

December 29, 2024



WE WORSHIP OUR GOD

Opening "Days of Elijah "

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Prayer Concerns/Prayer

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology

Choir Special "He Would Come to Me"

Praise & Worship "Revelation Song"

Scripture Jonah 1:1-4

Sermon Pastor Ethan Tawney

"Mercy in a Fish Belly"

*Worship Song "It Is Well with My Soul"

*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
- 6:00** MMY
- Tuesday 6:00** New Year's Silent Prayer
- Wednesday** Happy New Year!
- Saturday 11:30** CommUnity Kitchen –Need Volunteers

Upcoming Events

Dec 31- Silent Prayer; Jan 1- Happy New Year! Office closed; Jan 5- Officer Installation; Jan 6- Trustee Meeting' Jan 8- Annual Reports Due; Jan 12- Breakfast with the Wisemen; Jan 13- BOCE; Jan 15- Annual Business Meeting; Jan 16- CIRCLE; Jan 21- Financial Meeting



Our next CIRCLE meeting will be January 16 at 7:00. All women of the church are welcome to come and be a part of our ministry and fellowship.



The next Men's Fellowship will meet Tuesday, January 9. All men are invited to attend.

Nursery Worker today – Scarlet Mullins

Children's Church – Sandy Confer

Nursery Next Week –

Children's Church Next Week – Jane Moore

This week's bell ringer is Colton Pistelli

Announcement

If you are a member of FBC and would consider teaching a Sunday School Class, please contact Terry Morgan Bird.



Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold the new has come.

Happy New Year!

Welcome

We are so glad you chose to worship with us today! Welcome Pastor Ethan this morning. He will give our message.

Come for peace and prayer on Tuesday evening from 6-8. Stay for 2 hours or 10 minutes. You can bring your prayers and requests with quiet reflection with the Lord.

We will not have Bible Study on Wednesday and the office will be closed for the holiday. *Have a blessed New Year!*

The new 2025 Flower Calendar & CommUnity Kitchen Volunteer Calendar are posted on the side office door. Please sign up today! For any questions, please contact Susan.

We need volunteers in January for CommUnity Kitchen. Please consider this ministry. You can sign up alone, family or group. For any questions, contact Susan.

In order to have the finances completed by the end of the year, ***please submit your receipts ASAP.***

Church officers can pick up their 2025 calendars in the office.

Many thanks from the staff for your generous gifts and love they received. ***We Love You!***

Our FBC Officer Installation will be next Sunday morning.

We will not have Bible Study on Wednesday. Enjoy your New Year!

Young Adults Group

This group (ages ~18~35) meets each Sunday upstairs in the Anchor Room for Bible Study & Fellowship. Come & check it out.

Youth News

Moving Mountains Youth will meet tonight at 6:00. All junior and senior high students are welcome to come out and have a great time!

God's Cadets will take a break and return on January 12, 2025. May you have a happy Christmas and blessed New Year.

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.



December Memory Verse:

"The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: Those who dwelt in the land of the shadow of death, upon them a light has shined." Isaiah 9:2

The beautiful flowers at the altar today are given by Phillip Walker in honor of Sherry's birthday.

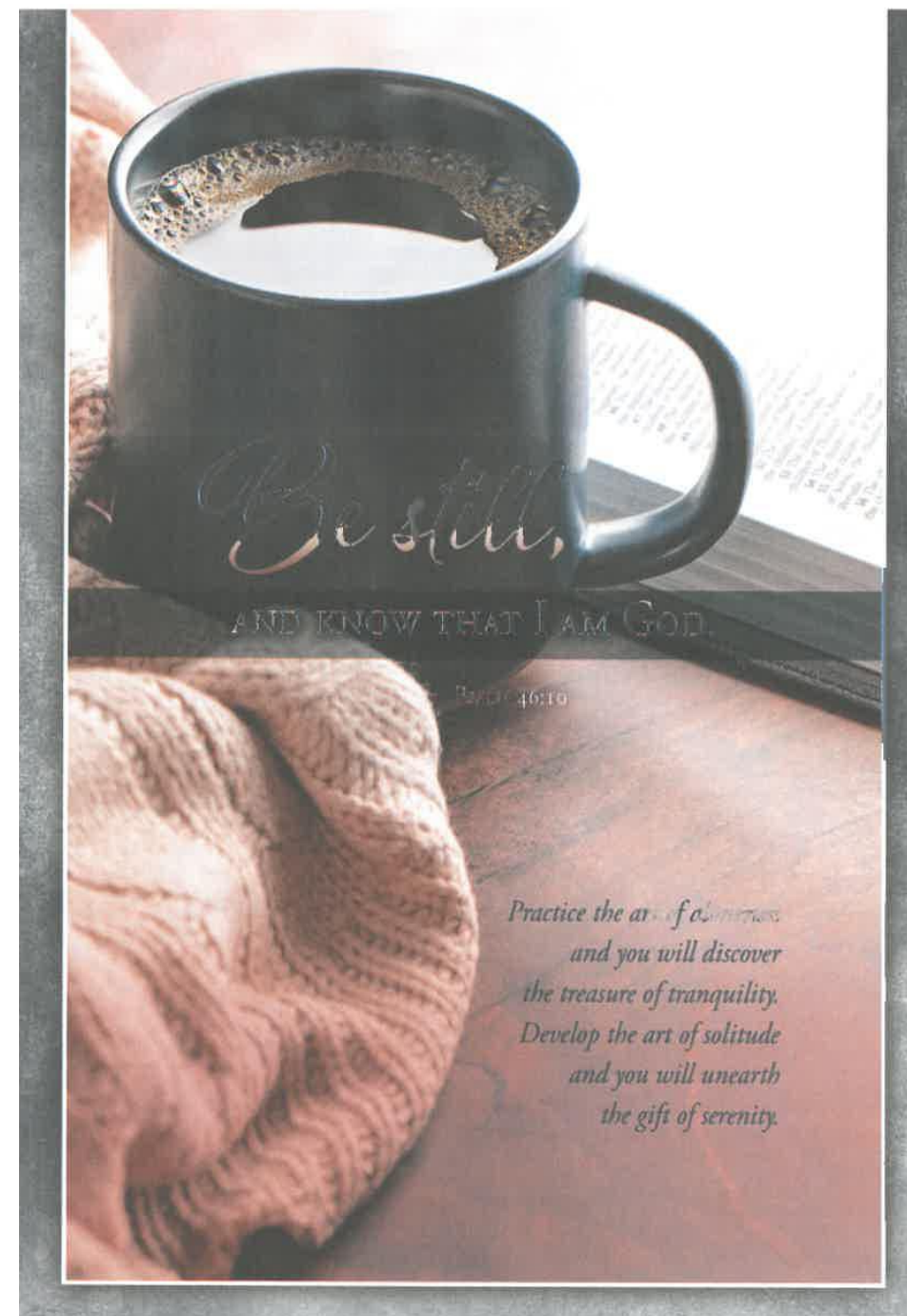
Our second set of beautiful flowers are given by Burt & Deb Lyons in honor of Nancy McCoy's birthday

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).



*Practice the art of aloneness
and you will discover
the treasure of tranquility.
Develop the art of solitude
and you will unearth
the gift of serenity.*

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