

Look what's happening this week at First Baptist Church!!!

October 31, 2021

Sunday Worship

Sunday School: 9:30

Morning Worship: 10:45

(in-person and online)

Prayer Requests

There are prayer request cards in the foyer of the church, at the back of the sanctuary and also in the pews. Give completed card to an usher, deacon, or place it in the offering plate.

Home Group

Home Group at Mike & Stephanie's will be rescheduled. Stay tuned for details!

Impact Youth Group

Meets every other Sunday evening for all kids in grades 1-5. The next gathering will be Sunday, November 7th from 4:30 – 6:00PM in the Youth Room. Bring a friend!

Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, November 3rd, 10:00AM at the church.

Young Women's Bible Study

Beginning Wednesday, November 3rd, 6:00PM at Valerie O'Neill's. We will be studying "The Women of the Bible Speak," by Shannon Bream. Contact Amanda Rice if you are interested so that the books can be ordered.

Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study

The last Wednesday Zoom Bible Study will be November 3rd at 7:00PM. The link can be found on our church website.

Faith Promise Cards

Please bring your completed Faith Promise cards with you to church and we will collect them in the offering plate.

Baptist Women's Day of Prayer

Scheduled for Saturday, November 6th at Community Baptist Church has been canceled.

Christmas Shoe Box Packing

Volunteers are needed to help pack the Christmas shoe boxes on Friday, November 12th, 6:00PM in Fellowship Hall. Pizza & veggies will be provided and a group picture will be taken at 6:15. Don't miss the fun!

Notice to Congregation

The Nominating Committee reports that the following Church Offices will expire on December 31, 2021:

Moderator

General Treasurer

Church Clerk

Fellowship Team Leader

Discipleship Team Leader

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays and Anniversaries are listed in the back of your church directory. If you need a new paper or electronic copy, please let Christi know.

Church Office Hours

Tuesday-Friday, 9:00AM to 12:00 Noon

Voices For CHOW Concert

Sunday, November 21st, 3:00PM, at St. Cyril's Church, 148 Clinton Street, Binghamton. Performances by The Southerntiersmen, The Southern Tier Christian Community Choir and the Maine-Endwell Treble Choir. Tickets (607.372.1730) are \$10/advance; \$12/door. All proceeds benefit CHOW.

Please see next pages!



Please Join us Saturday, October 30th,
from 12-4pm
to help finish up the renovations in the Sunday
School rooms.

All abilities and skills are needed!

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needed!

-Painting trim and doors

-Painting a heater

-Installing light fixtures

-Cutting and installing
baseboard

-Changing out switches and
plugs

-Vacuuming and cleaning
carpets

-Removing construction
debris

We are also in need of a pick up truck or two that we can use to
make a drop off of construction debris at Scarborough.

Sunday, October 31st at 1:00PM

Following church, we will have pizza
and then head over to The Ave. to
pick up litter and hand out some
candy!

Contact Amanda Rice with any
questions.



ABW Fundraiser

Christmas Flower Sale!!

Poinsettias \$14.00 each
(red, pink, white, red glitter)
Wreaths \$24.00 (12")
or \$28.00 (16")

Money is due at time of order or by November 5th (cash or checks payable to American Baptist Women and designate wreath or poinsettia on check).

Please give order and payment to Jean Stone.

Deadline for flower orders is November 5th

The poinsettias will be used to decorate the sanctuary for the Advent season.
Please indicate on your order if you would like your flower "in memory of" or "in honor of" a loved one.

A sign-up sheet is posted at the back of the sanctuary.

Thank you for your support!



Holiday

Giving

Opportunities

The Diaconate Team will begin collecting items for food baskets for families in our community. The following food items can be brought to the sanctuary here at First Baptist until **Sunday, November 21st**. If you know of a family that is in need this season, please reach out to Valerie O'Neill or any of the Deacons.

Thanksgiving items to be collected:

Canned Fruits/Vegetables
Canned Gravy or Gravy Mix
Pumpkin or Fruit Pie Filling

Cranberry Sauce
Instant Potatoes
Quick Bread/Rolls Mixes

Fruit Juices
Pudding Mixes
Stuffing Mix

Other welcomed food items:

Soups

Cereals

Condiments

Peanut Butter/Jelly/Nutella

Canned Tuna or Chicken

Thank you for supporting this wonderful cause to help our community!

