

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

July 16, 2017 ~ 10:45 a.m.

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**Welcome/Invocation/Lord's Prayer** Deacon John Bailey

**Hymns\*** "The Lily of the Valley" #626  
"Living for Jesus" #605  
"I Sing Praises" #5

**Offering**

**Gloria Patri\*** #812

**Morning Prayer**

**Special Music**

**Scripture** Romans 12:1-3

**Message** "How Can I Know God's Will?" Nathan Brooks

**Closing Hymn\*** "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" #591

**Benediction\***

**Postlude\***

*\* You are invited to stand if able*

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*\*\* The kneeling rails at the front of the sanctuary are open throughout the service for prayer. \*\**

*\*\*\* Hearing aid devices are available at the Greeter's table. Just turn it on and adjust the volume. \*\*\**

## This Week's Calendar

- Today**                    9:30 a.m..... Sunday School  
*July 16*                    10:30 a.m..... Prayer in Nathan's office  
                                 10:45 a.m..... Morning Worship
- Tuesday**                6:00 p.m.....Cottage Prayer Group  
*July 18*                    6:15 p.m.....Softball game  
                                 6:30 p.m.....Ladies Bible Study  
                                 7:25 p.m.....Softball game
- Wednesday**        6:00 p.m..... FLAMES  
*July 19*
- NEXT WEEK**        6:00-8:30p.m. .... VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!!  
*July 23-27*

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***Next Week's Scripture Reading:***

Hebrews 10:32-39  
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***Birthdays this week:***

July 18 David Doane  
July 22 Billie Blakley  
                 Shirley DeHart  
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*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.*  
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**Campers**

Gracie and Brady Hudson are attending Challenge Camp at Indian Creek this week. If you would like to send them a note, the address is:

Indian Creek Camp  
1770 Avoca Eureka Road  
Bedford, IN 47421

## Next Week's Volunteers – July 23

Prayer ..... Randy Flanagin  
Sound System.....Eric Moody  
Children's Worship..... Kim Schulte

### July Volunteers

Deacon of the Month ..... John Bailey  
Trustee of the Month.....Bert Terrell  
Usher of the Month ..... Charles Porter  
Greeters ..... Warren Bartlett

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



*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 ..... 59  
Morning Worship Service..... 120

#### **Last Week's Giving**

General Fund..... \$

#### **Year to Date Giving**

Income ..... \$  
Expenses..... \$  
Net Income..... \$



# **“You Asked For It, Again” Summer Sermon Series 2017**

*Spiritual Disciplines When Life Gets in the Way*

July 23

*Women’s Roles in the Church*

July 30

*Just How Powerful Is Forgiveness?*

August 6

*Unforgivable Sin?*

August 13

*All sermons are recorded and available online at [fcbloom.org](http://fcbloom.org) by clicking on “Featured Media” and then “Sermons.”*

## **We celebrate the life of**

Libby Kaye Brooks born 7/11/17

20.5 inches 7 lbs 13 oz

Parents are Marta and David (Nathan's brother)

## **Vacation Bible School – July 23-27**

VBS @ FBC begins next Sunday! Join us for Operation Arctic as we explore the coolest book on the planet! We begin our adventure at 6:00 each night and end at 8:30. Registration forms are available on the library counter.



## **FBC Month in Review Slideshow**

The deacons are initiating a new tradition so that we can celebrate together what God is doing through the ministries that FBC sponsors and/or supports. On the final Sunday of each month, a slideshow will play before and after the worship service displaying the most current pictures from various ministries. We need your pictures! And we hope that you will participate in this effort by helping us to keep the congregation informed and involved in the many ministries we are privileged to be a part of! Any picture(s) from any ministry connected to FBC in any way counts! Carolyn Burgess has graciously agreed to assemble these slideshows for us on a monthly basis so please submit your pictures by email to [carolynsburgess@gmail.com](mailto:carolynsburgess@gmail.com). It is recommended that they be sent in a compressed zip file so as not to be automatically detached by email security systems. If you’re not sure what that is, just see Carolyn and she can assist you with that.



*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**

Friends and loved ones who need Christ

Persecuted Christians around the world

American Baptist Missionaries around the world

For Peace on Earth— Psalm 46:9

US Military personnel around the world

Ashley (*Maryann Snow's granddaughter*)

Steve Buccola and family

Jean Burcham

Nancy Canty

Mason Ellis (*Brad & Anne's grandson*)

Charlotte Humerickhouse

David Hunter

Jason (*Friend of Bob Templeton*)

Brooklyn Johnson (*Taylor Johnson's sister*)

Lois Kirchoff

Tammy Kirkman

Mark's House in Haiti (*Tooger Smith*)

The family of Bobbie Rollins (*Leslie Ayers' grandfather*)

Charlie & Judy Stahl

Hilary Kanji (Jerrells) (*Debra Hudson*)

Mike Gustin (*Mike Stoner*)

Marcee (*Virginia Hendrix niece*)

Caleb Adamson (*Sue Sandord*)

