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so that it may be made clear that  
this extraordinary power belongs to  
God and does not come from us.*

*2 Corinthians 4:7*





## *Our Worship of God*

*June 19, 2016*

*11:15 am*

*(† Indicates those who are able, please stand)*

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*I asked God for strength, that I might achieve.  
I was made weak, that I might learn humbly to obey.  
I asked for health, that I might do greater things.  
I was given infirmity, that I might do better things.  
I asked for riches, that I might be happy.  
I was given poverty, that I might be wise.  
I asked for power that I might have the praise of men.  
I was given weakness, that I might feel the need of God.  
I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life.  
I was given life, that I might enjoy all things.  
I got nothing that I asked for but got everything I had hoped for.  
Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered.  
I am, among all people, most richly blessed.*

*- Prayer of an unknown soldier*

## Potter's Wheel

### Invitation to Worship

Have Thine own Way, Lord

*Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Thou art the Potter, I am the clay.  
Mold me and make me after thy will,  
while I am waiting yielded and still.*

### Prelude

This is My Father's World

arr. Hartsfield

*Chancel Bells, Flute – Colleen Ostercamp*

### Scripture Reading

Jennifer Boeckman

II Corinthians 4:5-12

*For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies. For while we live, we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be made visible in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you.*

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## †Processional Hymn 54

God of Wisdom, God of Grace  
Sung to ST. KEVIN

*(Please turn to face the cross as it enters)*



1 God of wis - dom, God of grace, na - ture tells your sto - ry,  
2 Word em - bod - ied, word of life, light of ev' - ry na - tion,  
3 Spir - it, lift the veils of fear that ob - scure our know - ing.



and in Je - sus' lov - ing face you re - flect your glo - ry.  
you have en - tered hu - man strife, show - ing right re - la - tion.  
Let the Glo - rious Sun ap - pear that will aid our grow - ing.



Je - sus Christ, your child most dear, mir - rors you, life's foun - tain,  
Friend of out - casts, claim our hearts by your peace and pas - sion;  
Change us slow - ly day by day by your grace per - fect - ing.



as a lake both calm and clear mir - rors tree and moun - tain.  
may our lives, our work, our arts, mir - ror your com - pas - sion.  
May our lives, though formed of clay, shine, your light re - flect - ing.

## †Prayer of Confession (*responsive*)

When we have afflicted others,  
Whether by our own power  
Or by our silent support of systems

That oppress, enslave, and crush,

***Break us, Lord.***

When we have perplexed others

And purposely confused them for our own gain

Or driven them to despair,

***Break us, Lord.***

When we have persecuted others,

Casting them out of our community,

Leaving them forsaken and alone,

***Break us, Lord.***

Then broken, we carry in our bodies the death of Jesus

So that life of Jesus be made visible in our bodies;

***Make us, Lord.***

With the power that belongs only to you,

Make us into your treasure;

***Make us, Lord.***

We are the clay, and you are the potter.

We are the work of your hands;

***Make us, Lord.***

Do not be exceedingly angry

And do not remember our iniquity forever.

Now consider, we are all your people.

***Make us, Lord, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.***

**† Assurance of Pardon**

## †Passing the Peace of Christ

*As God has given us peace through Christ,  
so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.*

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## Special Music

Carline Waugh, Soprano

## Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by Thy Name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.  
Amen.*

## †Hymn 486

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

## Anthem

Psalm 121

Pelz

Carline Waugh, Soloist

Bria Jones, Viola

*I lift up my eyes to the hills. From whence does my help come?  
My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.  
He will not let your foot be moved, He who keeps you will not slumber  
Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.  
The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand.  
The sun shall not smite you by day, nor the moon by night.  
The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.  
The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in  
from this time forth and for evermore.*

**Message**

Carol McEntyre

**†Hymn of Commitment 669**

God of Grace, and God of Glory

**†Offertory Sentence**

**Offertory**

Rondo Festivo  
*Chancel Bells*

Dobrinski

**Announcements**

**†Benediction**

**Postlude**

## Worship Notes

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Our soloist this morning is Dr. Carline Waugh who just completed her first year on the voice faculty of Lincoln University in Jefferson City. She is a graduate of Louisiana State University.

Bria Jones, music education student at the University of Missouri and First Baptist scholarship singer, is our viola player this morning.

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# Week at a Glance

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## Sunday, June 19

**9:15 am Awakening Worship**

*Fellowship Hall*

**10:15 Sunday Morning Small Groups**

*Various classrooms*

**11:15 Traditional Worship**

*Sanctuary*

**5:00 pm African Worship Service**

*(in Swahili)*

*Fellowship Hall*

## Monday, June 20

**9:00 Senior Yoga**

*Parlor*

**1:00 pm Staff Meeting**

*Conference Room*

**5:30 pm Trustee Meeting**

*Conference Room*

## Wednesday, June 22

**6:00 pm Financial Peace University**

*3<sup>rd</sup> Floor*

## Thursday, June 23

**6:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal**

*Fellowship Hall*

## Sunday, June 26

**9:15 am Awakening Worship**

*Fellowship Hall*

**10:15 am Small Groups**

*Various Classrooms*

**11:15 am Traditional Worship**

*Sanctuary*

**5:00 pm African Worship Service**

*(in Swahili)*

*Fellowship Hall*



# Announcements

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## Fellowship Adventures

Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat!

July 16 – Maples Theater

Join us for another great adventure as we travel to see the Broadway musical, “Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat!,” at the Maples Theater in Macon. We’ll depart from the church at noon, arrive at the theater around 1:15 for the 2:00 show. Following the show, we’re off to Seven for dinner – back to church between 6:30 and 7:00 pm. Cost for the show is \$20 per person (you get to buy your own dinner). Contact Paula at [Paulalou52@gmail.com](mailto:Paulalou52@gmail.com).

## Jeanie McGowan to preach Sunday, June 26

Carol and Michael McEntyre Church Picnic will be traveling to Cooperative Baptist Fellowship’s General Assembly from June 20-26. Associate Pastor Ed Rollins will be available for pastoral care needs. Our guest preacher on Sunday, June 26 will be Jeanie McGowan.

For many years, Jeanie was on staff at First Baptist Jefferson City as the Minister to Single Adults. She retired a few years ago and was enjoying living in her dream home, which was nestled on 2.3 acres outside Jefferson City. The home had all the features she and her husband would need to see them through retirement—including being accessible to the handicapped. On June 26, Jeanie will preach in both services and tell the story of how she and her husband gave up their dream home and moved into a diverse—what some would consider rough—neighborhood on Jefferson City’s east side, just a half a block from an old state penitentiary.

## Summer Book Club Books Available Now!!

The Teaching Team would like to invite First Baptist family and friends to join our annual summer book club. Below are the four books being offered this year. Pick one or two (or more) to read during the summer and we will gather in late August/ early September for discussion. Books are available for \$10 in office and on Sunday in the entry foyers.

## Life Line Screening at First Baptist, July 5



Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at First Baptist Church of Columbia on 7/5/2016. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call [1-888-653-6441](tel:1-888-653-6441) or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners).<<http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners>.>

# New Summer Small Group Offering

## Looking for a Village: Reshaping the Church's Response to the Faith Journey of Young People

**What:** New Summer Small Group offering- Looking for a Village- Reshaping the Church's Response to the Faith Journey of Young People.

**When:** Sunday mornings 10:15-11:05am, June 19th- August 7th.

**Where:** 2nd Floor in the Parlor

**Who is it for:** Adults 18 and up. This is a vital topic for everyone in our faith community. We are looking for a healthy intergenerational mix to bring join in this discussion to better represent our congregation.

**What will we discuss:** In some ways this is an intervention. It has become abundantly clear that the church is losing its appeal to the younger generation (and many in the other generations if we are honest). This attempt of this discussion is to help us as a church understand why this is happening and better equip ourselves to live out the beauty and passion of the Gospel in a way that is authentic and attractive to those around us.

Over the summer we will :

- Paint a broad picture of how the church has attempted to minister to children and youth through the centuries.
- Look at some of the social and cultural developments that have influenced how we raise kids and brought us to where we are today.
- Explore the difficult discussion of growing childhood pressure/ stress and the expanse of adolescence that has created a sense of abandonment in our young people.
- Identify how the church has responded (or not responded) to all of these changing needs.
- Determine and discuss a model that will help us frame a discussion of how to move forward and change the status quo by equipping our membership to better understand and articulate their faith, establish a shared response to what we have learned, and adjust our approach to ministry with our kids, youth, and young adults.



## 11:15 am Traditional Worship Service

For those who may prefer a more contemporary worship experience, First Baptist Church offers Awakening worship at 9:15 a.m. each Sunday morning in the Fellowship Hall.

***The flowers are given by Jane Hunter in honor and memory of Keith and Georgia Hunter.***

Nursery: (ages birth-three) located on the first floor outside the sanctuary and is available from 9:15-12:15 while parents are in worship or Sunday Morning Small Groups.

Extended Session: children ages 3- 5 including kindergarten may be dropped off during both worship services

in the nursery for extended session, an extension of First Kids Sunday School.

10:15 Spiritual Formation Hour:

First Kids Sunday School (3 year olds through 5th grade) is on the third floor.

Youth Bible Study (grades 6-12) is on the third floor.

Adult Small Groups:

Discussion Class in the Parlor on the second floor.

Faith Forum in the second floor classroom, next to the elevator.

Community Small Group in the library on the second floor.

Young Adult Small Group in the Fellowship Hall fireplace area.

First Baptist Church partners in mission with the American Baptist Churches USA,

Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, and Alliance of Baptists.

To view the live webcast of our 11:15 am Traditional worship service, go to [www.ustream.tv](http://www.ustream.tv).

Search for fbcwebcast (one word), and you should be able to worship from anywhere!

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