



James

The Prayer of Faith

TODAY'S SERMON

WELCOME TO FIRST BIBLE!

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!



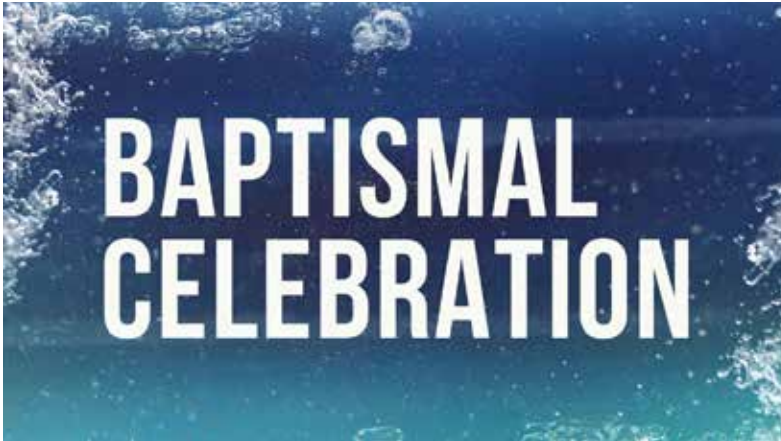
FBBC Events



Be Included!

Reserve your appointment time!

Please stop by either Welcome Center to pick up information on being part of the new pictorial directory. Appointments will be taken after Sunday services at the South Welcome Center today. Sittings are: August 1-3 and September 16-17 and 19-21. If you were notified to pick up an envelope with more information, those are waiting for you in alphabetical order at the South Welcome Center.



Baptismal Celebration

SUNDAY, August 4 | 10:30 A.M.

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



Pathways Family Fun Night

August 14 — 7:00 P.M.

Nels Ross, an “Inspirational Oddball” and acclaimed entertainer, is joining us for an evening of flying objects and hilarious humor. This will be a one-of-a-kind, knock-your-socks-off entertainment. Invite neighbors and encourage your kids to invite their friends. Refreshments to follow and nurseries 0-2 years provided. Pick up invite cards at the Welcome Centers to give to friends and neighbors.



Thank You Carol!

Carol Raszeja is retiring from the First Bible front office. She began serving on March 13, 1995. Yes, that means over 24 years! Carol's genuine heart to help in any way possible has been evident across her whole career. Faithful, humble, trustworthy, and responsible are all words that describe her. Congratulate her when you see her!



AWANA Children's Ministry

Wednesday, September 11 - May 27, 2020
Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed

Looking for a way for your kids to have fun and enjoy learning the Bible? Awana is an engaging discipleship program for kids ages 3 - 6th grade. Registration is open at:

www.fbbc.info/events

You can contact Dillon Brisco (Awana Director) or get more info at: www.fbbc.info/youth/awana/



Nick Paonessa Memorial Softball

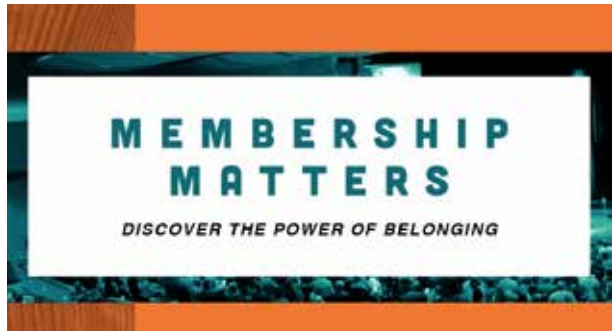
AUGUST 9 & 10 | Registration is Open!

Held at the G&T SportsPark. \$350 per team entry plus sponsorship opportunities. Men's and Women's Slow Pitch Division Options. Held to benefit NCA Baseball/Softball teams.

Sign up your team or become a sponsor:

<https://www.northstarchristian.info/nick/>

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for Face Painting, Bounce House, Photo Booth, and more. To sign up, contact Sharon Conley: benshan@rochester.rr.com



Membership Matters

Sunday, August 18, 10:30, Jr. High Class

Have you ever wondered why church membership is so important? Are you looking to discover how you can grow in your relationship with God and others? Are you seeking to get plugged in at FBBC and serve in a ministry? All of these questions are answered and more at Membership Matters. Sign up at www.fbbc.info/events/. Questions: dillon.brisco@fbbc.info



Church Block Party

Wednesday, August 21, 5:00 - 8:00 P.M.

This night is our final hurrah for the summer. FREE CHICKEN DINNER (**sign up required**). Please bring a dessert to share. Enjoy inflatables, yard games, and an encouraging message. Invite a neighborhood family and sign up online: www.fbbc.info/events or the South Welcome Center by 8/18.

Schedule: 5:00-6:30 *Dinner Served*; 5:00-6:45 *Dinner/Inflatables/Yard Games*; 7:00-8:00 *Praise/Message/Fellowship*



July Kindness Challenge

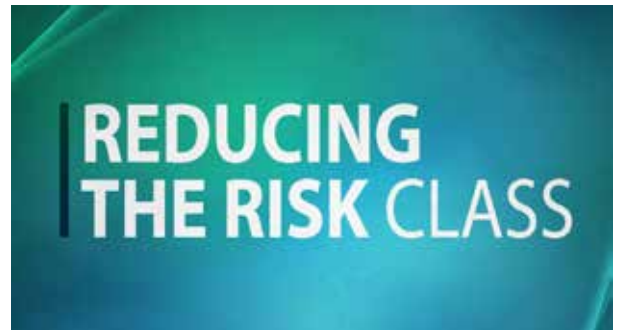
Kindness can really change someone's day— and even their eternity. In July, let's all focus on showing practical love to those in our COMMUNITY. Pay it forward, write a kind note to a barista, leave an anonymous gift to a first responder . . . the options are limitless. Pick up a card and a booklet for ideas in the Commons today!



Women's Ministry Breakfast @ the Beach

Saturday, August 24, 6:30 - 9:00 A.M.


Join us for a time of worship, prayer, and spiritual refreshment at Hamlin Beach State Park (Area 4). We will provide a light breakfast and coffee. Bring a chair or blanket and your Bible. Sign up online by August 21: fbbc.info/events



Reducing the Risk

Sunday, August 11, 10:30 A.M. (B-116, Staff Conference Room)

Go to fbbc.info/serve to find more information and to sign up. This class is needed to work in any children's ministry.

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

JOIN US FOR SERVICE WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT 7:00 P.M.

Nurseries open
0-2 years only

PATH
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WED, JULY 31
PATHWAYS SERIES

Speaker: Vinnie Tumia

Kids Club 3 years - 6th Grade. | Refreshments to follow Service.



MISSIONARY MINUTE



Ms. Rebekah

Southeast Asia

Who would have thought that a cup of coffee could be a platform for evangelism? Five years ago, Ms. Rebekah established a coffee shop in Southeast Asia. Her goal was two-fold: to brew the best coffee in her city and create opportunities for sharing the Gospel. She began hiring men and women who were at risk of falling into sex-trafficking. Many of these individuals decided to follow Jesus after Ms. Rebekah shared the truth of God's Word with them. In recent months, three more staff members trusted Christ as their Savior and are now baptized.

The work God is doing through Ms. Rebekah continues to prosper. She has now opened a second coffee shop and has expanded her influence beyond the city limits. She partners with many rural churches, establishing several elementary Christian schools. Her background in business prepared her to assist in the technical side of school management. Despite severe persecution from the Communist authorities, Ms. Rebekah remains active. Her love for Christ and the people propel her to continue serving God, one cup of coffee at a time.

Please take a moment today to pray for Ms. Rebekah, our supported missionary to Southeast Asia.

(Ms. Rebekah is a pseudonym: a name used to protect the identity of our supported missionary.)

You can read more here: www.fbbc.info/missions





AWANA Children's Ministry

Wednesday, September 11 - May

If you are interested in becoming an **AWANA worker**, contact: dillon.brisco@fbc.info



Wednesdays in the Summer

Now - August 28, 7:00 P.M.

0-2 nurseries and 3-4 kids programs are available. We all love summer sun, picnics, and time with family and friends. Pick up a printed card from one of the Welcome Centers for more information on these special nights.

August 14 - Family Fun Night August 28 - Acoustic Night
August 21 - Block Party of Worship & Prayer Walk



Mission Share: July

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:

Cereal



Red Cross Blood Drive

Tuesday, August 13, 1:00-6:00 P.M.

FBBC will hold a blood drive in the Cove. The Red Cross is currently in an emergency appeal for blood. There will be a \$5 Amazon gift card given to each donor. Walk-ins are accepted. If you would like to schedule an appointment, you may go to: fbc.info/events

Get Well

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

GIVING

*There are 3 ways
you can support the
ministries of FBBC:*

- 1. Give in a plate during a service*
- 2. Give online: fbbc.info/give*
- 3. Text "GIVE" to: [332-2010](tel:332-2010)*



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

(585) 332-2010

Thank You /Get Well

Thank You

Thank you from **Little Red Book:**
All To God's Glory!

Total raised for our Pasta Fundraiser for Africa, Bangladesh, and Pakistan was \$8,304! Thank you for your financial donations to make this event a great success.

Thank you also goes out to all of you that volunteered with set-up, break-down, cooking, cleaning, and shopping. Thousands of tracts will be printed and thousands of people will be reached because you allowed God to use you!

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.



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