

“STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”



July 31st, 2022
Worship 10 a.m.

“Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. 8 For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.” (Matthew 7: 7-8)

Welcome and Life of the Church		Bill Beck
Call to Worship	Sweet Hour of Prayer <i>(arr. by Paul Johnson)</i>	Phillip Higgins
Songs of Praise and Worship	Shout to the Lord <i>(by Darlene Zschech)</i>	
	Open My Eyes, That I May See	No.174 v.1,2
	We Fall Down <i>(by Chris Tomlin)</i>	
	Holy, Holy, Holy!	No.2 v.1
	How Great Is Our God <i>(by Chris Tomlin)</i>	
	How Great Thou Art	No.16 Chorus only x2
Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory	It Is Well with My Soul <i>(arr. Teresa Wilhelmi)</i>	Phillip Higgins
*Doxology		
Scripture	Philippians 4: 6-7 (NIV)	
Sermon	“The Prayer of Trust”	Phillip Higgins
Prayers of the People		
Benediction	The Lord’s Prayer	
Postlude	Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated <i>Please feel free to stay and enjoy the postlude</i>	arr. Phillip Higgins

A special thank you to Phillip Higgins for leading our worship.

****Stand as you are able***

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PRAYER REQUESTS

(Bold indicates new requests. Please call the office if you would like to add or remove anyone from this list.)

Sandy (cousin to Ida and Pattie Hibbard); Penny Greene; Jeffery Berry and Jason Flippin (Patty Hibbard's sons); Carol Shaffer; Lindsay Scott; Pat Duska (grandmother to Maghen Beck); Sandy (cousin to Ida and Pattie Hibbard); LuAnne Shipley Foster; Peg Baker; Linda Goldthwait; Ginger Kelsey (Carol Mohilewski's friend); Steve Wise; Ryan Yates (cousin to Jillian Maxson); Grace Chase; Brandon Hewitt (Penny Green's friend's son); Dick Gleason (Andrea Wise's uncle); Jason Patten and his daughter Loghann.

Please keep the family of Tina Wilson (Counselor at FBC) in your prayers. Tina's mother, Bonita Willard, has went to be with her Heavenly Father.

Please pray for our nation.

REMEMBER IN CARE FACILITIES

Batavia VA – (222 Richmond Ave, Batavia, NY 14020) Dennis Chamberlain

Cuba Memorial Hospital – (140 W Main St, Cuba, NY 14727) Pauline Comes; Stephen Wise

Field of Dreams – (3260 N 7th St, Allegany, NY 14706) Joanne Guild; Doreen Scott-Vedder; Sharon Matteson, Connie Stolberg Mcentire

Highland Park & Rehabilitation Center – (160 Seneca, Wellsville, NY 14895) Joanne Hoagland

Wellsville Manor – (4192 A Bolivar Rd, Wellsville, NY 14895) Rod Cady

The Pines – (2245 W State St, Olean, NY 14760) Betty Burrows; Helen Swift

Heathwood Assisted Living Facility – (815 Hopkins Rd., Buffalo, NY, 14221) David Halstead

Updates!

After a very tough time, **David Halstead** has been discharged from hospice, and is doing well at the new facility. He'd love to hear from you! 815 Hopkins Road, Buffalo, NY, 14221

Betsy Hubbard is back! She's living with her daughter and loving her view of the lake. Hoping to come to church sometimes, but would love to hear from you. 5847 W. Shore Rd., Cuba, NY, 14727

After years at Eden Heights, **Helen Swift** is requiring a little more care than they offer, so has moved to the Pines. As our oldest member, why not honor her with a card? 2245 W State St, Olean, NY 14760

FRIEND OF THE WEEK

Joanne Guild - *Field of Dreams; 3260 N. 7th St., Allegany, NY, 14706*; Let Joanne know we are thinking of her by sending a card of caring.

SPECIAL INTEREST MISSIONARIES

David & Joyce Reed, IberoAmerica & Caribbean

Peter & Sarah McCurdy, Mexico

Dan & Sarah Chetti, Lebanon

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Announcements

- **Don't Forget!** VBS will be starting on August 15th!
- A change... The **Grief support** group will meet this month on Tuesday 8/2, at 1pm.
- **August 14th, and 28th** the search committee will host a time of fellowship to informally discuss progress with the transition process and seek feedback? We want to hear from you, please consider joining us on one or both of those days.
- **A gentle reminder from the trustees.** As the warm days of summer call us to travel and enjoy vacations, please remember that the bills and expenses of the church remain. We appreciate the loyalty and commitment that you have shown over the past 2 challenging years, but we need to prayerfully consider our giving. Currently our incoming gifts are showing a decrease, and we may need to reconsider some of the plans for the future, including our pastoral search criteria.
As you plan your summer and fall finances, please remember what Cuba First Baptist means to you, and how you might be able to support the missions and expenses that make the church “the Hands and Feet of Jesus”. Thank you in advance.
- Remember that you can sign up to host the after church **Fellowship Hour**. The signup sheet is in the court! You are welcome to use the church coffee and tea. Thanks!
- **Plans are being made for September baptism.** The date has been set for Sept. 25th. Any youth or adult that is interested should contact the church office or Claudia Little (585-307-8821). The discipleship class will be 4 sessions, beginning in late July. Baptism is a part of our Baptist belief, and is a public acknowledgment and profession of your faith as the candidate accepts Jesus as his/her Lord and Savior. Anyone wishing to join the church by letter of transfer, please call the church office.
- **Volunteers Needed!** We are looking for volunteers to provide Special Music for our worship services this summer. Do you play an instrument, or would like to sing a solo, duet, or in some other ensemble? Please speak to Phillip after the worship service today to schedule a time, or call him at 757-608-8939.

Pencils and Crayons from Heaven needs your help!

Again this year Cuba First Baptist will be offering a free Back Pack of school supplies to the area youth. “Pencils and Crayons from Heaven” has been a successful mission for years and hopes to continue to serve the community. Cuba-Rushford students from pre-K thru grade 5 are invited to register for the distribution being held on August 13th. Any family that could use a little extra help as they prepare for the 2022-23 school year is encouraged to call the church office (585-968-1531) to set up a pick up appointment time. If it's after office hours, please leave a message and the call will be returned.

Students will receive a great new backpack, and the basic needs for their grade. A parent or guardian should accompany the kids for their pick up. P & C was able to assist over 80 kids in 2021. With the economy in turmoil, it is hoped to help as many, if not more.

Anyone interested in supporting the mission can do so by sending or bringing financial donations to the church office. Checks should be made payable to: Cuba First Baptist with “school supplies” in the memo line. Church address is 17 South St, Cuba, NY. 14727. The cost of a back pack this year will be about \$50. This is partially supported by a grant from the Renodin Foundation, but more help will be needed. It is said that it takes a village to raise a child, and in our uncertain economic time – it's more important than ever.

On August 12th, at 12:30, the packs will be organized. Interested in helping? Please contact Claudia Little at 585-307-8821.

You may not have school age children, but please share the word with grandchildren, neighbors and friends. It's most helpful if all registrations could be in before August 9th. All pickups must be by appointment.

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cubafirstbaptist.org

<https://www.facebook.com/cubafirstbaptist/%20>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2IDwDLkFIQro0P7Tfd1y9A>

Looking into the week of July 31th –August 7th.

Today	10 a.m. Worship – “The Prayer of Trust” Nursery – Jr. Church –	Phillip Higgins
Monday	9 -1 p.m. – Sec. in Office	
Tuesday	9 -1 p.m. – Sec. in Office 1 p.m. – Grief Support	
Wednesday	9 -1 p.m. – Sec. in Office	
Thursday	9 -1 p.m. – Sec. in Office	
Friday	9 – noon Rummage Rooms open 9 - 12 p.m. - Office Open	
Saturday	9 – noon Rummage Rooms open	
Sunday	10 a.m. Worship – Hymn Sing	

Thank you to our greeters, our tech team, court monitor(s), and ushers for assisting in today’s worship service.

Also a thank you to our Staff: Mae Earl (Secretary); Bev Ritter (Custodian); Phillip Higgins (Director of Music).

Last week’s Attendance: 34 in person; 8 Facebook Live.

*Weekly Offering Goal \$2434 7/3 \$2,419; 7/10 \$1,132; 7/17 \$ 1,994; 7/23 \$1,462.

*Includes ABWM contribution.