

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Prelude

Song Blessed be Your Name

Song All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Welcome and Opportunities

Song Open the Eyes of My Heart

Worship in Giving \*\*

Scripture: Mark 2:1 - 5

Sermon Is what they hear what they get?

Closing Song: Family of God

Postlude

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## PRAYER REMINDERS

Genevieve Ferrari, Judy Paulson, Lynn Conklin, Virginia Carlson, Matthew Bergman, Dave Mead, Paul Clark, Jim Bricker, Gary Pruisman, Violet O'Neal, Chris Bauer, Penny Woodard, Karen Richey, Doran Erickson, Lydia Dozier, Chad Mohr, Sue Bergman

**Holding the Rope for:** Gil Zinke  
Training Leaders  
Ethiopia

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Broadcast of our worship service on Cable Channel 14
FEBRUARY 25	6:00 p.m.	CIA/WL4G
MARCH 9	1:00 p.m.	Ladies' Fellowship
MARCH 11		Spring Break
MARCH 18	6:00 p.m.	CEF will be at CIA/WL4G
JUNE 14	2:00 p.m.	Justified Quartet
JUNE 22 – 26	10:30 a.m.	CEF
JUNE 26		Iowa Cubs baseball

\*\*Online giving available on our website and Facebook Page.

On June 14, we will be hosting the Justified Quartet. Last year their song, "The Good, Bad and the Ugly" reached #3 on the Southern Gospel charts, and their current single, "The Way that He found it" reached #1 in September! We look forward to hosting them!

What does it look like for our daily lives to revolve around Christ? That does not mean that we look for Mary in our toast, or images of Jesus in the water stains on the sidewalk; it means that everything we do, every day of our lives is filtered through this lens: does this reflect Jesus to others. That begins as we put His church in the center of our everyday lives.

Is what they see what they get?

Scripture: Mark 2:1 - 2

Proposition: Ensure what people hear and what they get are the same

I. Be completely caught up in the presence of Jesus.

II. Be completely caught up in the spirit of service

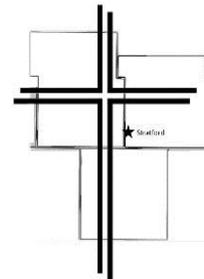
III. Be completely caught up in the power of faith



*"...Immediately many gathered together, so that there was no longer room to receive them, not even near the door. And He preached the word to them..."*

*Mark 2:2*

*Is what they hear what they get?*



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