

Opportunities for Fellowship and Service Sunday, January 21- Sunday, January 28

Nursery (Preschoolers) Jennifer Williamson & Karen Strahan Jr. Church (K-3) Maghen Beck Club 320 (Grades 4-7) (Preteen) Bill Beck

11:15 Small Groups for all ages

12:15 Christian Board of Ed. Meeting

Monday Pastor in Office 9-12**

Secretary in office 7-12 8:00 Exercise Group- F.H.

Tuesday Pastor in Office 9-12 **

Secretary in Office 7-12

9:00 Bulletin info due in office

Wednesday 7:45 Prayer Time in Pastor's Study

8:00 Exercise Group- F.H.

10:30 Bible Study Group-Lounge

Thursday Pastor in Office 9-12 and 6-8 **

Secretary in Office 7-12

Friday Rummage Rooms 9-12

Saturday Rummage Rooms 9-12

Private Use- Fellowship Hall & Kitchen

Sunday 10:00 Worship

11:15 Annual Meeting- Fellowship Hall

(No adult small groups but youth will meet)

Attendance Last Sunday 69 CCLI # 1751709

** Please note Pastor Lynn's new hours

The Third Sunday After Epiphany



"An Urgent Mission"

First Baptist Church Cuba, New York

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"STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS And FEET OF JESUS"

January 21, 2018

10:00 a.m.

Celebrations and Concerns slips are in the pew pockets for your convenience. Please write it out clearly and an usher will collect it during the Prelude. Thank you.

(Supervised care by an adult for infants and young preschoolers is available in the Church Nursery)

Preparation For Worship

"I hate to see complacency prevail in our lives when it's so directly contrary to the teaching of Christ." Jimmy Carter

Welcome

Life Of The Church

Call to Annual Meeting

Carol Shaffer, Clerk

* Greet Your Neighbors

Invite someone new to you or that you haven't spoken to recently to join you for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall.

Prelude

Songs of Praise

See Insert or Overhead Screen

Sharing Of Celebrations And Concerns

The Congregational Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison) (Debts)

Prayer Chorus #103 "He is Lord"

The Children's Story

Ann Gross

(Preschoolers may go to Nursery, Grades K-3 may go to Jr. Church, and grades 4-7 may go to Club 320.)

Anthem

Scripture: Mark 1:14-20

*Hymn #539 "Where He Leads Me" v. All

Sermon

Pastor Lynn

Sermon Series "Jesus, Man of Mystery" Part 3/6 "An Urgent Mission"

Worship Through Giving

The Offertory

- * The Doxology #623 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
- * Prayer of Dedication
- * Hymn of Commitment #533 "Jesus Calls Us; O'er the Tumult" v. all
- * Benediction
- * Choral Response #542 "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" v. 1
- * Postlude
- * Those who are able are invited to stand.

Organist, Nettie White

During the announcements those sitting beside or near the center aisle are asked to sign and pass along the red "Ministry of Friendship" pads. When the pad reaches the end of your row, please pass it back to the center and learn the names of those sitting with you.

Thank you to our greeters and to Ann Gross for assisting in today's worship service.

Our Church is equipped with -

- **Hearing assistance.** Please ask an usher for a portable receiver or pick one up at the Technology Center.
- Back support cushions. Please ask an usher for assistance

Thank You for setting your cell phone to "silent"

Days of Elijah

These are the days of Elijah, declaring the Word of the Lord And these are the days of Your servant Moses Righteousness being restored And though these are days of great trials; Of famine and darkness and sword Still we are the voice in the desert crying, "Prepare ye the way of the Lord"

Behold He Comes riding on the clouds Shining through the sun at the trumpet call So lift your voice it's the year of Jubilee And out of Zion's hill salvation comes

And these are the days of Ezekiel; the dry bones becoming as flesh And these are the days of Your servant David; rebuilding a temple of praise And these are the days of the harvest; the fields are white in the world And we are Your laborers in Your vineyard declaring the Word of the Lord

There is no God like Jehovah 4 times V1, C, V2, C, B, B, B, C

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Awesome in This Place

As I come into Your presence. Past the gates of praise, Into Your sanctuary 'Till we're standing face to face. I look upon Your countenance, And the fullness of Your grace. I can only bow down and say;

You are awesome in this place, Mighty God; You are awesome in this place, Abba Father! You are worthy of all praise; To You my life I raise, You are awesome in this place, Mighty God V, C, V, C, C

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Prayer Requests:

Health Concerns: **Penny Frederick**, Ray Perkins, Mary Ellen Moriarty Continuing Prayers: Susan Stoddard (Sallie Miller's sister), Sandy Lathrop, Bert & Mickie Tidlund Praises: Nettie White's knee surgery went well Mary Vooys (Leah Weber's mother) is CANCER FREE! Other Concerns: All those effected by mudslides in CA

Remember in Care Facilities

Cuba Memorial Hospital - Gene Case, Doc Gilroy Batavia VA- Dennis Chamberlain Eden Heights- Helen Swift, Betty Parker Highland Healthcare (Wellsville) - John Hoagland Livingston Cty. Center for Nursing & Rehab. - Katie Hamilton Manor Hills (Wellsville) - Elva Gross Pines (Olean) - Connie Battistoni Wellsville Manor- Flora Prentice St. Luke Health Services (Oswego) - Beverly Abbott

Special Interest Missionaries

David and Joyce Reed, IberoAmerica and Caribbean Dan and Sarah Chetti, Lebanon

All those serving in the military, police, and firemen.

All those in and outside of our congregation who may not be listed but need the healing power of the Spirit.

Friend of the Week:

Ray & Sharon Perkins 46 Burning Ridge Trail Hilton, NY 14468

Our friend Ray, while feeling better now, has had a couple of health issues that require testing and prayer. Please send a card to lift and encourage our brother in Christ. Send Sharon words of love, too!

17 Never stop praying. 18 Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:17-19 (NLT)

Announcements

Today: Board of Christian Education will meet after Small Groups (12:15pm).

- ❖ Call to Annual Meeting: The Annual Meeting of First Baptist Church, Cuba, NY, is hereby called to meet on Sunday, January 28th, 2018 at 11:15 a.m. for the purpose of reading annual reports, electing officers of the church, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it. A quorum of 25 qualified voters is required to carry out these procedures (Article VIII, Section 2). Your best effort to attend is very much appreciated.
- ❖ The Minutes from the January Trustee meeting are now available in the Court.
- ❖ The Rummage Rooms is in need of warm clothing items for infants, children, men and women. When you're organizing your closets and drawers, consider sharing some of those items that you no longer need. Items may be left at the SOUTH STREET door on any day or dropped off during the hours of operation, Friday and Saturday 9am – 12noon.
- ❖ Jr. Church is in need of volunteers. There is a sign-up sheet in the Court or see Melissa Grover.

Upcoming Events

- Our Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday January 28th at 11:15 following Worship. There will be no Small Groups but supervision for all youth will be provided. Please plan to attend.
- G.L.O.W. Party/ mini lock-in will be on Friday, February 9th from 6pm 9pm. Our theme is "God Lights Our Way". Kids from Kindergarten 5th grade (6th graders and older may sign up to volunteer) are welcome to attend. We will serve pizza, play games, create crafts, and take part in a devotional. Wear neon or white for the black lights!

RSVP by Monday, February 5th. Sign-up in the Court or call Melissa Grover (585) 610-7082.

Watch court for sign up and donation requests.

• The date for the **ABWM Painting Event** has been rescheduled for **Sunday**, **Feb 11**th at **12:15 pm** (following Sunday School). This is a fun event for all women (girls over age 8 too, accompanied by an adult). We will be having a light lunch and then continue on to our painting adventure, led by our own Carol Shaffer.

All materials will be provided (donations gratefully accepted to help cover expenses).

Beat the winter blues and join us! A sign-up sheet is in the court. Please let us know if you're coming so we can plan for lunch and for the supplies.