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All notes are displayed on south foyer bulletin board.

Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes deadline is in October.

Here are ways you can participate:

*Shop and pack your own boxes (pick up boxes from, and return to, the welcome center)

*Shop and bring your items to church, and we'll pack the boxes

*Give money and we'll shop and pack boxes

*Use their website to pay for and "build-a-box" online

<https://build-a-shoebox.samaritanspurse.org/view/34a7e03e-5d54-40aa-9368-9b42ff314a1c>

Thanks for supporting this wonderful ministry.
Information and shoe boxes are available at Welcome Desk.



Tithes & Offering

August 3, 2025 - Weekly Report

Worship: (8:30: 95 - 11:00: 107) 202

Sunday School: 167

Tithes & Offerings: \$16,702.50

Designated: \$613.25

August 10, 2025 - Weekly Report

Worship: (8:30: 95 - 11:00: 117) 212

Sunday School: 161

Tithes & Offerings: \$12,079.95

Designated: \$1,129.99

Budget required to date: \$377,600.00

Budget received to date: \$379,080.27

Over/Under budget: 1,480.27

Weekly Avg. Required: \$11,800.00

Weekly Avg. Received: \$11,846.26



Calendar of Events

Sunday Morning Schedule

8:30 a.m./11:00 a.m. – Worship

9:45 a.m. – Sunday School

Wednesday Evening Schedule: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday services and activities will resume August 20th!

Here are the available classes:

- **Nursery:** RM # 153-154 for Newborn - 2-year-old
- **Preschool & Kindergarten Choir:** RM# 152 for Age: 3 - 5 year-olds
- **Truth 78:** RM# 211 for 1st & 2nd grade
- **Truth 78:** RM# 204 for 3rd - 5th grade
- **Student Ministry:** 6 -12th grade, Family Life Center/gym area, Pastor Nic Griffey
- **Adult Bible Study:** RM# 110, Pastor Richard

August 2025 dates to remember...

12: Visitation Ministry, 12:30 p.m.

**17: Pork Chop/ Pork Burger fundraiser after SS and 11:00 worship
Women's Bible Study, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.**

20: Wednesday evening Bible Studies and Children choirs resume

24: PROMOTION SUNDAY for graded classes, more info on front.

Deacon's meeting, 5:00 p.m.

Prayer Gathering, 6:30 p.m.

31: Women's Bible Study, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.



This Sunday, August 17

Boneless Chops: \$5.00

Pork Burgers: \$4.00

(personal check or cash only)

**Advanced orders are
HIGHLY recommended!**

Please call/email Janis at church to leave your order
(this info can be found on front of this newsletter)

Please place your order in the north foyer.

Pick Orders up after SS or 11:00 worship.

All proceeds goes towards upgrading kitchen stove.

Sponsored by Gary Holt's SS class



Join us as we promote our Sunday School kindergarten children to our 1st grade class on the second floor Rm#257. Your teachers, Mrs. Gail Coulter & Mrs. Jane Coulter can't wait to meet you. **FYI:** Parents, your kindergarten child will be recognized at the beginning of each of our worship services, Sunday, August 24th.

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Bloomfield Baptist Church Family,

“And when Jesus finished these sayings, the crowds were astonished at his teaching, for he was teaching them as one who had authority, and not as their scribes.”

Matthew 7:28-29

When Jesus spoke, people listened. Crowds gathered. Miracles happened. Thousands came from villages and towns to hear from Jesus.....and they were astonished.

One of themes that we find repeatedly in the Gospels is the authority of Jesus. The Gospel writers record Jesus’ authority over sickness, over nature, over death and even His authority to forgive sin. As Jesus ministered, people saw that He ministered as “one who had authority”.

Our response to the authority of Jesus Christ should be no different today than the responses we read about in Matthew 7:28-29. We are called to total surrender and obedience of all that Christ has commanded us. He is the authority of our lives, of our church and of our universe. Even those who reject His authority will not be able to do so forever (Romans 14:10-12).


As you look at your life today, ask yourself: Are you living in complete surrender to the authority of Christ? Does Jesus have authority over what you say? Does Jesus have authority over how you live? Does Jesus have authority over every area of your life?

If you or I see that there is an area where we are not living under the authority of Christ, our call is to repent and have faith.

My prayer is that Bloomfield Baptist Church will be a congregation that gathers, worships and ministers under the authority of Jesus Christ. My prayer is that the people of Nelson County, and throughout the world, will be astonished. My prayer is that in that astonishment, they will join us in submission to Jesus Christ, who has all authority. Please join me in praying for this work to be done.

Grace and Peace,
Pastor Richard

Upcoming Sermon Text and Titles
August 17 - Pastor Richard Carwile
1 Kings 8:22-53, “Solomon’s Prayer”
August 24 - Pastor Richard Carwile
1 Kings 8:54-66, “Solomon’s Benediction”

 **Audubon:**
Sam Barnes, *Becky Terrell’s father*
Gwen Harrod, *ERCP procedure (gallbladder/liver blockage surgery) recovery 8/11, scheduled for another procedure 8/15*

Carolinas Medical Center: Sydney Mathis, *Pastor Richard’s niece & Frances Carwile’s granddaughter, nephrectomy (kidneys removal) surgery & recovery, 8/11, Sidney is currently on dialysis and awaiting a kidney transplant*

Cincinnati Children’s Hospital ICU :
Everett Griffitheth, *(son of Bailey & Gloria Griffitheth), grandson of Scott & Devonne Bolin, he was born with a rare congenital syndrome.*

Sanders’s Ridge, Mt. Washington:
Lil Thompson, *pneumonia recovery & rehab, hoping to return to Cooper Trails in a few days.*

HOME:
Susan Bateman, *Pastor Nick’s mother*
Lisa Froman Chesser, *upcoming tests, Becky Terrell’s friend*
Hudie Foster, *chemo & radiation treatments*
Terri Goff, *chemo treatments*
Jimmy Hahn, *under hospice care*
Billy Jury, *battling cancer, Becky Terrell’s uncle*
Marilyn Walker, *chemo treatments*

BBC Men are invited to join us for a Men’s Bible Study

Mondays:
9/8, 10/13, 11/10

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place:
Alternating Men’s Homes

There is a sign-up at the Welcome Desk.
For questions or more info, please see Pastor Nick Bateman.

PRACTICAL ADVICE • BIBLICAL FRAMEWORK • SPIRITUAL ENCOURAGEMENT

SHORT AND TO THE POINT

HOW TO LEAD YOUR FAMILY

A GUIDE FOR MEN WANTING TO BE MORE

JOEL R. BEEKE

BEST-SELLING AUTHOR, PASTOR, HUSBAND, AND FATHER