

October 6, 2024



WE WORSHIP OUR GOD

Opening "Blessed Be Your Name"

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Prayer Concerns/Prayer

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

**Doxology*

Choir Special "Sheltered in the Arms of God"

Praise & Worship "The Power of Your Love"

Scripture James 1:2-4

Sermon Dr. Toby Wagoner

"Faith Under Fire: Testing Our Faith"

**Worship Song* "Surely Goodness and Mercy"

Holy Communion ~ The Bread, The Cup

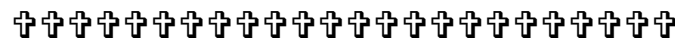
**Benediction* "Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

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

<i>Sunday</i>	9:30	Sunday School
	10:45	Morning worship
	6:00	Youth and God's Cadets
<i>Monday</i>	Noon	Red Cross Blood Drive
<i>Tuesday</i>	1:00	Game Day
	6:30	Men's Fellowship
<i>Wednesday</i>	6:30	Adult Bible Study
	7:30	Choir Practice
<i>Saturday</i>	11:30	CommUnity Kitchen – Need volunteers



Upcoming Events

Oct 7- Red Cross Blood Drive; **Oct 8-** Men's Fellowship; **Oct 9-** 3rd Quarter Reports Due; **Oct 13-** CIRCLE; **Oct 14-** BOCE; Trustee Meeting; Anchor Articles Due; **Oct 15-** Financial Committee; **Oct 16-** 3rd Quarter Business Meeting; **Oct 17-** Painting with Cheryl; Women's Day at Convention; **Oct 20-** Social Committee; Deacons Ordination & Reception



The next CIRCLE will be Sunday October 13 at 12:30. We will be honoring Pastor Toby and Jen in honor of Pastor's Appreciation Month and welcoming Ethan and Zöe. All women of the church are invited to attend.



The next Men's Fellowship will meet on October 8 at 6:30. All men are encouraged to attend.

Nursery today – John & Grayce Wagoner
Children's Church – Ashlee Wyant
Nursery Next Week – Destiny Thomas
Children's Church – Andrea Moore

If you are willing to help with the children, contact Brittany Pistelli.

Today's Bell Ringer – Connor 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.fbcraenswood.org**

Welcome

We will be observing Communion today. Please be in prayer as we remember the sacrifice of our Lord Jesus.

The Deacons will be collecting for the Deacon's Fund at each exit today. The donations today will go to help the Head Start needs in our community.

If you would like to give to the Pew Fund, mark your check accordingly.

We are planning a *Painting with Cheryl* party for October 17 at 6:00 in our fellowship hall. Deadline for sign up is October 13.

The Red Cross Blood Drive is tomorrow from noon to 5:00. If you are able to help with registration, please contact Susan in the office. For donors, you can sign up on line or call Susan.

We need volunteers for CommUnity Kitchen in October, November and December. Please consider this ministry. The sign-up sheet is on the side office door.

A trip is planned to see the play *A Christmas Carol* at the Ohio University Campus on Tuesday, December 10. Contact Kristi King asap if interested.

3rd Quarter Reports are due by this Wednesday, October 9. Please submit your reports to allow for printing by next Sunday.

Pastor Toby will be attending *Capitol Reading through the Bible* tomorrow morning. If you would like to ride down and attend, please let him know.

We are preparing for our annual Veteran's Sunday. If you or a loved one have a picture from your military service that you would like to submit, please give to Susan West with name, rank and branch of service before October 31. Thank you.

Young Adults Group

We are inviting all Young Adults to "Fall into Your Faith Walk" by becoming part of this special group. We learn, memorize, study, pray, encourage, volunteer, sing and serve in many capacities.

Join us on Sundays at 9:30 am and 6 pm upstairs in the Anchor Room. Join in our Group Chat and see what's coming up!

It's Operation Christmas Child Month! Please consider taking a box to fill with love.

Youth News

The Youth will be meeting at the church tonight at 6:00. All Jr. and Sr. High are welcome to come and have a great time!

God's Cadets will be meeting tonight at 6:00. All K-5 grades are welcome to come for Fun! Food! And Jesus!!

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:

"Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 5:10

The beautiful flowers at the altar today are given Danny & Sherry Dzierzanski in memory of their moms and dads.

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.

If you have mobility problems and are interested in using valet parking, please contact Jon Moore. (Call church 304-273-9910).

