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**IMMEDIATELY!**

THE GOSPEL OF MARK



First Baptist Church

May 17, 2026

9:00 AM



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Family Matters:		Linda Murphy
Scripture Reading:	Isaiah 53:1-4	Ann Retz
Call to Worship/ Silent Confession:		Kathie Toschlog
Song:	“Blessed Assurance”	Hymn # 334
Prayer:	Intercession for the Church	
Song:	“Battle Belongs”	
Song:	“Because He Lives”	
Today’s Message:	Mark 6:1-13 <b>The Tragedy of Unbelief</b>	Pastor Branden Pahl
Song:	“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”	Hymn # 54
Benediction		
Postlude:		Kathie Toschlog

**Dear Church: If you see someone you don’t know, extend your hand and introduce yourself. We want to welcome all our visitors and regular attenders in Christian fellowship.** Everyone, feel free to enjoy a cup of coffee or tea at the Welcome Center after service today. Sunday school classes are posted on the directory. Don’t forget to fill out a connect card found on the back of the pews.

## Deacon's Prayer:

**Pray for all our shut in and those who fear isolation**

**Don Weaver**, whose mother passed away this week. She is now in the presence of our Lord. Irene was 105 years old. God be gracious to Don in his loss.

**Prayer Quilt:** Neighbor of one of our disciples who have ministered to, Scott Hatton, asks we pray for Scott. He is in St. Vincent in critical condition. A prayer quilt is in the hallway, please come say a prayer over the quilt and tie a knot.

**Robin Grice:** New member who had a hip replaced and still struggling with recovery.

**HELP WANTED: We are searching for dedicated people who are willing to help canvas for LifeWise for the fall term.** Canvassing begins each Saturday during the month of July. First Baptist Church has committed to helping the school children in this city learn about God during school hours at First Baptist Church. --Carolyn 765-962-3074

### **HELP WANTED:**

*The Foster Care Portal is up and running. If you would like to help disciple others to Christ, here is an opportunity that helps us help a broken child. If you can help to deliver needed items for emergency Foster Care, please Contact 765-962-3074 FBC Mission Board Oversight. **Easy Work, excellent reward, and training is provided.***

### **HELP WANTED: TITUS 2**

*Your knowledge of Christ is needed! The mentorship program called TITUS 2 is going strong. We still need those who wish to help others **by sharing Biblical truths through their mentorship.** Those willing to help someone refine their spiritual development, through friendship, encouragement and support will be richly rewarded. See branden@firstbaptistrichmond.org*

**Want to be a *Vacation Bible School* helper at First Baptist?** 3 day commitment July 16- 18, 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.  
**Qualifications: A sincere Love to serve the Lord our God** through the watch care of his children. A background check is required.  
Contact the church office at 765-962-3074.

**Help Wanted: PRAYER QUILT MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP - NO SEWING EXPERIENCE REQUIRED.** *Bring your friend, have some fun, and bless the many who are in need of prayer. Contact Betty Uhl @ (765) 277-9046 or contact the office and we'll help you make a connection. "God Bless You"*

**Missions and Announcements:**

**Get Ready....its almost yard sale time! All proceeds go to support Cross Road Christian Recovery Center.**



**Association of Baptist World Evangelism: Our Missions giving raised another \$60 last week for ABWE. Thank you. Please remember we are aiming to reach \$1,500 total. There is a magazine on the Discipleship Board that explains all that we support through ABWE and why.**

3/1/2026	3/8/2026	3/15/2026	3/22/2026	3/29/2026	6 Sum	Avg Weekly	Yearly Average
163	144	140	142	167	756	151.2	149
4/5/2026	4/12/2026	4/19/2026	4/26/2026	Sum	Avg Weekly		
186	149	158	154	647	162		
5/3/2026	5/10/2026	5/17/2026	5/24/2026	5/31/2026	Sum	Avg Weekly	
163	151				163	163	

Giving Report	General Fund	Regular Missions	Designated Missions	Building Fund	Deacon's Fund
Year To date	\$116,205.21	\$9,916	\$5069	\$2,483	\$4,041
Last week	\$4,273.30	\$260	\$280	\$145	\$60
2026 Budget Remaining (corrected)	\$241,154.79	\$15,984			