

welcome to the
First Baptist Church
of McMinnville, Oregon

*Together we respond to the call of the Spirit and the teachings of Jesus
to learn, love, serve, and seek justice and joy for all.*

Prelude

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Gathering Song: *Beloved*, Blue Book

Gathering Prayer & Communal Prayer - Georgine Benner

Children's Time

Scripture Reading: Romans 12:9-21

Sermon - Rev. Erika Marksbury

Response Song: *He Ain't Heavy; He's My Brother*

Prayers of Joy & Concern

Belonging: Bible Study - Janet Langenwalter

Closing Words

Going Forth Song: *Circle Chant*

Benediction

Postlude



*Thanks to Tegan Johnson, Dave Ferry, Dave King,
and Geoff Clayton for leading today's music.*

*Sunday,
Sept. 25 2022*

Our Statement of Welcome & Affirmation

The First Baptist Church of McMinnville is a creative, thoughtful, inclusive American Baptist congregation. Following the example of Jesus, the urging of the Spirit, the call of God, the challenge of the prophets, the legacy of those who have gone before us, and the insistence of our own consciences, we affirm the dignity and worth of all creation. As we proclaim and work toward the reign of justice and peace, we welcome all people. We rejoice in our diversity and seek to understand our differences as ways of more fully encountering the beauty and complexity of the image of God. We commit to creating a community where people of all ages, abilities, genders, gender expressions, sexual orientations, races, ethnicities, nationalities, experiences, backgrounds, and situations are celebrated as full participants, as together we strive to be faithful followers and proclaimers of Good News.

This Week's Events

Monday, September 26
9am - STARS Breakfast
7pm - Together Works
(LGBTQIA+ Support & Social Group)

Tuesday, September 27
3pm - Meditation

Wednesday, September 28
7pm - Sister Circle

Thursday, September 29
6pm - Youth Dinner
NO MUSIC REHEARSALS THIS WEEK,
regular rehearsal schedule starts October 6

Friday, September 30
9am - STARS Breakfast
12pm - Bible Study
Friday-Sunday - Beach Retreat
for Middle School Youth
8pm-8am - Community Shelter

SAVE-the-DATE
Friday, October 21 - Saturday, October 22
All-Church Retreat at Camp Arrah Wanna

October Events

Sunday, October 2
After Worship - Welcome Reception
for Tegan & Marilyn, new FBC music staff
After Worship - Welcome Class

Monday, October 3
9am - STARS Breakfast
12pm - Personnel Committee
4pm - Mission Team
7pm - Worship Planning

Tuesday, October 4
3pm - Meditation
7pm - KnitWits at Gina's

Wednesday, October 5
8am - Senior Breakfast
7pm - Sister Circle

Thursday, October 6
5:30pm - Bells Rehearsal
6:30pm - Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm - Worship Team Rehearsal

Friday, October 7
9am - STARS Breakfast
12pm - Bible Study
8pm-8am - Community Shelter

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