

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 nurseries are 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 an usher!

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.

announcements

Happy Birthday!...Lisa Follman, Logan Beck (3/7); Sandi Starland (3/9); Tina Dell (3/11); Cayden Poole (3/12); and Lennon McKamey (3/13).

Happy Anniversary!...Kyle & Sarah McKamey (3/7, 7 years).

New Baby | Meals Needed. We congratulate Nate & Chelsea Hagger who are celebrating the birth of their new daughter, Eleanora Marie, who arrived at 1:28am on March 5 weighing 7lbs., 4oz. She joins her older brother Barrett. Mom and baby are both doing well. If you would like/be able to bring a meal to our new parents, please sign up at <https://www.TakeThemAMeal.com/NOPO3186>.



Next Week's Servants (3/13):

- *Café Bakers:* Janette Hendrix (casserole) | Marge Benham (muffins)
- *Mission Café:* Marge Dumbaugh
- *Nursery:* Tracy Marshall, Holly Norman

Wednesday Morning Bible Study Resumes...The Wednesday morning Bible study will resume on March 9 from 9:30-11:30am in Classroom 3 (former Resource Room). They will study Daniel: *Spiritual Living in a Secular World. A permissive society, a power-hungry people, a nation without God. Daniel's situation in Babylon sounds quite a bit like our own. In the midst of such forces, how can we remain loyal to biblical values? How can we have a positive impact on those around us? In this twelve-session LifeGuide® Bible Study, Daniel gives us practical and personal help with these questions. For over three decades LifeGuide Bible Studies have provided solid biblical content and raised thought-provoking questions making for a one-of-a-kind Bible study experience for individuals and groups. This series has more than 130 titles on Old and New Testament books, character studies, and topical studies. If you're interested in joining, contact Tina Wilburn (269-767-4685).*

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Virtual Lenten Series..You're invited and encouraged to participate in an online Lenten Series hosted by Second Missionary Baptist Church (a fellow ABC of Michigan congregation). The series will be held on Wednesdays at noon and 7pm. The series "Living in the Light - In a World of Darkness" based on 1 John 1:7 will provide a time of reflection, renewal and redemption. The series can be viewed at <https://www.facebook.com/SMBCBC/>.

Dress Warm..You may have noticed when we've had colder weather (below 20 degrees) that the sanctuary and foyer feel chilly. This is because we have two boilers to heat the older portion of our building and the second boiler is currently not working. Parts have been ordered, but they can take at least 8 weeks to come in. In the meantime, please plan to dress in layers and be prepared if it's a colder morning.

Laptop for Sale..We have a laptop for sale: Dell Precision M4800

- Processor: Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-3740MQ CPU @ 2.70 Ghz 2.70 Ghz
- Installed RAM: 16 GB
- Hard Drive: 866 GB\
- Selling on Amazon for: \$500-\$680; Asking Price: \$300
- If you're interested, contact the church office.



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.

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| ◆ Donuts | ◆ English Muffins | ◆ Hot & Cold Beverages |
| ◆ Bagels | ◆ Snacks | ◆ And more! |

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

BLOOD DRIVE

Hope springs
eternal

DONATE
BLOOD

**Thursday
March**

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1:00 PM – 6:00 PM

**Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy
meal and drink plenty of
water before donating.**

**First Baptist Church - South Haven
Community Blood Drive! City Plaza**

1635 76th Street,
South Haven MI.
Upstairs in the City Plaza Room

Due to a national blood crisis Michigan patients are
at risk.

When you donate with Versiti Blood Center of
Michigan your blood stays local for friends,
family, loved ones, neighbors and community
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Blood Centers

prayerREQUESTS and PRAISES

Nate & Chelsea Hagger and their new daughter, Eleanora Marie, who arrived on 3/5.

Susan Seitz is recovering from successful back surgery.

Joyce Boccock is recovering from surgery. Pray for a speedy healing and minimal pain.

Cindi Layendecker (former FBC member) had Covid in January and now has a blood clot in her left leg and is requesting prayer for healing.

Nick Sebasta (friend of Allie Wilson) has been diagnosed with cancer in his sternum, spine, liver and pelvis. He and his wife, Lena, have three children ages 10, 14, and 16.

Steve & Lisa Follman and their family upon the loss of Lisa's father, Al Dubuisson, on 2/15.

Tina Dell and her family upon the loss of her husband, Ken, on 2/10.

John Ellis finally has a diagnosis of very treatable condition that should have very few (if any) long term effects. Please continue to keep him in prayer as he goes through treatment for the next few months.

Martha Dubuisson (Lisa Follman's mom) continues to have health issues and concerns with dementia related issues.

Linda Pries is recovering from shoulder replacement surgery.

Steve Follman is recovering from a successful hip replacement surgery.

Linda Rooker is recovering from a successful hip replacement surgery.

Check out our monthly prayer card on-line at southhavenfbc.com under "General Info" for a **list of those with on-going needs**.

weekly opportunities

mission café: Sundays | 9:00-10:15am

children's sunday school: Sundays | 9:15am | Classroom 3

- Ages 5 years old through 5th grade
- Contact Janette Hendrix for questions or more information.

worship: Sundays | 10:30am | Sanctuary

- If you're unable to join us in-person, you can watch live on [Facebook](#) or view later in the week on [Facebook](#) or [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
- Contact Alyssa Newell for questions or more information.

aftermath: Sundays | 12:00pm | Upstairs

- Discuss the morning's sermon and message over lunch
- Contact Pastor Jerry for questions or more information.

youth group: Sundays | 2:00-4:00pm | Upstairs

- Middle & High School students
- Contact Allie Wilson for questions or more information.

men's bible study: Tuesdays | 7-8:30pm | Mission Café

- Contact Paul Fitton for questions or more information.

church office open: Wednesdays | 10:00am-4:00pm

bible study: Wednesdays | 9:30-11:30am | Classroom 3

- Contact Tina Wilburn for questions or more information.

women's bible study: Wednesdays | 6:30-8:30pm | Online

- Contact Tracy Marshall for questions or more information.

women's craft group: Thursdays | 6:30pm | Classroom 2

- Contact Tracy Marshall to participate.

men's basketball: Saturdays | 1:30-2:30pm | Gym

- Contact Josiah O'Conner to participate.

our purpose

To Know Him and Make Him Known

our mission

Living Out Our Faith Together

ministry contacts

ministry leaders

Pastor Jerry Koller _____	269-767-2188	Allie Wilson, Sr. Events Coord. ___	269-639-8001
Jason Avery, Adjunct Pastor ___	269-370-3143	Alyssa Newell, Children's Worship	
Kim Collins, Office _____	269-767-2226	_____	269-906-0367
Doug Zantello, Outreach _____	269-427-7000		

elder ministry team

Janette Hendrix, chair _____ 269-767-5785

deacon ministry team

Vasha Ferguson, chair _____ 269-906-0083

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:** [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, 10:00am-4:00pm
- For additional information or help on any of these items, please contact the office.

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