

MISSIONS FOCUS






MISSIONS FOCUS OF THE MONTH: ALL FBC MISSIONARIES!

We are blessed to focus on our missionary family at this precious time of year! Our financially supported missionaries will receive a \$100.00 love gift/each. Additionally, our S.S. classes have “adopted” certain missionaries to bless a little extra this Christmas!

Here are some suggestions to further bless our missionaries this month: Include them in your Christmas letters! Or send them an encouraging email! If they are stateside, send them a baked good! Or just get creative with your family and mail them a homemade craft or card prepared by your children. Consider those with families and how to bless the children! So many ways to be an encourager and put our faith into action! Thank you for remembering our missionary family!

December 7, 2025 sermon notes

NOVEMBER 26, 2025 YOUTH ATTENDANCE & SECTIONS

CLUB	ATTENDANCE	LEADERS	SECTIONS
	N/A	N/A	N/A
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12/14 @ 9:00am: All-Cast Dress Rehearsal

Welcome to WHS Choir – Church Tour!

Tuesday @ 5:30pm: Bell Choir Practice

Welcome to First Baptist Church
Sunday, December 7, 2025

Today’s Events

9:00am: Children’s Choir dress rehearsal (sanctuary) & Sunday School for all ages
10:00am: Morning Worship, Christmas sermon series | 11:15am: Adult Choir Rehearsal (teen piano room) | 6:00pm: Men’s Bible Study

This Week’s Events

Monday @ 7:00pm: Deacon’s Meeting
Tuesday, 1-5pm: Sewing Class | 5:30pm Bell Choir Practice | Wednesday @ 10:30pm: Ladies’ Prayer & Share (Jan May to share the devotional)

This Week’s Events, cont.

Wednesday @ 5:15pm: AWANA Prayerful Preparation | 6:15pm: AWANA theme – “Snowball Fight,” Lesson by Kari Roney, “The Epistles” (2 Thess. 2:15) | 6:30pm: B.U.R.S.T. (youth group), volunteer needed for meal, devotional by Steve Kiley, “Jesus is Born” | Thursday @ 1:30pm: Mission Committee Mtg. | Saturday @ 9:00am – 11:00am: Women’s Ministries Christmas Party “Deck the Halls”

WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome WHS Choir (Church Tour)!



Prelude ~ “God in a Manger” video

Welcome & Verbal Announcements ~ Pastor Duane

Waukon High-School Choir (Church Tour)

Video Announcements & Lynn Monroe announcement

Worship in Song ~ Led by Jill Colsch

Scripture Reading & Deacon’s Prayer

Worship in the Word ~ Pastor Duane Smith

*Children’s Church is dismissed

Postlude ~ Cristina Smith



* Children’s Church is for ages 3 – kindergarten and is dismissed during the sermon time only; Today’s teachers: Andria Flack, Arthur Clocksin

* Children’s Activity Sheets, crayons, and clipboards (1-3 grades) are available under the table by the Sanctuary doors.

* There are Bibles available on the table by the Sanctuary doors – feel free to use them during the service OR take one home with you – they are free.

Attendance & Offerings November 30, 2025

Attendance	95	General Offering	\$1824.97
Laura Kornelsen	100.00	Will White	\$300.00
As of 12/2 YouTube views	9	Faith Promise Missions	\$130.00
As of 12/2 Facebook views	150	Building Fund	\$130.00
Sunday School Attendance	N/A	Sunday School Offering	N/A

TODAY: WELCOME TO WAUKON HIGH SCHOOL’S CHOIR (CHURCH TOUR)!



This Saturday at 9:00am is the **Women’s Ministries Christmas Party, “Deck the Halls!”** Thanks to all those who signed up! If you want to help with the party in any way, see the sign-up sheet for some ideas (i.e., decorating, set-up, clean-up, provide food, etc.). Bring a **\$5-10 gift** to share if you want, and **5 Christmas greeting cards** to bless our shut-ins: Ruth White, Nancy Hammond, Russ & Sharen Roth, Charlie & Betty Jepsen, Beverly Walsh. See you Saturday! Bring your Christmas cheer!

In the Lord’s Service Today & Next Sunday:

Sunday’s Worship Team/Theme: Jill Colsch – worship leader, Cristina Smith – pianist, Brenda Promnitz – keyboardist, WHS Church Tour, 11:15am Adult Choir Rehearsal (next Sunday: Pastor Duane, Valeria White, Kayla Scholl, Kristie Roeder, Deanne Sobolik, 11:15a.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal)

Power Point Technician: Valeria White (next Sunday: Larry Barthel)

Live Stream Technician: Kris Larson (next Sunday: Kris Larson)

Soundman: Mike Larson (next Sunday: Mike Larson)

Sunday School Refreshments: Denise Beyer (next Sunday: Jean Buntrock)

B.U.R.S.T. Meals: 12/10 Meal –Volunteer needed (12/17 Meal: N/A – teens provide the meal for youth group Christmas party)

Greeters: Front door – Jan Lotza, Kari Roney, Back door: Greg Kerndt (next Sunday: Brent & Denise Beyer, Jeff Anderson)

Nursery workers: Denise Beyer (next Sunday: Brenda Promnitz)

Children’s Church: Teacher: Andria Flack, Arthur Clocksin (next Sunday: Teacher: Volunteer needed)

Ushers: Lead Usher – Randy Van Ruler, Chuck Bloxham, Amos Flack (next Sunday: Phil Colsch, Chuck Bloxham, Amos Flack)

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Pray for the **Christmas dress rehearsals** taking place next Sunday, and all those preparing their solos, poems, etc., for the 12/21 Family Christmas Program. Pray that family & friends and invited guests will see the **true meaning of Christmas**...and ponder upon the Star that led the wisemen to the Christ-Child!

Servants’ hearts...we thank all **volunteers** who serve the Lord in small and big ways at FBC – from plowing snow, to decorating the church, to teaching children, to providing meals for youth group, to providing special music...and so much more! May God bless each one of you!

*We extend **Christian Sympathy** to Steve & Deb Kiley upon the passing of his mother, Joan "Pat" Barrick, on November 22, 2025. Funeral services were held yesterday in Humboldt, Iowa. Steve & Deb, may you feel the loving arms of our Father comforting you in the days and weeks to come. ~ FBC Church Family*