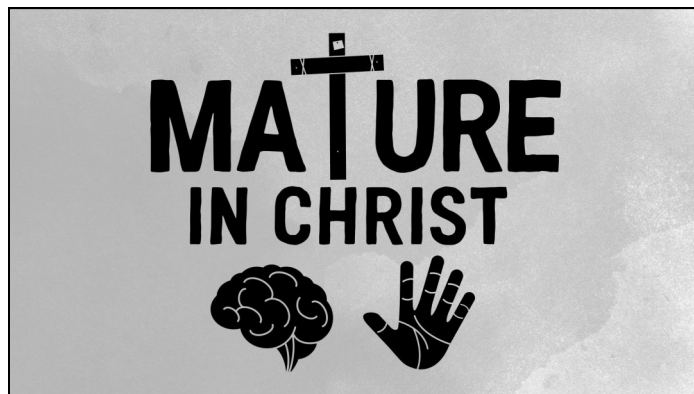


ORDER OF SERVICE @ 10:00am
FBC SERVICE & ONLINE—www.fbcallegan.com

He has risen. He has risen indeed!

Welcome/Announcements
My God is So Big (Cubbies & Backyard Buddies)
Praise! (KidZone & T&T)
Hymn of Heaven
Turn Your Eyes
God so Loved
Message—Pastor Nathan Smith Colossians 3:1-11
Living Hope
Final Blessing

Please stack the chairs after the AM service.
Thank you!



STAY UP TO DATE ON WHAT'S HAPPENING @ FBC ALLEGAN!

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ROAD CLOSURE BEGAN THIS WEEK

Roadwork began from 29th St. to Cutler St. including the roundabout which will be located at the current corner of M89/Marshall and Jenner which may affect your commute to First Baptist.

MATURE IN CHRIST SERIES FROM PASTOR NATHAN

3/31 Colossians 3:1-11 Easter & Children's Choir
4/7 Colossians 3:12-17
4/14 Colossians 3:18-4:1
4/21 Colossians 3:18-4:1

INTERESTED IN JOINING PRAISE TEAM?

We are looking for people who would like to join the praise team on Sundays. Has God gifted you with being able to sing or play an instrument? Please contact Cheyenne Smith at csmith@fbcallegan.com if this is an area where you would be able to share the talents God has blessed you with.

APRIL 3—SPRING BREAK

NO AWANA & WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRIES

There will not be Awana, The Island or Men's & Women's Bible studies on Wednesday, April 3 during spring break.

CHURCH MEMBERS

Special meeting will be on May 19 for vote on officers, budget and membership roll. The Annual Meeting will be held in June.

OASIS STUDENT MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

Sunday Oasis Student Ministries @ 5:30—7pm

March 31 & April 7

May 12

May 26

No Oasis due to Easter & Spring Break

No Oasis—Mother's Day

Last Oasis before Summer Break

13th ANNUAL CEF PIE AUCTION-ON APRIL 20

10AM—NOON AT OTSEGO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Gifts from cash, check, or credit card help us 'share the Gospel' with the children in Allegan County.

CHURCH GIVING & ATTENDANCE

MTD March 24 Giving: \$39,607.54 Budget: \$42,291.88

Attendance for March 24 service: 280 You Tube: 48



STAY IN TOUCH

OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Thurs., 8:30am—12:30pm, 1-4pm

Nathan Smith: Senior Pastor: nsmith@fbcallegan.com

Brendon Bayley: Associate: bbayley@fbcallegan.com

Cheyenne Smith: Director of Congregational Worship: csmith@fbcallegan.com

communication card

We're so glad you joined us! Please fill out this card, tear it off, and place it in the offering box.

Name(s)

☐ This is my first time at FBC. ☐ I need my contact information updated.

Phone #

Marital Status

☐ Single

☐ Married

Address

State:

Zip:

Email

By providing the above information you are opting in to receive communication from First Baptist Church of Allegan.

APRIL 10—AWANA AWARDS CEREMONY @ 6:30PM

Awana Closing Ceremonies will be on April 10th at 6:30 in the gym. Plan to join us to celebrate all of the seeds from God's Word that were planted in the hearts and minds of your children that will guide and lead them all of the days of their lives!

MEN'S BREAKFAST @ THE CHOPPS—APRIL 13

Men, you are invited to join us on Saturday, April 13 @ 8:00am at the Chopp's home for a great time of faith, fellowship & food!

BAPTISM/MEMBERSHIP CLASS ON APRIL 14 & 21

Are you interested in being baptized and/or in becoming a member of First Baptist? Classes will be on April 14 and 21 from 5:00—7:15pm and meet in room 229. Dinner will be included. Please sign up at one of the bulletin tables at the back of the auditorium so we can plan for seating.

**HAVEN ON WEDNESDAYS, APRIL 17—MAY 22
FOR GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL AGE & UP 6-8:00PM**

Location: Julia Grant's home

This year we will be doing a character study from Genesis on Eve. We will focus on the choices and consequences in her life, and how as Christian women, we can face temptation and say no. By saying no to sin, we possess the ability to create change and make a difference in our communities to glorify and honor God's Kingdom. RSVP to Julia Grant at 616.635.9651.

Schedule:

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| April 17 | Welcome night and bracelet making |
| April 24 | Grant Me Hope volunteer night |
| May 1 | Pizza party |
| May 8 | Cooking night |
| May 15 | Campfire and s-mores |
| May 22 | Movie night |

WOMEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS

1. April 27 Shipshewana trip from 7am—6pm.
More details will be coming soon.
2. Oct. 18-20 Ladies Fall Retreat at the Shack.
More details will be coming soon.

THANK YOU!

First Baptist Church & Pastor Nathan, On behalf of our family—thank you for the donation in memory of our mom, wife and grandma, Linda Vlietstra. You have been a wonderful support to our family during this time. We thank you for the special visit of prayer and scripture reading and time Pastor Nathan gave during the last days with our Mom. Thank you for being a wonderful church family. We truly thank you for the support and prayers you have done for our family. Sincerely, Ray Vlietstra; Brian, Sarah & family; Andrew, Cheryl & family; Kevin, Kim & family; and the Gregory family

Thank you! During this time of sorrow we learn how much our family and friends mean to us. Thank you so much for your kindness and sympathy at a time when it was much needed and deeply appreciated. ~The Drozd Family

I would like to...

- ☐ volunteer at the church
- ☐ join a small group
- ☐ grow in my faith
- ☐ grow as a leader
- ☐ speak with a pastor about...

- ☐ I put my trust in Jesus for the first time today!
- ☐ Learn about church membership

EVENTS: March 31—April 6, 2024

SUNDAY	10:00am	Easter Worship service, kids choir & KidZone & light refreshments
		No Oasis Student Ministries
TUESDAY	10:00am	Ladies Bible study
WEDNESDAY		No Wednesday night ministries due to spring break

MAN CAMP @ GRACE ADVENTURES—MAY 3-5, 2024
"Make a Change"

Man Messages	Man Buns (optional)
Man Worship	Man Alone Time
Man Meals	Man Beds
Man Fun	Man-dolins

\$181pp—pay registration fee to FBC

Registration includes: Bunkhouse rooms; Friday dinner; Saturday breakfast, lunch & dinner and Sunday breakfast (lunches optional \$10 each)

REGISTRATION:

Call the FBC office at 269.673.5683 to register. You may pay the registration fee with a check or online at www.fbcallegan.com through the giving tab "Men's Retreat April 2024" Fund.

Activities: Lake fishing, paddle boating, ping pong, cornhole, pool, card & board games, etc. Additional activities available off property disc golf, golf, dune/Lake Michigan ride or hikes, etc.

JOY GROUP TRIP—LUNCH & THE MUSIC MAN
SATURDAY, MAY 4—SIGN UP BY APRIL 21

Joy Group, you are invited to join us for a fabulous time of lunch and seeing the play 'The Music Man' at the Comstock Performing Arts Center. We will FBC at 10:30am; have lunch at 11:00am and then see the play at 1:00pm. The cost for the play is \$15.00 with the lunch cost being on your own. **Please sign up at the bulletin table at the back of the auditorium if you are interested in joining us on this adventure.** Questions? Please contact Larry Ladenburger at 269.377.6693.

FBC CAMP OUT - AUGUST 9, 10 & 11, 2024

FBC'ers, you are invited to attend our annual summer camping trip to Ed H. Henning Campground on August 9—11. **Please sign up to camp at the information center in the lobby for the site you would like.** Campers, please pay the camping fee of \$125 to the church; \$45 if you are paying for a cabin on your own, or if related families are on the same site. Questions? Contact Craig Chopp at 616.405.9450. If you would like to stay extra days before or after the weekend you will need to contact the park to make arrangements. The camp's phone number is 231.689.7340.

I found out about FBC through:

- ☐ website
- ☐ social media
- ☐ family or friend

I would like more information on:

Please pray for me regarding:

☐ Staff only please
