

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: *God Has Made Me Glad*

Children's Time - Sean P. Williams

Call to Offering & Offertory: *The Lord is My Shepherd*
by Howard Goodall

Joys & Concerns & Communal Prayer

150th Anniversary Song: *Fruit of Generations*
Words by Densley Palmer

Scripture Reading: Psalm 90, selected verses, the Inclusive Bible

Sermon: *Tracing Our Faith* - Rev. Erika Marksbury

Communion - FBC Children & Youth

Communion Song: *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*
New Century Hymnal #347

Going Forth Song: *Draw the Circle Wide*

Benediction

Postlude



Thanks to Geoff Clayton, Tegan Johnson, Marilyn Dresser,
Patrick Green, Dave Ferry, Dave King, and Lara O'Brady
for leading music this morning.

*Sunday
May 7, 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, May 7

Sunday Adult Classes :

8:30am - Connections (online)

8:45am - Faith & Java (in person), Bereans (in person),
& Chapel Class (in person + online)

9am - Parents Breakfast at Laughing Bean

10am - Worship

After worship, all are welcome to a catered lunch in the Social Hall celebrating Erika's return & FBC's 156th B'Day!

5-7:30pm - McMinnville Youth Collective at First Pres

Monday, May 8

9am - STARS Breakfast

5:15pm - KidVenture at First Pres

7pm - Together Works

8pm - Dads Group at McMenamins

Tuesday, May 9

9am - Building & Grounds Team

10:30am - Meditation

12n - Bible Study

1pm - FBC Singles Lunch

Wednesday, May 10

6:30pm - Church Board

Evening Sister Circle

Thursday, May 11

9:45am - Knit Wits

5:30pm - Bells / 6:30pm - Choir

7:30pm - Worship Team

Friday, May 12

9am - STARS breakfast

5pm - McMinnville Youth Collective Spring Lock-Out

7:30pm - FBC Singles to Gallery Theater's "9 to 5"

7:30pm - Community Low-Barrier Shelter

Upcoming Events

Sunday, May 14

8:30am - Connections (online)

8:45am - Bereans (in person) &

Chapel Class (in person + online)

10am - Worship

Thursday, May 18

11am-5pm - Farmer's Market Community Engagement:

Origami Folding in the Courtyard

5pm - End of Year Choir Celebration at JL Kiff Vineyard

Saturday, May 20

9am - Hiking Group meets at FBC (Destination TBD)

9-10:30am - Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser at First Pres

supporting the youth summer service learning trip

12:45pm - Memorial Service for Emily Jernstedt at FBC Carlton

Sunday, May 21

Following worship - Fundraiser lunch (donations) in support of Colton Anderson's Eagle Scout project. Colton is an FBC youth whose project will benefit both FBC & A Family Place.

Saturday, May 27

9am - Men's Breakfast at Toth Toy Barn

with speaker Charlie Walker

For a comprehensive list of upcoming events, check the calendar on the back page of the Tidings newsletter (available at fbcmac.org, or in hard copy around the church) or in the Weekly Happenings email sent every Thursday.

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