



TODAY'S SERMON

## ***WELCOME TO FIRST BIBLE!***

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We're so glad you've chosen to join us this morning. Whether you're a member, just visiting, or searching for a place to call your church, we're glad you're here and hope you feel a warm welcome and a sense of Christian family bond.

As a community of imperfect people on a journey to know, love, and follow Christ, it's our joy to worship the Lord Jesus. Our prayer is that you will have a meaningful encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ, grow in a deeper relationship with our God through the teaching of the Scriptures, and get to meet some friendly new faces!



## FBBC Events



### *Merry Christmas*

**Tuesday, December 25**

Happy Birthday to Jesus, our Lord and Savior.



### *Christmas Eve Candlelight Service*

**Monday, December 24, 5:00-5:45 P.M.**

Join us for this special service. We will sing Christmas songs, enjoy a presentation, and light our candles as we celebrate the birth of our Savior. Childcare will be provided for 0-3 years.

**NEEDED:** Volunteers to work in nurseries for 0-3 year-old children - contact [erin.walker@fbbc.info](mailto:erin.walker@fbbc.info), [kate.foster@fbbc.info](mailto:kate.foster@fbbc.info), or [jaime.summerlin@fbbc.info](mailto:jaime.summerlin@fbbc.info).



### *2019 Word365*

**Bible Journal and Reading Plans - \$5 each**

Time to order your 2019 WORD365 reading journal. Plans this year will be the OWNit365 Whole Bible and OWNit365 NT + on YouVersion. Order a journal at [www.fbbc.info/yearlyplan2019](http://www.fbbc.info/yearlyplan2019) or in the Commons. Available for pick-up starting 12/9/18 in the Commons.

Questions – [dillon.brisco@fbbc.info](mailto:dillon.brisco@fbbc.info)



### *Following The Service*

**December 24, 5:45-6:30 P.M.**

Enjoy some homemade Christmas cookies and fellowship. Would you like to bring a dozen or two of your favorite Christmas cookies to share? Sign-up at [www.fbbc.info/events](http://www.fbbc.info/events). We're looking for 125 people to bake their Christmas favorites! Please drop them off Sunday morning 12/23 at one of the Welcome Centers.

Questions- [dillon.brisco@fbbc.info](mailto:dillon.brisco@fbbc.info)



### *The Giving Tree*

**Located by the Children's Wing (through Dec. 30)**

Our Giving Tree is back and it is different than the past. On the Christmas tree you will find gift card envelopes with different stores and amounts. Collect one of those, buy the gift card, and return it to the container near the tree. The cards will meet the needs of people that contact us from the community and within our church. Thanks for your generosity. Questions: [betty.johnson@fbbc.info](mailto:betty.johnson@fbbc.info)



### *Sue Madison - Golden Apple Award*

**December**

Congratulations to Sue for being honored with the Golden Apple Award from Channel 8. Sue has been the art teacher at NCA for 40 years. Thank you, Sue, for your commitment and dedication at NCA. We will miss you.



### *Baptism Celebration*

**SUNDAY, January 6 | 10:30 A.M.**

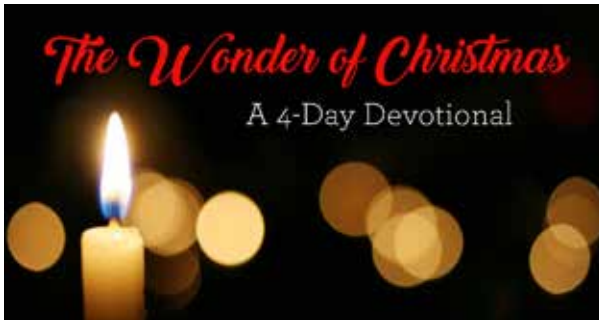
Call the church office, go to [fbbc.info/events](http://fbbc.info/events), or text the word BAPTISM to (585) 332-2010 to sign up, if you would like to be baptized.



## *First Responders*

### **Volunteers Needed**

To provide the best possible experience during services, we are continuing to build a team of qualified First Responders. If you are a qualified First Responder and are willing to be on call once or twice a month on a Sunday, contact Vinnie at [vinnie.tumia@fbbc.info](mailto:vinnie.tumia@fbbc.info).



## *WORD365 December's Bible Reading Plan*

### **READ. APPLY. SHARE.**

What's Christmas really all about – family, friends and gifts? This month's plan helps us reflect on the true reason for the season – Emmanuel! Select, The Wonder Of Christmas (4 days) on YouVersion. Invite a few friends to join and post something with #WORD365. Once complete, take the practical application challenge found at: [fbbc.info/word365/monthlyplans](http://fbbc.info/word365/monthlyplans)



## *Year End Giving*

### **December 31**

Gifts received in the church office or postmarked by December 31, will be posted on your 2018 statement. 3 ways to give: Envelopes, Online (credit or debit), text GIVE to 332-2010 for a one-time transaction (credit or debit).


**NOTICE:** If you use numbered tithe envelopes, your 2019 set is ready for you to pick up near the South Welcome Center. If you would like envelopes, contact [carol.raszeja@fbbc.info](mailto:carol.raszeja@fbbc.info)  
**Questions:** [nikole.oakden@fbbc.info](mailto:nikole.oakden@fbbc.info)



## *His Ministries*

### **Babysitting**

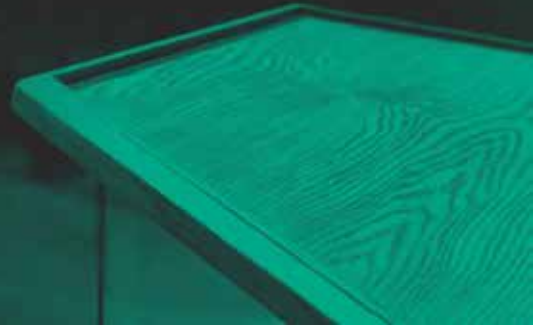
We are excited to announce that His Ministries' Babysitting Team is launching! We will be meeting with all babysitting volunteers on Sunday, January 13, at 10:00 and 12:00 in the first room on the right in the children's wing. The meeting will be 20 minutes long and children are welcome. We welcome those that have not signed up that are interested.

 If you have questions regarding today's message, text your name and questions to: **(585) 310-8223**

NO SERVICE WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT 7:00 P.M.

*No Service on  
Wednesday.*

*Enjoy the time with  
your family.*



 MISSIONARY MINUTE

## *Jimmy & Julie Tsoukalas*

Zambia, Africa



*December 2018*

Jimmy and Julie Tsoukalas are praising God for another fruitful year of ministry. Along with their three daughters (Tina, Kat, and Cia), the Tsoukalas family have been faithfully serving God on the mission field for almost 15 years! They are a beloved family from First Bible Baptist Church who continue to share God's truth to both the hearing and the deaf in Zambia, Africa.

After sharing the Gospel through an interpreter, Jimmy and Julie recently lead two of their Malawian neighbors to Christ! The neighbors couldn't speak any English, so Jimmy witnessed to them in sign language, Julie translated into English, their friend repeated the message in Chewa, and the Holy Spirit used it all to speak to their souls! Julie also has recently started a program called "Seeds of Grace Prison Ministry." The purpose of the ministry is to share Christ's love and truth to the ladies who are in the Zambian prisons.

Pray for the Tsoukalas family as they continue to share Christ's truth with the people of Zambia!

You can read more here: [www.fbbc.info/missions](http://www.fbbc.info/missions)

## Coming up at FBBC



### *Mission Share: December*

Drop donations off at either Welcome Center.

Be a blessing to those in need in our community. Each month we will collect different items. This month is:

Toilet Paper

Peanut Butter



### *December Events*

24-25 Office Closed

**NO NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICE AT FBBC**

24-January 1 - No School

31-January 1 - Office Closed



### *Flower City Work Camp*

Sunday, April 14 - Thursday, April 18, 2019

Flower City Work Camp is a 5 day local missions experience from April 14-18. Get involved in work sites, sports camps, or sidewalk clubs. Students and adults are needed for this week of serving like Jesus. To volunteer or register your student, go to [www.flowercityworkcamp.org](http://www.flowercityworkcamp.org). If you have further questions, please see Jon Spargo or Melissa Patrick.



### *Wednesday Dinner, 5:30-6:30 P.M.*

January 10, is the next meal.

## DID YOU KNOW?

In mid to late January we will note in the bulletin and send an email that your giving records are completed for download. Any additional questions regarding year-end gifts can be directed to Nikole Oakden at [nikole.oakden@fbbc.info](mailto:nikole.oakden@fbbc.info) or 392-0777.

## FBBC Family News

### *Get Well*

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**Louise Metzger** is in rehab for her leg.  
325 Gates Greece TL Rd.  
Rochester, NY 14606

**Carol Clement** is recovering after several falls.  
100 Dunn Towers Drive  
Apt. 1216  
Rochester, NY 14606

### *Sympathy*

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**Sharon (Bernard) Chase** - she is recovering from surgery and her father passed away.  
492 Bennington Drive  
Rochester, NY 14616

*(If you would like a visit in the hospital, please call the office to let us know.)*



### *Betty Chatterton*

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Betty is 95 years old TODAY. If you see her, wish her happy birthday. You can send a card to:  
Betty Chatterton  
Elderwood of Lakeside Brockport  
170 West Ave.  
Brockport, NY 14420



*If you are a  
first-time guest  
please text  
**WELCOME** to:*

**(585) 332-2010**



*If you have  
questions regarding  
today's message,  
text your name and  
questions to:*

**(585) 310-8223**

## Thank You /Notices

### *Thank You*

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To our First Bible Baptist Church family,  
We would like to thank everyone for their prayers and get well cards for our daughter, Kali Earle, who had a feeding tube placed at the end of November. There were a few minor complications but with the prayers from our family, friends, and especially our church family here at FBBC, they were overcome. This church has been a blessing to our family.

Thank you again,  
Jonathan and Krystle Earle

Thank you to members of FBBC for the cards, prayers, thoughts, and gifts on my surgery complications during the first two weeks of October. Getting better everyday!

In Christ,  
Ron Borne

### **NOTICE**

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We will not be holding a New Year's Eve Service at FBBC.

*If you'd like to thank a large group of people here at FBBC or the church in general, you may submit a thank you via email to [betty.johnson@fbbc.info](mailto:betty.johnson@fbbc.info).*



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## Meet the Staff



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For info on all other staff, go to:

[www.fbbc.info/staff](http://www.fbbc.info/staff)