

October 22, 2023



WE WORSHIP OUR GOD

Opening "I'll Fly Away"
Welcome and Announcements
Prelude
Mission Moment
Prayer Concerns/Prayer
Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings
**Doxology*
Choir Special "Hymn of Heaven / I Can Only Imagine"
Praise and Worship "How Great Is our God"
Scripture 2 Thessalonians 1:3-7a
Sermon **Pastor Toby Wagoner**
"Counted Worthy of the Kingdom"
**Worship Song* "Amazing Grace My Chains Are Gone"
**Benediction*

The final hymn is an invitation to those who wish to follow Christ as Savior and Lord, to renew their faith, or to unite with the membership of this church.

This Week at FBC

Sunday 9:30 Sunday School
10:45 Morning worship
Noon Social Committee Meeting
6:00 God's Cadets
Last Mayberry at Night
6:30 Jr & Sr High Youth
Tuesday 6:00 Deacons Meeting
Wednesday 6:30 Adult Bible Study
Jr & Sr High Youth
Thursday 1:00 Game Day
Saturday 11:30 CommUnity Kitchen- Susan West



Upcoming Events

Oct 22-Social Committee Meeting; **Oct 24**- Deacons Meeting; **Oct 29**-Family Fall Festival; **Nov 1**- RMMO begins; **Nov 2**- Deaconess Meeting; **Nov 3**- End Zone; **Nov 4**- Pumpkin Rolls; **Nov 5**- Youth Bon Fire; **Nov 6**- Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer; Trustee Meeting



Our next CIRCLE meeting November 16. All women are invited. We will be doing pumpkin rolls again on November 4. Talk to a CIRCLE member to get your order in!
FBC will be hosting the **Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer** on November 6 at 6:00. Calvary Baptist will be presenting the program. *All women of all ages are welcome.* We will be serving soup and sandwiches. If anyone can help with the food items, please contact the office or Sandy Confer.



The men will meet Tuesday November 14 at 6:30. All men are encouraged to come to the Fellowship Hall and enjoy the evening.

Nursery Worker today – Holly Palmer
Children's Church – Andrea Crow
Nursery Next Week – Skyler Hickman
Children's Church Next Week – Brittany Pistelli

If you are willing to help with the children, contact Ashlee Wyant.

Giving can be done in many ways.

- **Mail to FBC, 215 Ann Street, Ravenswood, WV 26164**
- **Drop it off at the church**
- **Use Tithe.ly on line for a quick, easy way to give. Go to our website and click on Online Giving at www.fbcravenswood.org**

Welcome

We are so glad you are here today! May you receive a blessing from the Lord while we worship together.

Pastor Toby is calling a special business meeting Oct 29 at 12:05 after worship. The church will be voting on a declaration to support his vision of "Others First" which includes facility enhancements and the timeline for completion.

#6 Mayberry at Night Bible Application Study tonight at 6:00. Everyone is welcome

The Deacons Meeting is Tuesday at 6:00. Please plan to attend.

The church family is invited to the Commissioning Service of the GHA Mission Team going to Mayfield, KY, to help with rebuilding of homes destroyed by tornados in Dec. 2021. Rev. Mark McCloy will be leading the service at Mill Creek Baptist Church on Sunday, Oct. 29, at 3:00 pm.

Those who wish to directly support IM's local partners that provide humanitarian relief in the Middle East (Israel) can do so through giving online, or by checks to FBC with "OGHS-Middle East Relief" on the memo line of your check.

Please take one or more of the Operation Christmas Child boxes to fill and **return by November 5**. Remember to include postage for each boxes. If you do not feel that you can afford to fill a box but would like to help with postage, please make checks payable to FBC with Operation Christmas Child in the memo line or to Samaritans Purse – OCC.

Sign up to help with Operation Christmas Child (Shoeboxes) on the office door. This is for the week of November 13-20. Thank you.

Young Adults Group

Come & join our Bible study and group fellowship on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. We are experiencing food Christian outreach with others who have many questions about God and Christianity. There's a place for you in this great group of our church family!

Youth News

The Youth meet every Sunday and Wednesday at 6:30 for Bible study and fellowship. All Jr. and Sr. High youth are welcome.

We will have our annual Bonfire at the Johnson farm on November 5 at 5:00. The whole church is invited to attend.

God's Cadets will meet tonight at 6:00 at the church. Kids K-5 grade are welcome to come and have a great time!

Fun times ahead! Family Fall Festival is Sunday October 29 from 6-7:30. Everyone of all ages is invited to come and share in the activities and food! Wear a costume and bring a friend! Donations of candy and small cakes for the Cake Walk are appreciated.

WELCOME to our service of worship on this Lord's Day! If you are looking for a church home, we would have you consider First Baptist.



FAITH is always personal, yet not private, and is expressed freely and openly within the community of faith.



October Memory Verse:

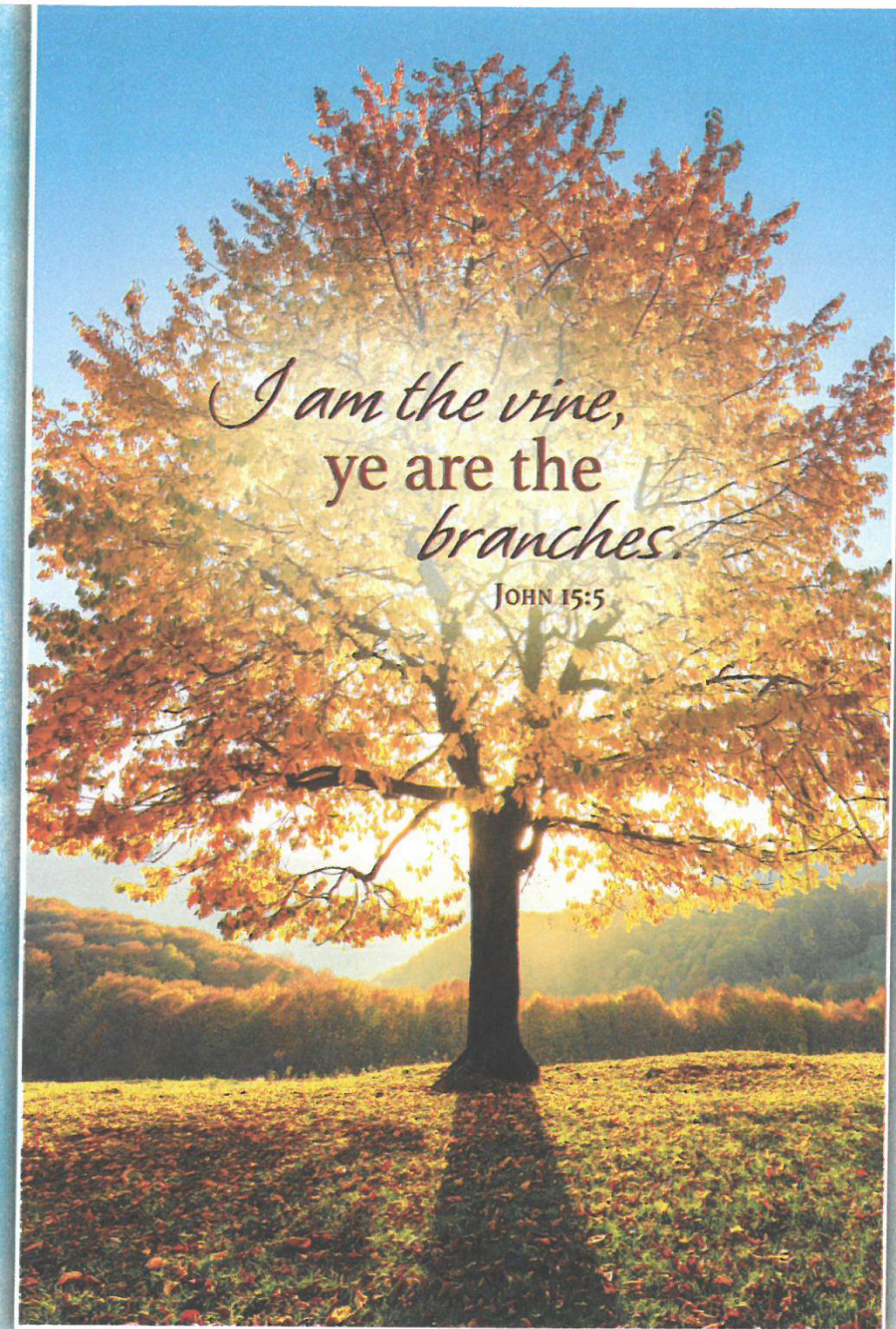
"Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them; let all the trees of the forest sing for joy" Psalm 96:12

The beautiful altar flowers today are given by Kay Pursley in memory of her husband Jack Pursley.

You are important! Sign in Please! The Attendance Pads are in each pew. Sign in and pass it on. **YOU COUNT!** Thank you.

Watch from Home

Our services are streamed live on Sunday on Facebook at www.facebook.com/FirstBaptistChurchRavenswoodWV.



*I am the vine,
ye are the
branches.*

JOHN 15:5

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