

**WELCOME!** We are so glad you have chosen to worship together with us this morning! This is a vital part of "Gathering, Growing, and Going". If this is your first time with us, we would love to both give you some information about our church and get some contact info from you so Pastor Ben can connect with you sometime soon.

**Welcome & Call to Worship—Ephesians 2:4-5**

*Deacon Eric Fritzius*

**Worship Song: "Goodness of God" (video)**

**Opening Prayer: Deacon Eric Fritzius**

**Missions Moment I: Adventure Kids at The Seasons**

*Beth Shafer*

**Dismissal of Adventure Kids**

**Worship Song: "How Great Thou Art", #147, vv. 1, 3, 4**

**Missions Moment II: Operation Christmas Child**

*Betty Kemper*

**Special Music: The FBC Choir**

**God's Message from 1 John 1, "Unity in Christ":**

*David Hutton, Mission Strategist, Mtn. State Baptist Assoc.*

**—Communion—**

**Closing Song: "There Is a Fountain", #336, vv. 1 & 5**

**Closing Prayer: Pastor David**

# Sermon Notes

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## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- Sunday School** at 9:45 AM for ALL ages.
- Nursery** provided during all services.
- Adventure Kids** for children age 3 through 5th grade offered during the 11 AM service.
- AWANA**, the dynamic Bible club children's program, meets Wednesdays from 6:45 to 8:15 for children age 3 (if potty-trained) through 5th grade September through April.
- Youth Group**, for students grades 6–12, also meets weekly during the school year and for summer events.

## Servant Ministries

**Assisting Deacon: Eric Fritzius**  
*Next week: Jerry Reid*

**Sunday School Nursery: Linda Bennett, Kellen Bartenslager**

**11:00 Nursery: Travis & Jennifer Bennett**  
*Next week: Hannah Vogelsong, Kate Adkins*

**Adventure Kids: Nate Bryant, Treva Vass, Russ & Beth Shafer**  
*Next week: Kaye Hinkle, Joey Moses, Russ & Beth Shafer*

**Sound Specialists: Johnny Shores, Brent O'Dell**  
*Next week: Brent O'Dell, Eric Fritzius*

**Videography this week & next: Kevin Ahern**

**Ushers: Alex Feamster, Justin Straub, Bill Hoover, Dan Franks**  
*Next week: Glenn Camp, Chris Brumfield, Richard Hardiman, Russ Shafer*

*Special Music next week: FBC Choir*

# Announcements

➤ *Anniversary this week:*  
Justin & Brooke Taylor (7/10)

**NO PM EVENTS OR MEETINGS  
TONIGHT**

**Ann Graves Meeting this Wednesday,  
7/10, at 1 PM. All mission-minded  
ladies, please join us!**

**Next Sunday evening (7/14): Bible Study at  
6:00, Business Meeting at 7:00. (Choir  
practice is on hiatus for the summer.)**

Currently there are two sign-up sheets on  
the board outside the Fellowship Hall:

1. For the Senior Adult outing to the Grandview amphitheater Wednesday, July 17th. Tickets \$25.
2. For the Anne Wilson concert at the WV State Fair Tuesday, 8/13, with a group from FBC. Tickets \$22.

*Brenda Wallace can share more info  
about both activities.*

PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE  
LOGAN, WV MISSION TRIP AT THE END OF THIS WEEK.  
ALSO, THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED FUNDS OR  
CLOTHING FOR THIS EFFORT!

IMB Missionaries Amanda and Seth Stark invite and encourage everyone to join in 40 days of prayer surrounding the upcoming Olympic Games in Paris. Visit <https://pray4digital.com/olympics> to download a suggested prayer guide, or call the office to get a hard copy.

*Mitsy's Wings charitable golf tournament:  
Saturday, 7/27, in WSS. Contact Butch Ferguson at  
304.661.4654.*

## **June Tithes/Offerings**

through 6/30 (Due to the holiday this past week, updated figures will be provided 7/14.)  
Regular Offering \$24,802.01, Missions \$3,530.00,  
Building Fund \$100.00, VBS \$100.00,  
OCC \$150.00, Ann Edwards Scholarship \$100.00,  
Building Fund \$100.00, World Hunger \$55.00,  
Youth Activities \$100.00, other \$500.92. Offering  
plates are up front on both sides of the sanctuary AND  
in the sanctuary's front foyer. *Online giving is available  
at [fbcfairlea.com](http://fbcfairlea.com). Scroll down to "Digital Giving", or  
text the word "give" to 304.600.7300.*

## **SPECIAL DONATIONS REQUESTED:**

-Sponsorship of a needy child for weekend  
food through the WMU for \$60 per child.  
See Dee Myers.

-For Operation Christmas Child in July:  
Monetary donations to purchase soccer balls  
and pumps (\$6 each for a set).

**Prayer Needs:** Shirley Burdette; Amy Brown; Betty Cook & her son  
Gary; Rene Ley; Violet Wright; Robbie Bennett; Beulah Lilly; Jon Skaggs;  
Alfred Taylor; Rick Shires (Brittany Bradley's dad); RJ Hoffman;  
Bob Conte; Carla Woodrum; Peggy Lockhart; Bob Weikle; Jill Allen;  
Butch Ferguson; Missy Burdette; Bob and Linda Cook; Brad & Stacey  
Justice; Debbie Neal; Aretha Dowdy; Violet Wright's niece;  
Rhett Dixon; Associate Pastor Search Committee.



*This cup is the new  
covenant in my  
blood. Do this, as  
often as you drink  
it, in remembrance  
of me.  
1 Corinthians 11:25*

FIRST BAPTIST FAIRLEA

*July 7, 2024*

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**Our Church's Mission:  
"Gather, Grow, Go!"**