

**WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME A PART
OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
FAMILY**

At the close of each service we give an invitation to accept Christ as Lord and Savior and to become a member of this church. We offer this opportunity during the singing of the invitation. If you wish to become a member of First Baptist Church, simply walk to the front while the hymn is being sung and tell the minister the decision you wish to make. This church receives members in the following ways:

**BY PROFESSION OF FAITH AND
BAPTISM**

You receive Christ into your life as your personal Savior and Lord. You profess faith in Christ by publicly acknowledging that you have received Him, by being baptized as He directed, and by living for Him. You need to know the following to receive Christ:

- 1. God Loves You. John 3:16
- 2. God intends Abundant Life for You. John 10:10b
- 3. You Have Sinned. Romans 3:23
- 4. Sin Robs You of Life. Romans 6:23a
- 5. God Offers You Life in Christ. Romans 6:23, 5:8
- 6. You Must Believe and Confess. Romans 10:9-10

**BY TRANSFER OF LETTER FROM
ANOTHER BAPTIST CHURCH**

If you are already a member of another Baptist Church, we will write to them for a transfer of your letter.

**BY STATEMENT OF FAITH AND
NEW TESTAMENT BAPTISM**

If your membership is in another denomination, you may join this church upon your statement that you have previously trusted Christ as your Lord and Savior and have received baptism by immersion. If you have not been baptized by immersion to profess your faith in Christ, we would ask you to join us in that experience in becoming a member of this church.

Deacon of the Week
3/17/24 - 3/23/24
Conrad Carlson 810-210-7399



The flowers were placed in the Worship Center this morning to the Glory of God.



10:30 AM KIDZ CHURCH
Ashli Shaw Children's Ministry Director

1 & 2's.....Jimmy & Vicky Campbell
3k & Prek.....Tiffany Valentik
K - 2nd.....Debria & Kris Imgrund
3rd- 5th gradesOlivia Popa & Susan Purcell
Please take a minute to thank the workers of our Children's Ministry.

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY - March 17	
8:45 am	Bodybuilding Fellowship
9:15 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship/Kids Church
5:30 pm	Evening Worship/Youth Worship/Kids Choir
6:30 pm	Choir Practice
MONDAY - March 18	
12:00 pm	Pastor & Pork/Hog-in-Bones
TUESDAY - March 19	
6:00 pm	Ladies Bible Study
WEDNESDAY - March 20	
5:00 pm	Children's Ministry Curriculum Meeting
5:30 pm	Wednesday Night Supper
6:30 pm	Evening Service/Youth Service & Team Kid
THURSDAY - March 21	
9:30 am	Ladies Bible Study
6:00 pm	Senior Adult Dinner
SUNDAY - March 24	
8:45 am	Bodybuilding Fellowship
9:15 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship/Kids Church
5:30 pm	Evening Worship/Kids Choir/Youth Worship



Sunday, March 17, 2024

Church in Worship

Sunday, March 17, 2024 • 10:30 AM

Worship Through Songs

Prelude

Hymn **“Come Now Is The Time to Worship”**

Hymn **“Days of Elijah”**

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Gary

Hymn **“Chain Breaker”**

Hymn **“Great Are You, Lord”**

Dismiss Children

Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn **“Doxology”**

Offertory Prayer Deacon of the Week

Special Music Rick Lundgren - Piano Special

Message from God's Word

Sermon Pastor Gary

Invitation **“Softly and Tenderly”**

Benediction Deacon of the Week

Postlude
Have a Blessed Week!



Welcome Guests

Please take time to fill out a connection card, located in the back of the pew that is right ahead of you. If you will bring this to the lobby at the end of service, we have a special gift for you. Thank you for being here. Please come again soon!!!

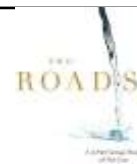


Holy Week Services
Monday, March 25 - Friday, March 29
12:00pm
St. Marys Methodist Church
Come celebrate and enjoy a service
of worship for the Risen Savior.
Lunch will be provided.



Easter Egg Filler Donations
FBC's Easter Egg Hunt is
Saturday,
March 30th at 10:00am
We are in need of candy and small toys to
go into the eggs. You can bring your dona-
tions to the church office.

Easter Egg Stuffers
Ms. Ashli is in need of people to help her
stuff the eggs. She is planning on doing this
on Wednesday, March 27th.. If you can help
her out, please let her know.
Thanks!



Young Adult Bible Study
Sundays at 4:30pm
Room CM4 in the Children's
Building
Childcare provided!
Join Josh & Allison Perry for a
young adult Bible study! **“Two Roads”** is
designed to travel beyond the mask and
begin experiencing real, authentic
relationships rooted in grace.



If you would like to have your
name added to our prayer chain
e-mail list, please send an e-mail
to Ms. Avie Roesch at
aroesch1102@gmail.com.



Lake Swan
Youth Summer Camp
July 1st - 5th, 2024
Our youth are trying to
raise \$8800 for youth
camp. They are having a fundraiser
through Dominos right now. If you are
interested in participating there are flyers
around the church or you can talk with a
youth or see Cindy Popa. You can also
make a donation directly through Realm
online at:
<https://onrealm.org/fbcstmarys/give/summercamp>
Help a youth go to
Summer Camp 2024!



FBC Children's Easter
Egg Hunt
March 30th, 10:00am
There will be Egg Hunts for
different age groups starting
at 10:00am. We will have
games, face painting, crafts,
photo booth and a fun story
time. A free hotdog lunch will be provided
following the egg hunts and every family
will be able to take home eggs to decorate.
Also, come join us for our Sunday morning
Easter service at 10:30. Sunday School
starts at 9:15am.



FBC Worship Choir
Choir rehearsals are on
Sundays at 6:30pm. If you
would like to join, come to
rehearsal and see
Mike Gaskin.



Senior Adult Covered
Dish Dinner
Thursday, March 21st
at 6:00pm
Bring a dish to share and enjoy some
time together.



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Jason Smith, Pianist

FBC Deacons

Alan Carrington - Chair Bill Brown - Vice Chair
Conrad Carlson John DuBose
Kris Imgrund David Thorpe

UNDESIGNATED thru March 12th

Budgeted - Need to Date
\$76,493.65
Giving - Received to Date
\$92,983.48
March - Budgeted Need
\$38,246.83
March - Giving Received
\$20,308.66
Annie Armstrong Giving RTD
\$890.00
Youth Summer Camp Goal
\$8,800.00
Youth Summer Camp Giving RTD
2,536.00

Annie Armstrong
Easter Offering
Our Church Goal: \$3500
RTD: \$ 890.00

