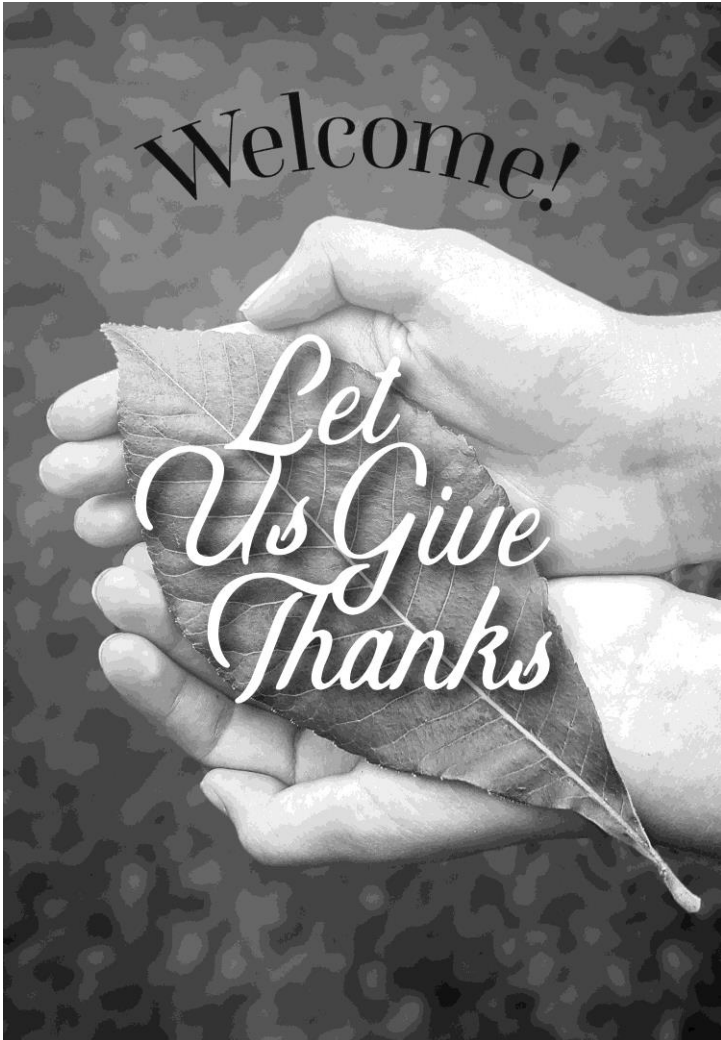


*First Baptist Church  
Bloomfield*



November 14, 2021



# Sunday, November 14, 2021

10:30 a.m.

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude Andrew Sohn

Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer Deacon Jeff Hughes

Hymns *"All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"* #43  
*"The Love of God"* #157

Offering Blessing

Doxology\* (*words on screen*)

Morning Prayer

Special Music *"Less Like Me"* Worship Team

Scripture Reading 2 Samuel 13:37 – 14:33

Message *"Family Drama"* Nathan Brooks

Closing Hymn\* *"My Savior's Love"* #348  
(vv. 1, 4 & 5)

Benediction\* / Postlude\*

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### ***Prayer Concerns for this week:***

Scott (Becky) Dayhoff; Melissa Toon; Larry Hancock;  
Sue Sanford; Eleanor Kingsley  
The persecuted church around the globe.  
Future leaders of FBC  
Open Arms Ministries  
FBC reshaping journey  
Peace, healing and justice in our nation

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### ***Afghan Refugees***

The Presbyterian Church's Afghan Refugees Drive was very successful. They want to thank our church family for helping to collect donations. The trailer was delivered to Camp Atterbury last week.



***This Week @ FBC***

<b>Today</b>	8:30 a.m..... Fellowship Breakfast
<i>November 14</i>	9:00 a.m..... Kingdom Kids
	9:30 a.m..... Sunday School
	10:40 a.m..... Morning Worship
<b>Monday</b>	7:00 p.m.....Choir Practice
<i>November 15</i>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:00 a.m..... Bible Study
<i>November 17</i>	



***Birthdays this Week (and last)***

- November 9: Randy Flanagin
- November 12: Mylee Manuel
- November 13: Marilyn Dallaire & Adam Dean
- November 16: Brad Ellis & Charles Porter
- November 17: Liz Brooks
- November 18: Cole Thompson



***Operation Christmas Child***

The First Baptist Church in Linton is the drop off point for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. This week is the National Collection. There are still some boxes available in the narthex. See Cheri Campbell Graf (812-384-8980) for questions.

***Church Leaf Raking Day - Sunday, November 21***

Everyone is invited to help us rake leaves in the yards of some of our church friends and neighbors who cannot rake their own. Please meet at the church at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 21, and bring your own rake. We will carpool/walk from here. If you would like to have your yard on our list, please contact Josh Osborne at 513-850-9528 or talk to Pastor Nathan.

***Hanging of the Greens – Sunday, November 28***

Immediately following the worship service on Sunday, November 28 we will be decorating the church for the Advent/Christmas season. If you are willing and able to stay after for a bit to lend a hand, the Social Committee will provide pizza for lunch.

## A Look at Last Week

(On-line giving is available here: [Tithe.ly](http://Tithe.ly))

### Last Week's Giving

General Fund..... \$8,415.00

### Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving) ..... \$209,291.45

Budget Requirements..... \$222,121.35

Net Income vs. Budget ..... **\$(-12,829.90)**

## *Tithes and Offerings*

We have three simple options for giving tithes and offerings:

1. Give online at [fbcbloom.org](http://fbcbloom.org).
2. Mail a check to the church at 500 Lincoln Drive.
3. Place tithes in the Giving Box in the Narthex.

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## *World Mission Offering – November 2021*

We are designating the month of November to receive our World Mission Offering. "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed, which a man took and planted in his field. Though it is the smallest of all seeds, yet when it grows, it is the largest of garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds come and perch in its branches." Matthew 13:31-32.

The World Mission Offering celebrates mustard seed faith. Your partnership through the World Mission Offering means your gift is multiplied with others' gifts to bring economic development, theological education, health wellness, and numerous other changes in people's lives for the glory of God. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the year's offering. Offering envelopes are in the pews. Thank you to everyone who participated in the Silent Auction...over \$700 was collected!

## *Children's Christmas Party – December 11*

Bloomfield First Baptist will be having a Christmas Party for children in Kindergarten through 6th grade. The Party will be Saturday December 11 from 1:00 - 4:00. A light lunch will be served at 1:00. There will be games and crafts and a movie. Invite your friends!

## **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.