

This Week's Services

July 22, 2018

Worship Services: 8:30, 9:50, 11:05am

"Two Kinds of Wisdom"

James 3:13-18

Ethan Hinkel

Attendance

Attendance	Last Week	2017 Avg
Sunday School	118	229
AM Services	395	452
Prayer Mtgs.	14	

Who's On Deck

Ushers

Ed Miller, Blair Backes, Darin Brandt, Richard Bubach, Bradley Howe,
Lance Makeeff, Gary Orluck, Darryl Strube, Dupe Tomomewo

Greeters

8:30 Jerry & Judy Spitzer

9:45 Blair & Annette Backes

11:00 Judy Hall

Information Desk

Claire Beck

Children's Church, Ages 3 & 4 (9:50am)

Paul & Shelley Goossen

Nursery Workers Emilee Arriaga

9:45 I – Lauren Biedebach, Tammy Stephenson

T – Noe & Emilee Arriaga, Laura Melander, Aiden Quick

11:00 I – Bonnie Athouriste, Amanda Hammond

T – Marcus Cornell, Jessica Foster

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Puerto Rico Mission Trip

On July 27th, a team of 27 people from four churches will be heading to Puerto Rico.

Last year, hurricanes tore through the small Caribbean island, flooding homes and leaving hundreds dead. FBC has a unique ministry opportunity: We too experienced a similar flood. Many from our community understand the shock, fear, and aching slow rebuild from disaster.

Even though eleven months have passed, many Puerto Ricans are still suffering the after effects. Many who were able have left the island, many of those remaining feel abandoned. Our team is going to help rebuild, restore and reach out to these. Our team will be working with Praying Pelican Missions and a Puerto Rican Baptist church in the community of Canovanas (roughly 20 minutes from San Juan). There, we will help clean and restore several areas and also teach VBS.

As we prepare, please pray that God would speak and act through us; that we would truly be the hands and feet of Christ so that those we meet may see us and be directed to our Savior. Pray for humility and that we would have a servant's attitude. Pray for our team and for the people we work with. Pray against weariness and self-centeredness. We've raised \$35,000 of the \$40,000 needed for our trip, pray that the remaining funds would be raised quickly!

"To him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy—to the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen!"

In Christ, Pastor Sam Kautzmann

**If you'd like to give towards the trip, please find an envelope outside the sanctuary and return it to the office.*

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Coming This Week

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July 22 - 28, 2018

Sunday	8:00 am	Pre-Service Prayer with Pastors
	8:30 am	Classic Worship Service
	9:45 am	Adult Sunday School
	9:50 am	Contemporary Worship Children's Church
	11:00 am	Sunday School for All Ages
	11:05 am	Contemporary Worship
	4:30 pm	Adult Prayer Meeting
Monday	6:00 am	Men's Bible Study, FBC
	7:00 am	Men's Prayer, FBC
	7:00 pm	Men's Bible Study, FBC, Dakotah Rose
Tuesday	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
	2:00 pm	Staff Meeting
	7:00 pm	Deacon Board Women's Bible Study
Wednesday	6:30 pm	Jr. High Youth
	7:00 pm	Sr. High Youth
Friday	7:00 pm	Celebrate Recovery
Saturday	8:30 am	Men's Basketball

Keys to Building a Strong Life

How easy it is to get tied up with our words! We must remember that our words are a reflection of our heart, for "out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks." James reminds us to be careful with our words and he tells us plainly that "no human being can tame the tongue" (James 3:8). We need the Lord's help to change our heart in order to change our words. Let's seek His work in our hearts this week!

Upcoming Events

- **Summer Youth:** Wednesdays. For more information, contact Pastor Sam Kautzmann, 701-720-6353; samkautzmann@gmail.com July 25 will be the last week of the summer schedule.
- **Jr. High—6:30pm.** Students who completed 6th – 8th Grade. They meet weekly at Oak Park, shelter by Splash pad.
- **Sr. High—7:00pm.** July 25, Russ & Marsha Rogne, 1301 54th St NW
- **Celebrate Recovery:** Meets on Friday nights starting at 7:00pm. This is a biblical, balanced program to overcome hurts, hang-up, and habits. Brochures are available at the Information Desk.
- **Men's Breakfast:** Saturday, July 21 at 8:00am at First Baptist.
- **Church Picnic:** Sunday, Aug. 5, 5:30pm at Polaris Park. The Elders and Deacons will be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs. Please bring a dish to share (salad, chips, dessert, etc.) and your own beverage.
- **SHE Ministries REJUVENATE!** Ladies - Our weekend of rest is coming up August 17-18 at Lake Metigoshe! Registration brochures are at the information desk. Come join us! Questions? Contact Yuki Johnson 701-621-1703 or Ashleigh Collins 701-240-2608.
- **Puerto Rico Mission Trip:** Financial Need – We still need about \$4,600 to reach our goal. Take an envelope from the bulletin board next to the sanctuary and place it in the offering plate or in the lock box across from the church office with the indicated amount.
- **Cookies Are Needed for Camp Good News:** For week of July 29-Aug. 3. Please bring the cookies to the church by Sunday morning, July 29. **No nuts please.**
- **Children's Church:** Is in need of enthusiastic and committed volunteers/teachers for this coming fall. Children's church is scheduled during the 9:50 service and serves our 3 and 4 year olds. Please contact Amber Pankratz at 701-240-0673.
- **Prayer Points:** We have a monthly prayer guide that provides you with daily prayer needs specifically for the church and the church family. The monthly prayer guide is emailed or mailed to the participants. If you would like to join this prayer ministry, signup at the Information Desk bulletin board or contact the church office: 701-852-4533; office@fbcminot.org. Everyone with a desire to pray is welcome to join. The Prayer Points are also available at the Information Desk and on the Downloads page of our web page.

Ministry Matters

- **RightNow Media:** Is an incredible video library of Bible studies, conferences, and so much more! Contact the church office at office@fbcminot.org to get an email invite for this free offer.
- **From the Ground Up Coffee Ministry:** Specialty coffee served on Sunday mornings - Upstairs Lounge. 100% of the donations goes to our Missionaries as a gift at Christmas.
- **Sunday Bus Ministry:** Contact our bus driver, Jim, 500-3407.
- **YTD Budget Report:** An itemized budget report as of June 30, 2018 is posted on the north hallway bulletin board.
- **Church Office:** Will be closed Monday, July 23.

Prayer & Praise

Sunday Adult Prayer Meeting: 4:30pm, Upstairs Lounge
Prayer Chain: Days 838-0405; Evenings 833-8534

Praise: 1 Thessalonians 5:11 Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing. We give thanks for our XYZ Ministry to our Senior Citizens here at First Baptist. They find great joy and fellowship at their monthly programs. We continue to pray for a spirit of hospitality that draws other to their programs where they can find encouragement as well as a good relaxing time together.

Prayer: Pray for the Holy Spirit to be working in the hearts of our Puerto Rico missions team as they serve Him! Pray that the remaining funds for the trip would be raised!

Deployed: Korea - Ben Klingbeil

NCA Ministry of the Week: Jeffrey Blomquist, Cornerstone Community, Harvey, ND

FBC Missionary of the Week: Pray for Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF) - As they start 3 weeks of Camp Good News and for their State Fair ministry July 20-28. Pray for our students involved in CEF ministry. Pray for energy, perseverance, and boldness in sharing the gospel!

• **Congratulations:** To Juan & Larrissa Chavez on the birth of their daughter, Lauren Esther, July 15; 7 lbs 15 oz, 20 inches.