

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.*

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

Prelude

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Gathering Song: *"Beloved"*
Blue Book

Gathering Prayer & Communal Prayer - Dave King

Children's Time - Patrick Green

Call for Offering & Offertory

Prayers of Joy & Concern

Lenten Song: *"Softly and Tenderly"*
New Century Hymnal #449 (verse one)

Scripture Reading: Luke 15.25-32, the *Inclusive Bible*

Sermon: *"Re-turning"* - Rev. Tim Phillips

Going Forth Song: *"Amazing Grace"*
New Century Hymnal #547

Benediction

Postlude



Thanks to the FBC Worship Team for leading the music today.

*Sunday
March 26 2023*

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

Sunday, March 26

Sunday Adult Classes :

8:30am - Connections / 8:45am - Bereans (in person)
Chapel Class (in person & Online) / Faith & Java (in person)

10am - Worship - 5th Sunday of LENT

After worship Fellowship hosted by KnitWits

11:15am - Worship Team rehearsal

- Spring Break Week -

No children & youth activities, or music rehearsals

Monday, March 27

9am - STARS Breakfast

7pm - Together Works

Tuesday, March 28

10:30 - Meditation

12n - Bible Study

4pm - Pastoral Relations

Thursday, March 30

No Music Rehearsals due to Spring Break

Friday, March 31

FBC Office Closed

9am -STARS / 7:30pm-7:30am - o/n Shelter

Saturday, April 1

5pm - Singles gathering for Game Night @ FBC

SAVE the DATES:

April 30 - Reception for Pastor Tim

May 7 - Welcome back for Erika

Upcoming Events

Palm Sunday, April 2

Sunday Adult Classes :

8:30am - Connections / 8:45am - Bereans (in person)
Chapel Class (in person & Online) / Faith & Java (in person)

10am - Worship - waving of Palms

After worship Fellowship hosted by Mission's Nicaragua Team

11:15am - Worship Team rehearsal

- HOLY WEEK Begins -

Holy Monday, April 3

9am - STARS Breakfast

11:30am - Dying Well

12n - Personnel / 4pm - Mission Team

7pm - Worship Planning

Holy Tuesday, April 4

12n - Bible Study

5:30pm - Dinner & Movie, "Steele Magnolias"

Holy Wednesday, April 5

8am - Senior Breakfast

Maundy Thursday, April 6

6pm - Passover Seder meal/service in Social Hall

Good Friday, April 7

Office Closed / 9am -STARS / 7:30pm-7:30am - o/n Shelter

7pm - Worship at First Presbyterian Church

Holy Saturday, April 8

9am - Church Clean-up Day

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