



FBC SEYMOUR

EASTER 2018

TO BE CONTINUED...

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SOMETIMES THE END IS ONLY THE BEGINNING.



**9:00AM Blended Worship Service**  
**In the Sanctuary**

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Greeting**

*Christ the Lord is Risen Today (#217)*

**Praise & Worship**

*Praise the King*

**Offering Prayer:** Elton Chambers

**Offering:** *See What a Morning* - Voice of Praise

**Children Dismissed to Children's Church**

*Christ Arose (#216)*

**Message:** *To Be Continued...Get Ready!*

**Mark 16:1-8**

**Rev Dr Jeremy Myers**

**Song of Response**

*Anástasis (O Praise the Name)*

**Celebration of Communion\***

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

If you have hearing difficulties,  
please see an usher to receive  
a personal PA receiver.



**11:15AM Modern Worship Service**  
**In the Fellowship Center**

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Greeting**

**Praise & Worship**

*Glorious Day*

*Lion and the Lamb*

**Offering & Worship**

*Praise the King*

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\*As we celebrate the death, burial  
and resurrection of our Savior, we  
invite all believers in Jesus to  
participate with us at the Lord's Table.

# EXPERIENCE **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SEYMOUR**

## SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

### EASTER SUNDAY, April 1

- 7:00 AM Easter Sunrise Service
- 9:00 AM Blended Worship Service
- 10:15 AM Sunday School Classes for nursery through Adults
- 11:15 AM Modern Worship Service

**THE ATTIC** NO Jr/Sr High Youth Group - The ATTIC will resume meeting next week

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

### Tuesday, April 3

- 7:00 PM Worship Band Rehearsal

### Wednesday, April 4

- 5:15 PM Noah's Ark Preschool Board Meeting
- 5:45 PM Family Night Dinner
- 6:45 PM Adult Bible Study, Children & Youth Classes
- 8:00 PM Voice of Praise Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, April 5

- 12:30 PM American Red Cross Blood Drive (till 5:30 PM)

## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Monday, April 9  
5:30 pm

Create a pot of plants at Schneider's Nursery and enjoy fellowship and refreshments!

Cost is \$20 Limited to the first 25 ladies. Call the Office to sign up!



*Ladies Evening Out*



### Graduate Recognition Dinner May 6

For high school graduates and their families. Register by April 15 to attend.

### April 8 Committee Meetings

- 12:15 PM Deaconesses
- 4:00 PM Christian Education
- 5:00 PM Deacons
- 5:00 PM Evangelism & Mission
- 6:30 PM Trustees

### April 15 Quarterly Business Meeting

10:15 AM between worship services

### ABWM Spring Conference

April 16, 5:30 PM at Bethany Baptist (see the website, [fbchome.org](http://fbchome.org), for more details)



### AB Brotherhood Reds Game Outing April 14

Tickets \$30, limited to first 50. Contact Michael Payne to sign up at 812.820.5566.



### Volunteer Orientation

April 2, 6-9PM  
Contact Clarity at 866.510.5067 to register or for more information.

**The next Quarterly Business Meeting will be Sunday, April 15 at 10:15AM**

### Beautifully Broken

Every year for Spring Break, my family and I make the trek down to Florida to enjoy some fun in the sun. We spend most of our time at Solivita, a 55+ community where my in-laws spend the winter. This community is much like a resort and is located close to Orlando, so the majority of our time is spent in the middle of the state. However, it would be nigh unto sinful to get so close to the ocean and not make a trip to see it, so we always take one day and drive to Cocoa Beach to play in the sand and the surf.

One of our favorite things to do while at the beach is to walk along where the ocean meets the sand hunting for shells. We don't arrive at the beach until late morning, thus most of the "good shells" have been taken by the time we begin our search. But, search we do, and inevitably, we discover some shell or fragment that catches our eye. We pick it up and it spurs us on in our quest for further hidden treasures.

As we made our way up and down the beach this year a flash of white caught my eye as a wave rolled in over my feet. As the water streamed back into the ocean, I stopped the white object between my feet. I reached down and picked up a bright white shell. It was extremely thin and had a massive chunk broken out of the middle. I couldn't stop looking at it. Normally, I would see the fragment missing from the shell and would toss it back into the ocean. Instead, I carried this delicate shell in my left hand all the way to the pier and then back to our spot on the beach.

I couldn't stop thinking about that white shell. As we walked, I continued to open my hand and look at that little shell. It was so beautiful to my eye, but it was broken. Why would I keep it? What would I possibly do with a broken shell? All at once it hit me; all of the shells we had collected were broken. In fact, every shell I had ever collected was broken. Before a shell finds its way to the beach, and subsequently to our collections, it serves as the protective covering for an animal. The shell is actually a part of the animal's body. The shell is empty and available for us to take home because the animal inside has died and either rotted away or been eaten by another animal. Every shell is broken.

Just because something appears to be broken doesn't mean it isn't beautiful. Just because something is broken doesn't mean it doesn't have value or worth. Just because something is broken doesn't mean it can't serve a purpose. Sometimes it is the fact that something is broken that makes it beautiful, valuable, and useful to us. If those shells on the beach still had animals inside, there is no way most of us would pocket them to take them home to display. In some cases, it is the brokenness that makes them beautiful.

Each of us are broken in some way. Some may hide their brokenness better than others, but each of us holds failure, loss, anxiety, and hurt in our hearts. We all have moments when we feel like that white shell spinning in the tide. We are caught in the current, brokenness on full display, wondering if we have any hope for the future. That's the beauty of the resurrection. Through His death, Christ took our brokenness upon Himself bringing about our salvation. Through His resurrection, He conquered death providing us with the hope of new life. Through Christ, our brokenness provides a means of displaying His greatness and strength. Through Christ, our brokenness becomes beautiful.

Grace and Peace,



Need a  
Ride to  
Church?



**We'll pick you up!** Call the church office to schedule a pick-up for Sunday before noon on Thursday!

**Bus Ministry workers week of April 1:**

**Sunday (9AM):** Don Kirk (524-0008)

**Wed. Eve Adults:** Danny Reynolds (521-2857)

**Children:** Jamie York (497-3233)

**Bus Helpers:** Gerald & Delores Ault

**Bus Ministry workers week of April 8:**

**Sunday (9AM):** Danny Reynolds (521-2857) **Wed. Eve Adults:** Don Kirk (524-0008)

**Wed. Eve Children:** Jamie York (497-3233) **Bus Helper:** Sheila Green

**Want to get involved in the bus ministry? Wednesday Drivers and Helpers Needed!**

**Workers for the Month of April:**

**Hospitality 9AM:** Phil & Mary Garrison

**11:15AM:** Yogi Fouts, Erin Moore

**Children's Church 9AM:** Gina Fields

**11:15AM:** Connie Tingle

**Workers for the Week of April 1**

**Deacon of the Week:** Elton Chambers (859-338-1609)

**Pastor's Prayer Partner:** Heather Lee

**SS Hour Toddler Nursery:** Karla Shutters

**Ushers (9AM):** Jamie York (chair), Tim Title, Deryk Baurle, Don Kirk, Chris Allman

**Nursery 9AM:** Jamie York, Gina Fields

**11:15AM:** Linda Newlin, Karla Shutters

**Wed Eve:** Shannan Silver, Sheila Green

**Workers for the Week of April 8**

**Deacon of the Week:** Larry Lee (497-0213)

**Pastor's Prayer Partner:** Rita Hinners

**SS Hour Toddler Nursery:** Carol Kirk

**Ushers (9AM):** Jamie York (chair), Tim Title, Deryk Baurle, Don Kirk, Chris Allman

**Nursery 9AM:** Joellen Martin, Suzanne Carmichael

**11:15AM:** Sharon Schrader, Joie Curtis

**Wed Eve:** Jolene Endicott

**Shut-ins of the Month for April:** (please remember in your prayers and with a card or a visit)

Bea Simmons: 2249 Hedge Rd, Seymour; Mary Newmister: 827 Freedom Ave, Seymour.

Jessie Kleber: Shields Crossing, 633 Miller Ln #1C, Seymour.

**College Students with Birthdays in April:**

Payton Warren (April 7): 320 S Grant St. Apt 622, West Lafayette, IN 47906

Ethan Crenshaw (April 13): 3805 N Chadam Ln. Apt 1A, Muncie, IN 47304

**Pastoral Care on Weekends:** If you need emergency pastoral care after hours or on the weekend, contact Pastor Larry (812-603-2308) or the Deacon of the Week.

**Pray for Our Known Sick:** Bonita Bowman, Ruth Hayes, River Thompson, George Hart

### Last Sunday, March 25, 2018

**Attendance:**

Wednesday Evening 92  
10:30 Combined Service 200

**The Lord's Treasury:**

Tithes & Offerings \$8,822.75  
Designated Gifts \$120.00  
Total Receipts \$8,942.75

### OUR PASTORAL TEAM

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