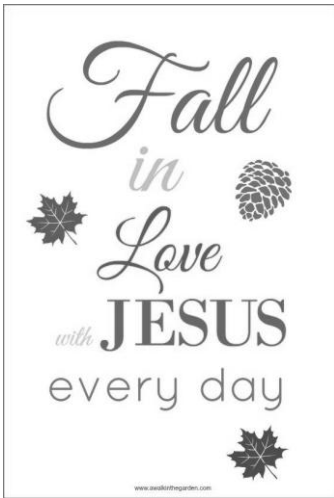


THIS & THAT

TODAY is the deadline to surprise Ruth White with greeting cards to help celebrate her 98th birthday on October 26! Please give your cards to Dan and/or Valeria White OR insert them into their church mailbox. Thank you!

NOTE: THERE IS NO OCT. 8 YOUTH ATTENDANCE DUE TO FIELDS OF FAITH LAST WEEK.



October 19, 2025

ABWE UPDATE ON JULY 16, 2023 \$1734.00 FBC OFERING COLLECTED FOR AFGHAN INITIATION: “It has been 4 years since Afghanistan fell and 3 years since ABWE began the Afghan Initiative. Thanks to your church, we were able to support 4 family units and 2 teams of Afghan believers on opposite sides of the US reaching their people with the Gospel. Additionally, there is one of the Afghan families staying with ABWE as official missionaries! They continue their ministry of seeing the Afghan diaspora and their connections still in Afghanistan and across Central Asia disciplined and reached and churches planted for these new communities to have a place of secure worship!” Today a video will be shown to introduce Ellias and Revkah Noor and share what God has done through them since 2022, which include 148 conversions from Muslim to Christian and 128 baptisms performed! Thank you for your financial gift which helped make this happen! **YOU have a part in reaching people groups across the globe for Jesus Christ!**

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Christmas Shoeboxes to pick up!

October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

Wednesday @ 10:30am: Ladies’ Prayer & Share

Welcome to First Baptist Church
Sunday, October 19, 2025

Today’s Events

9:00am: Sunday School for all ages | 10:00am: Morning Worship, “Philippians” - new sermon series | 6:00pm: Men’s Bible Study

This Week’s Events

Tuesday, 1pm – 5pm: Sewing Class with Pam Kerndt

This Week’s Events, cont.

Wednesday @ 10:30am: Ladies’ Prayer & Share (Pam Kerndt, devotional) | 5:15pm Prayerful Preparation | 6:15pm AWANA theme “Battleship”, TNT Lesson by Larry Gelo “Review”
6:30pm B.U.R.S.T. (youth group), volunteer needed for meal, lesson by Cristina Smith

WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

New sermon series: “Philippians”

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Prelude ~ Kristie Roeder

Welcome & Video Announcements

“Operation Christmas Child” ~ Video

Worship in Song led by Pastor Duane

Greeting Time

Scripture Reading & Deacon’s Prayer

“News Around the World” ~ Video

Worship in the Word ~ Rev. Duane Smith

**Children’s Church is dismissed*

Postlude

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** Children’s Church is for ages 3 – kindergarten and is dismissed during the sermon time. Today’s teacher: Chris Kerndt.*

** 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 September 28, 2025			
Attendance	103	General Offering	\$2099.00
As of 10/14 YouTube views	16	Faith Promise Missions	\$120.00
As of 10/14 Facebook views	100	Building Fund	\$175.00
Sunday School Attendance	31	Sunday School Offering	\$27.00
Weekly Need (General) \$2776.92		Faith Promise Missions: \$161.54	

INVITATIONS:

Hope Family Resource Center invites you to their Fall Fundraiser on Sunday, November 9 @ 4pm at the Youth Enrichment Center (Floyd County Fairgrounds) in Charles City, IA. Keynote speaker is Tori Shaw – national Pro-life speaker. RSVP to Julie at #641.715.1537.

Voice of the Martyrs invites you to their Regional Conference at Crossview Church in Wisconsin Rapids, WI. There are two time slots for you to choose from: Thursday, Nov. 6, 6-8:30pm OR Saturday, Nov. 8, 9am-11:30am. Please register by calling #800.747.0085 to reserve your spot.

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We are collecting greeting cards for Pastor Appreciation all month in a basket on the table by the Sanctuary Doors.

Thank you!

In the Lord’s Service Today & Next Sunday:

Sunday’s Worship Team/Theme: Pastor Duane, Kristie Roeder, “News Around the World” (*next Sunday: Pastor Duane, Cristina Smith*)
Power Point Technician: Cristina Smith, Brady Beyer (*next Sunday: To be determined*)
Live Stream Technician: Kris Larson, Madi Palmer (*next Sunday: Kris Larson*)
Soundman: Mike Larson (*next Sunday: Mike Larson*)
Sunday School Refreshments: Jean Buntrock (*next Sunday: Wendy Hanken*)
B.U.R.S.T. Meals: 10/22 Meal – Volunteer needed (*10/29 Meal: Volunteer needed*)
Greeters: Front door – Jill Manning, Mike Roth, Jr., Back door: Randy Van Ruler (*next Sunday: Paul & Kristie Roeder, Tyler Scholl*)
Nursery workers: Jill Colsch (*next Sunday: Kayla Scholl*)
Children’s Church: Teacher: Chris Kerndt (*next Sunday: Teacher: Chris Kerndt*)
Ushers: Lead Usher – Dan White, Ushers: Austin Roth, Lynn Stock (*next Sunday: Tyler Scholl, Bob Schulze, Craig Schrick*)

PRAYER & PRAISE:

CONGRATULATIONS to **Mr. & Mrs. Dylan (Rachel) Schmitt** on their wedding Saturday, October 11th! Greeting cards may be sent to 1186 Round Prairie Drive, Waukon, IA 52172. Pray for the Lord’s blessing upon their union.

Praise the LORD the **20 Israeli hostages were released** last week and pray for their physical and emotional healing after 2 years of captivity and torture.

BGFM-Global Missionaries of the Month, David & Debbie Thompson, share that several weeks ago, two dating couples visited their church. “Sadly, it is common for couples to live together without understanding the gravity of this sin and not committing to marriage.” David asks for prayer that they may help these two couples come to know the Lord as their personal Savior and then disciple them to get married.