

Sunday, August 21, 2022

10:40 a.m. Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude

Welcome/Anno	eacon Randy Flanagin						
Hymns	"Mighty is Our God" "Praise the One Who Breaks the Dark "I Will Praise Him"	#48 kness" #293 #497					
Offering							
Gloria Patri		#812					
Morning Prayer							
Special Music	"I Believe"	Steve Kirby					
Scripture		Proverbs 3:7-8					
Message	"Eyes of the Wise"	Pastor Nathan					
Closing Hymn	"Humble Thyself in the Sight of the	Lord" #622					
Benediction		Pastor Nathan					
Postlude		Andrew Sohn					
Prayer Concerns for this week							

Prayer Request Cards

If you have a request for which you would like prayer during worship, please fill out a Prayer Request Card and give it to one of the Deacons, or Pastor Nathan. Cards are located on the table in the Narthex.

This Week @ FBC

Today August 21	9:30 a.mSunday School 10:40 a.mMorning Worship
Monday August 22	7:00 p.mChoir Practice
Wednesday August 24	9:00 a.mBible Study 10:30 a.mLife's Third Tri

Birthdays this Week

August 25: Braden Hudson

FBC Office Updates

Katlyn Moody will be producing the bulletin and slideshow for worship on a weekly basis. Please contact her by text at 812-381-5260 or email at katlyn.moody.1313@gmail.com to put information in the bulletin.

The church office will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings from 9am - noon with Heather Malone filling most of those hours. You can reach the office at 812-384-8459. A physical church calendar will be kept at the church office desk in the interim period. Please let Heather know if you need to add anything to the calendar. Thank you!

The Choir is Back

The Adult Choir will be coming off their summer break and be back in Worship, starting Sept. 4. If you would like to share your vocal gifts with the Choir, come join us! Choir practice is on Mondays, at 7:00 PM, starting August 22. Contact Andrew Sohn, Brenda Flanagin, or Steve Clark.

Preschool Scholarship Fund

Would you like to help a daycare child attend Preschool? We are including all the daycare kids in our morning preschool and some children attend daycare on a voucher program, which does not cover Preschool. Monthly Preschool costs are \$50 for the 2 day class, or \$75 for the 3 day class for our daycare children. If you would like to contribute to a scholarship fund for voucher children, please write "Preschool Scholarship" on your check memo line. For questions, see Tasha Hudson.

Children's Sunday School

September begins a new adventure in Sunday School. Skits, Bible lessons, games, and crafts will be video game themed to learn about Moses in the book of Exodus. Kindergarten through 6th grade students come join us downstairs in the Chapel 9:30 -10:30. Parents are encouraged to make spiritual growth a priority in your child's life. These lessons are designed to help students grow in wisdom and understanding of God.

Children's Event

We are wanting to have an event each season for the children. VBS was a wonderful Summer event to teach children about God. We would like for someone to host an Autumn event. It could be a one day or evening activity at your home or church or other venue. Gather a group or partner to plan, then ask for volunteers to help. Christmas and Easter are other seasons for opportunity to interact with the children of the church. Contact Nathan or Sandy Clark (812-384-3257) if you are interested.

A Look at Last Week

(On-line giving is available here: Tithe.ly or at www.fbcbloom.org)

Last Week's Giving

General Fund	\$3,501.02
Food Pantry	\$200.00

Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving)	. \$160,420.25
Budget Requirements	. \$168,675.54
Net Income vs. Budget	\$(-8.255.29)

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH DEACON NOMINATIONS

2 Corinthians 4:5 (NIV '84)

For we do not preach ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake.

The Deacons are requesting that each of you prayerfully consider whom you would recommend for the Deacon positions and the alternate to be filled for the next three years.

The individuals selected will join the current Deacons who still have a year or more of their three-year term remaining (*Dennis Kutch and Sherry Weeks*, 2 years); (Cheri Graf and Charles Porter, 1 year).

Bill Hudson, and Randy Flanagin will end their three-year terms in December and are **not** eligible to fill the vacancies.

Your recommendation should include individuals that you believe to be mature Christians with a heart for God, upstanding in our community, with good people skills and interested in the Spiritual health of our Church Body. Please review the Church Handbook to understand the specific Deacon duties, pray for guidance, and then write your recommendations on this sheet and place it in the offering plate or place it on the Church Secretary's desk <u>no later than Sunday</u>, <u>August 28.</u>

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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.