firstbaptistchurch

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 Gym. (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!...Aaron Sullivan (9/22); Sue McKamey (9/24), and Evan Beck (9/24).

Blood Drive: 9/23...We will host a blood drive on Thursday, 9/23, from 1:00-6:00 PM in the gym. Appointments preferred; walk-ins accepted. Sign up online at <u>https://donate.michigan.versiti.org/donor/schedules/</u> <u>drive_schedule/126837</u> or call 866-642-5663.

Youth Group and Children's Sunday School Resume 10/3!...

- Sunday School for kids ages 5 years old 5th grade will meet in the Resource Room from 9:30-10:15 AM. For questions or more info, contact Janette Hendrix.
- Teens in middle and high school will meet in Classroom 2 from 2:00-4:00 PM. For questions or more info, contact Allie Wilson.

Flower Bed Maintenance Needed...We need help maintaining the church's flower beds. Feel free to stop by the church at your convenience and pull weeds from whatever flower bed catches your eye. If you contact us in advance, we can arrange for the shed to be open so you can get tools; otherwise feel free to bring your own.

weekly opportunities

mission café: Sundays before and after church

worship: Sundays at 10:30am in the Sanctuary

 Livestream available on Facebook; if you're unable to join us in-person, you can view the service later in the week on Archive.org, Facebook.com or YouTube.com.

children's worship: Sundays at 10:30am in the Library

- Ages 5 years old through 5th grade
- Contact Alyssa Newell for questions or more information.

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

bible study: Wednesdays, 9:30-11:30am in the Library

Contact Vasha Ferguson for questions or more information.

women's craft group: Thursdays, 6:30pm in the Library

Contact Tracy Marshall to participate.

men's basketball: Saturdays, 1:30-2:30pm in the Gym

Contact Josiah O'Conner to participate.

on summer break | will resume this fall

- Children's Sun. School (resumes 10/3)
 Tuesday Night Women's Bible Study
- Youth Group (resumes 10/3)
- Tuesday Night Men's Group

prayerREQUESTSandPRAISES

Frank Buchert has been placed in Hospice care due to declining health. Also keep his wife, Mary, children Patty Bales, Kathy Brown, Sue Cravens & Sean Buchert and their families in prayers during this time.

Gary Wilson (Jeff Wilson's dad) is recovering from surgery for colon cancer; pray for a speedy recovery and healing.

Steve Follman will have a hip replacement surgery on 9/21.

Tom & Judy Gardner and their family (former FBC members) upon the loss of their daughter-in-law, Geraldine Smith. Please especially keep Geraldine's husband, Art, and their four children ages 22,14,10, and 8 in prayer. If anyone would like to reach out to them or send a card, Judy's cell number is 269-650-9108 address is 32744 62nd Street, Bangor MI 49013.

John Ellis is deployed to fight wildfires in California. Please pray for his safety and protection.

Billy McIntosh (Renee Goff's brother) is suspected to have a genetic form of cardiomyopathy; waiting for test results; has to wear a life vest/portable defibrillator for 90 days and then further treatment will be determined.

Linda Rooker is recovering from a successful hip replacement surgery. Pray for a speedy healing and minimal pain.

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



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 First Baptist Church.

- Donuts
- ♦ Bagels
- English Muffins

- ♦ Snacks
- Hot & Cold Beverages
- And more!

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

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 Jason Avery, Adjunct Pastor ___ 269-370-3143 Kim Collins, Office_____ 269-767-2226 Doug Zantello, Outreach 269-427-7000

Allie Wilson, Sr. Events Coord.__ 269-639-8001 Alyssa Newell, Children's Worship 269-906-0367

elder ministry team Janette Hendrix, chair ____

269-767-5785

deaconministryteam 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 emailsouthhavenfbc@gmail.com and give us vour email address.
- FBC App: Download our app <u>MinistryOne</u> and keep informed on your phone or tablet.
- Online Giving: <u>https://www.shelbygiving.com/app/giving/southhavenfbc</u>
- 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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