FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

September 23, 2018 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Welcome/Invocation/Lord's Prayer

Hymns	"Count Your Blessings"	#786
	"Servant Song"	#424
	"I'd Rather Have Jesus"	#06

Offering

Gloria Patri* #812

Morning Prayer

Special Music "Tell Your Heart to Beat Again" Carolyn Burgess

Scripture Reading Matthew 6:1-4

Message "For Whom?" Nathan Brooks

Closing Hymn* "More Precious than Silver" #88

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. **

^{***} If you have any pictures from FBC events and ministries, please send them to Carolyn Burgess to be included in the morning slideshow. ***

This Week's Calendar

Today September 23	9:30 a.m 10:30 a.m	Kingdom Kids Sunday School Prayer in Nathan's office Morning Worship			
Monday September 24	6:30 p.m	Choir Practice			
Wednesday	9:00 a.m	Bible Study			
September 19		FLAMES			
September 15	0.13 p.m				
Thursday September 27	11:00 a.m	Cottage Prayer Group			
Friday September 28	6:00 p.m	Fun Fridays in September			
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	Next Week	k's Scripture			
		w 6:16-18			
Birthdays this Week					
	_	Eleanor Kingsley			
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	September 29	Taylor Johnson			
		Gabe Ayers			

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.

## **FOOD PANTRY NEEDS**

The food pantry is in need of spaghetti, spaghetti sauce and ramen noodles.

# Next Week's Volunteers – September 30

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Brad Ellis
Eric Moody
Norm Sullivan
Virginia Hendrix

# 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 5 Sunday School 65 Morning Worship Service 111 Last Week's Giving \$3,406.75 General Fund \$3,406.75 Year to Date Giving \$186,308.07 Budget Requirement \$180,272.36 Net Income \$6,035.71



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Welcome to worship! If you are a first-time guest, we have a small gift for you; please just ask. We invite all worshipers to sign the black book to help us better minister to you. If you'd like a prayer request announced, please use an orange card

from your pew and place it in the offering plate. Guests, your presence is a gift to us; please feel no pressure to participate in the offering.

### New prayer requests from last week, September 16

George and Joanna Forsdick				
The family of Dawson Brown				
Two unspoken prayer requests				

### 2018 Apple Festival

Our noodle making machine will once again restart in October to provide Chicken and Noodle Dinners at the Apple Festival. Mark your calendars for October 4th at 6pm for our annual Noodle Making event! Sign-up sheets are circulating for donations of the food and drink items and for volunteer workers. Volunteers are needed on Friday, October 5th and Saturday October 6th to set-up and tear down the booth, work in the kitchen, work at the booth, and serve as a runner between the church and the booth. Please contact Eric or Jennifer Moody to sign up or if you have any questions.

### **Nursery Volunteers Needed**

If you would like to volunteer in the nursery one Sunday a month, please see Sandy Clark.

## Poverty Simulation Event – October 12

This free poverty simulation event will take place at the Community Events Center at the Greene County Fairgrounds. The simulation will run from 9:30-11:30, followed by lunch, and then a Bridges out of Poverty program from 12:30-2:30. The event is designed to help participants understand what it may be like to live in a typical low-income family trying to survive from month to month. You may RSVP to Portia Hockman, at 812-699-4429 or phockman@pacecaa.org or by letting Nathan know. The event is limited to the first 85 participants to register.

# **Care and Support Workshop**

The workshop "Care and Support during Life's Critical Moments" is being presented in Evansville on Thursday, November 8, from 10-5 ET. This workshop provides instruction on helping persons facing illness, death, and grief. We'd travel together from the church. If you are interested in attending, please let Nathan know by September 30.

### Miles Pike in Concert at FBC – Sunday, October 21

Join us Sunday evening, October 21, at 6:00 for a concert unlike any other. Miles has a give octave range and sings all parts, from the lowest bass to the highest soprano notes. Come enjoy his music and be encouraged by his humorous words and heartfelt message. Refreshments will be served after the concert.