

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

September 11, 2016 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Greeting Time

Welcome / Registration / Announcements

Invocation / Lord's Prayer

Deacon Randy Flanagin

*Hymns	<i>"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"</i>	#575
	<i>"Amazing Grace"</i>	#343

Offering

*Gloria Patri		#815
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Morning Prayer

Special Music

"Thy Will"

Leslie Ayers

Scripture

Matthew 8:1-13

Message

"Willing and Able"

Nathan Brooks

*Closing Hymn	<i>"Worship Christ, the Risen King"</i>	#361
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*Benediction

*Postlude

** You are invited to stand if able*

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*\*\* 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** 8:30 a.m.....Fellowship Breakfast  
*September 11* 9:00 a.m..... Kingdom Kids  
9:30 a.m..... Sunday School  
10:30 a.m..... Prayer in Nathan's office  
10:40 a.m.....Morning Announcements  
10:45 a.m..... Morning Worship

**Monday** 6:30 p.m..... Choir Practice  
*September 12*

**Tuesday** 6:00 p.m.....Cottage Prayer Group  
*September 13*

**Wednesday** 6:00 p.m.....FLAMES  
*September 14*

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Next Week's Scripture:

Matthew 17:14-23

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***Nursery care is provided today by Jennifer & Kelsey Moody***

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Birthdays this week:

September 12 Ginger Stewart
Tucker Weeks
September 13 Paul Schmidt

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*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.*

## Next Week's Volunteers – September 18

Prayer ..... Annette Rice  
 Sound System..... Mark Kirkman  
 Children's Worship..... Sandy Clark  
 Nursery..... Eric & Chris Wilson

### September Volunteers

Deacon of the Month ..... Randy Flanagin  
 Trustee of the Month..... Bert Terrell  
 Usher of the Month ..... Cheri Graf  
 Greeters ..... Rex & Lois Kirchoff

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



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### A Look at Last Week

**Attendance**

Sunday School ..... 45  
 Morning Worship Service ..... 94

**Last Week's Giving**

General Fund..... \$4,779.00  
 Food Pantry..... \$145.00

**Year to Date Giving**

Income ..... \$161,505.75  
 Expenses ..... \$154,744.20  
 Net Income..... \$6761.55





*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

Denise Andrew (*Cheri Graf*)

Steve Buccola and family

Jason Dayhoff (*Becky Dayhoff*)

Sue Dwyer (*Betty Miller's step-mother*)

Mason Ellis (*Brad & Anne's grandson*)

Shane Evans (*Tasha Hudson*)

Scott Evers (*Casey Rice*)

Charlie Farmer & Pam Schultz

Martha Glover (*Lois Kirchoff's sister*)

Charlotte Humerickhouse

David Hunter

Sandy Mead

Betty Miller

Norma Miller (*Cheri Graf's aunt*)

Terry Perkins (*Kathy Ham*)

Kay Pierce

Cecilia Pittman (*Sue Sanford*)

Tiffany Raidy (*Cheri Graf*)

Anita Raynard (*Cheri Graf*)

Jean Resler

Laverne Rollison

Nancy Sullivan

## **Church Clean-Up Day – September 17**

Please set aside 17 September on your calendars and plan to attend our Church Cleanup Day on that Saturday. We will meet at the church at 9:00 am and split up into work groups to help take care of this wonderful facility that God has blessed us with and made us stewards of. We haven't done this in several years and various parts of our church facility are showing it. It will be a great time of fellowship with those in your work group, and lunch will be provided. There is a wide variety of tasks that need to be accomplished so everyone has the capability to participate regardless of age or skill level. Come get to know those with whom you worship on Sundays and get some cleaning done at the same time.

## **2016 Apple Festival**

FBC is once again providing a cornerstone for the 2016 Apple Festival by serving our famous Chicken and Noodle Dinners from the Northeast Shelter.

Sign-up sheets will be circulated beginning this Sunday in the Sunday School Classes. Please consider signing up to provide food items (prior to Oct 6th), help make the Noodles (Oct 6th, 6pm), and/or work at the booth, in the kitchen, or as a runner during the festival (Oct 7 & 8)! Eric & Jennifer Moody are coordinating again this year if you have any questions ([e.j.moody@frontier.com](mailto:e.j.moody@frontier.com)).

## **Family Life Center Update**

The Family Life Center building on Judson Street will be closing for the winter at the end of September. The building is not heated. Any large furniture donations such as chairs, tables and sofa can be made on Fridays from 9am-4pm until September 23. Feel free to call the center at 384-1639 to arrange another time to drop off if needed. Winter clothing may be brought to the Good Times building Monday – Friday from 9am-5pm throughout the season. Volunteers are needed to do a variety of work to keep the Family Life Center operating smoothly. Sorting clothes, answering phones, and doing paper work is the short list. Call or stop in to see where your talent can be used.