



Sunday, March 23, 2025

10:40 a.m.

Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer

Deacon Kathy Ham

Hymns

"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

#011

"At the Cross"

#323

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

#320 (v. 1, 3, 4)

Offering

Doxology

#815

Morning Prayer

Special Music

"Lamb of God"

Sanctuary Choir

Scripture

Mark 12:13-17

Message

"Amazed"

Pastor Nathan

Closing Hymn

"More Precious than Silver"

#88 (2x)

Benediction

Postlude

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

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This Week @ FBC

Today	9:00 a.m.....Kingdom Kids Practice
March 23	9:30 a.m.....Sunday School
	10:40 a.m.....Morning Worship
Monday	7:00 p.m.....Choir Practice
March 24	
Tuesday	9:30 a.m..... Cottage Prayer Group
March 25	6:30 p.m..... Trustee Meeting
Wednesday	9:00 a.m..... Bible Study
March 26	10:30 a.m..... Community Fellowship
Thursday	2:45 p.m.....Youth Laser Tag
March 27	
Sunday	9:30 a.m.....Sunday School
March 30	10:40 a.m.....Morning Worship

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### ***Birthdays this Week***

March 23 – Chris Wilson

March 24 – Renee Young

March 26 – Doug Frye

### ***Anniversaries this Week***

March 24 – Rex & Lois Kirchoff

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Easter Morning Baptisms

If you are interested in being baptized on Easter morning April 20, or any other time, please speak with Pastor Nathan.

He would love to meet with you! 😊

Mission Trip Opportunity

A service trip is being organized for June 9-13 to North Carolina to support repairs after the hurricane damage. If you would like an application for this trip, please talk to Tasha Hudson.

FBC Scholarships

There are two scholarships that qualified high school seniors and college students that have not attained a four-year undergraduate degree may apply for: a onetime \$250.00 Brad Pridemore Memorial Scholarship and up to four times a \$500.00 FBC Memorial Scholarship. Eligibility criteria can be found on the application form that is available by contacting FBC Secretary Heather Malone at (812)384-5948. Applications are due back in to the FBC Secretary's desk no later than Tuesday April 1, 2025.

Let's Get Sewing!

The sewing group is meeting on April 2 at 12:30 pm in the sewing room here at FBC to brainstorm and select a project. Participants do not need to know how to sew, as there will be opportunities for tasks like cutting fabric, ironing, and other prep work. Community Fellowship begins at 10:30 with lunch from 11:30-12:30 in the Fellowship Hall. If you are interested, contact Sandy Clark (call or text) at 812-227-1860.

Day of Service & Prayer at ICBC Saturday, May 3

There will be a Day of Service and Prayer at Indian Creek Baptist Camp on Saturday, May 3. Opening prayer is at 9 am and lunch is at 1 pm. FBC bus will leave at 8:15 am, or you can join them anytime during the day. RSVP at campindiancreek.com/serve or call 812-279-2161.

A Look at Last Week

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

Last Week's Giving

General Fund	\$2,680.00
Food Pantry.....	\$100.00
Youth Fund.....	\$30.00

Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving).....	\$47,466.84
Budget Requirements	\$60,701.63
Net Income vs. Budget.....	-\$13,234.79

Online giving can be found here:





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You Asked for It, 2025 Schedule

May 11 – “Sheep from Other Pens,” John 10:1-18.

How exclusive is Christianity? How do we relate to other Christian groups?

May 18 – “Resisting Temptation,” Dan 3:8-18.

...when the consequences of resisting seem worse than giving in.

May 25 – “What Is Truth?” John 8:31-32.

How do we know if something is true? Is there truth outside of Scripture?

June 1 – “Why Communion?” 1 Cor. 11:17-34.

What is the purpose of communion? Are we doing it correctly?

June 8, Pentecost – “Waiting for God’s Voice” – Ps. 25:8-15.

Can we know the voice of God in our hearts? How do we wait for the Lord?

June 15, Trinity Sunday – “The Trinity and the Cross” – Rev. 1:17-18.

Did God really die on the cross? Are God and Jesus the same?

June 22 – “How Do We Glorify God?” – Rev. 4:11; 5:12-13.

What does it mean to glorify God?

June 29 – “The End of the World” – Rev. 21:1-8.

Tell us more about Revelation and the end of time.

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.