



Sunday, September 11, 2022

10:40 a.m.

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer

Deacon Charles Porter

Hymns

"Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness"

#293

"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" (v. 1 and 5)

#169

"He Lives"

#368

Offering

Doxology

#815

Missions Moment

Pregnancy Choices

Becky Smith

Morning Prayer

Special Music

"You Never Know"

Brenda Flanagin

Scripture

Proverbs 3:21-26

Message

"No Fear?"

Pastor Nathan

Closing Hymn

"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

#244

Benediction

Pastor Nathan

Postlude

Andrew Sohn

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## *Prayer Concerns for this week*

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### *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  
*September 11* 9:00 a.m..... Kingdom Kids Practice  
9:30 a.m..... Sunday School  
10:40 a.m..... Morning Worship

**Monday** 7:00 p.m..... Choir Practice  
*September 12*



***Birthdays this Week***

September 12: Ginger Stewart, Tucker Weeks, Steve Graf  
September 13: Paul Schmidt



***Thank You***

First Baptist Church Family,  
Thank you so much for the wonderful meal. Mom would have been pleased with everything! We so much enjoyed visiting as a family afterwards.  
Thank you again,  
David, Shannon, Adam, and Ethan Dean

***Thank You***

Mary and I want to thank you all for the cards we received, the words of congratulations and, for those who attended, being a part of our 50th anniversary celebration. Each act of kindness was deeply appreciated and helped make our celebration a day we will long remember.  
With love,  
John and Mary

***Fall Children’s Party - 5:15pm on Friday, September 30***

For our fall children’s event, we’re doing a fall party outside in the shelter house and parking lot area. We’re hoping for some fun fall themed activities including a hayride and campfire, as well as dinner in our new shelter house! If you have some children who can come and/or you are available to help, please contact Liz Brooks (nathanandliz\_brooks@yahoo.com)!

## ***Apple Festival Chicken and Noodle Booth***

The 2022 Apple Festival is Fri, Oct 7th through Sun, Oct 9th, which is right around the corner! No that is not a typo...the Apple Festival Committee extended it an extra day this year, so it now runs through Sunday. Mark your calendars if you haven't already.

The Noodle making machine will start up Thu, Oct 6th at 6pm. We will serve Chicken & Noodles for lunch and dinner on Friday and Saturday as we are accustomed to, and we will also serve lunch on Sunday. New additions for this year include video screens in the shelter house to broadcast our morning worship service and craft activities offered for the kids.

Sign-up sheets for making noodles, providing food & drink items, and working shifts in the kitchen, the booth, and as runners are circulating. See Eric Moody for questions.

### **A Look at Last Week**

*(On-line giving is available here: [Tithe.ly](http://Tithe.ly) or at [www.fcbloom.org](http://www.fcbloom.org))*

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

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|--------------------|------------|
| General Fund ..... | \$7,230.01 |
| Food Pantry .....  | \$120.00   |
| Blessing Box ..... | \$30.00    |

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

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Income (undesignated giving)..... | \$173,276.56                 |
| Budget Requirements .....         | \$184,009.68                 |
| Net Income vs. Budget.....        | <b><i>\$(-10,733.12)</i></b> |

*First Baptist Church  
Bloomfield*



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# **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.