

# Sunday, January 8, 2023

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

Prelude Andrew Sohn Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer Deacon Sherry Weeks Hymns "All Creatures of Our God and King" #63 (v. 1, 2, 5)"Surely Goodness and Mercy" #691 "No One Ever Cared for Me like Jesus" #496 Offering Doxology #815 Morning Prayer Special Music "Just Before the Dawn Appears" Choir Scripture Genesis 3:1-13, 21-24 "Shame Covered" Pastor Nathan Message "Amazing Grace" Closing Hymn #343 (v. 1-4) 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	8:30 a.m	Fellowship Breakfast
January 8	9:30 a.m	Sunday School
	10:40 a.m	Morning Worship
	4:00 p.m	Kids Under Construction
<b>Monday</b> January 9	7:00 p.m	Choir Practice
Wednesday January 11	9:00 a.m	Bible Study

# Birthdays this Week

January 9: Pauline Auxier, Teresa Coffin, Debra Hudson
January 10: Tasha Hudson
January 12: Janet Brown

#### Anniversaries this Week

# Birthdays and Anniversaries

If you would like to add your birthday or wedding anniversary to the list to be included in the bulletin, please let Katlyn know.

#### Winter Season Blessing Box Needs

As winter weather has arrived, we would appreciate new or gently used hats, scarves, gloves, small throws, or blankets for our Blessing Box ministry. Your support of this outreach is very much appreciated.

#### **Updated Food Pantry Needs**

The food pantry is seeing more people coming to help with their food insecurity. These items are always needed: tomato juice, apple juice, cream of chicken soup, tomato soup, cream of mushroom soup, cereal of all kinds, bagged northern beans, pork and beans, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, eggs, milk, loaf bread, hot dogs and buns, any kind of meat. With the prices of food going up in the stores, any donation is very much appreciated. Thank you to all who have helped in any way!

#### Daycare Needs Workers!

Our Daycare ministry is in dire need of dedicated employees. Perhaps you are looking for something to do! Maybe you know someone! Please help spread the word. We raised our starting wage to \$11.00. If you would be willing to volunteer, we certainly could use some lovely people on call to help fill in while we're short staffed. However, volunteers do need to go through the whole background check and training process, just like an employee. If you have any questions or suggestions, please speak to a Bright Beginnings Board Member: Jeff Coffin, Tasha Hudson, Adrienne Hughes, or Bob Templeton.

#### Kids Under Construction

Sunday, Feb 5 we'll meet from 4pm-6pm for kids ages 3 through 6th grade. Come to the CLC to start with games, and we'll end in the Fellowship Hall with dinner. Invite your grandkids, neighbors, and friends! We're going to learn "He's still working on me!" Philippians 1:6 \*Additional dates will be March 5, April 2, and May 7.

#### Just a Reminder

If you have an event, announcement, or anything you want to put in the bulletin, please email Katlyn at <a href="katlyn.moody.1313@gmail.com">katlyn.moody.1313@gmail.com</a>. Heather is in charge of the weekly email blast and maintains the official calendar and can be reached at <a href="mailto:secretary@fbcbloom.org">secretary@fbcbloom.org</a>.

#### A Look at Last Week

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

#### Last Week's Giving

General Fund	\$3,922.61
Food Pantry	\$30.00
Blessing Box	\$10.00

#### Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving)	\$3,922.61
Budget Requirements	\$5,270.07
Net Income vs. Budget	\$(-1,347.46)

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#### **Prayer Chain Updates**

If you would like to receive emails regarding prayer requests or desire to be removed from receiving prayer requests please contact Bill Hudson, bjhudson@wispaninternet.com or 812-384-4779. Indicate if you desire to be on the phone list, the email list, and/or on both. If your email address has changed and you need to update or if you prefer it be sent to a different address, please also contact Bill Hudson.

#### Hoops for Him - 2023

The 2023 Hoops for Him Season begins January 28th and will run through March 18th, 2023. Any child age 4 though the 6th grade may

participate in this program that teaches basic basketball skills along with our love of Christ. Online Registrations are available via our Facebook page, or scan this QR code. Contact Eric Moody at 812-227-0700 if you are willing to help out during the season. Volunteers are needed to coach and lead devotions each Saturday.



#### FBC Church 2023 Annual Report

A reminder to all FBC Committee Chair personnel that their annual report is due this month on Tuesday January 31st to be consolidated into the Church Annual report. Please send your report to interim secretary Heather Malone at secretary@fbcbloom.org

#### Ministry Course Opportunity

"Making Life Disciples" is proposed to be offered at FBC Bloomfield. This course will give you practical ways to reach out to people in your area struggling during challenging times, equipping you and your church in gospel-centered ministry. It is pointed toward women and men facing decisions about abortion but could be used for other life situations. It is a 12-week course. Lessons are web-based with a study guide and discussions. Course is offered by Care-net.org. Bill and Debra Hudson will be the local leaders. Please contact them if you have an interest in the course. Others from outside FBC are also encouraged to participate. Email - bjhudson@wispaninternet.com, call 812-384-4779, or talk to us at church. The start date can be flexible depending on participants.

#### **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.

#### Ministry Opportunity

We are seeking a new co-chair to partner with Marilyn Dallaire to lead our Soup on Saturday ministry. FBC is one of ten groups who take turns providing a free meal on Saturdays at the Bloomfield United Methodist Church. Our co-chairs share the responsibility of identifying volunteers to prepare food and to serve the meal. If the Lord is nudging you to pursue this role, please contact Marilyn at 812-384-5362. FBC's next turn to serve is January 14, which would be a great time to get a feel for how this ministry works.



# Make Indian Creek a part of your summer plans! 2023 SUMMER SCHEDULE

Grades (	Sessions O	Dates
Kindergarten - 1st	First Timers - \$100	June 2-3
1st - 2nd	Explorer - \$190	June 11-13
2nd - 3rd	Discovery - \$200	June 14-17
10th - 2022 Grads	Senior High - \$320	June 18-24
4th-6th Girls Only	Girls Camp - \$220	June 25-29
4th-6th Boys Only	Boys Camp - \$220	June 28-July 2
7th-9th	Focus - \$320	July 9-15
6th-8th	Challenge - \$320	July 16-22
TBD	Edna Martin CC	July 23-26
Ages 16 and up	Special Persons \$225	July 28-31



