

## SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018

**FELLOWSHIP TIME** **9:00 AM**

**MORNING WORSHIP** **9:30 AM**

### Welcome and Announcements

#### We worship through song

“You Are My King (Amazing Love)”

“Above All”

“You Are Holy”

#### We worship in prayer

#### We worship by giving

Offering response and prayer “For God So Loved the World”

#### We worship in response to the Word

Scripture John 3:16

Message “We Are Evangelists - Part 3  
God’s Gift of Love”

#### We worship through our response to the Lord

Closing Song “Wonderful Merciful Savior”

Closing Prayer

### PRAYER MINISTRY

NAB Missions: David Ibarra, Field Coordinator  
Hispanics for Christ, Rafaela, Argentina

Our Missions: Crystal Springs Baptist Camp

Awana/Youth: Mission Trip June 24-30

Region: Temple Baptist, Swan River, MB  
Pastor Neal Effa

Metropolitan Baptist, Fargo, ND

Pastors Jack Bluel; Steve Burrell

Others: Marge Faul; Jerry & Joan Deppa; Cal Wolhart;  
Keith Wolhart (cancer treatments); Sal Grisaffi;  
Shawn Kirsch (Merlin’s nephew, cancer treatments);

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

Meeting at Schroeders’ this week. If you need a ride from Valley City, please contact Darla (701-490-0922) or Pastor Les (701-303-0322.)

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 - Fellowship Time

9:30 - Morning Worship

June cleaning:

Wagar, Jones, Richter

Nursery: Today: Diretha and Damian; next week: Penny and Tessa

### IMPACT

[The Small Group Ministry of First Baptist Church]

Bible Study at Legacy Place is not meeting until after Labor Day

Prayer gathering at Jacque’s, not meeting through summer

Saturday, Sept 8 – 8:00 am Men’s Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, Sept 8 – 2:00 pm Dorcas Circle

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING – Week of June 3

AM - 61

General Fund	3,343.00	Income this year	51,566.83
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Weekly Budget	2,158.75	Budget to date	47,492.50
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Deacon Fund	165.00		
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### SUMMER CAMP AT CRYSTAL SPRINGS BAPTIST CAMP

Junior High Camp – June 18-23

Junior Camp – June 24-27 (register by June 11)

Family Camp – June 28 - July 1 (register by June 14)

Senior High Camp – July 2-7 (register by June 18)

Intermediate Camp – July 16-20 (register by July 2)

Family Camp – July 27-29 (register by July 13)

Registration forms are available on the Information table. Please be aware of registration dates. After the due date, the fee is \$10.00 more. The church will help with ½ of JH & SH camps, and 1/3 of Junior & Intermediate camps. If any camper needs additional assistance, please contact Dianna.

**Our mission** is to follow Jesus Christ by worshiping God, loving people, and making disciples, all for the glory of God.

*The New Birth*

3 Now there was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. This man came to Jesus by night and said to Him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher from God, for no one can do these signs that You do unless God is with him." Jesus answered and said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God."

"Nicodemus said to him, 'How can a man be born when he is old? He cannot enter into his mother's womb and be born again?' Jesus answered and said to him, 'You are mistaken. The Spirit and I, we speak of. The wind blows where it wishes and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from and how it goes, yet so is everyone who is born of the Spirit.'"

"Nicodemus said to Him, 'How can these things be?' Jesus answered and said to him, 'Are you the teacher of Israel and do not understand these things? Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know and testify of what we have seen, and you do not accept our testimony. If I told you earthly things and you do not believe, how will you believe if I tell you heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven, but He who descended from heaven: the Son of Man, who is lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up, so that whoever believes will in Him have eternal life."

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes

in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him. He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the only begotten Son of God. This is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and men loved the darkness rather than the Light, for their deeds were evil. For everyone who does not hate the Light, but comes to the Light for fear that his deeds will be exposed, he who practices these things will come to the Light, so that his deeds may be manifested as having been wrought in God."

John 3:16-21. This passage is one of the most beloved and most quoted in the Bible. It is a beautiful expression of God's love for the world and the sacrifice He made for us. The text is written in a simple, direct style, making it easy to understand and remember. The central message is that God loves the world so much that He gave His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, to die for us. Those who believe in Jesus will have eternal life, while those who do not believe will be judged. The text also speaks of the Light and the darkness, and the importance of coming to the Light.

There are three verses of discussion on the part of the disciples with Jesus about this passage. And the first is John 1:12 and said to him, "Rabbi, He who was with you beyond the Jordan, to whom you have testified, behold, he has borne witness to all are coming to Him." The second is John 1:13 and said, "A man can receive the Holy Spirit if he has been given him from heaven. You yourselves are my witnesses that I say, 'I am the Christ.' But, 'I have been sent ahead of Him.'" The third is John 1:14 and said, "He who has the bride is the bridegroom, but the friend of the bridegroom, who stands and hears him, rejoices greatly because of the bridegroom's voice. So this joy of mine has been made full. He must increase, but I must decrease."

John 3:16

## First Baptist Church

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