

## WELCOME

“We Reserve the Right to Accept Everybody”

Childcare is provided in the education center. Hearing assistance receivers are available from an usher.

Following worship, join one another for a reception period downstairs. As a hospitality to visitors, a tour of the historic Meeting House will be conducted at 12:15 PM.

Our pastor and deacons welcome the opportunity to speak with you about your interest in church membership. The church provides an Inquirer’s Room located on the first level of the Meeting House just off the main hallway for anyone who is interested.

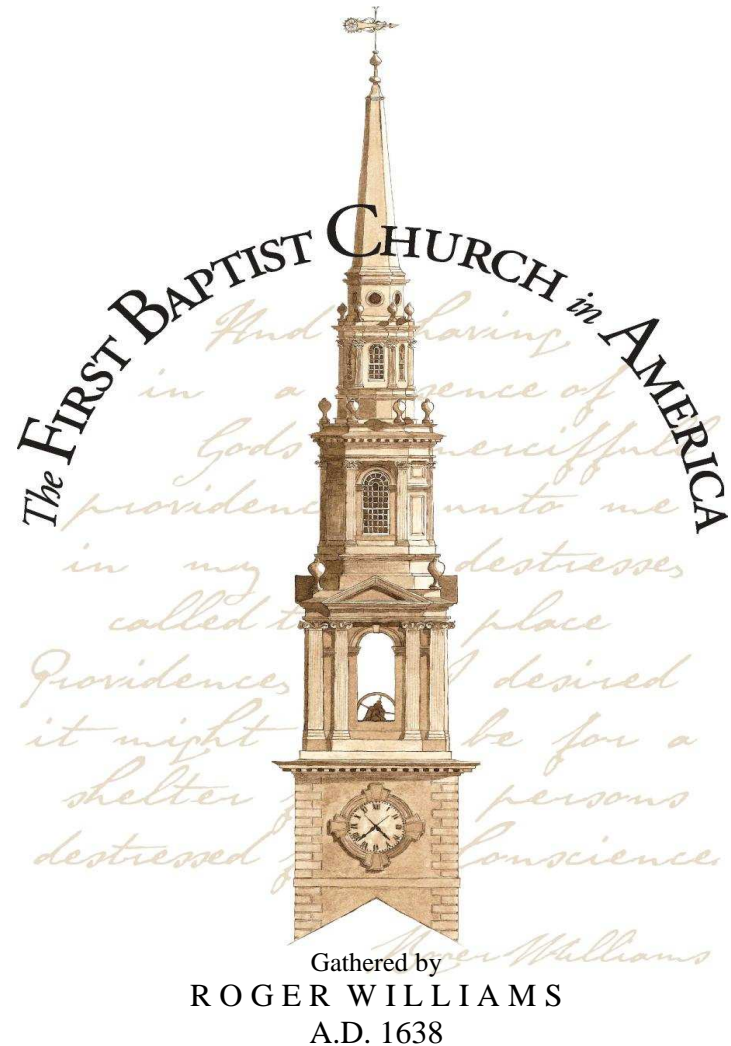
### Announcements

There will be a Quarterly Business Meeting w/Deli lunch on Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM

Finance Committee will be sponsoring an Estate Planning- Faith, Finance and Future w/Deli lunch Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM

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PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

September 28, 2014  
Eleven O'clock AM

# SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

Prelude Allegretto from Sonata Op 65 No 4 Felix Mendelssohn

Greeting Linda Bausserman

Quiet Time for Reflection

## \*A Call to Worship

Leader: To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul; O God, in you I put my trust.

**People: Make me to know your ways, O Lord; teach me your paths.**

Leader: Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all the day long.

**ALL: Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord, and of your steadfast love, for they have been from old.**

\*Invocation (Unison)

**God of Truth, you are the light of the minds that know you, the life of the souls that love you, and the strength of the thoughts that seek you. Help us so to know you that we may truly love you; so to love you that we may fully serve you, in whose service is perfect freedom. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray: Our Father...** (Please use “debts”).

\*Hymn “The Water God Gives Us” (Carolyn Winfrey Gillette)  
(See Hymn Insert) *Foundation*

Scripture Exodus 17:1-7  
John 4:7-15

Anthem “The Last Words of David” (2 Samuel: 23:3-4)  
Randall Thompson

Prayers of the People Thomas McKibbens

\*Hymn 594 “Like a River Glorious” *Wye Valley*

*(Children are dismissed for Christian Education)*

Preaching “*Fresh Vision and the Water of Life!*”  
Thomas McKibbens

Offertory “O Come, Everyone that Thirsteth” from *Elijah*  
The Quartet Felix Mendelssohn  
Sarah Dunn, soprano Esperanza Tannehill, mezzo-soprano  
Samuel Brunner, Tenor Jason Shealy, baritone

\*Doxology 809 *Old Hundredth*

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Parting Hymn 659 “A Charge to Keep I Have” *Boylston*

\*Commission and Blessing

\*Postlude Praeludium I, Op 37 Felix Mendelssohn

## Worship Participants

Greeters Eva and Ahuma Adodoadji  
Usher: Mark Hall and Richard Lepore  
Tour Guide: Richard Aubin

## Ministry Staff

Interim Pastor Thomas R. McKibbens  
Associate Pastor Linda Bausserman  
Minister of Music Stephen T. Martorella  
Administrative Assistant Holly B. Edwards  
Bookkeeper Anne H. Gagan  
Sexton David Michel  
Child Care Worker Ivy Bermudez