#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

February 8, 2015 ~ 10:45 a.m.

#### **Prelude**

#### Welcome, Registration & Announcements

*Hymns	*Hymns		
Invocation an	Deacon Georgia Flinn		
Offering			
*Doxology		#815	
Morning Pray	ver	Pastor Nathan	
Special Music	"Think on Me"	Brenda Flanagin	
Scripture		Galatians 3:1-14	
Message	"Death by Effort?"	Pastor Nathan	
*Hymn of Response "Spirit of the Living God" #389			
*Benediction			
*Postlude			
* You are invited to stand if able			
** The kneeling rails at the front of the sanctuary are open throughout			

the service for prayer. \*\*

\*\*\* Hearing aid devices are available at the Greeter's table. Just turn it on and adjust the volume. \*\*\*

If you are interested in becoming a member of First Baptist Church or if you have questions about what membership means, please feel free to contact Pastor Nathan or one of the Deacons. We would be happy to talk and pray with you.

## This Week's Calendar

<b>Today</b> February 8	8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:40 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Handbell Practice Fellowship Breakfast Sunday School Morning Announcements Morning Worship Kingdom Kids Campfire
<b>Monday</b> February 9	6:30 p.m	Faithful Workouts
Tuesday February 10		Choir PracticeCottage Prayer Group
Wednesday February 11	6:15 p.m	FLAMES
<b>Thursday</b> <i>February 12</i>	6:30 p.m	Congregational Meeting
Saturday February 13	9:00 a.m	Hoops 4 Him
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# Next Week's Scripture Reading:

Galatians 3:15-25

# **Birthdays This Week**

February 9

February 11

Kay Pierce
Tera Pangallo

February 12

Nancy Sullivan

February 13

Janet Schmidt

February 15

Tasha Campbell

#### Next Week's Volunteers – February 15, 2015

Sound System	Mark Kirkman
Prayer	Tony Resler
Children's Worship	No Children's Worship

#### **February Volunteers**

Greeters	Mark Mullins & Greg Flinn
Usher of the Month	Jeff Coffin
Deacon of the Month	Georgia Flinn
Trustee of the Month	Eric Moody

# If you are unable to work on your scheduled week, PLEASE find someone to take your place!

FBC sermons are available online. Visit our church website, fbcbloom.org, and click on "Featured Media." Or scan this QR code with your smart phone to go directly to the Featured Media page. From there you may select Sermons, Newsletters or Bulletins.



#### A Look at Last Week

<u>Attendance</u>	
Sunday School	70
Morning Worship Service	104
Last Week's Giving	
General Fund	\$4,944.50
Trustee Maintenance Fund	\$125.00
Year To Date	
Actual Income	\$21,366.26
Actual Expenses	\$19,953.33

#### **Guitar Lessons**

If you are interested in individual lessons with an IU Masters student on Thursday nights, please talk to Braden or Tasha Hudson.

### Valentine's Dinner – February 14, 6:30pm

Enjoy a special dinner out for Valentine's Day, hosted by the FLAMES youth group. We will be serving lasagna with salad, bread and dessert.



### Submit your reservations today!

Name	# in your party
Do you need childcare? Please list names a	nd ages of children:
You may place your form in the offering pla	te or on the Secretary's desk.
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### Mission Trip Opportunity – July 18-25

An American Baptist Church in Ft. Wayne is hosting a Mission Serve week July 18-25th.

http://mission-serve.com/mission-serve/2015-projects/fort-wayne-in Do you want to try a mission trip? We would arrive Saturday night, July 18, attend church at Faith Baptist Church Sunday morning, work on projects with others for the week, and return home around noon on the Friday, July 25. Each church group is housed in their own room (one for girls, one for guys) with shower trailers on site. Breakfast and dinner is provided at Faith Baptist Church each day and lunch is provided by other area churches at the work sites. Work will include roofing, siding, drywall, painting, and building handicap ramps for low income families in Ft. Wayne. The cost is \$260 per person. If any adult wants to be a construction leader, they would be in charge of a work site. They will receive all the details in a packet describing the job and the tools needed, and their week is free. Students going into 7th grade and all ages above that are invited. Worship is provided each night and we'll get to know others working on the project. (Everyone receives a t-shirt, CD of photos from the week, group photo, and tool belt!) Mission Serve starts taking deposits Feb. 1 (\$50 each) to reserve one of the 100 spots for this week. Interested? Please speak with a Deacon if you would like to sign up.



We invite you to sign the attendance register as it is passed your way and, if you are visiting with us for the first time, we have information for you regarding life at First Baptist.

## **Prayer Concerns of the Week**

Persecuted Christians around the world Buck Baker Virgil Bland (Friend of Paul Stewart) Marina Boelter & family Steve Buccola

Matt Cummings

Mason Ellis (grandson of Brad & Anne)

Lance Forsdick (brother to George Forsdick)

Jimmy Hensley (Nephew of Sue Sanford)

Carla Hovey (Friend of Cheri Campbell)

Diana Lahmann (friend of Cheri Campbell)

Rev. Keith Long

Brent Myers (grandson of Donna Miller)

Beth Martin-Orman

Roberta Neill

Deni Pegg (cousin of Becky Dayhoff)

Kay & Don Pierce

Herschel & Lee Pittman (Sue Sanford's brothers)

Jessie Terrell

Kyle Witmer & Family (ABC Missionaries to Thailand)

Rev. Carl Williams

For Peace on Earth-Psalm 46:9

US Military personnel around the world

#### **Congregational Meeting – February 12**

Our first Congregational Meeting of 2015 will be this Thursday, February 12 @ 6:30pm. Please plan to attend as we have a couple items needing your vote. We will vote on new deacons.

#### Soup on Saturday - February 14

We are scheduled to serve SOS on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>February 14</u> at the Methodist Church from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. We need a coordinator, food, and volunteers to work. Our Youth Group will be busy preparing the Valentine Dinner, so none of them will be able to help.

Please email Cheri Campbell at crcampbell65@gmail.com or call her at 384-8980 if you can help with this ministry. Approximately 30 to 35 people are served each week with 20 carry outs.

#### Baptism Sunday! - February 15

Come and celebrate next week with John and Joe as they follow the Lord through the waters of Believer's Baptism.

#### **Open Arms Anniversary Celebration**

Open Arms invites you to their 30th Anniversary Spring Celebration featuring Kathy Troccoli in concert. It will be held at the Red Skelton Performing Arts Center in Vincennes, on May 16th @ 7pm. Tickets are \$10 each and only available until March 1 at this price for floor seating. If enough FBC folks would like to go, we will take the church bus. Please see Sharon Terrell <u>BEFORE February 23</u> to reserve your seat!

### Ski Trip! – February 25

The youth group is going skiing on Wednesday, February 25. We will leave right after school (3pm) and be home around 10pm. The cost is \$15 per person, and you will need money for dinner as well. The \$15 needs to be turned in by February 22nd to reserve your spot. Church Family, if you are interested in joining us please talk to Tasha!

#### **Thank You**

WOW! What a great blessing my church family is to me!! And what a neat surprise – 93 notes from you on my birthday to help me celebrate #85! You are the BEST!

Love, Charlotte

#### Thank You

Dear FBC Family,

Thank you all so much for your generous gifts to the "Tiffany Fund." We are overwhelmed by your kindness! You are such a blessing to us. Tiffany looks forward to meeting you soon.

Love, Nathan, Liz, and Tiffany Brooks



THE HONOR OF YOUR PRESENCE IS REQUESTED AT THE MARRIAGE OF

# Cheri Rae Campbell and Stephen Jerome Graf

ON SATURDAY, THE FOURTEENTH OF MARCH AT FOUR THIRTY O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 500 LINCOLN DRIVE BLOOMFIELD, INDIANA

RECEPTION
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING IN
THE CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER

Kindly R.S.V.P. by February 21, 2015, to crcampbell65@gmail.com. There will also be a signup list on the library counter. We are looking forward to celebrating with our friends and family. In lieu of gifts, donations to the FBC

Food Pantry will be appreciated.