

Sunday, January 12, 2025

10:40 a.m. Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude		
Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer		Deacon Jeff Coffin
Hymns	"To God Be the Glory" "When Morning Gilds the Skies" "Victory in Jesus"	#056 #215 #353
Offering		
Doxology		#815
Morning Prayer		
Special Music	"Come Now is the Time to Worship"	Sanctuary Choir
Scripture		Revelation 4:1-11
Message	"Worthy"	Pastor Nathan
Closing Hymn	"Thou Art Worthy"	#100 (x2)
Benediction		
Postlude		

Prayer Request Cards

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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. They can also be placed in the offering plate. Cards are in the pew backs and on the table in the Narthex.

#### This Week @ FBC

| Today                        | 8:30 a.m Fellowship Breakfast               |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| January 12                   | 9:30 p.mSunday School                       |
|                              | 10:40 a.mMorning Worship                    |
|                              | 12:00 p.m Worship & Music Committee Meeting |
|                              | 4:00 p.mBackyard Kids Club                  |
| <b>Monday</b><br>January 13  | 7:00 p.mChoir Practice                      |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br>January 14 | 9:30 a.m Cottage Prayer Group               |
| Wednesday                    | 9:00 a.mBible Study                         |
| January 15                   | 10:30 a.m Community Fellowship              |
| Sunday                       | 9:30 a.mSunday School                       |
| January 19                   | 10:40 a.m Morning Worship                   |

## Birthdays this Week

January 12: Janet Brown January 13: Kallie Wilson January 16: Earl White January 18: Tammy Young

# Offering Envelopes

Offering envelopes for 2025 are available on the library counter.

## Baby Announcement

Congratulations Chris & Erin Wilson on the birth of their son, Kolter Michael, born 6 January 2025 at 7 lb. 7 oz. 20.75" long.

# It's Annual Report Time

Please have your committee's report ready to turn in by Friday, February 21st to John Bailey electronically with a copy to Heather so she can consolidate them into our report format. Thank you!©

# Hoops for Him 2025

The 2025 Hoops for Him Season begins January 25th and runs each Saturday through March 15th. Any child aged 4 through the 6th grade may participate in this program that teaches basic basketball skills along with our love of Christ. Online Registrations are available via our Facebook page or scan the QR code below. Contact Eric Moody at 812-227-0700 if you are willing to help out during the season. Volunteers are needed to coach and lead devotions each Saturday.



# A Look at Last Week

(On-line giving is available here: Tithe.ly or at www.fbcbloom.org)

#### Last Week's Giving

| General Fund | \$3,777.00 |
|--------------|------------|
| Food Pantry  | \$100.00   |
| Blessing Box | \$30.00    |
| RMMO         | \$300.00   |

#### Year to Date Giving

| Income (undesignated giving) | \$3,777.00 |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Budget Requirements          |            |
| Net Income vs. Budget        |            |

Online giving can be found here:





Praying together for 2025











# 12 January 2025

# Children's Program: Backyard Kids Club Today

Our once-a-month children's program will begin today from 4-6pm. Future dates include: Feb. 2, March 2, April 6, and May 4. We are seeking teen and adult helpers to lead games, kitchen crew, a craft Leader (craft and instructions provided), and to mingle with a PreK-1st grade group or 2nd-6th grade group. Please let Tasha Hudson know if you can help.

# Telephone Prayer Chain Updates

Hello everyone. The Deacons will be updating the telephone prayer chain. If you are currently on the prayer chain and want to remain on there, you don't need to do anything. If you aren't currently on the chain and want to be added, you have updates (e.g., phone number change), or if you would like to be removed from the chain, let me know. If you have any questions, please ask. Thank you, Debra Hudson.

# Church Wide Email Updates

If you would like to be added or removed from the current church wide email list, or your email address has recently changed, please contact Heather in the church office. These emails generally include prayer requests/updates, the Weekly Blast, the monthly Newsletter, announcements etc.

# 2025 Non-Pictorial Directory & Prayer Guide

We are currently in the process of updating our Non-Pictorial Directory & Prayer Guide. The goal is to have the non-pictorial directory ready in the first quarter of the year. There are two guides in circulation for updates, one making its way through Sunday School classes and the other on the table in the Narthex. Please check your information and make corrections in red ink. If you would like to be added, you can also add your information. If it appears correct, please put a red check mark next to your information. Thank you. ☺

# A Thank You Note

I wish to thank each of you who were so kind to send me a Christmas/Birthday card. I enjoyed them all and am blessed with a wonderful church family. Love,

Donna Miller

# 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.

# Please pray for First Baptist Church in 2025, that we would...

Glorify Our Creator, Revelation 4:11

Persist in Prayer, Matthew 7:7-8 & Colossians 1:9

Remember That We've Received Grace, and Show Grace to Others Romans 3:21-26

> Love God and Others Well, 1 John 4:7-21 & Matthew 22:37-39

Be Open to and Trust God's Plans, Isaiah 43:19 & Jeremiah 29:11

> Be Equipped and Vigilant, Ephesians 6:10-13

Remember and Extend God's Compassion, Lamentations 3:22-23 & 2 Corinthians 1:3-5

Thank you for keeping our church and community in prayer!