

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
WORSHIP SERVICE**

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

January 6, 2013 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome, Registration & Announcements

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Deacon Jeff Coffin

***Praise Singing** "Lord, Reign In Me" Worship Team
"You Are My King (Amazing Love)"
"The Offering"

Offering

***Gloria Patri** #812

Morning Prayer

Pastor Nathan

Special Music

"Steady My Heart"

Jillian Bullock

Scripture

Revelation 21:1-5

Message

"All Things New"

Pastor Nathan

Communion

*(Deacons serving communion today are: Steve Clark, Jeff Coffin,
Bill Hudson, Brady Miller and Bob Templeton)*

***Hymn of Response** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #648

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

** You are invited to stand if able.*

This Week's Calendar

Today	8:00 a.m. Handbell Practice
<i>January 6</i>	9:30 a.m. Sunday School
	10:40 a.m. Morning Announcements
	10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
	5:00 p.m. Kingdom Kids
	6:00 p.m. Campfire
Monday	6:15 p.m. Zumba
<i>January 7</i>	7:30 p.m. Adult Volleyball
Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Choir Practice
<i>January 8</i>	6:30 p.m. Cottage Prayer Group
Wednesday	6:15 p.m. FLAMES
<i>January 9</i>	
Thursday	6:30 p.m. Zumba
<i>January 10</i>	

Children's Ministries During Worship Today

The nursery is always available for parents to use

VOLUNTEERS FOR NEXT WEEK

January 13, 2013

Prayer Kimberly Porter
Sound System.....Tyler Nickless

JANUARY 2013 VOLUNTEERS

GreeterBrady & Melodie Miller
Deacon of the Month Jeff Coffin
Trustee of the Month..... Brandt Hudson
Usher of the Month..... Charles Porter

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

Thank You Kindly!

For our hearing impaired friends...

We have hearing aid devices available at the upstairs Greeter's Table. They are simple to use; just turn it on and adjust the volume to your liking.

A Look At Last Week

Attendance

Sunday School	70
Morning Worship Service.....	136

Last Week's Giving

General Fund.....	\$11,119.25
Food Pantry	\$400.00
Deacon's Fund.....	\$400.00
Lydia Circle	\$50.00
Hurricane Sandy Relief.....	\$125.00

Year To Date Giving

Budget Requirement.....	\$304,382.71
Actual Income	\$272,544.20
Actual Expense	\$250,367.66

FBC Memory Verse Challenge Takers –

Several of you who are not on Facebook have mentioned to me that you would love to connect through emails, so here's the plan. Please email me at liz.brooks@ymail.com, and I will add you to an email list. Whenever I post on Facebook, I will also send out an email. On the 1st and 15th of each month this will be my verse, but at times I also hope to send out testimony and encouragement from my own Scripture memory experience!



Please know that I am praying for all who are considering taking this challenge. God is stronger than our minds, and He will lead us to His saving word and help us remember it! I believe this with all my heart. James 1:21 tells us to humbly accept the word planted in us because it can save us! For it to save, it must first be planted in us. This is my entire goal and prayer for Scripture memory in my own life and in yours. Lord Jesus, here at FBC, we're ready for a fresh work of salvation in our hearts and minds in 2013, and we're believing that you will do it through your word planted within us!

~Liz



Today we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord – when the Messiah was first made known to Gentiles as well as Jews. God’s love is for everyone. Welcome! 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

Deb Byers – Meadowood
Bill Copp – recovering from heart surgery
(Gabe Rollins’ Grandpa)
Nancy Cummings – cancer
Steve Ham – chemo treatments
Charlie Stahl – recovering from cancer surgery

Birthdays This Week

January 6 Remington Roark
January 9 Pauline Auxier
Teresa Coffin
Debra Hudson
January 10 Tasha Hudson
Robin Cliff
January 12 Janet Brown

Fellowship Breakfast Resumes – Next Week



Second Sunday Fellowship Breakfasts will start up again next week. Come at 8:30am to enjoy a Fellowship Breakfast provided by the Christian Builders and Discovery Sunday School classes.

Beginner Ballroom Dancing Lessons – January 18

A Ballroom Dancing class for beginners will start Friday, January 18 from 7-8pm in the Fellowship Hall. Lessons will continue each Friday through February 22. (Classes will not meet on Friday, February 1, due to First Friday.)

Classes are open to anyone High School age to Adult. You do not need to attend every lesson and you can start at any point during the series. There is no charge, although donations for the instructor will be accepted.

If you have any questions, contact Tonya Hudson at 384-3779.

Worship at Carlisle Prison – January 20

A group from FBC will be traveling to Carlisle Prison, to join in their worship service. We will meet here at the church at 5:00pm and head to Carlisle. If you are interested in going, please let Pastor Nathan or Ginger Stewart know NO LATER THAN Sunday, January 13th. You must be 18 or older in order to go.

February Newsletter Deadline – January 24

All newsletter information, articles and updates need to be in the church office Thursday, January 24.

Community Songfest – January 27

The Central Greene County Ministerial Association will host a community songfest on Sunday, January 27th at 6:30 p.m. at Tulip Church of God. Come and enjoy a wonderful evening of musical praise and worship.



2012 Annual Reports Due – January 31



Yes, it is that time again. Year-end reports from all committee chairs are due to the church office (preferably via email) by Noon on Thursday, January 31, 2013.

Hoops 4 Him

First Baptist will soon be hosting the 2013 Hoops 4 Him Basketball Program in the CLC. We focus on sharing the love of Christ and the Gospel message through the game of basketball while teaching respect for authority, sportsmanship, character, and basketball skills. Any boy or girl age 4 through 6th grade may participate. Games are played each Saturday beginning January 26th and running through March 16th. An awards banquet will be held on March 16th to honor all participants.



While our focus is on the Christmas season, please be praying about this upcoming ministry. We need coaches, referees, concession stand workers, devotion leaders, and help setting up and tearing down each Saturday. Please contact Eric Moody or Jeff Coffin to volunteer.

Thank You

Dear FBC Family,

We want to express our sincere thanks to all of you for your many cards, gifts, and kind gestures during the Christmas season. You continue to be so loving to us and we are grateful for you all. We look forward to a great year ahead together!

Love,

Nathan and Liz

