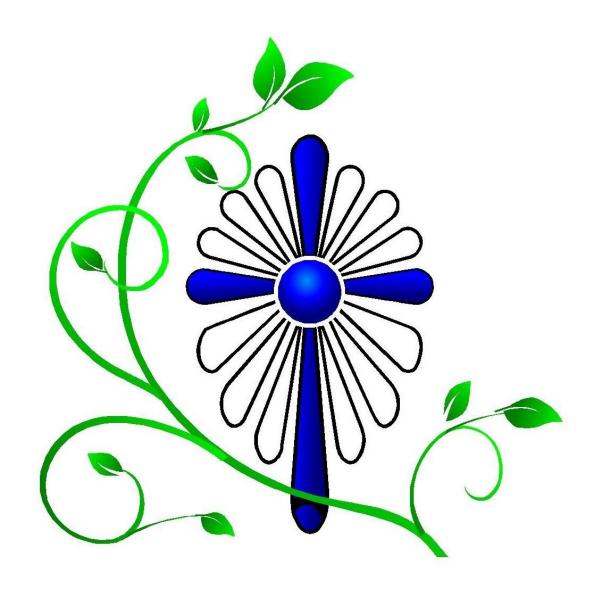
# First Baptist Church



## **Growing Toward Christ**

January 20, 2019

## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

## The Second Sunday after Epiphany January 20, 2019

### Morning Worship

Eleven o' clock

\* Please stand as you are able.

**Greeting** Rev. Ryan Clore

**Meditation** O God, who visits the commonplace and by your

presence makes it blessed:

Extend to us your grace that we, by your visitation, may be transformed into Your family by whom all

the world may come to believe;

Through Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God in glory

everlasting.

Prelude Mr. Jim Council

Go Tell it on the Mountain arr. Eugene Thompson

Call to Worship Psalm 36:5-10 Congregation

Leader: Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to

the clouds.

People: Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are

like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O LORD.

Leader: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take refuge in

the shadow of your wings.

People: They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink

from the river of your delights.

Leader: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

All: O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation

to the upright of heart!

Invocation Rev. Clore

\* Hymn of Praise, No. 14

LOBE DEN HERREN

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 62:1-5 Mrs. Betty Jo Prevatte

Hymn Response, No. 74 ST. ANNE

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

**Epistle Reading** 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 Mrs. Kate Carter Lee \* Offertory Hymn, No. 390 **AUSTRIAN HYMN** We Are Called to Be God's People \* Offertory Prayer Bridger Warlick Offertory Mr. Council Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming Michael Praetorius \* Offertory Response Doxology **VENI EMMANUEL** Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavn'ly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. Children's Sermon Mr. Melvin Ezzell Pastoral Prayer Rev. Clore Worship through Song The Chancel Choir Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven arr. James Kirby The Gospel Reading John 2:1-11 Rev. Clore **Shows Potential** Sermon Rev. Clore \* Hymn of Commitment, No. 25 WELLESLEY There's a Wideness in God's Mercy (stanzas 1, 2, 4, 5) Benediction Rev. Clore \* Benediction Response The Chancel Choir Children, Go Forth in Peace edt. Craig Courtney \* Postlude Mr. Council God of God, O Light of Light



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The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Joyce Rodriquez de Young by Bob and Janice Young.

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#### OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, January 20

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Warm-up Morning Worship, Children's 11:00 a.m.

Worship

**Church Council Meeting** 2:00 p.m.

4:30 p.m. Youth/Adult Handbells

5:20 p.m. Youth Choir

Youth Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

Monday, January 21

10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

12:00 noon MLK Community Service @

Columbus Regional

Wednesday, January 23

5:00 p.m. Young Musicians (grades 1-5)

5:45 p.m. **Covered Dish Meal** 

6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Quarterly Church

Conference, Godly Play Children's

Program

**Chancel Choir** 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, January 26

Please join us for Bryce Russell's 3:00 p.m.

> **Eagle Scout Ceremony** Refreshments follow in the

Fellowship Hall

Sunday, February 17

Amazing Grace Community Concert 3:00 p.m.

**Deacons of the Week** 

Joe Hooks / Merle Worley

(live broadcast on WTXY 1540 and www.wtxy1540.com, click on the "Click to Listen Live" link under "Church Services")



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