

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

August 11, 2019 ~ 10:45 a.m.

Welcome/Scripture/Lord's Prayer		Jeff Coffin
Hymns	<i>"Since Jesus Came into My Heart"</i>	#503
	<i>"Love Lifted Me"</i>	#508
	<i>"Higher Ground"</i>	#549
Offering		
Doxology*		#815
Morning Prayer		
Special Music	<i>"The Answer"</i>	Teresa Coffin
Scripture Reading		1 John 4:7-18
Message	<i>"What Is Love?"</i>	Nathan Brooks
Closing Hymn*	<i>"O How I Love Jesus"</i>	#92
Benediction*		
Postlude*		

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*\*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 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 – August 18

|                         |                          |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Prayer.....             | TBD                      |
| Sound System.....       | TBD                      |
| Children's Worship..... | No Children's Worship    |
| Nursery.....            | Michelle & Ivy Foxworthy |

### August Volunteers

|                           |                            |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Deacon of the Month ..... | Jeff Coffin                |
| Trustee of the Month..... | Bert Terrell               |
| Usher of the Month .....  | Kathy Ham                  |
| Greeters .....            | Maryanne Snow/Debra Hudson |

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

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*FBC sermons are available online. Visit our church website, [fbc bloom.org](http://fbc bloom.org), and click on "Featured Media." Or scan this QR code with your smart phone to go directly to the Featured Media page. From there you may select Sermons, Newsletters or Bulletins.*



### A Look at Last Week

**Attendance**

|                               |     |
|-------------------------------|-----|
| Sunday School.....            |     |
| Morning Worship Service ..... | 119 |

**Last Week's Giving**

|                                              |            |
|----------------------------------------------|------------|
| General Fund.....                            | \$8,725.25 |
| Food Pantry.....                             | \$50.00    |
| Food Pantry (In Memory of David Hunter)..... | \$50.00    |

**Year to Date Giving**

|                            |                |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| Income .....               | \$145,616.19   |
| Budget Requirements .....  | \$156,542.87   |
| Net Income vs. Budget..... | (\$-10,926.68) |



# **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





