

Sunday, September 6, 2020



Welcome to
**First Baptist Church
of Endicott**

*Know the love of God in Jesus Christ;
Grow as followers of Him;
Go share the love of God in our community and world.*

Interim Pastor • Rev. Dr. Keith Marlett
Worship Leader • Jared O'Neill
Praise Team Leader • Bill Starring

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Praise & Worship

Opening Song		Praise Team
Opening Prayer		Worship Leader
Announcements		Worship Leader
Praise Music		Praise Team
Scripture Reading	Acts 10:43-48 NIV	Linda O'Neill
Message	"The Purpose of Baptism"	Pastor Keith
Communion		Pastor Keith
Closing Song		Praise Team
Benediction		Pastor Keith

Scripture Reading

⁴³ All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." ⁴⁴ While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. ⁴⁵ The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on Gentiles. ⁴⁶ For they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God. Then Peter said, ⁴⁷ "Surely no one can stand in the way of their being baptized with

water. They have received the Holy Spirit just as we have." ⁴⁸ So he ordered that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked Peter to stay with them for a few days.

Prayers, Concerns & Celebrations

Health Concerns: Dale Peloke; Al McFall; Pat McFall;
Jeanne Mellander;
Church family, friends, and our homebound members;
All victims and families of COVID-19; and
All those on the front lines battling and protecting;
The Pastoral Search Committee;
Our virtual worship service;
God's direction during this time of transition;
Our prayers and sympathies to Judy Kamishlian on the passing of her sister, Lynne, last week.

Prayer requests of a personal nature will not be shared during the live streaming worship service. Please contact the church office by no later than Friday morning with personal prayer requests and Pastor Keith will pray for them at the end of the service after live streaming has stopped.

Announcements

Communion will be celebrated this Sunday, September 6th. Tables will be set up in the sanctuary for safe distancing and individual communion packets will be provided for each person. For those of you at home, please have your communion elements ready prior to the virtual service at 10:45.

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Christi will be "out of the office" on Monday, September 7th and Wednesday, September 9th.

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Church Website Volunteers Needed!!! Pastor Keith is looking for a couple of volunteers who will help 'manage' our current website as well as help build a new one that will be replacing the current one. Please let him know if you are interested.

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ABW Broome-Tioga Prayer Group: September 8th, 2:00PM, at Emerson House. All ladies are invited to attend!

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Ladies Bible Study will resume on September 16th.

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Church Family Picnic at Greenwood Park: Saturday, September 19th. Watch for more details to come!

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Wednesday Evening Bible Study: Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM in the Baraca Room. For those who wish to participate from home, the study will also be hosted on ZOOM.

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Can You Help? A family of 10 that someone in our church knows recently lost everything they had in a fire and are in need of help. The Outreach Committee would like to ask the congregation if they could assist in donations. Below is a list of shoe and clothing sizes they are in need of:

Here is the list of their current needs:

(1) 4t-girl

(2) 5/6 small -girls

(1) 12 pants med shirts -boy

(2) 12/14 pants med shirts- boys

(1) 34/32 LG shirt -boy

(1) Leggings - med - shirt med - Teen girl

Woman 2x shirts 14 pants (likes leggings)

Man 33/32 pants xl shirts

Shoes sizes:

Boys- 9, 11, 11, 12, 12 adult

Girls- 9 adult

Little Girls- size 12

The family could also use gift cards (Walmart and Price Chopper were suggested) for others helping them and getting more of the same cards could be beneficial as well.

As this is an immediate need we would like to gather donations as soon as possible. Anyone who would like to donate if you could please have donations starting this Sunday the family would be

most appreciative. There will be an area inside the front entrance for donations. For anyone who would need a donation picked up, let Danielle Todack (dculver11@elmira.edu) or Kyle Todack (kyleatodack@yahoo.com) know and we can make arrangements. Please prayerfully consider donating to help this family who could use any support they can get at this time.

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Safety Requirements for Sanctuary Worship:

- Face coverings are required at all times unless seated.
- A hand sanitizer station is located in the back of the sanctuary.
- Ushers will guide attendees to the pews available to maintain social distancing.
- A collection plate station is located in the back of the sanctuary.
- For the safety of others, if you have a fever, cough, or are not feeling well, please do not attend.
- Childcare *will not* be provided and children need to remain with their parents at all times. We recommend bringing items for your children to use during the service (coloring books, quiet toys).
- Rooms will be available for you and your children if you need to remove yourself during the service. See an usher if you need an available room.
- Please enter using the front doors (volunteers and employees may use the back entrance).
- Please limit the use of the church building to the sanctuary and main floor restrooms when possible to minimize the amount of cleaning/sanitizing needed after the service.
- Coffee, snacks and our drinking fountain will not be available during the service.
- After service, please dismiss yourselves in an orderly fashion and congregate outside if you wish.

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Remember to remain faithful in your giving:

1. Check payable to First Baptist Church and mailed to:

First Baptist Church
1406 Monroe Street
Endicott, NY 13760

OR

Kay Hollister
6021 Day Hollow Road
Endicott, NY 13760

2. Using your bank "billpay" with "payment" sent to:

First Baptist church of Endicott
1406 Monroe Street
Endicott, NY 13760

3. Using "Online Giving" feature through our website.

Go to www.firstbaptistendicott.com

Please consider giving to the **Diaconate Fund** by designating on your on-line giving or at the place provided at the back of sanctuary.

Financial Update

Year Goal	Weekly Goal	YTD Given
\$110,600.00	\$2,126.92	\$75,216.58
YTD Goal	Given 08-30	%
\$74,442.20	\$2,425.00	101.04
Capital Campaign	\$17,630.00	

Sunday School and Rally Day

September 20th – 9:30AM

Adult Sunday School

Lower elementary (Kindergarten- 4th grade)

Upper Elementary/Middle School (5th through 7th grade)

Middle School/ High School (8th through 12th grade)

We will be meeting in the sanctuary this year to fellowship together as we kick off a new year for Sunday School.

Come join us and celebrate a new beginning in many ways of worshiping our ever-loving God.

