



Easter Sunday
Sunday, April 20, 2025
Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude

Welcome/John 20:1-18/Lord's Prayer

Deacon Bob Templeton

Call to Worship

"Precious Jesus"
Soloist: Lily Tucker

Kingdom Kids

Baptism

Stephen Jeffrie Porter

Hymns

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

#367

"Christ Arose"

#357

"Because He Lives"

#358

Offering

Gloria Patri

#812

Morning Prayer

Special Music

"J-E-S-U-S"

Kingdom Kids

Soloists: Tiffany Brooks, Lucy Foxworthy, Josie Hudson, Lizzy Terrell

Scripture

John 20:24-31

Message

"Believing is Seeing"

Pastor Nathan

Closing Hymn

"He Lives"

#368

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	7:00 a.m.....Easter Sunrise at Bloomfield Methodist
April 20	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
April 21	
Tuesday	10:00 a.m..... Cottage Prayer Group
April 22	6:30 p.m..... Trustee Meeting
Wednesday	No Bible Study
April 23	10:30 a.m..... Community Fellowship
Saturday	8:00 a.m.....FBC Workday
April 26	11:00 a.m.....Soup on Saturday
Sunday	9:00 a.m.....Kingdom Kids Practice
April 27	9:30 a.m.....Sunday School
	10:40 a.m.....Morning Worship

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

April 25 – Ashley Terrell

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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.

Baby Dedication Sunday, May 11

We will have a Baby Dedication on Mother's Day, May 11. If you have a child or grandchild you would like to present to the Lord, please let Pastor Nathan know no later than Sunday, May 4. Thank you!

FBC Workday Saturday, April 26

The Trustees will be hosting a Workday at the church on Saturday, April 26th, 8am-4pm. Some specific tasks include cleaning exterior walls and sidewalks, replacing a window in the walkway, removing the flower boxes around the CLC, trimming trees & weeds, and whatever else we can find. Bring your work gloves and join us for some fun and fellowship! Lunch will be provided.

Soup on Saturday, April 26

Our church is responsible for Soup on Saturday April 26. We need soups, sandwiches, and desserts donated. We also need workers. If you would be willing to help or donate, please call or text Marilyn Dallaire at 812-384-5362. Thank you! ☺

It's Rummage Sale time!

The FBC Rummage Sale will be in the CLC during the Bloomfield town wide yard sales May 1st-3rd from 8am-4pm. You can bring your items at any time to the rummage room located in the downstairs corner room of the CLC by the playroom. Larger items will need to be dropped off the week of the sale. Donations of shirt and pants hangers are needed! Items not sold in the sale will be donated to another cause. There will be a volunteer signup sheet for shifts during the sale and setting up April 28, 29, and 30th from 7-9pm. We would greatly appreciate any help! If you have any questions, please reach out to Katlyn Moody at (812) 381-5260.

A Look at Last Week

(On-line giving is available here: [Tithe.ly](https://tithely.org) or at www.fbcbloom.org)

Last Week's Giving

General Fund.....	\$4,684.03
Food Pantry	\$100.00

Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving)	\$64,909.41
Budget Requirements.....	\$82,774.95
Net Income vs. Budget	-\$17,865.54

Online giving can be found here:





*"Why
do you
seek the*

Living among
the
DEAD?

"He is not here, but has risen."

LUKE 24:5-6, ESV

20 April 2025

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THOSE SEEKING HEALING:

- Ask the Lord to help you examine your heart and your relationship with Him. If the Holy Spirit brings something to mind that requires repentance and forgiveness, address this need before asking for healing. As far as you are able, make sure that your heart is clear before God.
- Take a green card from one of the tables or your bulletin and put on it your first name and the one thing for which you are asking. Your need will be kept confidential unless you circle “no” on the card.
- Approach one of the prayers for anointing and prayer. Come humbly, yet with confidence that Christ can heal. You may kneel or sit as is comfortable for you.
- If you are unable to come forward, raise your hand and we will come to you.
- Visualize yourself in the presence of Christ, for He is present with you. Reach out to Him in heart and spirit - believe in His ability to heal.
- After your anointing, give thanks to God for hearing your prayers, and express your confidence in Him and in His timing in all things.
- Arise in faith and return to your seat to reflect upon the Lord's love for you and what you have just experienced and join in with the prayers of the congregation for other seekers.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONGREGATION:

- Ask the Lord to help you examine your heart and your relationship with Him. If the Holy Spirit brings something to mind that requires repentance and forgiveness, address this need before asking for healing. As far as you are able, make sure that your heart is clear before God.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to give you wisdom in discerning how to pray.
- As the seekers come forward, focus your prayers on each one. Pray for their healing, for their faith, for their trust in Christ.
- Pray that the Lord would meet and touch each seeker, that He would lift their burden or give them the strength to bear it.
- Pray for the family of the seeker.

SCRIPTURES FOR REFLECTION:

Gen 18:13-14

Ps 107:1-32

Isa 58:6-9

Mark 9:14-29

Luke 18:35-43

Heb 11:1-2

1 Kings 17:7-14

Isa 43:18-19

Matt 8:5-13

Mark 10:13-16

John 6:8-13

Rev 21:1-5

2 Kings 5:1-14

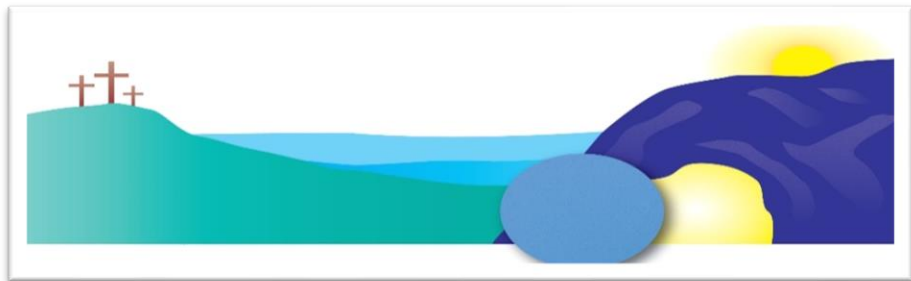
Isa 53:4-5

Matt 15:21-28

Luke 1:26-37

James 5:13-16

Rev 22:1-2



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.