



It's camping time! Students who are interested in going church camp can find information and registration forms on the bulletin board in The Gathering Place. A variety of camps for all ages are offered at both Indian Creek and Tippecanoe Baptist Camps. Also, for a wealth of information, check out their websites: campindiancreek.com and camptippy.org.

FBC will pay half of all registration fees. Please complete your registration form and turn it in with your part of the payment to the church office. To avoid late fees, they must be postmarked 10 days prior to the start of the camp. So please get them to the church office in time to allow us a week to process and get it in the mail.



Upcoming Events

Wednesday, Mar.20
5:15 p.m. – Movin' Up
7:00 p.m. – Choir Practice

Thursday, Mar. 21
6:00 p.m. – Deacons Meeting

Sunday, March 24
9:00 a.m. – Sunday School
10:05 a.m. – Kids' Time
10:15 a.m. – Worship Service

Teachers This Sunday

Nursery
Angie Bynum / Jessica Bynum

Kids' Time
Ruth Ann Monroe / Chris McFarren

LOL
Loren Wanner

Stewardship Report

March 17, 2019

Giving Toward:

Current Expenses	3,459.00
Missions	115.00
Building/Maint Fund	70.00
Deacons	25.00
The Match Fund	325.00
Mykayla missionary	80.00
Spring Flowers	48.00
Total	\$ 4,122.00



Spring Flowers

You have the opportunity to purchase spring flowers that will be displayed in our sanctuary on Resurrection Sunday in honor or in memory of someone. Then, you can take your flower home after the service. Order forms are in the foyer, and the cost is \$8.00 per flower.

Easter Egg Hunt

The Christian Education Board is sponsoring their Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 6 at 1:00 p.m. here at the church. All children, ages one to fourteen, are encouraged to come and have fun.



Bridal Shower

The church is planning a bridal shower for Julie Cantrell on Saturday, April 13 at 1 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Julie and Andy are registered at Walmart and Target.

Encouraging Others

Each semester around finals, FBC sends an encouragement gift to our students in college. If you would like to contribute to the gifts for this spring, please see Jan Jones. Also remember to pray for our students!



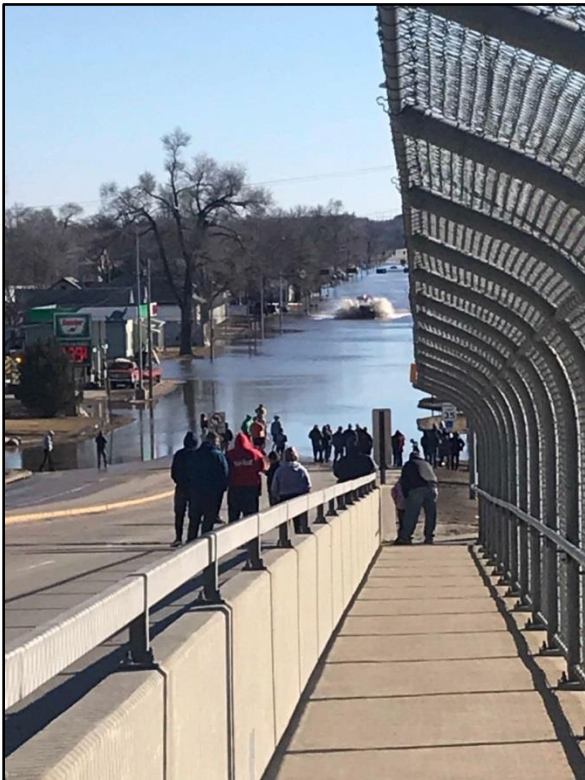
Women's Bible Study

The daytime Women's Bible Study books have arrived. Please pay Jan Jones \$10.70 with exact change or a check made out to FBC. The books will be passed out at our lunch kick-off at Hughes Bakery and Coffeehouse on Tuesday, March 26 at 1:00 p.m.

Mission Opportunities

Edna Martin Christian Center Donations – For the next few weeks, there will be a box in our church foyer to collect non-perishable food items and paper goods. The Edna Martin Christian Center is an American Baptist ministry center in an impoverished neighborhood of Indianapolis. In 2018 the center assisted more than 80 students, helped 277 families, and served 142 seniors in a vast assortment of practical ways. Bring your food and paper donations by the end of March, then Bob and Judy Grove will deliver our contributions to the center.

2019 Disaster Relief Offering – Right now the state of Nebraska is facing unprecedented flooding. The First Baptist Church in Fremont, Nebraska is a distribution facility for food supplies that are being airdropped. Richard Crooks is the pastor of this sister American Baptist Church in Fremont. Pastor Richard is also Debbie Cantrell's cousin. Around this time every year we take up a special offering to assist people at home or abroad displaced or devastated by natural disaster, war, or some other overwhelming circumstance. Our 2019 offering will be sent directly to FBC in Fremont for distribution. Pastor Richard has assured us that all flood relief gifts will be used to help people impacted by this disastrous situation. Make your checks out to First Baptist Church and designate them to "Flood Relief." Here is a photo of the current flooding in Nebraska.



Water blocked U.S. Highway 77 traffic from heading south out of Fremont on Friday.



Homebound Members

Christian Care

Mildred Huss – Room 219B

Clyde Shady – Room 228B

River Terrace

Eulis West – Room 114

Home

Ed Goetz

Rose McCormick

K Casper Life Center

Judy Bierie – Room 268

Markle Health and Rehabilitation

Larry Gilly – Room 210

Help People Follow Jesus

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 First Baptist Church - Bluffton, Indiana

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