Our Mission

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

11/22/2026

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Office Hours | Tues - Fri 9-3:30pm
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Wednesday Programs
No Wednesday Programs this week, Nov 25, because of Thanksgiving.

Kids' Christmas Choir Rehearsals
Kids (K-5th grade) have rehearsal during Sunday School now through Dec 13. Please plan to attend all rehearsals. The kids will perform during the Christmas service on Dec 20.

Membership Class | Sunday, Nov 22 | 3-6pm
Is it time for you to become an official member of FBC? Pastor Nate will host a membership class on Nov 22 from 3-6. Learn what membership at FBC is all about. Attending this class does not obligate you to join the church but is a prerequisite for membership. Please contact Pastor Nate (natearcher@icloud.com) if you are interested or just show up.

Candlelight Women's Christmas | Friday, Dec 4 | 6:30pm
Inviting all women, of all ages, to join us at our Candlelight Christmas, *Jesus of Bethlehem*, on Dec 4 at 6:30. Enjoy fellowship, desserts, singing, and a special message. Sign up at the Welcome Center. Please indicate number of guests attending with you, if you are hosting a table, bringing a dessert or two (we need a lot of desserts), and/or volunteering your husband to serve. Contact the office or Kim Boonstra with questions.

Christmas Concert: Far as the Curse is Found | Sunday, Dec 13 | 6pm
Join us for a wonderful evening of music and worship as we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ this season with the FBC Worship Ministries and Choir! Consider who you can invite to this special concert! Childcare will be provided through age four.

Israel Tour Registration | Brochures at the Welcome Center
We are planning an FBC group tour of the Holy Land for June 13-22, 2028. Brochures are available at the Welcome Center and registration is now open. Contact Pastor Nate if you have questions.

Weather Cancelation Policy
All Wednesday programs are automatically canceled for that day if TK Schools cancels for weather. We encourage you to use the Welcome Card to add your email address to our list for email updates or you can follow us on Facebook for announcements. (facebook.com/firstbaptistmiddleville)

Missing a Message? Watch Online
Sermon Series are best when you see them all! If you missed a message you can get caught up by watching online at fbcmiddleville.net or vimeo.com/firstbaptistmiddleville.

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

Upcoming Dates
Nov 22 | Membership Class | 3pm-6pm
Nov 25 | No Wednesday Programs – Thanksgiving Break
Dec 4 | Women's Christmas Party | 6:30pm
Dec 6 | AM Communion Service
Dec 6 | Small Group | 3pm or 6pm
Dec 12 | Men's Breakfast in the Café | 8-10am
Dec 13 | Christmas Concert | 6pm
Dec 20 | Free Christmas Breakfast & Service (No Sunday School)
Dec 23 | No Wednesday Programs

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 start 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)
The Book of Revelation- Led by John Schmid

West Overflow Class- Open to all adults, co-ed- West Overflow (room 102)
How Should Christians Think About Israel? - Led by David Williamson

Family Class- For parents with kids in the house or young couples- Fireside Room (111)
Systematic Theology: The Person and Work of Christ- Led by Pastor Nate Archer

Women's Class- Conference Room (room 118)
Parables, by John MacArthur- Led by Pam Jacobson

Young Adult Class- For graduates through early twenties (room 122)
The Book of Micah- 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

- **Men's Bible Study**—A study on Acts (East Overflow)
- **Women's AM Bible Study**—9:15-11:15 AM (Fireside Room) A study on Acts
- **Women's PM Bible Study**—6:30-8:00 PM (Fireside Room) A study on Acts (Nursery available for the PM study)
- **Youth Group**—6 to 12 grade (Willis Center)
- **Adventure Club**—1 to 5 grade (Downstairs)
- **Gophers**—4 years to K (Room 125)
- **Nursery**—3 & under, for parents attending a study or helping in ministry

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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SURVIVING THE FAMINE

First Baptist Church • Pastor Nate Archer
11/22/26 • 10:30 AM

Genesis 47

1. **Pharaoh permitted Jacob & his family to settle in _____ of Egypt.** (1-12)

2. **Joseph saved the Egyptians from starvation and gained _____ _____ in Egypt for Pharaoh.** (13-26)

3. **Jacob made Joseph promise to bury him not in Egypt, but in the _____.** (27-31)