

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

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing (w/King of Heaven)

Christmas Choir Sunday Invite Video

Welcome/Announcements

He Has Come For Us (God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen)

The First Noel

What Child Is This?

Christmas Eve Invite Video Message—Pastor Nathan Smith Isaiah 7:14

Offering

Away In A Manger

Final Blessing

Please stack the chairs. Thank you!



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

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REJOICE IN RECOVERY—THURSDAYS 6:30—8:30PM **LOCATION—ROOM 110 @ FBC**

We are reading and discussing the book "Every Man's Battle". Our focus is on dealing with sin through Jesus Christ, by accountability and love for each other, being transformed by the renewing of our minds (Rom. 12:1-2). Questions? Contact Tom Sousley at 269.217.3928.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH E-PRAYER CHAIN How do I place a prayer request on the E-Prayer Chain?

Chris Murphy is the E-prayer chain coordinator for our church. If you would like a prayer request placed on our E-prayer chain please send your request to Chris Murphy at prayerchain@fbcallegan.com.

How do I receive the E-prayer chain so I can pray for

others? If you would like to be a recipient of the E-prayer chain to pray for others please send your email address and a note that you would like to be a recipient of the E-prayer chain to Chris at prayerchain@fbcallegan.com.

"Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10

OASIS STUDENT MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

Oasis Student Ministries meets on Sundays at 5:30pm. This ministry serves 6th through 12th grade students. Come join other students and share life in the body of Christ! No Oasis on December 28.

OASIS PARENTS & STUDENTS

Stay in the loop with all our youth group events and important communication by joining our Remind group! Simply download the Remind App and text @oasisfbc to 81010 to get started.

AWANA—WEDNESDAYS @ 6:00-7:30pm

Awana on Wednesday, Dec. 10—Green Night

CHURCH GIVING

MTD November: \$50,184.02 Budget: \$54,814.55 Attendance for Nov. 30 service: 99 YouTube: 146



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 plate.

Name(s)		
☐ This is my first time at FBC. ☐	I need my contact information updated.	
Phone #	Marital Status Single	Married
Address	State:	Zip:
Email		

WOMEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS

- 1. Tuesdays @10-11:30am Women's Bible Study @ FBC
- No Mug Shots in December
 Thursday, Jan. 15
 No Mug Shots in December
 Mug Shots Fellowship @ 9:00am

TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY 10—11:30AM

Ladies, you are invited to join us on Tuesdays at FBC as we study the book titled *Respectable Sins* by Jerry Bridges.

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL—Dec. 8, Jan. 12 & 26

Ladies, you are invited to join us on the 2nd & 4th Monday's of each month @ 7-9pm to play volleyball here at FBC in the gym. Questions? Please contact Amanda Coors at 269.718.1643. There will not be volleyball on Dec. 22.

BEGINNING TUESDAY, JANUARY 6 PSALMS TUESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY 10—11:30AM

Beginning on Tuesday, January 6 the Ladies Tuesday morning Bible study will begin studying Psalms: Inspiring Truths. The book costs \$2.00 and is available from Robin Bacon. Please make checks payable to First Baptist Church.

FBC E-NEWSLETTER SIGN UP

FBC sends out a weekly e-newsletter. The e-newsletter contains information about events going on at FBC, local ministry information and encouraging stories to uplift you through the week. Please send your e-mail address to Robin in the church office at rbacon@fbcallegan.com if you would like to receive this e-newsletter.

ATTENTION PARENTS AND STUDENTS!

Scholarship info is available at the information tables. Parents, please read carefully. It is imperative that you sign up with Lori Commans if your child/ren are participating this year. There are many ways for your 6th-12th graders to be involved and earn money to help pay for Christian camp. Contact Lori (616.681.1294) or dcommans@netpenny.net to register and for more details.

EXTERIOR DOORS OF THE FBC BUILDING

The trustees have completed a re-key of the exterior doors of the church building. This is the final step in building access updates that began in 2023. This step helps us ensure safe and secure building access for the FBC church family. If you are a key holder, your key will no longer work for the external locks on the outside of the building, but will unlock the doors inside the building. If you have a key card, your access will not change. If you need a key card, please contact Becky VerHoeven to request a key card for the electronic key card system. Thank you!

CONGRATULATIONS!

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Congratulations to parents Chris & Heather Malburg on the birth of their baby girl Hadley CoraFay Marie Malburg! Hadley was born on Tuesday, December 2 at 7:57am and weighed 8lbs. 10oz. and was 21 inches long.

EVENTS: Dec. 7—13, 2025

SUNDAY 10:00am **Worship Service & KidZone** 11:15am Kid's Hope Leadership Team Meeting 5:30pm Oasis Student Ministries 6:00pm **MONDAY Deacon Meeting** Women's Volleyball 7—9:00pm **TUESDAY** 10-11:30am Women's Bible Study at FBC WEDNESDAY 6-7:30pm **Wednesday Night Ministries** Awana, The Island, Nursery and Men's & Ladies Bible studies

THURSDAY 6:30—8:30pm Rejoice in Recovery

5:30pm Kids Hope Party for Kids Hope kids

& their families

SATURDAY 8:00am Men's breakfast at the Chopp's

home

MEN'S BREAKFAST—SAT., DECEMBER 13 @ 8:00AM

Men, you are invited to join us for a fabulous time of faith, fellowship and food at the Chopp's barn on Saturday, Dec. 13.

<u>CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE - WEDNESDAY, DEC. 24</u> <u>@ THE GRISWOLD AUDITORIUM—5:00—6:00PM</u>

Join us for a special Christmas Eve service as six local churches come together in unity to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. This collaborative worship experience will feature a time of worship, Scripture readings, and a shared message of hope. Come experience the joy and wonder of this sacred season as we gather to worship and reflect on the greatest gift of all—Jesus Christ. Let's celebrate together as one body in Christ!

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED DECEMBER 24 & 25, 2025 & JANUARY 1, 2026

The church office will be closed on December 24 & 25 and January 1 for Christmas and New Year's Day. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRIES DECEMBER 24 & DECEMBER 31

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR MACAILEY STEFFENS @ FBC SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27 @ 1:00PM

Please join us for a bridal shower in honor of Macailey Steffens on Saturday, December 27, 2025 at 1:00pm! We will meet in the Ladies Bible Study room here at the church. Please RSVP via text to Karen Steffens at 269.509.1737 by December 21st. Macailey is registered at Target and on Amazon.

SAVE THE DATE! MARRIAGE RETREAT—MARCH 19-21, 2026

I would like to	I found out about FBC through:	
volunteer at the church	☐ website ☐ social media	☐ family or friend
☐ join a small group	I would like more information on:	
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	Please pray for me regarding:	Staff only please