FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

May 11, 2014 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome, Registration & Announcements

Invocation and Lord's Prayer Deacon Bob Templeton

*Hymns "There is Power in the Blood" #329

"No One Ever Cared for Me like Jesus" #496

Baby Dedication Wesley Owen Porter Pastor Nathan Delilah Denise Vandeventer

Betty Amelia Blue Yergin

Offering

*Gloria Patri #812

Morning Prayer

Special Music "I Can Just be Me" Jillian Bullock

Scripture 2 Kings 4:8-37

Message "Afraid to Hope" Pastor Nathan

*Hymn of Response "Worship Christ, the Risen King" #361

^{*}Benediction

^{*}Postlude

^{*} You are invited to stand if able

^{**} In honor of Mother's Day, all ladies are invited to receive a special gift from FBC as you exit the sanctuary. **

^{***} For our hearing impaired friends, we have hearing aid devices available at the Greeter's table.***

This Week's Calendar

Today May 11	9:30 a.m 10:40 a.m	Handbell Practice Sunday School Morning Announcements Morning Worship
Monday May 12	6:30 p.m	Trustees
Tuesday May 13	6:30 p.m	Cottage Prayer Group
Wednesday May 14	6:15 p.m	FLAMES
Saturday May 17	1:00 p.mSet	up in the CLC for Sunday Morning

Next Sunday Worship Service will be in the CLC

** Next Week's Scripture Reading: John 11**

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# **Birthdays This Week**

May 13 Monica Hudson
May 15 Roberta Neill
May 16 Consent to Consent

May 16 Samantha Groomer

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## Next Week's Volunteer - May 18, 2014

| Sound System       | Tyler Nickless               |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Prayer             | Steve Graf                   |
| Children's Worship | Sarah Riggins & Tasha Hudson |

### **May Volunteers**

| Greeters             | Earl & Joann White |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Usher of the Month   | Jeff Coffin        |
| Deacon of the Month  | Bob Templeton      |
| 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 Attendance 75 Sunday School 75 Morning Worship Service 147 Last Week's Giving \$6,603.04 Food Pantry \$100.00 Mission Trip \$1102.80 Year to Date Budget Requirement \$98,616.15 Total Income \$82,643.40 Total Expense \$144,966.12

### **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.



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**

Pastor Saeed Abidini in Iran
Buck Baker
Darla Bent (friend of Cheri Campbell)
Kent & Leanna Biery (friends of Sandy Mead)
Steve Buccola
Cheri Campbell
Dorothy Couey (Sandy Clark's mother)
Nancy Covey
Nancy Cummings

Janice Holt

Diana Lahmann (friend of Cheri Campbell)
Erin Lawson (Friend of Casey Rice)
Huey Long (Betty Miller's brother)
Red Oliphant (Mindy Small's father)
Lance Seever (Cheri Campbell's brother)
The family of Brooklin Shorter
Russell Sullivan (Donald Sullivan's brother)
Pray for war to end in Syria – Psalm 46:9

### **Worship Service in the CLC Next Week**

Next Sunday, May 18, we will have our worship service in the CLC due to renovations of the Narthex and Sanctuary. If you are able to help, please come to the CLC on **Saturday, May 17, at 1:00 p.m.**, when we will set up chairs in the CLC for the worship service. Thank you!

### **Bus Ministry**

If you are interested in driving the church bus on Sunday mornings, please talk to Pastor Nathan. Ideally, we need someone who is willing to coordinate this ministry, and several other someone's to rotate driving the bus. Please pray



Drivers Needed

about this. If this ministry is something the Lord is calling us to, He will provide the drivers for it. You might be one of them! If not, you can participate by praying that God will raise up the right folks at the right time.

# Let's Go Camping @ Indian Creek!!!



The theme this year is "Come to the Well." The full camp schedule and registration forms are on the library counter. First Baptist Church will pay one half of the registration fee for all campers. If additional financial assistance is needed, please see Sandy Clark. Registration forms and checks (made out to FBC for half the total fee) need to be turned in to the church office THREE WEEKS BEFORE the start of the camp session.

# **Summer Lunch Program**

The First Christian Church is hosting the Summer Lunch program this year. If you would like to volunteer, please fill out the background check form, located on the library counter, and leave it on Brenda's desk **by tomorrow**. I will contact volunteers to schedule a date to work.



In His Service, Cheri Campbell

### **Summer Bible Study**



Ladies, it's time to sign up! If you would like to participate in Abraham: Response to Grace on Tuesday evenings (6:30-8:30pm) from June 10-July 29, please let Liz Brooks know by Sunday, June 1

(liz.brooks@ymail.com). Books will be \$12 each and due on June 10. For additional details about the study, please see the newsletter article or talk with Liz.

### **Summer Special Music**

As we wind down the Choir season it is once again time for a summer of special music! 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 relocated-Choir room (adjacent to the Nursery). Alternatively, you can let either Younkyung or Steve Clark know.

### Music Festival - June 1

Following the luncheon for our graduating seniors, we will gather in the Sanctuary for the 2014 FBC Music Festival to celebrate the completion of the music season for the choirs. We anticipate the music to begin by 1:00



pm. Plan to attend and enjoy ensemble music presented by the Kingdom Kids, the Sanctuary Choir, the Handbell Choir, and the Trio.

Additionally, there will be instrumental solos by a number of the church family, including Younkyung Kim on piano.

We are welcoming any and all musicians to participate! If you have an instrumental piece, a song you'd like to sing, or a signing please let Brenda Flanagin or Steve Clark know.

# **Congratulations!**

To Shelbi (Henry) and Nathan Bedwell on the birth of their daughter, Briella Grace. Briella was born on April 22, 2014. Mike Henry is the proud Grandfather.