We are so glad you're here today!



Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Please fill out a Connection Card if this is your

first time at FBC or to indicate any needs/updates you may have. Return completed form to the Welcome Center or place in an offering box.

MORNING WORSHIP

Scripture Reading: Daniel 2:1-28a, DJ Handy

Welcome / Announcements / Prayer

Worship in Song: All I Have is Christ

Before the Throne of God

Above

Blessed Assurance

What a Beautiful Name

Special Music: Jessie & Christi Handy

Love Lifted Me

Children Dismissed to Jr. Church

Message: The IMPOSSIBLE Dream

Daniel 2:1-28a

Calling all singers! Do you like to sing? Would you enjoy being a part of an Easter Cantata? Christi Handy has volunteered to lead one this year. Please indicate your interest by signing up on the sheet at the Welcome Center table. Also, please indicate the part that you sing.



TUESDAY: Men's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: MomCo Bible Study, 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

AWANA, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. 113 clubbers last week!

Youth Group, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Bible Study & Prayer, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY: CBS, 10:30 a.m.

CE Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY: Youth Group Bowling/Hot Chocolate, 6:10 - 9:30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY: Sanctity of Human Life

Parent & Child Dedication

January 20: Sewing & Quilting Group, 9:30 a.m.

Missions Committee Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

January 21: Deacon Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

January 24: Men's Chili Night, 6:00 p.m.

January 26: Fellowship Meal after the morning service



Cindy will be out of the office from January 24 - February 3. Please submit items for the January 26 and February 2 bulletin by Thursday, January 23.

Next Sunday, January 19, is Sanctity of Human Life Sunday. We will have a Parent & Child Dedication as we celebrate the gift of children in our lives. If you would like to be involved, please see Dr. Witter or an Elder by Wednesday.





Friday, January 17: Bowling at Fremont Lanes & Hot Chocolate at the Vazquez Home. Meet at church at 6:10 pm. The van is leaving at 6:20 pm for Fremont Lanes; return time is 9:30 pm.



CONGRATULATIONS to Matthew and Susannah Cavner on the arrival of a girl! Olivia Catherine was born Tuesday, January 7, at 8:00 a.m., weighing 7 lb. 11 oz. and 21" long. Olivia joins big brother Elijah



Men of all ages are invited to the Iron Men Chili Cook Off on Friday, January 24, at 6:00 p.m. in the FBC Activity Center. Bring your favorite chili to share. Join us for an evening of food, fellowship, and fun! Please sign up at the Welcome Center.



Please bring a side dish and dessert. FBC will provide hot sandwiches.

Thank you for your kindness and generosity each year as you remember your missionaries at Christmas. We are so richly blessed by the practical way your gift helped our family. Our needs have been great as this year has been so full of surprises for our family including the tremendous joy of planning and celebrating both of our daughters' weddings. We also celebrated our 30th wedding anniversary; however, because of financial constraints, we were not able to do anything extra special. With great excitement, we have set aside a portion of our Christmas gifs to be able to travel this next summer as a delayed 30-year celebration. Since our monthly remittance from ABWE doesn't provide for extra special things, your gift helps make it possible. Thank you so very much for such a tangible way of showing love and support.

We also used a portion of our Christmas gifts to buy gifts for each other and our adult children who were able to all be here over the holidays. It has been years since all four of our kids were with us at Christmas, and we just soaked in the precious moments as we know it will be many more years until it happens again.

As cliché as it sounds, there really are no words to express our gratitude. Your faithfulness and love gifts to our family lift our spirits and bless us in tangible ways that are not normally possible. Thank you for following God's leading as He prompts you to bless your missionary families. We are honored.

With Much Love and Grateful Hearts, Tim and Andrea Blazer



DIANA BEEBE is at Regency for additional rehab to rebuild strength before she can return home.

TIM BONT had cataract surgery last Wednesday and is scheduled again on Jan. 22 for his other eye. Please pray all goes smoothly.

RAY CARGILL is recovering from an appendectomy last Thursday.

DANIEL CRABB continues his recovery from surgery. Please continue to pray for pain management.

JOY DYKMAN was transferred by aero-med to Grand Rapids last Thursday. She had a 90 percent blockage so a stint was placed. It was confirmed that Joy had a heart attack. She was hoping to be discharged yesterday.

ROSE ECKERT has moved to Illinois to live with her daughter, Alice Holcomb. Please pray for her as she adjusts to not living in her home in Fremont.

KAY JOHNSON would like prayer as she moved to a new apartment last week in Muskegon. Her previous one was involved in an apartment building fire and is still not available.

LUANNA MERCER's pathology report came back, and no cancer was detected in the lymph nodes and no other treatment is needed. Another answer to prayer. Thank you to all who have been praying.

The **NATION OF ISRAEL** still has a unique place in the plan of God, and we are exhorted to pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

EZRA SHAW is getting stronger, sillier, and louder every day. Ezra still has very little interest in taking any food or drinks by mouth. He has a feeding therapist starting to work with him, but please be praying that he'd be able to start making some progress in that developmental area. Ezra also had a full brain and spine MRI along with another hearing test and some other small things done last Friday. This is his first scan since ending treatment and it will also be about 6 months out from his resection, and so there's a fair bit of anxiety for Tim and MaryBeth. Please pray for them too as they manage Ezra's care and navigate the balance of faith and realism.

TOM (Joanne Grasley's brother-in-law) is in hospice care, and it appears his time is very short. Please pray for comfort for the family, and for an opportunity for the gospel for unbelieving family members.

UNSPOKEN REQUESTS

THOSE WITH ON-GOING NEEDS:

GALEN BROOKENS

CARL GIBBS (Caleb's Dad)

TOMMY HANDY

TIM HENRY

CORY JACKSON

NONA PASSAGE JONAS & VERALYN PEDERSEN

JOYCE RANDALL JACOBO REYES (Enrique's Dad)

KRISTYN VANDERWALL ANDREW WRIGHT (Sarah Boerema's brother)



Bea Abbott: Home

Marion Hines: Home

Kay Johnson: Home

Ruth Wingelaar: Fountain View

Nursery		Barb Crabb & Julie Zenk Ericka Brown & Julie Zenk
Ν		Rich & Laurie Brown Cherie Eckert & Billie Newsted
2-3 Year Old Class		Julie Norris & Anna/Drew Elissa Hibma & Rachel Eckert
4 Year Old-l Class	· - · · · · . · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Elissa Hibma & Luka Torrens Joe & Virginia Howes
Jr. Church (1st - 6th)		Patsy, Nikki, Jackie & Jarred Patsy, Hulda, Gideon, & Jim
Greeter		Steve & Ann Churchley John & Patsy Beecham

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