

Fall Women's Day Retreat | Saturday, Sept 19 from 8am-5pm | Cost \$25

We are excited to be hosting a Women's Day retreat here on Sept 19, titled *Unity*. The cost is \$25, which includes a continental breakfast, snacks, lunch, and a craft. When signing up at the Welcome Center please choose 3 out of the 5 workshops that you want to attend. Sign up and pay at the Welcome Center by Sept 13.

Adventure Club Parents Night | Sept 2 | 6-8pm

All parents with kids in 1- 5 grade are invited to meet downstairs in the Kidz Blast room on Wed., Sept 2, from 6:30-8pm. We will go over how Adventure Club works, and answer any questions. There will be snacks and games throughout the night!

New Adult Small Group | Coming this September

This September we will launch a new adult Small Group that will meet 10 times from September through March. This year we will be going through the modern classic *The Vanishing Conscience* by John MacArthur. We will have more details as we get closer to launch, but we are still in need of a few people to lead and/or host a group. Please contact Pastor Nate if you might be interested. (Discussion leaders need to be members.) Small groups are for any adult that regularly attends FBC. They will meet in different homes at either 3pm or 6pm on Sundays.

Men's Breakfast | Saturday, Sept 12 | 8-10am

Men are invited to share a time of breakfast, prayer, devotional, and fellowship in the Café. Contact the office or Brad Morse with any questions.

Women's Bootcamp Workout | Saturday, Sept 26 | 8-9:30am

Ladies of all levels of ability are welcome to join a cardio and strength workout in the Willis Center. Feel free to bring a friend! Contact the office or Tes Bellows with any questions.

Harvest Sharing Table | West Entry

You are invited to bring your harvest, canned, or baked goods for sharing with others in the church. Stop by to see what you might enjoy for free in the west entryway.

Interested in Serving?

We have many ministries here that you can serve in. If you are interested please contact the office (office@fbcmiddleville.net) or Pastor Zach (zachs@fbcmiddleville.net)

2027 VBS Dates | July 12-16

Please mark your calendars with next years dates, July 12-16, with VBS Sun on the July 18.

Upcoming Dates

Aug 23 | Promotion Sunday

Aug 26 | Youth Group Kickoff | 6:30-8pm

Sept 2 | Adventure Club Parents & Kid's Preview Night | 6:30-8pm

Sept 9 | Adventure Club Launch | 6:30-8pm

Sept 9 | Adult Bible Study Kickoff | 9:15-11:15am or 6:30-8pm

Sept 12 | Men's Breakfast in Café | 8-10am

Sept 13 | PM Service & Communion | 6pm

Sept 19 | Women's Day Retreat at FBC | 8am-5pm

Sept 26 | Women's Bootcamp Workout in the Willis Center | 8-9:30am

AM SCHEDULE

9:00-9:30: Coffee in the Large Foyer

9:20-9:30: Drop off window for elementary age Sunday School kids

9:30-10:15: Adult Sunday School (6-12 grade classes starts at 9:30 also)

10:30-11:45: AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Adult Sunday School Classes

Sundays 9:30-10:15 AM

East Overflow Class - Open to all adults, co-ed - East Overflow (room 101)

Old Testament End Times Prophecies - Led by John Schmid

West Overflow Class - Open to all adults, co-ed - West Overflow (room 102)

Works of Faith: Where Belief Transforms Behavior - Led by David Williamson

Family Class - For parents with kids in the house or young couples - Fireside Room (111)

When Sinners Say "I Do," by Dave Harvey led by Brian & Melanie Newhouse

Women's Class - Conference Room (room 118)

Seven Reasons Why You Can Trust the Bible, by Erwin Lutzer - Led by Susan Montroy

Young Adult Class - For graduates through early twenties (room 122)

The Book of James- Led by Jake Herrera

Sunday Children's Programs

See AM Schedule Above for Times

Nursery: For kids under age 2, during Sunday School & during the AM service.

Pre-School Ministry: 2 & 3 year olds will meet in room 125 for Sunday School & room 127 for the AM service. 4 & 5 year olds will meet in room 125 for Sunday School & the AM service.

Elementary Sunday School: K-5 grade (Downstairs) – See AM Schedule Above

Youth Sunday School: Middle School (Willis Center) – High School (Willis Center)

Kidz Blast: K-3 grade (Downstairs) – Kidz Blast kids will stay with their parents in the service during singing and then are dismissed for Kidz Blast before the sermon

Wednesday Programs

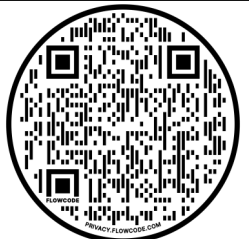
Wednesdays | 6:30-8:00PM

Regular Wednesday programing will resume September 9.

Giving Is an Act of Worship

Thank you for supporting the ministries of FBC with your faithful giving! You can place your tithes and offerings in the box in the small foyer. Contact the office if you would like giving envelopes. You can set up online or reoccurring giving at fbcmiddleville.net/giving. Tip: Minimize service fees by using you bank routing number rather than using a credit card. Also, many banks offer automatic check services.

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UNLESS THE LORD BUILDS THE HOUSE

First Baptist Church • Pastor Nate Archer
8/23/26 • 10:30 AM

Psalm 127

1. Our _____ are _____ apart from the providence of God.
(1-2)

2. _____ are a _____ from the providence of God.
(3-5)

Psalm 127:1

Unless the LORD builds the house,
those who build it labor in vain.
Unless the LORD watches over the city,
the watchman stays awake in vain.

Genesis 50:20

As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today.

Nehemiah 4:9

And we prayed to our God and set a guard as a protection against them day and night.

Matthew 6:11

Give us this day our daily bread

Acts 4:27-28

for truly in this city there were gathered together against your holy servant Jesus, whom you anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, along with the Gentiles and the peoples of Israel, ²⁸ to do whatever your hand and your plan had predestined to take place.

Romans 8:28

And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

Philippians 2:12-13

Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, ¹³ for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

2 Peter 1:20-21

knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. ²¹ For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

Our Mission

To Magnify the Glory of God
by Multiplying and Maturing Followers of Christ.

8/23/2026



Guest Wi-Fi Password: GodisGood

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