

June 2025

MISSION SPOTLIGHT

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 UNITED CHURCH
OF CHRIST

**One Great
HOUR**
OF SHARING

You're here to be light, bringing out the
God-colors in the world. Matthew 5:14 (MSG)

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Summer Bible Camp Scholarships

**\$250.00 scholarships available for
Bible Camp. See Christian Ed for
more information.**

New Bible Study

Started May 28, Wed. at 6:15 pm.

The title is :

"WHEN FAITH IS ALL YOU HAVE".

This study will be based on Hebrews 11 with supplemental verses from the Old Testament. Hope to see you there!



June 15, 2024

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

Tyler Noble	June 1
Kelsey Jones	June 3
Keith Gudakunst	June 4
Eva Chafin	June 6
Dami Gbadegeshini	June 7
Dick Meredith	June 9
Jordan Tuerck	June 11
Austin Gudakunst	June 11
Mike Chiles	June 12
Seth Mathewson	June 14
David Fenton	June 15
Helena Winkler	June 15
Jerry Chiles	June 16
Enslee Mathewson	June 18
Darrick Hale	June 18
Stephanie Shields	June 20
Emily Kindle	June 23
Gary Devier	June 25
Chris Fetzter	June 29
Tom Honegger	June 30

Anniversaries

Brandon & Heather Patrick	June 10
Dick & Joyce Meredith	June 10
Scott & Jody McNett	June 14
Johnny & Michelle Elchert	June 21
Ralph & Barb Stelzer	June 22
Jeff & Jodi Thomas	June 23
Jerry & Sue Siesel	June 24

If we did not list your birthday or anniversary, please call the church office so we may update *our* records.



VBS will be Sunday June 24th thru June 26th from 6 PM to 8 PM each evening. Snack is provided for ages 4 - 10 years old. Bring a can good for **VBS** donation to CUP.

We are looking for volunteers and will have a meeting Sunday, June 8th for anyone interested in volunteering.

Please RSVP by June 15th.

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Sunday Worship Schedule

9:30 am Adult Bible Review

10:30 am Morning Worship

10:30 am B.L.A.S.T.

(Cuddle Cove 0-2 (upstairs))

Age 2 thru 4 in The Big Room

Age 5-10 in Elem. Class Room # 12

Age 11-14 Youth Room

Bible Study Wednesdays at 6:15 PM

BIBLE READING PLAN

June 1.....Job 17-20

June 2.....Job 21-24

June 3.....Job 25-30

June 4.....Job 31-34

June 5.....Job 35-38

June 6.....Job 39-42

June 7.....Psalms 1-8

June 8.....Psalms 9-17

June 9.....Psalms 18-21

June 10....Psalms 22-27

June 11....Psalms 28-33

June 12....Psalms 34-37

June 13....Psalms 38-42

June 14....Psalms 43-49

June 15....Psalms 50-55

June 16....Psalms 56-61

June 17....Psalms 62-68

June 18....Psalms 69-72

June 19....Psalms 73-77

June 20....Psalms 78-80

June 21....Psalms 81-88

June 22....Psalms 89-94

June 23....Psalms 95-103

June 24....Psalms 104-106

June 25....Psalms 107-111

June 26....Psalms 112-118

June 27....Psalms 119

June 28....Psalms 120-133

June 29....Psalms 134-140

June 30....Psalms 141-150

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SUN Jun 1	MON 2	TUE 3	WED 4	THU 5	FRI 6	SAT 7
Comunion Sunday • 9:45am Adult Bible • 10:30am B.L.A.S			• 6:15pm Bible Study • 6:15pm EPIC Kids • 6:15pm EPIC Youth	• 10am Diaconate • 1pm Primetimer	• 10am RUTH WH	
8 • 9:45am Adult Bible • 10:30am B.L.A.S • 11:45am Trustee	9	10 • 5:30pm DayCare • 6:15pm CE Board	11 • 6:15pm Bible Study • 6:15pm EPIC Kids • 6:15pm EPIC Youth	12 • 1pm Primetimer	13 • 10am RUTH WH	14
15 • 9:45am Adult Bible • 10:30am B.L.A.S	16	17 • 5:30pm Official	18 • 5pm Lima Rescue • 6:15pm Bible Study 2 more	19 • 1pm Primetimer	20 • 10am RUTH WH	21
22 • 9:45am Adult Bible • 10:30am B.L.A.S	23	24 6pm VBS FIRST BAPTIST	25	26 • 1pm Primetimer	27 • 10am RUTH WH	28
29 • 9:45am Adult Bible • 10:30am B.L.A.S	30	Jul 1 • 5pm Diaconate	2 • 6:15pm Bible Study • 6:15pm EPIC Kids • 6:15pm EPIC Youth	3 • 1pm Primetimer	4 HAPPY 4TH! • 10am RUTH WH	5

First Baptist Church Lima

OUR FOCUS IS TO INCREASE OUR COMMITMENT TO JESUS CHRIST AND INTRODUCE HIM TO OTHERS.

Pastor’s Broadcaster Article – June 2025

“Realign Your Thinking”

Most of us need to make a big change in our thinking. We need to realign our thinking and priorities with God first, and from there down. If God is God, REALLY GOD of the universe, who is coming again soon, then there is much we must do as a result. If God is real then that is a BIG FACT, we can orient our lives around. If we look at the bible, we find that Genesis Chapter 1 and John Chapter 1 (The Apostle That Jesus Loved) both had this thinking.

Don’t think self-centeredly if we have a God shaped world. Don’t make decision solo if God is Lord of our lives. Following the world does not make sense if we have dedicated our lives to growing our relationship with Jesus and making Jesus known to others. If it is about the Kingdom of God then let us live for that Kingdom and its principles – instead of living like the lost world that doesn’t know Jesus is God.

Sincerely – and with Love, Rev. Andrew Shields – Senior Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST DAYCARE

On May 9th, Lima West Middle school band when was made up of 7th and 8th graders came to Summer session began Tuesday, May 27th at First Baptist Daycare & Preschool and summer officially began on the 20th! I know that I am looking forward to spending more time outside; whether that be playing on the playground, drawing with chalk, or just walking around the building. We will also start water and bike days this month! I have a lot of fun activities planned to keep my friends active and most importantly, having fun!

Miss Billie

Lead 4-Year-Old Teacher

June birthdays...

8th - Miss Dascha – Assistant Wobbler Teacher

24th – Miss Kaitlynn – Lead Early Preschool Teacher

June workversaries...

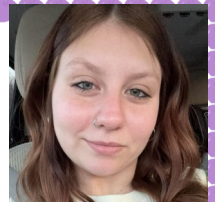
1st – Kassi – Director – 23 years

9th – Ny'Awna – Lead Toddler 2 Teacher – 2 years



June 2025 Teacher of the month:

Miss Dascha



Miss Dascha joined the First Baptist Daycare & Preschool team on March 18th, 2025. She is from Montana and is currently the Wobbler Assistant Teacher. Miss Dascha enjoys reading and drawing in her spare time. She has a 16-month-old son, Preston. A few fun facts about Miss Dascha are that her favorite color is purple, her favorite treat is ice cream, and she also enjoys drinking Dr. Pepper. We are glad to have Miss Dascha on our team!!

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C.U.P. ITEM FOR JUNE

April



Monthly receipts needed for budget: \$20,950
Receipts received in month of April: \$17,800
A negative of: **-\$3150**

Acts 20:35 In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."