FIRST DEFIANCE FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K February 17, 2015

**UNITED STATES** 

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 17, 2015

FIRST DEFIANCE FINANCIAL CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

OHIO 0-26850 34-1803915

(State or other jurisdiction of

incorporation)

(Commission File No.) (IRS Employer I.D. No.)

601 Clinton Street, Defiance, Ohio 43512

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (419) 782-5015

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### **Section 2 – Financial Information.**

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 17, 2015, First Defiance Financial Corp. ("FDEF") issued a press release amending its earnings for the quarter ended December 31, 2014. The sole purpose of this new earnings release is to adjust FDEF's provision for income taxes to reflect the utilization of capital loss carryforwards that were greater than previously identified. As a result, the provision for income taxes for the quarter and full year ended December 31, 2014, was previously overstated by \$551,000. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number Description 99.1 Press Release dated February 17, 2015

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# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

FIRST DEFIANCE FINANCIAL CORP.

By:/s/ Kevin T. Thompson Kevin T. Thompson Chief Financial Officer

Date: February 17, 2015

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