firstbaptistchurch

Weekly Notes

Welcome to our church! We are glad you're here today! Whether you are joining us as a vacationer or someone who is looking for a church home, we hope that you enjoy our gathering time and sense God's presence. Here are a few things to get you connected:

infants and young children

Our safe and sanitary nursery is here to serve you. Infants ages birth-4 years old can be cared for and play in our supervised Nursery.

children

Children's Worship is a unique worship experience, designed specifically for ages 5 years old through 5th grade, starting at 10:30 AM in the Children's Worship Room. (Children do not meet separately on the 1st Sunday of each month so families can celebrate Communion together.)

finding your way around

If you need help locating any activities or rooms, please be sure to ask a greeter or someone at the Welcome Center.

introduce yourself

After the service, we invite you to stop by our Welcome Center and sign our guest book, have your questions answered, or receive more information about our church.

April 14, 2024

announcements

Happy Birthday!...Brooks Norman (4/11) and Tracy Marshall (4/14).

Happy Anniversary!...Chet & Renee Goff (4/10, 31 years).

Next Week's Servants (4/14)

- · Café Bakers, Susie Price (casserole) | Beth Bocock (donuts)
- · Café Attendant Marge Dumbaugh
- · Nursery: CLOSED
- Sound Tech: Don Jenks

Bible Study Resumes 4/18...You are invited to join our Bible study group on Thursday mornings from 9:30-11:30am in the Conference Room. We will begin the LifeChange Bible Study on Ecclesiastes. "Ecclesiastes is sometimes perceived as one of the most difficult books in Scripture but it's also one of the most rewarding. Launching you on an 8-week journey, this in-depth study addresses the guest for meaning, presence of evil, wisdom and foolishness, and other issues to help you understand God's ways in an often confusing and frustrating world. "Books are \$9 each. To sign-up, stop by the Welcome Center or contact Vasha Ferguson or Tina Wilburn.

ECCLESIASTES

LifeChang

Hearing Assistance Devices Available...We have hearing assistance devices available during the morning worship service which allow the user to control the volume based on their individual needs. They are available from the Sound Booth at the rear of the sanctuary and are cleaned and sanitized after each use. For questions, see Rocky Starland.



CAFÉ HOURS

9:00-10:15am on Sundays

The Mission Café is a great place to have a breakfast treat and coffee, enjoy lively conversation and have fun while helping support missions at FBC.

◆ Donuts ◆ Bagels

- ◆ English Muffins
- ◆ Snacks

- ♦ Hot & Cold Beverages
- ♦ And more!

For your convenience, we accept cash, check and debit/credit cards!

summer camp fundraiser

We encourage you to support our Summer Campers while they earn funds for Summer Camp!



Butter Braids & Rolls—\$18

- Apple
- Bavarian Crème
- Blueberry & Cream Cheese
- Cherry
- Cinnamon
- Cream Cheese

- Four Cheese & Herb
- Raspberry
- Strawberry & Cream Cheese
- Caramel Rolls
- Cinnamon Rolls

Cookie Dough—\$20

- Chocolate Chip
- Chocolate Chip Pecan
- Chocolate Chip Toffee Crunch
- Peanut Butter

- Strawberry Shortcake
- Snickerdoodle
- Triple Chocolate Chunk
- White Chocolate Macadamia Nut







Cake Rolls—\$18

- Carrot Cake
- Chocolate Crème
- Lemon Crème
- Pumpkin
- Red Velvet
- Strawberry Cheesecake

Amish Pretzels—\$20

Soft Pretzels

Pretzel Bites



Orders must be received by Sunday, April 28 and will be delivered around May 15. See a camper, <u>order online</u>, or contact the church office to get your yummy treats soon. Checks can be made payable to First Baptist Church and given to Kim in the church office.

weCAREdrive



"Bountiful Baskets" Collection

Help stock our pantry shelves!

Pick up a complimentary basket from We Care, fill with food OR personal care/baby items.

Return to We Care when full.

Tags attached to let you know what is needed.

Runs from March 1st - September 30th annually.

Take one basket or 100!



269-637-4342 | adminteam@wecare-inc.org | www.wecare-inc.org

The We Care office is located at 1301 M-43 Highway Ste 2B, South Haven. Stop by and get your basket today if you can help!

weCAREfundraiser



SPRING COMEDY NIGHT

Enjoy a night out to laugh, meet old friends and new - all to support a good cause.

Dinner & drinks | Comedian Jerry Donovan \$100 per ticket | Table for 8 for \$750.



Saturday • April 20, 2024 • Doors open at 6:30 pm. Event starts at 7 pm. Upper level at the Maritime Museum

260 Dyckman Ave. • South Haven MI 49090

To Reserve Your Spot: www.wecare-inc.org/donate ● Memo: Comedy Nite or come into our office to pay with cash/check ● 1301 M-43 Hwy, Ste. 2 B, South Haven, MI 49090 269-637-4342 ● events@wecare-inc.org



prayerREQUESTS&PRAISES

- Ruby Robinson (Stan & Jean Robinson's sister-in-law, Bruce Robinson's stepmom) is in significant pain as her cancer has progressed. Please pray for peace and comfort.
- Pastor Jephthe Lucien, his family, his ministry, the children in his
 orphanages, and the people of Haiti as the country is under extreme
 duress due to violence and unrest.
- Terry Buckley successfully had fluid removed from around his heart and is doing much better.
- Bruce Ferguson had his medications adjusted and is continuing with his
 doctors for further treatment.
- Lennon McKamey (son of Kyle & Sarah McKamey) hasn't had any more blackouts and has completed testing; he has a follow up appointment in June.
- Rhonda Dobberstein is receiving radiation treatments for breast cancer that will continue through the end of April.
- Nolan Marshall was approved to receive services for another year. Praise God for answered prayers!
- Miriam Bryant has begun therapy for hip issues.
- Vincent Bryant (son of Miriam Bryant) is dealing with multiple health issues: blood clots which are interfering with his dialysis treatments; continues to recover from a 2nd surgery on his left hand which resulted in one finger being amputated; issues with an ankle that prevents him from driving.
- Anna Bocock has Epstein Barr in addition to one strain of Lyme. She is
 waiting for next month's treatment to be done, will then take another
 blood test to see how the treatment performed, and once the tests come
 back she will hopefully be able to move forward with the Lyme disease
 treatments.
- Caroline Bocock is having some symptoms resurface so she will need to
 have more treatments. They are waiting for her most recent test results to
 come back, so they can determine which strain of Lyme's needs to be
 treated next.
- Joyce Bocock continues to do well. Prayers for continued improvement and relief from pain are appreciated.
- Check out our monthly prayer card on-line at <u>southhavenfbc.com</u> under "General Info" for a <u>list of those with on-going needs</u>.

weekly opportunities

mission café

Sundays | 9:00-10:15am | Mission Café

children's sunday school

Sundays | 9:15-10:15am | Children's Worship Room

- Ages 5 years old through 5th grade
- Contact Bailey Finch for questions or more information.

youth bible study: mixtape theology

Sundays | 9:15-10:15am | Conference Room

- Ages 6th grade and older
- Contact Julie Newell or Allie Wison for questions or more information.

worship

Sundays | 10:30am | Sanctuary

 Join us in-person, or watch live on <u>Facebook</u> or view later in the week on <u>YouTube</u> or listen to an audio only version on <u>Archive</u>.

children's worship

Sundays | 10:30am | Children's Worship Room

- · Ages 5 years old through 5th grade
- Does not meet on the first Sunday of each month.
- Contact Alyssa Newell for questions or more information.

men's bible study

Tuesdays | 7:00-8:30pm | Mission Café

 Contact Paul Fitton or Larry Dobberstein for questions or more information.

church office hours

Wednesdays | 11:00am-4:00pm

bible study: ecclesiastes

Thursdays | 9:30-11:30am | Conference Room

- Begins 4/18
- Contact Tina Wilburn for questions or more information.

women's craft group

Thursdays | 6:30pm | Upstairs

• Contact Tracy Marshall for questions or more information.

coming soon

- Summer Camp Fundraiser: April 7-28 | Butter Braids & Other Items
- Bible Study Resumes: Thursday, April 18 | 9:30am | Conference Room

our**purpose**

To Know Him and Make Him Known

our**mission**

Living Out Our Faith Together

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stay informed

- Web Page: Be sure to check out our website at www.southhavenfbc.com for all the latest events & news; use password "Know Him" to see the content on the FBC Family Only page.
- Facebook: Join our group "First Baptist Church of South Haven" for regular updates & news.
- Email Get added to our email lists. Simply email southhavenfbc@gmail.com and give us your email address.
- FBC App: <u>Download our app</u> and keep informed on your phone or tablet.
- Online Giving: https://www.shelbygiving.com/app/giving/southhavenfbc
- Bible App: Under the events option, find FBC and follow along with Pastor Jerry's message, take notes, and see announcements.
- Office Hours: Wednesdays, 11:00am-4:00pm
- For additional information or help on any of these items, please contact the office.

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