

First Baptist Church of Central Square

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Prayer Concerns: Daisy Ayre, Judith Backus, Family of Joan Brown, Carol Chamberlin, Melody Clark, Patricia Corey, Rachel Cole, Family of Doug Deer, Patrick Fenton's Uncle Mark, Nancy Flower, the Fuller Family, Graham Family, Pat Harrington, Jo Heitmann, Lynda Heer, Cherie House, Leighton Merritt, Bev Mitchell, Ken Leamon, Vic Perotti, Ron Myers, Michael Thomas Richichi, Stephen Springer, Stagle Family, Frank VanBuskirk, Helen Webb, our church, our schools, our nation, and our military.

Birthdays:

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| Jessica Shanahan 5 | Daisy Ayre 11 | Cheryl Shanahan 18 |
| Braedon Woolson-Smith 25 | | Helen Webb 26 |

Anniversaries:

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| Diana & Ed Baxter 6 | Margaret & Mark Heitmann 11 | Genie & Marcus Rotundo 28 |
| | Carol & Bob Chamberlin 29 | |

Thank You

Instead of Mystery Member, I will now be recognizing people who selflessly give themselves to this church.

Thank You... **Randi Driesen!** You work tirelessly as a trustee ensuring that every problem we have is taken care. You go above and beyond your role to ensure this church is still standing. You serve God everyday with your commitment to your faith and this church. You are a good friend and a problem solver. We are so lucky to have you!

Witness Articles

Please submit all articles by June 23rd to Kahminder@gmail.com



Upcoming Events

June 2

Chicken & Biscuit Dinner

June 4

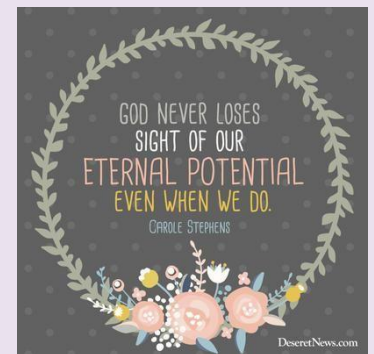
AB Women Meeting (11am)

June 10

Children's Day
Senior Appreciation Day

June 17

Father's Day



Trustee Update

If anyone missed church this past month, you missed that we had to pay \$3915.87 to ServoPro for drying out the basement after the sump pump malfunctioned. Our policy does not cover ground water that is backed up by a sump pump. This is a big OUCH!

But I can also say that we have been able to pay ALL OF OUR BILLS and are up to date!!!!

AB Women

ABW will meet on **Monday, June 4th, at 11am** at the church.

After the meeting we will work making rolled bandages. We need people to rip the sheets, and then they will be sewed together, and then rolled. If anyone has any cotton sheets (white or light colored), please bring them with you, or drop them off if you are unable to attend that day.

Also if you have any monetary donations for blanket Sunday, please bring them so they can be sent.

Membership News

Rev. Bud Adams did hold membership classes for those interested in joining our church. The Deacons will meet with Taylor Baxter, Alec Rich, Leanne Guiles, and Ed Baxter after church on Sunday June 3rd. Then they will be presented to the congregation.

On **Sunday July 8th** Rev. Bud Adams will hold baptism for the new members who wish to be baptized. Please try to attend church to welcome and support our new members.

Diaconate Update:

The Deacons continue to pray for guidance in leading us in the process of finding an interim pastor. We will ask for members' input at the Council meeting in helping us to define more specifically what we are searching for in an interim. Then we will be able to pass on that information to Jim Kelsey and Jerrod Hugenot so they can assist us in searching for an interim pastor who meets our needs. So please prayerfully consider offering your ideas to us.

Pulpit Supply for June:

3 – Rev Ken Leamon
10 – Rev Ken Leamon (Children's Day)
17 – Rev Gary Baker
24 - Rev Terry Nichols

Prayer Shawl Ministry

We have a new project we are doing for the Syracuse Community Health Center making baby hats and baby blankets; along with our prayer shawls. All are welcome to join us on Thursdays, or if you are unable we will graciously accept your knitted, crocheted, or sewn items; along with donations of yarn or material. All yarn and material must be new and from a non-smoking, pet-free home, as we must follow the health department regulations. Thank you.

Church Officers

Reverend

Moderator

Lynn Bort

Church Clerk

Rebekah Springer

Treasurer

Elizabeth Rotundo

Assistant Treasurer

Roxanne Spink

Financial Secretary

Grace Fuller

Christian Education

Facilitators

Roxanne Spink

Carol Chamberlin

Misty DeFalco

Trustee Facilitators

Randi Driesen

Cherie House

Diana Baxter

Diaconate Facilitators

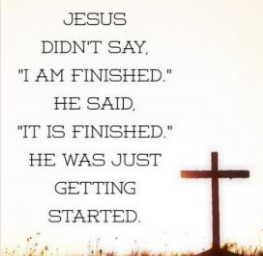
Rich Mizerski

Penny Faulter

Cheryl Backman

**"A persons character is shown
through their actions in life NOT
where they sit on Sunday."**

Navonne Johns



Christian Education Facilitators Update

On May 13th John M. Zelesnik handed out bookmarkers in honor of Mother's Day. All of the women in attendance were presented with a bookmarker for the "Motherly" role they provide for the youth of our church. Then on May 20th the Christian Education Facilitators hosted a movie afternoon. We enjoyed the movie "Fireproof" along with pizza and wings. Teacher Appreciation / Recognition Sunday will be observed on June 3rd this year. June 10th will be a busy day because we will be celebrating both Children's Day and Senior Appreciation Day. Our youth will deliver our service under Rebekah Springer's supervision which will, as always, provide an important message from our young people. Following worship a carry-in luncheon will be held for our annual "Senior Appreciation Day." Ham and a cake for dessert will be provided by the Christian Education Facilitators. There is a sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall for additional foods items. The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering will be collected during the month of June. There are no plans for camping activities or VBS this year but we will continue to explore other "family" oriented activities to be held during the summer. If anyone has concerns or suggestions regarding Christian Education issues please contact one of the Christian Education Facilitators.

Respectfully submitted,
Roxanne L. Spink, Christian Education Facilitator Chairperson
Carol Chamberlin
Misty DeFalco

Our Dad

God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family need,
Then God combined these qualities,
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew his masterpiece was complete,
And so, he called it Dad

History of the Ladies Auxiliary By Delores Olin

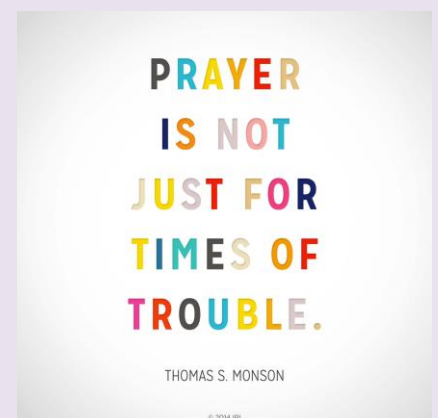
A continuation...

The woman supported the A.B. girls, attended conferences and conventions, were active in the Oswego association. Whenever the church had needs the woman we're there. As the years pass by there were many changes. The women's society meetings were held monthly, now as convenient.



Motto of the Day # 10

There are loyal hearts, there
are spirits brave, there are
souls that are pure and true.
Give to the world the best
you have, and the best will
come back to you.



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June 2018

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 Rev Ken Leamon | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 Children's Day & Senior Appreciation Rev Ken Leamon | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 Father's Day Rev. Gary Baker | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 Rev Terry Nichols | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |

