

Pray For: Virginia Bliss; the Heisig/Gress Family; Clara White; Helen Crosby's family; Harold Page; Pastor Jill's godmother, Evelyn Turner; Edmond Krzeminski; Carol Anglin; Winnie Hartman; Alan & Josina McCarroll; Loretta Hirschman's brother, Dick; Flo Braker's sister, Jean Robinson; Sue Wysowski; Karl Voss; Stephanie Farrington; Della & Don VanDoren; Tim VanDerMeid; Amanda Rude Hall; Sally Kubica & her daughter, Lynne; Gretchen Young's great niece, Gabrielle; Laurie Wenhe's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Pascuzzi; Patricia Floyd's mother, Minnie, and sister, Darna Jackson; Greg Babcock; Loretta and Don Hirschman; Devonne Buskey; Donna Hulbert, Mary Ellen Lundy; Virginia Bliss's nephew, Travis Burkhard, Little David; our church and the Pastoral Search Committee.

Happy Bicentennial

Are you ready?

Bicentennial Sunday is just two weeks away. Don't miss Pastor Jill's sermon "A Legacy to Live By" or Rev. A. Roy Medley's keynote address "A Journey of Surprises" at the afternoon banquet. The executive secretary of American Baptist Churches USA, Roy Medley is a friend of Jim Braker and was a friend of our late Pastor David Hess. It's still not too late to choose to come.

Don't Forget... Board and committee reports are due Sunday, Sept. 20 for distribution before the Advisory Council to be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 21.

The box in the Fellowship Hall is waiting for you to volunteer for a church post in 2016.

To get our newsletter online go to: www.whbaptist.org. Send news for *The Link* to TheLink@whbaptist.org by the third Sunday of the month. Send items for the bulletin to bulletin@whbaptist.org by Thursday each week.



This sanctuary is equipped with a hearing loop. Set your hearing aid to the "T" setting or help yourself to any of the receivers available inside the front door. The ushers will assist you.

September 6, 2015

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Rev. Dr. Jill Bradway, Pastor
Oliver Hagen, Organist
Sunday Worship - 10 a.m.

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Into God's Presence

Prelude

Welcome

Pastor Jill Bradway

* Hymn 657 "This is the Day" (Sing twice)

Invocation

Kathy Gosnell

Call to Worship

Kathy Gosnell

Leader: We lift our hearts today, for the Church; that we may experience ever deeper conversion of mind and heart as we allow God's Word to instruct and free us.

ALL: For the gift of spiritual freedom; that God will liberate us from the defenses of legalism and rationalism so that we may serve God wherever God calls us.

Leader: For a deeper understanding of stewardship: that recognizing all of our gifts from God, we may place them in the service of God's reign.

ALL: For a greater knowledge of ourselves: that God will help us discern our motivations and make life-giving choices each day

Leader: For all who hand on the traditions of our faith, particularly preachers, teachers, and parents; that they may share the faith clearly and convincingly, and lead others into an experience of God's great love

ALL: For a great care for the most vulnerable of our society, particularly children and the elderly; that we may honor and nurture them with our love and assistance

Leader: For conversion from our hypocrisies; that we may recognize where we say one thing and live by another so that we may come to great integrity and wholeness

ALL: For all who are beginning a new school year; that God will help them grow physically, intellectually and spiritually into the person whom God calls them to be. For an end to violence in cities and neighborhoods; that God will turn hearts from violence and guide all who are working for justice and reconciliation. As we gather to worship, hear our prayer, O God! Amen

A history moment

John Miller

The Fellowship Hall was built in 1910 during the pastorate of Rev. Donald B. MacQueen. The \$2,000 needed was raised through subscription.

* Hymn 577 "God of Grace and God of Glory (verses 1, 2, 4)

Community Matters Joys & Concerns

Joanne Wilbert

Intercessory & Lord's Prayer

Leanna Shirley

Our Offerings of Gifts and Pledges

Offertory

* Hymn 95 "Doxology"

Into the Word

Scripture Lesson: James 1:23-25

Mary Bailey

Children's Moment

Connie Necaster

* Hymn 599 "Break Thou the Bread of Life"

Sermon: God's Word is a Mirror

Pastor Jill Bradway

* Hymn 618 "Let Us Break Bread Together" (v. 1) (v. 2 & 3 during communion)

Communion Service

Church Covenant

The Lord's Supper

Benediction

Postlude

* Congregation standing

Join us for fellowship after the service.

Tuesday - Men's breakfast at Peppermint's at 7 a.m.

Tuesday - Bicentennial Committee at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday - Choir practice at 6:30 p.m.

Saturday - Morning prayer at 9 a.m.

Birthday this week: Zachary DuBois, Sept. 8

	Today	Next Sunday
Scripture Reader	Mary Bailey	Marti Faiola
Children's Moment	Connie Necaster	Leanna Shirley
Fellowship Host	Chris Statts	Gretchen Young
Greeter	Chris Statts	Roberta Miller
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