

THE LINK



Local Gathering Information

Who: Every follower of Jesus; all churches invited

Where: Wells County Court House (North Courtyard)

When: Thursday, May 4 at 6:15 p.m.

Why: Our nation needs the LORD

Agenda

Worship: Dennis Wood of First Church of Christ.

Brief Message: Gary Aupperle of Hope Missionary.

Circle Up: Prayers from those who feel led.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, April 26

noon – Women's Bible Study

4:00 p.m. – Movin' Up

Sunday, April 30

9:00 a.m. – Sunday School

9:50 a.m. – Coffee, The Gathering Place

10:05 a.m. – Kids' Time

10:15 a.m. – Worship Service

11:15 a.m. – Business Meeting

Teachers This Sunday

Nursery

Ciera Hiester / Evalyn Fate

Kids' Time

Judy & Loren Wanner

L.O.L.

Debbie Cantrell

Last Week

April 23, 2017

Attendance

Worship Service – 102

Sunday school – 50

Stewardship Report

Giving Toward:

Current Expense	\$3406.00
Missions	\$355.00
Building/Maint. Fund	\$90.00
Memorials (Easter)	\$30.00
McFarren Scholarships	\$600.00
Total:	\$4481.00

Business Meeting

A church business meeting to discuss the use of food and beverages in the sanctuary will be held this Sunday, April 30 after the worship service.

Assistance Info

If someone associated with our church (or not associated) asks you for financial help, please feel free to contact Pastor Les or have them contact him. Les can coordinate the assistance our church offers people. He will do this in consultation with our deacon board.

Graduates



There will be a reception after the worship service on Sunday, May 21 for our church family graduates. Please contact the church office at 824-1558 with the names of our high school and college graduates.

McFarren Scholarships

A reminder to students pursuing education beyond high school: You may pick up your application form for a McFarren Scholarship in the office. It is renewable, but you need to fill out a new form each year. Completed applications are due by June 11.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Chris McFarren! Chris' niece was recognized recently as the 2016-17 prom queen for Bluffton High School. Interestingly, this niece's mother was also prom queen back when she was in high school.

Prayer Item

The church family extends our sympathies to Michael White in the recent passing of his mother. Please keep Michael and his family in your prayers during this time of loss.

Breakfast of Honor

For Our Ladies Young and Old

Sunday, May 7, 2017

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

~ No Sunday School That Morning ~

Self- Serve Menu:

Sticky Bun Type Cinnamon Rolls

(Made by our own Lydia Yaste)

Bran Muffins

Fruit

Egg Casserole

Coffee / OJ / Chocolate & White Milk

Final Sign-Up

Guys and young people are also encouraged to come and eat. Please circle "B" on your Welcome Card this Sunday and write how many are coming. You may also call the church office.





Homebound Members

Christian Care

Joan Sills – Room 222
Mildred Huss – Room 219B

River Terrace

Phebe Edington – Room 134
Mary Ellis – Room 107B
LaVera Krummen – Room 116

Signature Healthcare

Bonnie McAfee – Room 403B

Markle Health and Rehabilitation

Barbara French – Room 216


As we co-labor with other churches
in our community,
this week we pray for:
Fellowship Baptist Church
Pastor Lenny Stringer

First Baptist Church

260-824-1558

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 First Baptist Church - Bluffton, Indiana

Pastor: Les Cantrell
Cell phone: 260-273-9073
Music Director: Sarah Landell
Secretary: Debbie Cantrell

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