

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

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The Lord's Day – May 13, 2018 – Mother's Day

**MORNING WORSHIP**

**10:45 a.m.**

Welcome – Pastor Grotzke  
Choir – “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”  
Hymn – “He Is King”, #33  
Announcements  
Special Music – Emily Jaehnert & Victoria Duy  
The Joys of Being a Mother – Tatum Ogren  
Special Music – Margie Erickson & Sarah Kuschel  
Recognition of Grandmothers  
Recognition of Mothers  
Prayer of Dedication and Gratitude  
Offertory – String Ensemble  
Special Music – Maurer Sisters  
Special Music – Gene Young  
Hymn – “How Wonderful Art Thou”, #54  
Baby Dedication – Pastor Grotzke  
Special Music – Bailey Boelter  
Hymn – “A Child of the King”, #450  
Challenge – Pastor Grotzke  
Special Music – “I'll Fly Away”, Mixed Group  
Closing Prayer – Tim Miller

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*There will be no church service this evening; no choir practice or orchestra practice. Have a good rest of the day with family and friends.*

**THIS WEEK:**

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – AWANA Awards Night – Everyone meet in the auditorium; cookies and beverages for all will follow in the small gym.

7:30 p.m. – Deacons meeting

Thursday, 12:30 p.m. – Senior Lunch

**LRCS NEWS:**

Friday, May 18 – 12:30 p.m. – Track & Field Day, K5-6<sup>th</sup> grade  
5:30 p.m. – Senior High Banquet at Arboretum

**NEXT SUNDAY:**

Baccalaureate service at 6:00 p.m.

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

May 22, 9:00 a.m. – Ladies Cabin Fever in fireside room  
May 25, 7:00 p.m. – Lake Region Christian School Graduation  
June 3 – The Lord's Table in the evening service  
June 6- (Wednesday), 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. – Church Work Night – There will be no Bible Studies, Youth Group, Kids' Bible Club or nursery care. Everyone come prepared to work if you are able.  
June 8, 7:30 a.m. – Men/Boys' Breakfast/Bible Study  
June 14-15, 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Youth rummage sale in small gym.  
If you have something you would like to contribute, see Pastor Pete Erickson.  
June 17 – Special Father's Day service in a.m. – Barry Courts, Missionary to Argentina will be preaching. No p.m. service.  
June 18-23 – Junior Camp Week (grades 3 – 6<sup>th</sup>) at Camp Chetek;  
See Pastor Wayne as soon as possible to register.  
July 22-27 – Neighborhood Bible Time; K4 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be from 9:00 to noon; teens (7-12<sup>th</sup> grade) 6:30 to 9:00 p.m.  
There are more “Volunteer Questionnaire” information sheets at the Welcome Center if you did not get one last Sunday and are interested in helping.

**LAPS BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN:**

Baby bottles are available this morning to any who are interested in participating in the fund-raising for Lakes Area Pregnancy Support Center. You may pick up a bottle at the Welcome Center, fill it with your loose change until Father's Day, then return it to the Welcome Center attendant or to Betty Wolhart. Please don't leave them unattended. There are information handouts at the Welcome Center; also slips to fill out if you want a tax receipt. The tax receipt slip can be placed in the bottle when you return it. Thank you for your help.

**ABORTION CLINIC MINISTRY:**

We are organizing groups to go to the Fargo abortion clinic again this summer. The Red River Women's Clinic aborts approximately 27 babies each Wednesday. We leave the church parking lot at 6:15 a.m. and usually return around 2:30 p.m. Transportation is provided. A sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center. Call Jon Blake at 232-5000, Alyssa Blake at 232-9447 or Bobbi Blake at 839-0070 if you are interested or have additional questions. Proposed dates are May 23<sup>rd</sup>, June 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>, July 11<sup>th</sup>, August 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**NEWS FROM INDIA:**

We received news this week from John O'Malley, General Director of World Wide New Testament Baptist Missions of the home-going on April 11<sup>th</sup> of Dr. Eric Franks, missionary to India. First Baptist has supported Dr. Franks and his work in the Jawadhi Hills of India (a mountain range with more than 1,000 villages who only know Hinduism) since September of 1999. His wife Molly and his three daughters and their husbands will continue the work there.

**MAY GREETERS:**

East: Jerry and Jill Rivers                      Middle: Dave and Kathy Shack  
West: Larry and Gloria Peterson              Far West: Carol Rono

**CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:**

Happy birthday to Katrina Grotzke, Ezra House and Abby Jones today; Matt Kilian on the 14<sup>th</sup>; Margaret Oaks, Hannah Jacobus and John Hagen on the 15<sup>th</sup>; Darla Grotzke and Nancy Krekelberg on the 16<sup>th</sup>; Kayla Voss on the 17<sup>th</sup>; David Ellstrom on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

**NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:**

Sunday, May 13 – a.m. Tim & Amanda Miller, Whitlee & Carson Moore  
p.m.- no service on 13<sup>th</sup>.  
Wednesday, May 16 - Julie and Jennifer Kovacic  
Sunday, May 20 – a.m. Scott and Bobbi Blake, Jon and Alyssa Blake  
p.m. John and Heather Hagen  
Wednesday, May 23 – Julie and Jennifer Kovacic

**Last Week's Offerings & Statistics:**

<b>Offerings:</b>			
<b>General:</b>	<b>\$21,322.72</b>	<b>Budget amount needed weekly:</b>	<b>\$8,486.77</b>
<b>AWANA</b>	<b>45.00</b>	<b>Budget giving YTD:</b>	<b>\$348,934.90</b>
<b>Seth Grotzke</b>	<b>800.00</b>	<b>Budget needs YTD:</b>	<b>\$305,523.72</b>
<b>Shinie Cheryan</b>	<b>750.00</b>		
<b>Missions</b>	<b>134.00</b>		
<b>Faith Palotes</b>	<b>792.09</b>		
<b>Chairs</b>	<b>500.00</b>		
<b>Attendance: Morning Service – 263      Children's Church – 64      Nursery – 15</b>			
<b>Evening Service – 168      Nursery – 8</b>			

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