

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Pastor Jim Mead  
Penny Woodard, Pianist

September 5, 2021

Prelude

Song (#73 red hymnal) It is Well

Song Step by Step

Welcome and Opportunities

Song I've Got Peace Like a River

Sermon Scripture: Romans 16:1 – 4

Sermon – What are we?

Communion\*\*

Worship in Giving \*\*\*\*  
(Doxology printed on opposite page)

Postlude

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Please let pastor know of any additional prayer requests.

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If you would like 2nd quarter information and financial statements please let the church office know.

## PRAYER REMINDERS

Pastor Townsend, Genevieve Ferrari, Derek Adams, Mike Lundberg, Evelyn Patterson, Don and Sharon Peterson, Laverne Weilbrenner, Carol Paulson, Madelyn Mead, Dave Mead, Roy and Darlene Thompson, Lynn Conklin, Theo Lindquist, Dee Bergman, Greg Carlson, Davis triplets, Jerry Delebreaux, Stratford Care Center.

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY	12:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Broadcast of our worship service on Cable Channel 14
SEPTEMBER 9	6:00 p.m.	Board Meeting
SEPTEMBER 10		Women's Retreat at Pine Lake
SEPTEMBER 19	10:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Sermon Series "Family Matters" Doing Life Together Bereavement
SEPTEMBER 26	5:00 p.m.	Hospice 101: answering questions about what Hospice is and isn't
OCTOBER 3	9:30 a.m.	Sunday school begins again!
OCTOBER 6	6:00 p.m.	CIA begins!!!
OCTOBER 8		Men's Retreat at Pine Lake

### DOXOLOGY:

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

\*\*Communion Cups are available on the Welcome Center inside the door

\*\*\*\*Online giving is available on the church website and Facebook page.

We will need volunteers for our fall programming at the church; if you are interested please see a board member or contact Pastor

Registration is open for Women's and Men's Retreat at Pine Lake. Women's retreat is September 10 – 12; the theme this year is Yesterday, Today and Forever. Men's Retreat is October 8 – 10; the theme this year is The Whole Duty of a Man. Cost is \$135 for the weekend.

What are we?

Scripture: Exodus 3:1 – 4

I. Make Friendship Unhindered.

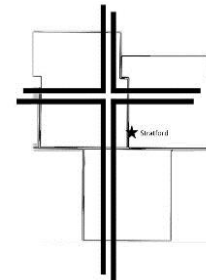
II. Make Fellowship Uncompromised.

III. Make Faithfulness Unshakable.



... "Greet one another with a holy kiss. The churches of Christ greet you"... Romans 16:16

What are we?



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