firstbaptistchurch South Haven

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.

November 15, 2026

announcements

Happy Birthday!...Patrick Low (11/22).

Next Week's Servants (11/22)

· *Café Attendant*: Marge Parmenter
· *Café Food*: Addie Bocock (casserole), Jean Robinson (pumpkin bread)
· *Nursery*: Abi Avery, Sandi Starland
· *Sound Tech*: Gabe Bocock
· *Video, Streaming & Camera Techs*: Linda Newell, Tracy & Riley Marshall

Video Production Team Members Needed...We are seeking to add 1-2 people to our video team on Sunday mornings. No prior experience necessary and we can easily train you. If interested, please contact Rocky Starland.

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.

Pop Cans = Scholarships...Beverage can & bottle donations are used to fund teen scholarships for youth retreats, summer camps, special activities, etc. Please bring your recyclable items to the church anytime!

Have You Considered? Did you know that if your bank offers online services, you can set your tithe up as a regular 'bill payment' through your bank? This is a convenient option to help with continuity in giving and the ability for you to tithe even when you are on vacation or miss church. It eliminates having to wonder if you turned in your offering while you were gone! If you have questions or would like more information about how to utilize this convenient option, check with your banking institution or contact the church office.





Oktoberfest Recap

A Time of Thankfulness: Oktoberfest Offering

We are so thankful to each of you who made a contribution to this year's Oktoberfest offering. We are happy to share that we have received or been pledged a total amount of $46247.00! While we didn't make our goal to pay the loan off this year, we are confident we will do so in 2027. We appreciate each of you for the sacrifice and commitment you have made each year since we built the addition to get our mortgage paid off so quickly.

"They (we) will celebrate your abundant goodness and joyfully sing of your righteousness."

(Psalm 145:7)



The Mission Café

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, debit/credit cards or Venmo, PayPal, Apple and Google Pay thru the church app!

prayerREQUESTS&PRAISES

- **Miriam Bryant** has been having significant pain in her neck; please pray for relief.
- **Randy and Marsha Marshall** (Dan Marshall's parents). Randy was diagnosed with early-onset Alzheimer's earlier this year, and Marsha has recently declined rapidly after suffering multiple mini strokes. Tests also revealed she has a torn shoulder that needs surgery and a thyroid mass requiring a biopsy. Her mini strokes have made her combative and resistant to testing, making it difficult to get them both the care they need. Please pray for swift diagnoses from her doctors, patience for Daniel and his sister Sarah, and effective treatments that both Randy and Marsha are willing to accept
- **Craig Reese & Family** (Rhonda Dobberstein's brother) upon the loss of his wife on 11/5.
- **Renee Goff & Family** upon the loss of her brother, Billy McIntosh, on 11/4 following a brief bout of pneumonia.
- **Sharon Danapilis and Family** upon the loss of her husband, Pete, on 10/11.
- **Chris Truer and Family** upon the loss of her husband Henry on 10/8.
- **Renee Goff** failed a hearing test and is undergoing additional testing on 12/8 to determine if a small tumor in her ear is the cause.
- **Bruce Ferguson** has completed radiation. He will continue immunotherapy treatments for several more months. Overall, his prognosis is good and the treatments have been effective.
- **Alyssa Newell** has consulted with a specialist. and test results show that she does not have lupus. They are doing additional testing to determine what is causing her symptoms.
- **Joyce Bocock** has a large hematoma in her thigh which is causing a significant amount of pain and making it difficult for her to walk.
- Check out our monthly prayer card on-line at southhavenfbc.com under "General Info" for a **list of those with on-going needs**.



If you have a request or concern that you'd like us to pray for, please let us know!

weeklyopportunities

mission café
Sundays | 9:00-10:15am | Mission Café

worship
Sundays | 10:30am | Sanctuary
- Join us in-person, or watch live on Facebook or view later in the week on YouTube or listen to an audio only version on Archive.

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.

women's book study
Tuesdays | 7:00-8:30pm | Classroom 2
- Contact Annette Koller for questions or more information.

church office hours
Wednesdays | 11:00am-4:00pm

theology class
Wednesdays | 7:00-8:00pm | Classroom 2
- Closed course.
- See Pastor Jerry for questions or more information.

women's craft group
Thursdays | 6:30pm | Craft Room
- Contact Tracy Marshall for questions or more information.

ourpurpose

To Know Him and Make Him Known

ourmission

Living Out Our Faith Together

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stayinformed

- **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**: Download our app 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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