

First Baptist Church of Fairport

Third Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 18, 2021

10:00 AM

PRELUDE

Edith Yam, Organist

Ringing of Church Bell

WELCOME

Prayer requests and visitor information may be written on the yellow
"Welcome Cards" and given to the pastor during the announcements.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dorothy Johns

L: God has set apart those who are faithful.
Our Creator will hear us when we call.

C: **God puts gladness in our hearts and minds.**
We will lie down in safety and sleep in peace.

L: Beloved, we are God's children now.
What we will be has not yet been revealed.

C: **We are here to remember Jesus Christ.**
We want to be like the One who lived by love.

L: Our faith strengthens us for each day's living.
God empowers our ministries of caring.

C: **We trust God whose children we are.**
We look forward to what God will reveal to us.

*OPENING HYMN "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" No. 3
(Tune: *Lauda Anima*)

SCRIPTURE READING

Dorothy Johns

New Testament: Luke 24:36b-48
New Revised Standard Version Pew Bible Page 861
Large Print Pew Bible (NRSV) Page 123

CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYERS

Announcements

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Debts/Debtors)

*HYMN

"Amazing Grace"

No. 202

MORNING OFFERING

*Doxology

SOLO

Rev. Mark E. Ballard

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"

Rick Founds

SCRIPTURE READING

Rev. Mark E. Ballard

New Testament: 1 John 3:1-7

New Revised Standard Version Pew Bible Page 990

Large Print Pew Bible (NRSV) Page 327

SERMON

Rev. Mark E. Ballard

"Living Together as God's Children"

*CLOSING HYMN

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

No. 92

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Prayer of the Week

God, please grant protection, provision and peace for those who have been
forced to flee their homes in Myanmar and who now live in constant fear.

Ann and Bruce Borquist, Southeast Asia

*All who are able are asked to stand

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THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, April 18, 2021

10:00 AM Worship Service via Zoom & FaceBook ONLY

Monday, April 19, 2021

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 20, 2021

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Wednesday, April 21, 2021

Thursday, April 22, 2021

1:30 PM Check-In Group via Zoom

2:00 PM Bible Study via Zoom

Friday, April 23, 2021

Saturday, April 24, 2021

Prayer Requests & Concerns For:

Cecelia Ballard - Covid (Pastor Mark's 21-month-old Granddaughter)

Chris Ballard Family - Under Covid quarantine until April 30, 2021.

Ann and Bruce Borquist - Missionaries in Southeast Asia

Beverly Jones - Prayers requested (Dave Holden's sister)

Helen Keough - Eye problems

Wayne Loomis - Highland Hospital

David Rodney - Home recovering from heart problems

Rick Sparks - Awaiting a kidney transplant (Jim Broan's nephew-in-law)

Our Shut-Ins

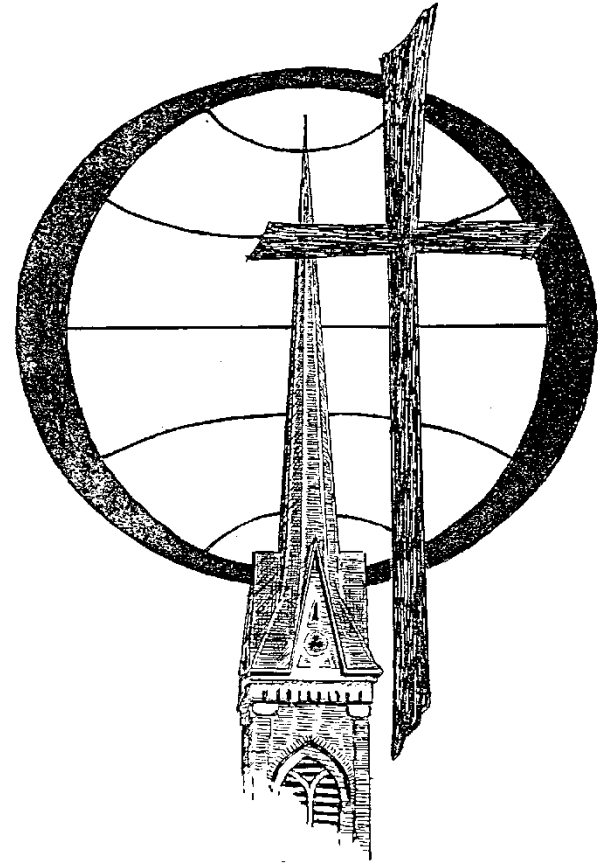
Please remember our following Shut-Ins in your prayers. A phone call, a card or a visit would also be appreciated. Alice Parsons and Barb Bane are both at home.

Regional Prayer of the Week

Please pray for the Waring Baptist Church.

Thursday Afternoon Check-In and Bible Study

The Thursday Afternoon Check In Group will meet via Zoom this Thursday, April 15, 2021 at 1:30 PM with the Bible Study Group meeting at 2:00 PM also via Zoom. Everyone is invited to join them.



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Lenten Offering Deadline!

The Board of Deacons and Missions chose to promote a special offering during the Lenten season to benefit the Perinton Food Shelf. We adapted for the time of the pandemic the old practice of putting a coin in a piece of cardboard for each day of Lent. Hopefully you followed the daily practice of putting a coin aside each day of Lent to use this opportunity to help our neighbors who are in need. The deadline to send in your gift is TOMORROW, April 19th. Please send in your gift as soon as possible. Thank you.

April Birthdays

Happy birthday to the following people who will be celebrating birthdays in April:

4/02 – Meaghan Piccarreto 4/19 – Helen Keough
4/18 – Debbie Taft 4/23 – Jim Rice

April Anniversary

We wish Betsy and Jim McClain a very happy anniversary as they celebrate 40 years of marriage on April 11th. Happy anniversary Betsy and Jim!

Secret Place

A few copies of the *Secret Place* devotional magazine are still available. If you would like a copy to enhance your daily devotions in April and May, please let the Church Office know and arrangements will be made to get a copy of this wonderful little magazine to you.

Perinton Food Shelf

The Perinton Food Shelf needs: **Tea, boxes of Jello, Grape Jelly, Strawberry Jelly, Stuffing, Gravy, Pasta Mixes, Tomato Products (NOT spaghetti sauce), Cookies, Salad Dressing, Canned Pears, Canned Peaches, Canned Fruit Cocktail, Canned Potatoes, Potato Mixes, Chili, Hash, Beef Stew and Soup (NOT Chicken Noodle).** Thank you so much for your support.

PLEASE DO NOT BRING OUTDATED FOOD PRODUCTS!