

## Missionary Update

### Natalie Meeks Bridge Builders International

The mission team is honored to invite Natalie Meeks of BBI (Bridge Builders International) to join our family of missionaries with a love gift of \$2000.00 to fund her October Latvia trip. We have plans with the next budget (2024 - 2025) to begin supporting her financially with monthly support.

\*Please continue to pray for the transition in leadership at BBI:

Natalie Meeks as President, Joshua Masters as Executive Director, and Chuck Kelley as President Emeritus

### Kent & Kim Ramussen Wycliffe Bible Translators

Kent & Kim Ramussen serve with Wycliffe Bible Translators on the continent of Africa as they are gifted in tonal languages. They served in the Democratic Republic of Congo for many years but, due to ongoing unrest & danger, 4 years ago moved their family and ministry to Cameroon. Their 4-year term coincided with middle son Joel's 4 years of high school and they now are on a 1-year home assignment in Texas.

Please pray for:

-God's provision as they reestablish a household in a weary season

-The team Kent could not join in Nigeria to work on language & translation, because he was not granted a Visa.

-2 oldest sons are studying at universities in Texas and youngest daughter Anna is home studying.

-safe used cars they can use

### Church Leadership

**Staff:** Pastor Barry Cole, Pastor Bill Knopp, Kathy Ferrier, Cindy Forrest, Tom Kellogg, Mary Law

**Elders:** Dan Barnhart, Barry Cole, Dale Durrell, Jeff Harris, Mark Johnson, Mike Rinkin

### Ministry Teams

Sunday Worship	Leaders: Pastor Barry Cole, Cindy Forrest
Family Ministry	Leader: Barry Cole
Children's Ministry	Leader: Kathy Ferrier
Missions	Leader: Chuck Kelley
Congregational Care	Leader: Pastor Bill Knopp
Men's Ministry	Leader: Daniel Peterson
Women's Ministry	Leaders: Cathy Cunningham, Kathy Ferrier, Cindy Forrest

# WELCOME

to  First Baptist Church Corvallis

**September 17, 2023**



### Passing the Torch

**Guest Preacher: Chuck Kelley**

**Worship Leader: Jeanne Robinson**

**We are many generations growing  
together in love and 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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October 1st Communion Special Offering

## WORSHIP PASTOR SEARCH PRAYER TIME

Join us to pray for the progress of the Worship Pastor search. We will be meeting in person in the Fellowship Hall Sunday, September 24 at 9:00am

## CRAFTERS ON A MISSION

Tomorrow, Monday, September 18 at 9:30am  
 Crafters on a Mission will be meeting at the church to prepare water bottles for the Fall Outreach. If you have a glue gun and glue sticks, bring them and enjoy a great time working together.

## COMMUNION SUNDAY SPECIAL OFFERING

Our October Special Communion Offering will be on Sunday, October 1st. We will be donating gift cards for the Love Inc. "Share the Love" gift card fundraiser. Purchase gift cards from Fred Meyer, Safeway, Wal-Mart or WinCo for \$15 and bring them to the church on October 1.

<b>September 17</b>	12-1:30pm	Children's Ministry Lunch and Training Fireside Room
<b>September 18</b>	9:30am-12pm	Crafters on a Mission at the church
<b>September 23</b>	10:00am-6pm	Fall Festival Outreach-see the bulletin for details!
<b>September 24</b>	9:00am	Pastor Search All Church Prayer Fellowship Hall
<b>October 1</b>	during service	Communion Offering: Love Inc., Share the Love gift cards
<b>October 8</b>	after service	Fall Congregational Meeting-Lunch provided
<b>October 12</b>	12-2pm	PrimeTimers Fellowship Hall
<b>October 15</b>	9:00am	Missionary Coffee Fellowship Fellowship Hall
<b>Sundays</b>	9:00am	International Student Breakfast Bible Study Welcome House 136 NW 10th St.
<b>Tuesdays</b>	7:00am	Men's Bible Study Choir Room
<b>Wednesdays</b>	6:30pm	All Church Prayer Meeting ZOOM link on the website
<b>Saturday Sept 30</b>	6:00-7:30pm	Student Led Prayer Meeting first floor conference room

## Fall Festival Outreach

We're moving forward to engage again with our community. And what better way to do that than by connecting with something that's already happening—the Fall Festival.

So mark your calendar for **Saturday, September 23, 10:00am – 6:00pm.**

### Here's what's going to be happening in our church building:

- Art displays by local artists
- Music performances by our own FBC talent
- Face-painting, art lessons & coloring corner for kids
- Sidewalk chalk art for teens
- Handing out bottles of water with church info/Scripture reference
- Opportunities to connect with the people who come
- Raffle for a painting donated by Mark Dorr

### Here's how you can be involved:

- **Connection Team:** Greeting people as they pass by/park in our lot; handing out bottles of water; inviting them in.  
**Point of contact: Judy Rinkin**
- **Music Performers:** Play some "background" music for about 30 minutes in the church lobby.  
**Point of contact: Cindy Forrest**
- **Children's Team:** Help with children's activities.  
**Point of contact: Judy Rinkin**
- **Teen Team:** Help teens with sidewalk art projects.  
**Point of contact: Tina Robison**
- **Operations Team:** Keep church/bathrooms clean and supplies stocked.  
**Point of contact: Mike Rinkin**
- **Set up/Tear down Teams:** Help set up on Friday and tear down/clean up on Saturday.  
**Point of contact: Pastor Barry**

Pray the Lord uses our event to connect people to Him. And pray about how you'll be involved. Email any of the points of contact to volunteer or fill out the volunteer form at the Coffee Corner in the church lobby.