

Missionary of the Week:

Please keep the following missionary folks in your prayers. For the work they are accomplishing for God’s glory, for their families, for finances to continue bringing the Gospel to the lost.

Roger & Donna Labbe – Child Evangelism Fellowship

Nursery is located on the Second Floor. Nursery Workers Today:

8:45 a.m. Peter & Lynn Valcourt
10:45 a.m. Mike & Louise Pelletier

Special Needs for Prayer and Care

Please pray for those with life-threatening illnesses and encouragement for those that are healing.

Folks Needing Your Prayer and Notes of Encouragement.

Mrs. Grace Smith	Mrs. Doris Barter
68 Devonshire Street	20 Celebration Ct. North
Portland, Me 04103	Portland, Me 04102



Prayer Requests

- Telephone Prayer Chain: Barbara Selby at 829-5724
- E-mail Prayer Chain: FBCPortlandPrays@aol.com
- Prayer sheet: email the office Admin1@maine.rr.com

Church Library is open each Sunday from 10:05 – 10:45 a.m. and during the week by checking with the church office.

Enhanced financial reporting will be provided on a monthly basis in the [Lighthouse Views](#) newsletter. Financial information can be obtained at any time by calling the church office.

Thank you for visiting with us today at First Baptist Church. Please let us know of your visit by filling out a visitor card located in the pew rack and placing it in the offering plate or giving it to one of the ushers. *We hope to see you again soon!*



Welcome from Pastor Keith

We are delighted that you've chosen to attend First Baptist this morning. For us, church is not about a denomination or buildings, but Jesus, the Son of God, who came, died and rose from the dead so we could be in a relationship with God and share this good news with the world. We welcome people from all backgrounds. You matter to God! We want you to experience love, acceptance, help, hope and forgiveness here. We are dedicated to teaching the truth of God's word. When you are ready, we would love for you to develop friendships with us. You are not here by accident. If you feel so inclined, we believe we can become an even greater church when you use your unique gifts to serve Jesus at First Baptist.

Worship Services are broadcast Sundays on:

WBCI – FM 105.9 8 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Community Cable - Channel 5 - 9 a.m. & 3 p.m.
Saco River Cable – Channel 2 – 11 a.m.
Gorham Community Access TV Channel 2, daily at 7:00 a.m.
and Sunday at 7:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.

Every believer in Jesus Christ is a minister who serves others in Jesus’ name.

Your Pastors who serve and equip God’s people for works of service are...

Senior Pastor	Keith Moore
Associate Pastor/Caring Ministries	Michael Olmstead
Associate Pastor/Youth Ministries	Andrew Foster
Children’s Ministry Director	Hannah Veit

Our Worship Staff

Position Open
Worship Leader
Traditional Service
Christine DeCosta
Pianist
Dan DeCosta
Choir Director

Lisa Gallant Seal
Interim Worship Leader
Contemporary Service

Our Ministry Staff

Nancy Gaudet
Church Administrator
Position open
Administrative Assistant
Carol Ann Cagle
Treasurer
Donna Verrill
Bookkeeper

Property Commission
Haley Cornwall
Custodian and Building Care
John Carpenter
Financial Secretary
Linda Westberry
Assistant Financial Secretary



“Is anything too hard for the LORD? I will return to you at the appointed time next year and Sarah will have a son. Sarah was afraid, so she lied and said, ‘I did not laugh.’ But he said, ‘Yes, you did laugh.’”

Genesis 18:14-15

“Our God Who Delights in Doing the Impossible: Abraham and Sarah”

Genesis 18:9-15

Dr. Keith Moore



June 28, 2015

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8:45 a.m. Morning Worship

Prelude	Pianist ~ Christine DeCosta	
Welcome	The Wonderful Cross	Dan DeCosta
Announcements		
	Church news	Dan DeCosta
Worshiping God with Music		
	Great Is Thy Faithfulness	No. 139
	Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty	No. 3
	Shout to the Lord	
	Breathe	
	When I Look Into Your Holiness	No. 649
	Doxology	No. 815
We Worship God with Our Prayers, Tithes & Offerings	Mike Olmstead	
We Worship God through His Word	Dr. Keith Moore	

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10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

Announcements		
	Church news	Lisa Gallant Seal
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6 pm Bible study in the Chapel with Pastor Mike
“Two Ways to Live: Knowing & Sharing the Gospel”
Philemon

This Week at FBC...

TODAY:	
7:30 & 10:15	Prayer in the Parlor for today’s church services
8:45 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
8:45 – Noon	All Children’s Ministries ages Newborn – 4 th grade
9:00 a.m.	Your Life in Christ - Parlor
10:05 a.m.	Adult Discipleship Class: Lessons from the Upper Room w/ Len MacPhee –Rm 251 Prayer Time – Parlor
10 - Noon	Grief Share Support Group w/Marilyn Amoroso-Chapel
10:05 a.m.	Coffee fellowship - FLC
10:45 a.m.	Morning Worship Service in the Sanctuary
	Join us directly after service for Snack & Chat – Front foyer
12:30 p.m.	VBS Training – gym
TUESDAY	
7:00 a.m.	Ladies Prayer Group - Chapel
6:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting – Room 231
7:00 p.m.	Outreach & Discipleship Commission Meeting- Room 226
THURSDAY	
6:30 a.m.	Men’s Fight Club & Bible Study - Chapel
6:45 a.m.	Prayer for Revival in the Parlor
6:00 p.m.	Men’s Bible study (Gospel of John) – Parlor
7:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous – FLC
FRIDAY	
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July Prayer Retreat - FBC
Saturday, July 11th from Noon — Sunday, July 12 at Noon

The Tuesday evening prayer team is planning a 24-hour prayer retreat to ask the Lord to raise up a rising tide of prayer for First Baptist Church. We sense that a retreat is very timely in seeking the Lord’s face as a church body; for the water mark of prayer to increase as our power, patient endurance and perseverance come from Him.

Please plan to join us for any amount of time...an hour... or more!
Stay tuned...Details to follow~



- 3rd – Office closed for July 4th holiday
- 3rd – Seadogs with 20-something group**
- 6th -11th Love Portland Missions by our Youth Ministry*
- 6th – 10th Vacation Bible School 6-8 p.m. ages 3 years – 6th grade *
- 9th – Six week Bible study begins for 20-something group**
- 18th – Women’s Ministry Cookout at the Bogart’s camp

* Please note that all scheduled meetings during this week must be relocated outside of the building OR your group could see Andrew and Hannah about volunteer opportunities ☺

** 20-something group details are available by calling Rob or Holly Groom at 653-5575 or the church office 773-3123

OPPORTUNITIES TO REACH 04103:

Do you have a friendly smile? Our Food Pantry Ministry needs volunteers. Help give out food on Wednesdays from 1-2 p.m.

OTHER NEWS

FBC Church Camp – August 16-22nd ~ staff & camper applications are available online and outside the church office.

Where are my personal numbered tithing envelopes? No problem, we have relocated the boxes to the office. Just let us know and we can get a box for you (2 Corinthians 9:7).

Summer Office hours: Monday- Thursday 8:30-4:30 and Fridays 8-1

Ministry Job Openings: Applications are located outside the office.

First Service Worship Leader - The successful candidate will have an authentic walk with our Lord, and a genuine love for His people. Those who prayerfully consider this opportunity and feel led to apply are invited to submit their application to the church office.

Administrative Assistant for the church office. Work 29 hours per week. Please send your resume and application to Nancy Gaudet at nancyfbc@maine.rr.com.