

# First Baptist Church of Penfield

A CONGREGATION OF THE AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCHES  
ESTABLISHED 1804

*Sunday, March 3, 2019*

*Communion Sunday*



## Welcome and Sharing within the Community

We welcome you in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. We hope and pray that God's loving spirit will be made real and meaningful for you here.

If you are visiting with us today, please take a moment and fill out the guest register pad that is located in the pew directly in front of you.

Those with hearing aids are invited to use the "T" switch. A nursery for infants through young four-year-old children is available from 9:00 am – Noon.

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Church Office Hours

Monday thru Friday, 9:00am to 12:00pm

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\*All who are able are invited to stand.  
(All music used with permission -CCLI #997703)

**PRELUDE**

*I Greet Thee Merciful Jesus*  
“from Sei gegrüset, Jesu gütig”

J. S. Bach

**WELCOME**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

**THE CHIMES**

Three chimes are sounded, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ, centering us in the embrace of the Spirit. As we gather, we present ourselves “as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is our spiritual worship.”

**INTROIT**

*Jesus on the Mountain Peak*

Taylor

\* **CALL TO WORSHIP:** (*Psalm 99*)

Leader: The Lord reigns

**Congregation: let the nations tremble;**

Leader: He sits enthroned between the cherubim,

**Congregation: let the earth shake.**

Leader: Great is the Lord in Zion;

**Congregation: He is exalted over all the nations.**

Leader: Let them praise your great and awesome name—

**Congregation: He is holy.**

Leader: The King is mighty,

**Congregation: He loves justice—**

Leader: You have established equity; in Jacob you have done what is just and right.

**Congregation: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his footstool;  
He is holy.**

Leader: Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel was among those who called on His name;

**Congregation: they called on the Lord and He answered them.**

Leader: He spoke to them from the pillar of cloud; they kept His statutes and the decrees He gave them.

**Congregation: Lord our God, you answered them;**

Leader: you were to Israel a forgiving God, though you punished their misdeeds.

**Congregation: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at His holy mountain, for the Lord our God is holy.**

\* HYMN #1

*Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies*

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\* INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER:

God of Love, God of Power, you hold eternity in your hand. Help us to seek your will. In everything we do, may we try to please you. Because of your Son, Jesus, we know that grace is ours. We pray in Jesus' name, who taught us to pray: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. AMEN

INFANT DEDICATION: **Christopher Bruce Blackman**

George and Ashley Blackman, Parents

When prompted, Congregation says in unison:

**We the people of First Baptist Church are privileged to witness the coming of these parents, George and Ashley Blackman, to dedicate Christopher Bruce Blackman to the tender care and keeping of God, and to the love of God's son, Jesus Christ, our Savior.**

**May God Bless you as you begin the important work of raising this child of God. We promise to support him, with prayer, help, encouragement, a listening ear, and a generous spirit. We dedicate ourselves to helping this beautiful child find his true self in Christ Jesus, whom to know is life eternal. May God bless our efforts for the sake of this child. Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE**

*Exodus 34:29-35*  
*2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2*

Annette Brotzman

**ANTHEM**

*Be Thou My Vision*

Chilcott

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

You are invited to offer a joy or a concern. Please complete your prayer requests with “Lord, hear my prayer.”

**\* HYMN #2**

*Shine, Jesus, Shine!*

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**PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

“from Sei gegrüset, Jesu gütig”

J. S. Bach

**\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

*Doxology*

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**Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. AMEN**

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**THE CHILDREN’S HYMN** *Jesus Loves the Little Children*

**Jesus loves the little children,  
All the children of the world.  
Red, brown, yellow, black and white,  
They are precious in His sight.  
Jesus loves the little children of the world.**

**CHILDREN’S TIME**

Pastor Steve

Younger children (through Grade 3) are invited to attend Children’s Church. Older children (Grade 4 and above) may return to their seats.

**SCRIPTURE**

*Luke 9: 28-36*

Rev. Steven D. Brotzman

**SERMON**

*“Having an Epiphany”*

Rev. Steven D. Brotzman

## **CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

(The servers will pass the bread to the congregation, who will remain seated. When all have been served, the Pastor will indicate that we partake together. The same procedure will be followed for the cup.)

## **UNISON READING OF THE CHURCH COVENANT**

**People:** Having accepted Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord, and on profession of our faith, we do now, in the presence of God and this assembly, covenant with one another.

We agree, with the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love, faithfully seeking by all means to grow in grace and in understanding of the truth of God.

We agree to work and pray for the coming Kingdom of God, seeking to have God's will done in our lives, in our homes, and in the affairs of our community and world.

We agree to contribute as God prospers us, for the expense of the church at home and abroad.

We promise to be faithful in our engagements, watchful of our manner of life and speech, and careful to guard the good name of the church and its members.

We will remember each other in prayer, aid each other in sickness and distress, and do unto all as we would have them do unto us.

We agree further, if we should move from this community, to unite with some other church in which we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and of God's word.

\* **HYMN** #3

*Blest Be the Tie That Binds* (verse 1)

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## **KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS\***

Gene Kohlenberg

Marion Gersitz

Wanda Wadeikis

Andrew Holderbaum

Ingo Leubner

\* *If you wish additional information on the prayer list, please contact one of the deacons: Judy, Marsha, Carol, and Susie*



## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

*If you have any information you would like to share, concerning the mission and ministry of this church, please send them to the office to be included in the bulletin by **Wednesday at 9 am.***



**Reminder To All Teams:** Be sure to pass along all future dates and activities to the church office so they may be placed on the general church calendar and building use plan.



### PASTOR STEVE

Pastor Steve will be in the office this week Tuesday through Friday mornings. He can be reached at **(585) 368-8643**. If you would like to make an appointment or receive a visit from Pastor Steve, please call the Church office.



### THIS SUNDAY – MARCH 3, 2019

**Greeting** – Pauline & Art Bennett

**Reading** – Annette Brotzman

**Ushering** – Liz Beauter & Jim Symonds

**Audio** – David Trump

**Video** – Gregg Goodman

**Communion** – Penny Goodman & Ellen Stokes



### NEXT SUNDAY – MARCH 10, 2019

**Greeting** – Marie Foltz

**Reading** – Penny Goodman

**Ushering** – John Holderbaum & Don Fox

**Audio** – Jeff Phillips

**Video** – Gregg Goodman



**This Week at First Baptist Church of Penfield**

Sun Mar/3	<b><u>Choir Rehearsal</u></b>	<b>8:45 am</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	<b><u>Morning Worship</u></b> Rev. Steven D. Brotzman	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	<b><u>Coffee Hour</u></b> Marsha Kiriazides & Judy McNeil	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>NFH</b>
	<b><u>Second Hour</u></b> Review of "Not A Fan"	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>NFH</b>
Wed Mar/6	<b><u>Bible Reading Club</u></b>	<b>6:00 pm</b> <b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Pastor Steve's Apartment</b>
	<b><u>Chancel Choir Practice</u></b>	<b>7:45 pm</b> <b>9:00 pm</b>	<b>Choir Room</b>
	<b><u>Men's Lunch</u></b>	<b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>Cherry Ridge Webster</b>
Thurs Mar/7	<b><u>Alpha</u></b> <i>Why Did Jesus Die?</i>	<b>6:00 pm</b> <b>8:00 pm</b>	<b>NFH</b>
	<b><u>Bell Choir Practice</u></b>	<b>6:00 pm</b> <b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Choir Room</b>
Sun Mar/10	<b><u>Morning Worship</u></b> Rev. Steven D. Brotzman	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	<b><u>Coffee Hour</u></b> Ginna Blackman	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>NFH</b>
	<b><u>Second Hour</u></b> He Chose to be One of Us	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>NFH</b>



## **CHURCH STAFF**

Rev. Steven D. Brotzman ~ Pastor  
Dr. Naomi Gregory ~ Music Director  
Francesca Lionetta, Luisa Hidalgo, Jeremy Lopez, Kevin Spooner ~  
Choral Scholars  
Saundra Augustus ~ Office Assistant  
Laura Swail ~ Nursery Assistant  
Meho & Hava Kapidzic ~ Church Custodians

## **Welcome, Grace Wang**

We are pleased to have Grace Wang with us today as our guest organist.

## **1 Year Bible Club**

Next Meeting will be this Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>  
Meeting Place – (Pastor Steve’s Apartment)  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

## **Flapjack Saturday**

March 16<sup>th</sup>  
8:00 – 10:00

All March proceeds will go directly to help support:  
*Habitat for Humanity*

## **Cameron Sunday Celebration**

March 31<sup>st</sup> we will be preparing and serving a meal at Cameron.

On Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup> and March 24<sup>th</sup> there will be sign-up sheets for chili and brownies to be prepared ahead of time and brought to church on Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>.

## **Reminder**

Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>