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◆ **Church Deacons:**

Jeff Whelan            Scott Fessenden  
Justin Galvin            Hannah Galvin

◆ **Sunday School Teachers:**

Scott and Jenn Fessenden - Pre-school to age 12  
Justin and Hannah Galvin - Ages 12 - 17

☆ Please email any events or announcements  
to [JeffW6379@gmail.com](mailto:JeffW6379@gmail.com) by Wednesday.

Please visit [www.prayergarden.us](http://www.prayergarden.us) for updated news, calendar,  
announcements, our full Statement of Faith, and Church Covenant.

Also see Pastor Ron Sylvester's Statement of Faith, testimony, views on  
local church autonomy and the tasks of a church's interim journey.

# First Baptist Church

of West Townsend

Est. 1827



And I will lead the blind in a way that they do not know, in paths that they  
have not known I will guide them. I will turn the darkness before them into  
light, the rough places into level ground. These are the things I do, and I do  
not forsake them. Isaiah 42:16

## June 7, 2026

## 10:00 am Worship Service



## First Baptist Church of West Townsend

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**Welcome** - Jeff

**Worship in Song** - My Lighthouse  
Facing a Task Unfinished  
Blessed Be Your Name

**Prayer and Sermon** - Series: "The Journey"  
"Remember"  
Pastor Ron

**Communion**

**Worship in Song** - Speak O Lord

**Announcements** - Jeff

**Benediction** - Pastor Ron

**Greeting Time**

**First Baptist Church of West Townsend**  
Organized in 1827

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## Upcoming Events and Announcements

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**Prayer Meeting** on **Thursday** evenings at **6:30 pm** at the church.

**Adult Bible Study** on **Sunday** mornings at **9:45 am** downstairs.

**Sunday school** for all ages (4-17) at **9:45 am** every week downstairs.

**The Nursery** is open and staffed each week following the worship portion of the service.

**Community Supper** is held the last **Wednesday** of each month from **5-7 pm**. If you know somebody who would like a meal, please invite them to join us, never any cost. ☆ **JUNE 24** ☆

**Life Group Session Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> 6 – 8pm** at the home of Jeff and Jamie Whelan. It will be a time of deepening relationships through fellowship, prayer and scripture with Christ at the center. Light snacks and drinks will be provided.

**Monthly Women' Prayer Meeting** All women are welcome to join us downstairs, for intentional prayer time at the church. June date TBA. See Jamie Whelan or Jenn Fessenden with any questions.

**250th Celebration in Townsend June 20**, please sign up to march in the parade or help with the church's table. See Amy Fessenden with any questions.



**Electronic Giving** - We now have 3 options for electronic giving: the link on our website, scan the QR code here, or download the **Tithe.ly** app

If anyone has a question or need he or she would like to discuss with **Pastor Ron**, please do not hesitate to call him for an appointment at **518-817-0382**.

**Questions, prayer requests or any other needs:**

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Website: [www.prayergarden.us](http://www.prayergarden.us)

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**Bible Verses: Exodus 12: 1-28**

**12** The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, **2** “This month shall be for you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year for you. **3** Tell all the congregation of Israel that on the tenth day of this month every man shall take a lamb according to their fathers’ houses, a lamb for a household. **4** And if the household is too small for a lamb, then he and his nearest neighbor shall take according to the number of persons; according to what each can eat you shall make your count for the lamb. **5** Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male a year old. You may take it from the sheep or from the goats, **6** and you shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month, when the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill their lambs at twilight.

**7** “Then they shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. **8** They shall eat the flesh that night, roasted on the fire; with unleavened bread and bitter herbs they shall eat it. **9** Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted, its head with its legs and its inner parts. **10** And you shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. **11** In this manner you shall eat it: with your belt fastened, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. And you shall eat it in haste. It is the Lord’s Passover. **12** For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the Lord. **13** The blood shall be a sign for you, on the houses where you are. And when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague will befall you to destroy you, when I strike the land of Egypt.

**14** “This day shall be for you a memorial day, and you shall keep it as a feast to the Lord; throughout your generations, as a statute forever, you shall keep it as a feast. **15** Seven days you shall eat unleavened bread. On the first day you shall remove leaven out of your houses, for if anyone eats what is leavened, from the first day until the seventh day, that person shall be cut off from Israel.

**16** On the first day you shall hold a holy assembly, and on the seventh day a holy assembly. No work shall be done on those days. But what everyone needs to eat, that alone may be prepared by you. **17** And you shall observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread, for on this very day I brought your hosts out of the land of Egypt. Therefore you shall observe this day, throughout your generations, as a statute forever.

**18** In the first month, from the fourteenth day of the month at evening, you shall eat unleavened bread until the twenty-first day of the month at evening. **19** For seven days no leaven is to be found in your houses. If anyone eats what is leavened, that person will be cut off from the congregation of Israel, whether he is a sojourner or a native of the land. **20** You shall eat nothing leavened; in all your dwelling places you shall eat unleavened bread.”

**21** Then Moses called all the elders of Israel and said to them, “Go and select lambs for yourselves according to your clans, and kill the Passover lamb. **22** Take a bunch of hyssop and dip it in the blood that is in the basin, and touch the lintel and the two doorposts with the blood that is in the basin. None of you shall go out of the door of his house until the morning. **23** For the Lord will pass through to strike the Egyptians, and when he sees the blood on the lintel and on the two doorposts, the Lord will pass over the door and will not allow the destroyer to enter your houses to strike you. **24** You shall observe this rite as a statute for you and for your sons forever. **25** And when you come to the land that the Lord will give you, as he has promised, you shall keep this service. **26** And when your children say to you, ‘What do you mean by this service?’ **27** you shall say, ‘It is the sacrifice of the Lord’s Passover, for he passed over the houses of the people of Israel in Egypt, when he struck the Egyptians but spared our houses.’” And the people bowed their heads and worshiped.

**28** Then the people of Israel went and did so; as the Lord had commanded Moses and Aaron, so they did.

