

CONNECTIONS & PRAYERS

Missionary Update

Jeremy and Mindie Tice

Serving with World Partners, Europe

The Tices are headquartered in Germany where they work alongside leaders in Europe that are focused on equipping and empowering disciples of Jesus.

- ◆ Mindie and JJ (their middle child) recently attended a retreat with other Black Forest Academy high schoolers for a special focused time of spiritual development and fun. Pray that these teenagers will grow deeper in their walks with Jesus rather than simply following in the religious steps of their parents.
- ◆ Jeremy recently joined a church in Poland that took vans loaded with supplies to the border of Ukraine to be taken across the country where the biggest need is. Pray that these supplies will be a blessing to those who receive them. He asks for continued prayers that the war will end.
- ◆ The refugee camp in Kandern, Germany has opened back up. Ukrainian, Afghani and Syrian refugees are being cared for. Mindie has become more involved there. She has served as an on call nurse, assessing needs and also simply sitting to have tea with women who are overwhelmed by their situation of displacement and separation. Jeremy met with a gentleman with a M*sl*m background who wants to learn more about who Jesus is. He and Jeremy both have the common language of French.

Spring Congregational Meeting Agenda

Sunday, June 5th (1:00 pm in Fellowship Hall following a meal provided at noon)

Meeting Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86394585422?pwd=2h30PwJJYUiiX91nBd7btuqNp_ASfB.1

Phone Number: (253)215-8782 / Meeting ID: 863 9458 5422 / Passcode: 396297

Meeting Agenda

Opening Greeting		Julie Ahrendt
Devotional and Prayer		Dale Durrell
Read & Approve Minutes		Mitchell Henderson
Leadership Reports	Ministry Plans	Kathy Ferrier
	Pastor Search Status	Jason Pittman
	Summer and Fall Schedule	Pastor Rick Harpel
Church Budget		Jim Hinckley, Karen Schloeman
Old and New Business		Julie Ahrendt
Closing Prayer		Dan Barnhart

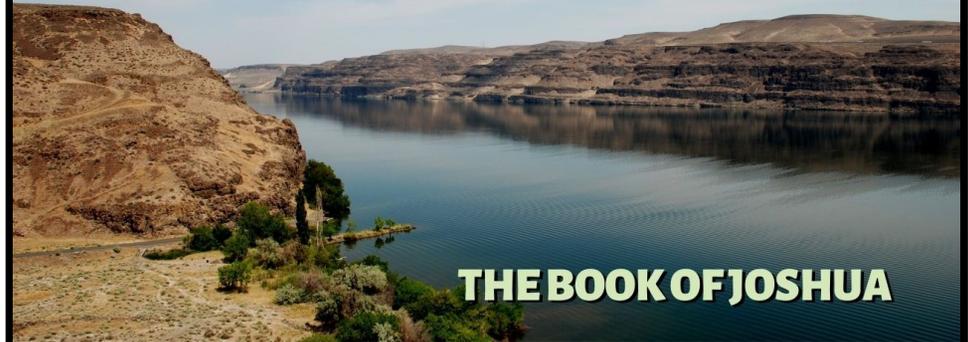
Please Read the documents ahead and submit your questions **PRIOR TO THE MEETING.**

WELCOME

to  First Baptist Church Corvallis

May 29th, 2022

MOVING FORWARD WITH COURAGE AND OBEDIENCE



THE BOOK OF JOSHUA

“Moving Forward: ‘Taking That First Big Step’”

[Joshua 3-4] By Pastor Rick Harpel

Worship Leader: Cindy Forrest

*We are many generations connecting
the next generation to Jesus.*

We aim to encounter God through worship, to connect with others through smaller communities, and to engage in missional outreach to our neighbors and the nations.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS



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SPRING CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

6/5 in Fellowship Hall w/ Zoom Option after worship
 The Meeting Agenda and the 2022-23 Ministry Plans & Budget are available in-person, on the Friday email, and on the church website. Please review each of these documents carefully and submit your questions ahead of time so that our leaders can thoughtfully answer these questions at the meeting.
 Ministry Plan questions: office@fbccorvallis.org
 Budget questions: jim@fbccorvallis.org



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are considering meeting outside at the Scout Cabin for summer, but to make it happen we will need volunteers! We need four volunteers each week from 8-8:30am to help set up and then remaining after the service to put the equipment away. A sign up sheet is available in the lobby.



ADULT BIBLE CLASS

Continues, Sunday 6/12 at 9am in Fellowship Hall
 "Reading For Obedience" discussing Hebrews 12.



GUEST ORGANIST

Sunday 6/5
 Craig Hanson (Organist, LBCC and OSU) will play in our service as well as the Prelude and Postlude. Please come early to listen!

IMPORTANT DATES:

Sundays	9am	Adult Bible Class in Fellowship Hall (6/12, 6/19, & 6/26)
	10:30am	Worship, Pre-K, K-5th Kids Church, & Nursery during worship
Tue, May 31	7am	Geezer Men's Bible Study, Choir Room
Wed, Jun 1	6:30pm	All Church Prayer via Zoom
Sun, Jun 5	10am	Guest Organist, Craig Hanson
	12pm	Congregational Meal and Meeting

Life-Giving Small Groups Meeting throughout the week.

Contact lifegroups@fbccorvallis.org for more info!

MESSAGE NOTES

"MOVING FORWARD: "TAKING THAT FIRST BIG STEP" – JOSHUA 3-4

INTRODUCTION: "Got any rivers you think are uncrossable?"

REVIEW: The Israelites had...

- ...come through the wilderness, and won some battles.
- ...arrived at the Jordan River now ready to take the Promised Land.
- ...the problem of a literally uncrossable river with enemies on the other side.

1. Crossover people get ready. (3:1-5)
 - a. Readiness is a response to God's revelation.
 - b. Readiness means physical preparation.
 - c. Readiness involves consecration.
 - d. Readiness is a response of obedience.

What would consecration look like today?

2. Crossover people get rolling. (3:6-17)
 - a. Rolling means following God. (The Ark of the Covenant)
 - b. Rolling means watching God do the impossible. (a series of many miracles)

What would that kind of following look like today?

- Our "Ark"! Jesus Christ our (1) Savior, (2) example, and (3) the presence of God.
- Considering our following through some national "Uncrossables."
 (John 13:15, Mark 10:40-52, Luke 19:10, 1 Peter 2:20b-25, Corinthians 10:31-11:1, Matthew 5:3-12, Galatians 5:18-26)

- #1 We are to be **servants** like he was.
- #2 We are to **seek the lost** like he did.
- #3 We are to **not sin or be deceitful** in our speaking like Him.
- #4 We are to **not retaliate** with insults but be **willing to suffer** as He did.
- #5 We are to do all **for God's glory seeking the good of others** like Him.
- #6 We are to **speak and act with these character qualities** evident by His Spirit.

3. Crossover people never forget to remember. (4:1-24)
 - a. Remembrance is a priority.
 - b. Remembrance takes some effort.
 - c. Remembrance bears results in the future.
 - d. Remembrance is a response of obedience.

What would remembering look like today?

CONCLUSION: GET READY, GET ROLLING, and NEVER FORGET TO REMEMBER.

"Got any rivers you think are uncrossable?
 Got any mountains you can't tunnel through?
 God specializes in things tho't impossible,
 He does the things others cannot do."