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Who You Say I Am

Welcome/Announcements

Offering

Goodness of God

Great Are You Lord

Be Still My Soul

Message – Pastor Nathan Smith Malachi 1:1-5

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Final Blessing

Please stack the chairs. Thank you!

MALACHI
— ANTIDOTE FOR APATHY —



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

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OASIS STUDENT MINISTRIES HELPING WINGS OF HOPE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25 4:30 – 7:15PM

This ministry serves 6th–12th grade students. Come join other students and share life in the body of Christ! Oasis will do fall cleaning at Wings of Hope Hospice in Allegan on October 25. Students should bring rakes and report to FBC at 4:30pm. Pickup will be at 7:15pm. Dinner will be provided. Students, come help us serve our neighbors!

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.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS – 6 – 7:30PM

AWANA CLUBS, THE ISLAND & BIBLE STUDIES

Awana is a Bible-centered youth ministry (pre-k to 6th grade) focused on sharing the gospel with children and their families and equipping them to serve Christ. During this time, there are also Men's & Women's Bible Studies, Awana, The Island and nursery care.

"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**

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 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@fbcalleagan.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@fbcalleagan.com.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME – FALL BACK – SUN., NOV. 1

Remember to fall back one hour on Sunday, November 1.

CHURCH INFORMATION

Attendance for Oct. 18: 247

YouTube: 50

MTD: \$28,533.94

Budget: \$34,799.76

STAY IN TOUCH

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

Nathan Smith: Senior Pastor: nsmith@fbcalleagan.com

Brendon Bayley: Associate: bbayley@fbcalleagan.com

Cheyenne Smith: Director of Congregational Worship:

csmith@fbcalleagan.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

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

WOMEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS

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| 1. Tuesday | Ladies Bible Study 10-11:30am |
| 2. Wednesday | Ladies Bible Study @ 6:00pm |
| 3. Nov. 6 | Ladies "Thanks-Giving" Puzzlemania & Games |
| 4. Nov. 13 | Mug Shots - Friday @ 9am |
| 5. Dec. 5 | Ladies Christmas Brunch |

LADIES TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY 10-11:30AM

We are studying the book of Psalms. The study guide we are using is **PSALMS: Glorifying God for Who He Is** by Dr. Warren W. Wiersbe. We welcome you to come join us at any time as we grow together in fellowship around God's Word.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FALL LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Is life hard? When you turn on the news your heart breaks or you are confused? Are you struggling with your health? Are your relationships stressful and you feel like you're all alone? Do you feel hopeless? I would love to invite you to join me for our Fall LBS on 1 Peter. Here we will study, learn & press into the **HOPE** that is ours through Jesus. I hope that you will join me as we study 1 Peter, and discover **HOPE in the Midst of Hardships**.

LADIES THANKS-GIVING PUZZLE-MANIA & GAME NIGHT FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6 6:30 - 9:30PM

The Women's Thanks-giving Puzzle-mania and Game night: We will meet in the FBC gym on Friday, November 6 from 6:30 - 9:30pm. We will enjoy a Thanksgiving devotional from Sarah Vlietstra, a charcuterie board with yummy goodies, lots of fellowship...and plenty of games, puzzles and have an opportunity to make a pretty beaded bracelet! Sign-up is "open" at the Women's Ministry Kiosk...you don't need to sign up to attend...but by signing up, it will help us know how much food to have available. Remember...our event won't be the same without YOU!!!

PRAYER MEETING MONDAYS 9:00 - 9:45AM - ROOM 229

This is for anyone who would like to join Joni Brummel in praying for our community, state and the nation with the midterms coming up on Nov. 3. **"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."** 2 Chronicles 7:14

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Thank you so much to our Pastor Nathan and our Brendon Bayley for placing God's Word in our hearts and minds! If you would like to send a card or note of appreciation to each of them you may place it in the church office inbox, or or mail it to their homes. Please keep Pastor Nathan and Brendon in your prayers!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

LAST DAY TO DROP BOXES OFF AT FBC - WED., NOV. 18

FBC is participating in the Operation Christmas Child program again this year. Boxes and information regarding the program are available at the back of the auditorium.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Trevor & Kristen Hotchkiss on the birth of their baby boy, Henry Gilbert Hotchkiss, who was born on October 13. Henry weighed 8lb. 8oz. and was 20.75 inches long.

I would like to...

- ☐ volunteer at the church
- ☐ join a small group
- ☐ grow in my faith
- ☐ grow as a leader
- ☐ I put my trust in Jesus for the first time today!
- ☐ Learn about church membership
- ☐ speak with a pastor about...

EVENTS: October 25 - 31, 2026

SUNDAY	10:00am	Worship & Kidzone
	After AM service	Special Business Meeting
	5:15pm	Membership/Baptism Class
	4:30 - 7:15pm	Oasis for students - Wings of Hope
MONDAY	9-9:45am	Pray for our country - Room 229
	5:00pm	Mission Board Meeting
TUESDAY	10-11:30am	Ladies Bible Study - Room 229
WEDNESDAY	6 - 7:30pm	Wednesday Night Ministries
THURSDAY	6:30 - 8:30pm	Rejoice in Recovery

ATTENTION PARENTS AND STUDENTS!

FBC Camp Scholarship Program has started. Scholarship info is available at the bulletin table. 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. Please see or contact Lori (616.681.1294) or dcommans@netpenny.net to register, for questions or more details.

REJOICE IN RECOVERY

THURSDAYS 6:30 - 8:30PM ROOM 110 @ FBC

SPECIAL BUSINESS MEETING - OCTOBER 25 AFTER THE MORNING SERVICE IN THE GYM

MEN'S BREAKFAST - SAT., NOVEMBER 14 @ THE CHOPPS

Men, you are invited to join us for our monthly time of faith, fellowship and fabulous food at the Chopps home at 8:00am.

THANKSGIVING CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED NOV. 25 - 29

The church office will reopen on Monday, November 30.

JOY Group Outing (Just Older Youth) DECEMBER 5, 2026

THE COLLINGSWORTH FAMILY IN JENISON & DINNER

We will leave FBC at 3:00pm and return between 9:00 - 10pm. The cost for the concert is \$30. Please make checks payable to Larry Ladenburger. Dinner cost is on your own. Sign up at the bulletin table in the auditorium. Sign up deadline is Nov. 29.

TITHE ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE FOR 2027

The new tithe envelopes are available on a table at the back of the auditorium. If you currently do not receive tithing envelopes and would like some, please sign up on the list available at this table. If you tithe online and do not need tithing envelopes any longer please note this on the list as well.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to our FBC family for the cards, calls, prayers, and the Peace Lilly plant in the death of our father, Martin Stevens. We are confident that he is in the presence of our Lord and Savior whom he loved and served.

Paul & Ruth Stauffer

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
