FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

June 11, 2017 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Welcome/Invocation/Lord's Prayer

Deacon James Malone

Hymns* "Make Me a Blessing" #670

"All the Way My Savior Leads Me" #680

Offering

Doxology* #815

Gideon Speaker Tim Moody

Morning Prayer

Special Music "Voice of the Father" Carolyn Burgess

Scripture Ezekiel 18:23

Message "Is The God of the OT Mean?" Nathan Brooks

Closing Hymn* "God is So Good" #193

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. ***

This Week's Calendar

Today June 11 Noon (after	9:30 a.m 10:30 a.m 10:45 a.m	Fellowship Breakfast Sunday School Prayer in Nathan's office Morning Worship VBS meeting				
Monday June 12	•	Softball Game Softball Game				
Tuesday June 13	6:00 p.m	Cottage Prayer Group				
Wednesday June 14	6:00 p.m	FLAMES				
Next Week's Scripture Reading: Hebrews 11:39-40						
Birthdays this week:						

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.

CAMPERS

Zachary Hudson will be attending Discovery camp at Indian Creek this week, June 14-17. If you would like to send him a note, the address is:

Indian Creek Camp 1770 Avoca Eureka Road Bedford, IN 47421

Next Week's Volunteers – June 18

Prayer	Lois Kirchoff				
Sound System	Mark Kirkman				
Children's Worship	Sandy Clark				
Nursery	Marlen Flynn & Mary Kent				
June Volunteers					

Deacon of the Month	Cheri Graf
Trustee of the Month	Steve Ham
Usher of the Month	Norm Sullivan
Greeters	Bert & Sharon Terrell

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 **Attendance** Sunday School56 Morning Worship Service......91 Last Week's Giving General Fund......\$2,943.00 Food Pantry......\$20.00

"You Asked For It, Again" Summer Sermon Series 2017

If They Died before Jesus Died...
June 18

Are We in the End Times?
June 25

God Is in Control?

July 2

Seeing Spiritually July 9

How Can I Know God's Will?
July 16

Spiritual Disciplines When Life Gets in the Way July 23

Women's Roles in the Church July 30

Just How Powerful Is Forgiveness?
August 6

Unforgivable Sin?
August 13

All sermons are recorded and available online at fbcbloom.org by clicking on "Featured Media" and then "Sermons."



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

Friends and loved ones who need Christ Persecuted Christians around the world American Baptist Missionaries around the world For Peace on Earth-Psalm 46:9 US Military personnel around the world Steve Buccola and family Jean Burcham Nancy Canty Nancy Covey's niece, Tina Mason Ellis (Brad & Anne's grandson) Craig Howell (Chris Wilson's uncle) Charlotte Humerickhouse David Hunter Lois Kirchoff Tammy Kirkman Norma Miller (Cheri Graf's aunt) Mary Jane Parker Ron Robertson (Friend of Marlen Flynn) Charlie & Judy Stahl Christine Townsend (Carolyn Sullivan's sister)

Steve White (Earl White's brother)

VBS Meeting

There will be a short VBS meeting directly following the morning worship service today.

Volunteers Needed!

Nursery volunteers are needed for the 1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays during worship. Two volunteers are needed each week. One person is to be age 18 or older. Contact Sandy Clark (384-3257) or Pastor Nathan if you are willing to serve.

Let's Go Camping!

Camp schedules are on the large bulletin board outside the workroom. Reservation forms are located on the library counter or you can print them directly from the camp website at www.indiancreek.com. Our church will pay one half of the registration fee for children attending FBC. Registration forms and your half of the fee need to be turned in THREE WEEKS before your camp date. Checks should be made out to First Baptist Church. If a camp scholarship is needed see Pastor Nathan.

Summer Special Music

As the season for the choir ensembles winds down it is once again time again for special music in the worship service! All musicians are invited to share your talents with music that adds to meaningful worship. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the Choir room. Alternatively, you may contact Younkyung Kim, Brenda Flanagin, or Steve Clark.

Benevolence Assistance

You may occasionally receive questions regarding what benevolence services are available through our church. Here is an update:

- The Food Pantry is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings from 9:00-11:00 a.m. and most Tuesday evenings from 4:30-6:00 p.m.
- The Central Greene County Ministerial Association (CGCMA) offers some financial assistance. Individuals may call Brenda Nichols in the FBC office (384-8459) to make an appointment for the next available Thursday morning, when one of our pastors will be here to meet personally with those seeking assistance. The CGCMA does not currently offer assistance with gasoline.

First Baptist Church Vision Statement

The First Baptist Church is the body of Christ, nurturing all parts of the body within, bringing Christ to others and others to Christ.

Church Covenant

We, the members of First Baptist Church Bloomfield, having been led by the Spirit of God to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Savior, and on the profession of our faith, most sincerely and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ. We pledge, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit:

To attend the services of FBC Bloomfield regularly for spiritual nourishment, growth and encouragement:

To walk together and watch over one another in Christian love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in times of sickness and difficulty; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation;

To contribute cheerfully and regularly, according to our ability, to the support of FBC Bloomfield and its various activities; to support the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world;

To strive in our family lives to make Jesus Christ the center of our homes;

To cultivate a life of devotion and consecration to God;

To aid and assist prayerfully, loyally and affectionately, the ministers and others who seek to strengthen the witness of FBC Bloomfield;

To conduct ourselves in accordance with the principles of our Lord, in all our social and business relationships;

We enter into this covenant under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, prayerfully asking for Divine guidance and help in this our earnest endeavor.