

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH COURIER

## JANUARY 2020 EDITION



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### *NEW YEAR PRAYER:*

Thank You Lord for giving me  
The brand new year ahead.  
Help me live the way I should  
As each new day I tread.  
Give me gentle wisdom  
That I might help a friend,  
Give me strength and courage  
So a shoulder I might lend.  
The year ahead is empty,  
Help me fill it with good things  
Each new day filled with joy  
And happiness it brings.  
Amen.

Live a Life that Matters

Sunday services: 8:20 and 11 am; Sunday School for all ages: 9:45 am

### CSFBC MISSION STATEMENT

“Infusing TRUTH to produce selfless followers of God.”

## PASTOR ROD'S MESSAGE

### FALLING WITH SATAN OR STANDING WITH JESUS

I've been pleased to invest my life into teaching you the Bible. If you know The Truth you won't be duped when Satan and his minions try to deceive you. Because we are not unaware of his wiles. So that no advantage be taken of us by Satan; for we are not ignorant of his schemes. 2 Corinthians 2:11 we know how Satan lies, unfortunately we believe his lies too often. Paul acknowledged that to Timothy: ...for some have already turned aside to follow Satan. 1 Timothy 5:15

It's worth particular notice for us, because there have been a rash of recent defections from the Lord, particularly some "high-level" defections that have made national news. One, Marty Sampson, was a writer for Hillsong music. He wrote of "genuinely losing his faith." And walking away from his faith in the Lord. Another well-known defection was Josh Harris. He was an author, pastor of a megachurch, well-disciplined and yet divorced his wife, recanted his book, and betrayed his faith in the Lord. This needs to be warning to us all. No one is immune to the schemes of the devil. That's why we must, especially as we head toward the end of time, be all the more diligent to remain in God's Word and in fellowship with those that love Him and Draw near to Him daily (moment-by-moment)!

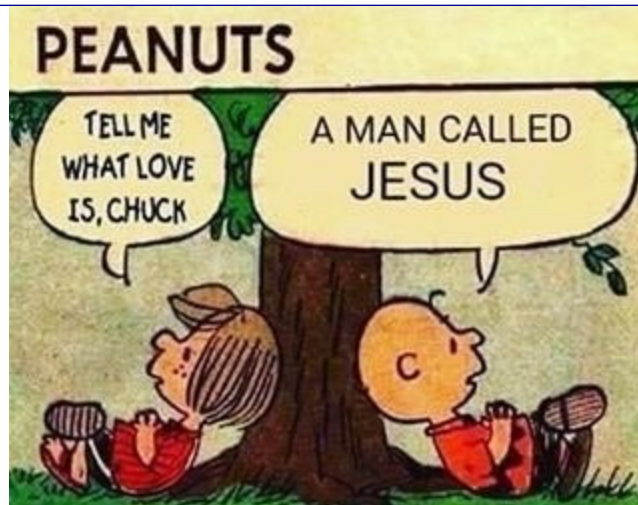
Franklin Graham and others have reached out, but they have been rebuffed, because once a person gets to the point where they can deny their faith and "crucify again the Son of God and put Him to open shame, they have fallen away to a point where it is impossible to again to restore them to repentance." Hebrews 6:6 There is a point-of-no-return! One would think that since Jesus words are true ("But whoever shall deny Me before men, I will also deny him before My Father who is in heaven. Matthew 10:33) that these men are either there or walking on the cusp of that eternal decision.

What has made their decision so heinous is not that they made it, as tragic as that is itself, but that they made it so public. So much so that it caused one commentator to intimate that what they really worship is the attention they get. Otherwise, they would've quietly and humbly melted into the woodwork without such a media blitz fanfare. See we all have questions, or else it wouldn't be called 'faith'. Sometimes our questions can overwhelm us, like they did for the Psalmist, when he doubted God's authority and His justice. But as he writes he's thankful that he didn't "go public" with his doubts because if he had, "he would've betrayed a whole generation of God's children." (Psalm 73:16 -Read the whole Psalm you'll be blessed!) We all know that it'd be better to have a millstone hung around your neck and be thrown into a lake than betray those that trust in the Lord.

"Lord, forgive us when we are calloused or cavalier with our doubts and fears that we destroy others in the process of wandering or wondering. Help us Holy Spirit to hold our tongue, at least until we've had the chance to ponder in Your sanctuary the eternal outcome of it all."

Because only YOU can keep me from stumbling and make me to stand faultless before Your Throne (-Jude 24),

*Pastor Rod*



## PASTOR PHIL'S MESSAGE

### A New Year Weights with Glory!

**2 Corinthians 4:7, 16-18** *But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us ... So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal. (ESV)*

If the apostle Paul were writing today he may have said we have this treasure in disposable plastic containers. Pottery of the ancient times were the margarine tubs of today. You can wash them out and use them over and over again until they wear out. They are available, versatile, durable, and usable vessels.

How available are you to God using you this year? Clay jars were used as early as 4000BC. They go back to the beginning of major civilizations after the flood. Noah may have used clay containers to bring supplies on the Ark. They used clay for everything from figurines, idols, and seals. Tablets were used to write all kinds of documents. Clay was valuable by what it was used for. Are we used for God's purposes this year?

How versatile are you as God calls you to serve Him? God is in control and sovereign over all people, places, and times! We should desire to be used for God's honor rather than become vessel of dishonor (Romans 9:20-21). In Biblical times the value of the vessel was determined by both what it was and what it held. The Gospel of Christ is made more glorious by the fact that He indwells and uses earthen vessels, humans. This was the point of Paul's letters to the Corinthians. Corinth was destroyed by the Romans in 146BC. It was Julius Caesar that rebuilt and colonized Corinth in 44BC primarily with a motley crew of former slaves from every ethnicity. These freedmen were obsessed with honor and recognition. It was against this backdrop that Paul sought to incarnate the humility of Christ and preach the simple Good News. How are you looking to make Christ known to those who don't know Him this year? We must plan to present the Good News in new ways!

How durable are you as you see this New Year coming? When you see the results of a hurricane's damage you cannot help but see that the building materials make a big difference if a building is to withstand the storm. A trailer has no chance but a brick house sometimes will withstand a harsh treatment when nothing else will. This is what Paul meant by being afflicted, perplexed, persecuted, and struck down but not crushed (2 Corinthians 4:8). Though durable, pottery is fragile and will break if dropped. We need God's help and strength to weather the storms that life brings. We are not able to overcome in our own strength it is Christ in us, He is our hope of Glory!

How useful are you for God's Kingdom this year? Paul spoke of the church as a house built for God's use filled with vessels of all kinds. If you purify yourselves from anything dishonorable, you will be useful to the Master for every good work (2 Timothy 2:21). This is why we repent from any sin that makes us stumble and we run the race with strength and endurance Christ provides. Keep your eyes on Christ the founder and perfecter of our faith (Hebrews 12:1-2). He has already marked out the winning path let's follow Him to the end!

This year in 2020 remember to submit to God and be available, versatile, durable, and useful! God is looking to make himself known in and through your everyday. May the Gospel reach into your head, heart, and hands until it overflows to others through you.

***"It would seem that Our Lord finds our desires not too strong, but too weak. We are half-hearted creatures, fooling about with drink and sex and ambition when infinite joy is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at the sea. We are far too easily pleased."*** — C.S. Lewis

*Pastor Phil*

## Deacons Devotional

### *Prayer, a Way of Life*

To “pray without ceasing” basically refers to recurring prayer, not nonstop talking. Thus it is to be our way of life –we’re to be continually in an attitude of prayer. Famous nineteenth-century preacher Charles Haddon Spurgeon offered this vivid picture of what praying at all time means:

Like the old knights, not always on their steeds dashing forward with their lances in rest to unhorse an adversary, but always wearing their weapons where they could easily reach them, and always ready to encounter wounds or death for the sake of the cause they championed. Those grim warriors often slept in their armour; so even when we sleep, we are still to be in of prayer, so that if per chance we wake in the night we may still be with God. Our soul, having received the divine centripetal influence which makes it receive heavenly center, should be evermore naturally rising towards God himself. Our heart is to be like those beacons and watchtowers which were prepared for the coast of England when the Armada was hourly expected, not always blazing, but with wood always dry and the match always there, ready to blaze up at the appointed time. Our souls should be in such a condition that prayer should be very frequent with us. No need to pause in business and leave the counter, and fall down upon knees; the spirit should send up its silent, short, silent petitions to the throne of grace.

A Christian should carry the weapon of all prayer like a drawn sword in his hand. We should never sheath our supplications. Never may our hearts be like a Unlimbered gun, with everything to be done to it before it can thunder on the foe, but it should be like a piece of cannon, loaded and primed; only requiring the fire that it may be discharged. The soul should be not always in the exercise of prayer, but always in the energy of prayer, not always actually praying, but always intentionally praying.

*Prayers  
should  
be the key  
in the  
morning  
and the  
lock at night.*



## Kids Club/Thank you/Annual Report Meeting



**Kids Club will be resuming in 2020. If you are interested in helping with this ministry please contact Stacie Klemm at 814-398-1785.**

Dear church family,

Thank you so much for your kind generosity in fulfilling all the needs listed on the Caring Tree. Our truck bed was full as was the back seat! You have blessed so many already! A client came in asking for baby wash so she could wash her dishes. When I handed her dish detergent (which we usually don't have to offer) she looked up and said "that was God, wasn't it?" Sure was! God working through His people. 5 children's Bibles have been given out plus lots of diapers and so much more. Thank you for being the hands of Jesus to a lost and struggling world.

With a grateful heart, Kay



**Join us**  
for your Annual Meeting.  
Don't miss it!

**Please join us for the Annual Report Meeting and Tureen Dinner on Wednesday January 15th at 6 pm.**

We will have a tureen dinner (table service, meat and drink provided). Bring a side dish and/or dessert to share.

Watch the Welcome Center for a sign up sheet.

## Health Ministry

### **13 Benefits of Taking Fish Oil Written by Ruairi Robertson, PhD on December 18, 2018**

Fish oil is one of the most commonly consumed dietary supplements. It's rich in omega-3 fatty acids, which are very important for your health. If you don't eat a lot of oily fish, taking a fish oil supplement could help you get enough omega-3 fatty acids. Here are 13 health benefits of fish oil.

**What Is Fish Oil?** Fish oil is the fat or oil that's extracted from fish tissue. It usually comes from oily fish, such as herring, tuna, anchovies, and mackerel. Yet it's sometimes produced from the livers of other fish, as is the case with cod liver oil. The World Health Organization (WHO) recommends eating 1–2 portions of fish per week. This is because the omega-3 fatty acids in fish provide many health benefits, including protection against a number of diseases. However, if you don't eat 1–2 servings of fish per week, fish oil supplements can help you get enough omega-3s. Around 30% of fish oil is made up of omega-3s, while the remaining 70% is made up of other fats. What's more, fish oil usually contains some vitamin A and D. It's important to note that the types of omega-3s found in fish oil have greater health benefits than the omega-3s found in some plant sources. The main omega-3s in fish oil are eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA) and docosahexaenoic acid (DHA), while the omega-3 in plant sources is mainly alpha-linolenic acid (ALA). Although ALA is an essential fatty acid, EPA and DHA have many more health benefits. It's also important to get enough omega-3s because the Western diet has replaced a lot of omega-3s with other fats like omega-6s. This distorted ratio of fatty acids may contribute to numerous diseases

**1. May Support Heart Health** ~ Heart disease is the leading cause of death worldwide. Studies show that people who eat a lot of fish have much lower rates of heart disease. Multiple risk factors for heart disease appear to be reduced by consumption of fish or fish oil. The benefits of fish oil for heart health include: Cholesterol levels: It can increase levels of "good" HDL cholesterol. However, it does not appear to reduce levels of "bad" LDL cholesterol. Triglycerides: It can lower triglycerides by about 15–30%. Blood pressure: Even in small doses, it helps reduce blood pressure in people with elevated levels. Plaque: It may prevent the plaques that cause your arteries to harden, as well as make arterial plaques more stable and safer in those who already have them. Fatal arrhythmias: In people who are at risk, it may reduce fatal arrhythmia events. Arrhythmias are abnormal heart rhythms that can cause heart attacks in certain cases. Although fish oil supplements can improve many of the risk factors for heart disease, there is no clear evidence that it can prevent heart attacks or strokes.

**2. May Help Treat Certain Mental Disorders** ~ Your brain is made up of nearly 60% fat, and much of this fat is omega-3 fatty acids. Therefore, omega-3s are essential for normal brain function. In fact, some studies suggest that people with certain mental disorders have lower omega-3 blood levels. Interestingly, research suggests that fish oil supplements can prevent the onset or improve the symptoms of some mental disorders. For example, it can reduce the chances of psychotic disorders in those who are at risk. In addition, supplementing with fish oil in high doses may reduce some symptoms of both schizophrenia and bipolar disorder. **3. May Aid Weight Loss** ~ Obesity is defined as having a body mass index (BMI) greater than 30. Globally, about 39% of adults are overweight, while 13% are obese. The numbers are even higher in high-income countries like the US. Obesity can significantly increase your risk of other diseases, including heart disease, type 2 diabetes, and cancer. Fish oil supplements may improve body composition and risk factors for heart disease in obese people. Furthermore, some studies indicate that fish oil supplements, in combination with diet or exercise, can help you lose weight. However, not all studies found the same effect. One analysis of 21 studies notes that fish oil supplements didn't significantly reduce weight in obese individuals but did reduce waist circumference and waist-to-hip ratio. **4. May Support Eye Health** ~ Like your brain, your eyes rely on omega-3 fats. Evidence shows that people who don't get enough omega-3s have a greater risk of eye diseases. Furthermore, eye health begins to decline in old age, which can lead to age-related macular degeneration (AMD). Eating fish is linked to a reduced risk of AMD, but the results on fish oil supplements are less convincing. One study found that consuming a high dose of fish oil for 19 weeks improved vision in all AMD patients. However, this was a very small study. Two larger studies examined the combined effect of omega-3s and other nutrients on AMD. One study showed a positive effect, while the other exhibited no effect. Therefore, the results are unclear. **5. May Reduce Inflammation** ~ Inflammation is your immune system's way of fighting infection and treating injuries. However, chronic inflammation is associated with serious illnesses, such as obesity, diabetes, depression, and heart disease. Reducing inflammation can help treat symptoms of these diseases. Because fish oil has anti-inflammatory properties, it may help treat conditions involving chronic inflammation. For example, in stressed and obese individuals, fish oil can reduce the production and gene expression of inflammatory molecules called cytokines. Moreover, fish oil supplements can significantly reduce joint pain, stiffness, and medication needs in people with rheumatoid arthritis, which causes painful joints. While inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) is also triggered by inflammation, there is no clear evidence to suggest whether fish oil improves its symptoms. **6. May Support Healthy Skin** ~ Your skin is the largest organ in your body, and it contains a lot of omega-3 fatty acids. Skin health can decline throughout your life, especially during old age or after too much sun exposure. That said, there are a number of skin disorders that may benefit from fish oil supplements, including psoriasis and dermatitis. **7. May Support Pregnancy and Early Life** ~ Omega-3s are essential for early growth and development. Therefore, it's important for mothers to get enough omega-3s during pregnancy and while breastfeeding. Fish oil supplements in pregnant and breastfeeding mothers may improve hand-eye coordination in infants. However, it's unclear whether learning or IQ are improved. Taking fish oil supplements during pregnancy and breastfeeding may also improve infant visual development and help reduce the risk of allergies.

## Health Ministry conclusion

**8. May Reduce Liver Fat** ~ Your liver processes most of the fat in your body and can play a role in weight gain. Liver disease is increasingly common — particularly non-alcoholic fatty liver disease (NAFLD), in which fat accumulates in your liver. Fish oil supplements can improve liver function and inflammation, which may help reduce symptoms of NAFLD and the amount of fat in your liver. **9. May Improve Symptoms of Depression** ~ Depression is expected to become the second-largest cause of illness by 2030. Interestingly, people with major depression appear to have lower blood levels of omega-3s. Studies show that fish oil and omega-3 supplements may improve symptoms of depression. Moreover, some studies have shown that oils rich in EPA help reduce depressive symptoms more than DHA. **10. May Improve Attention and Hyperactivity in Children** ~ A number of behavioral disorders in children, such as attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), involve hyperactivity and inattention. Given that omega-3s make up a significant proportion of the brain, getting enough of them may be important for preventing behavioral disorders in early life. Fish oil supplements may improve perceived hyperactivity, inattention, impulsiveness, and aggression in children. This may benefit early life learning. **11. May Help Prevent Symptoms of Mental Decline** ~ As you age, your brain function slows down, and your risk of Alzheimer's disease increases. People who eat more fish tend to experience a slower decline in brain function in old age. However, studies on fish oil supplements in older adults haven't provided clear evidence that they can slow the decline of brain function. Nevertheless, some very small studies have shown that fish oil may improve memory in healthy, older adults. **12. May Improve Asthma Symptoms and Allergy Risk** ~ Asthma, which can cause swelling in the lungs and shortness of breath, is becoming much more common in infants. A number of studies show that fish oil may reduce asthma symptoms, especially in early. In one review in nearly 100,000 people, a mother's fish or omega-3 intake was found to reduce the risk of asthma in children by 24–29%. Furthermore, fish oil supplements in pregnant mothers may reduce the risk of allergies in infants. **13. May Improve Bone Health** ~ During old age, bones can begin to lose their essential minerals, making them more likely to break. This can lead to conditions like osteoporosis and osteoarthritis. Calcium and vitamin D are very important for bone health, but some studies suggest that omega-3 fatty acids can also be beneficial. People with higher omega-3 intakes and blood levels may have better bone mineral density (BMD). However, it's unclear whether fish oil supplements improve BMD. A number of small studies suggest that fish oil supplements reduce markers of bone breakdown, which may prevent bone disease.

### How to Supplement

If you do not eat 1–2 portions of oily fish per week, you may want to consider taking a fish oil supplement. If you want to buy fish oil supplements, there is an excellent selection on Amazon. Below is a list of things to consider when taking a fish oil supplement:

**Dosage** ~ EPA and DHA dosage recommendations vary depending on your age and health. WHO recommends a daily intake of 0.2–0.5 grams (200–500 mg) of combined EPA and DHA. However, it may be necessary to increase the dosage if you are pregnant, nursing, or at risk of heart disease. Choose a fish oil supplement that provides at least 0.3 grams (300 mg) of EPA and DHA per serving.

**Form** ~ Fish oil supplements come in a number of forms, including ethyl esters (EE), triglycerides (TG), reformed triglycerides (rTG), free fatty acids (FFA) and phospholipids (PL). Your body doesn't absorb ethyl esters as well as others, so try to choose a fish oil supplement that comes in one of the other listed forms.

**Concentration** ~ Many supplements contain up to 1,000 mg of fish oil per serving — but only 300 mg of EPA and DHA. Read the label and choose a supplement that contains at least 500 mg of EPA and DHA per 1,000 mg of fish oil.

**Purity** ~ A number of fish oil supplements don't contain what they say they do. To avoid these products, choose a supplement that is third-party tested or has a seal of purity from the Global Organization for EPA and DHA Omega-3s (GOED).

**Freshness** ~ Omega-3 fatty acids are prone to oxidation, which makes them go rancid. To avoid this, you can choose a supplement that contains an antioxidant, such as vitamin E. Also, keep your supplements away from light — ideally in the refrigerator. Don't use a fish oil supplement that has a rancid smell or is out of date.

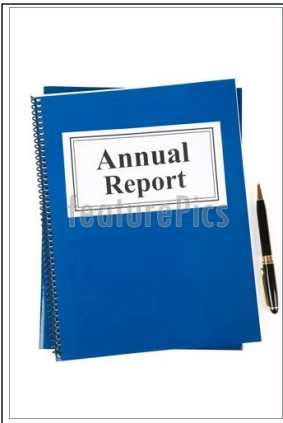
**Timing** ~ Other dietary fats help your absorption of omega-3 fatty acids. Therefore, it's best to take your fish oil supplement with a meal that contains fat.

**The Bottom Line** ~ Omega-3s contribute to normal brain and eye development. They fight inflammation and may help prevent heart disease and a decline in brain function. As fish oil contains a lot of omega-3s, those at risk of these disorders can benefit from taking it. However, eating whole foods is almost always better than taking supplements, and eating two portions of oily fish per week can provide you with enough omega-3s. In fact, fish is as effective as fish oil — if not more so — at preventing many diseases. That said, fish oil supplements are a good alternative if you don't eat fish.

Announcements



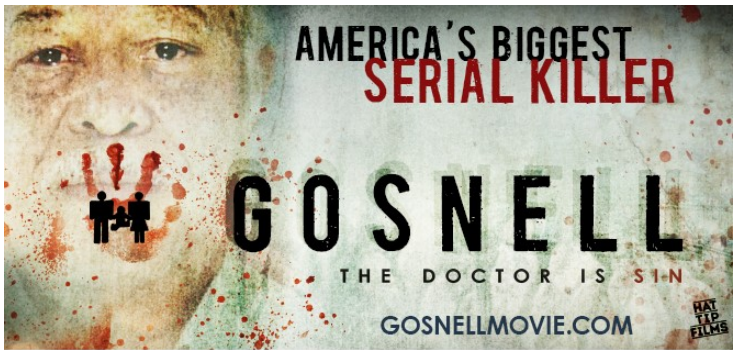
Congratulations to Josh and Emily (and big brother James) on the birth of Levi Michael Mumau on Monday December 16th. May God bless your family.



**ATTENTION PASTORS, BOARD CHAIRMEN, COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN, MISSION REPRESENTATIVES, & FINANCIAL CHAIRS**  
Your 2019 Annual Reports are due to the office no later than **JANUARY 10TH.**

We will go over the reports at the All Church Tureen Dinner and Annual Report meeting on Wednesday January 15th.

The reshewing of the movie "Gosnell" will be Saturday January 18th at 6:30 pm.



FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE TO THE OFFICE BY FRIDAY JANUARY 24TH.



## PRAYERS and Monthly EVENTS

**The Grieving:** Colvin and Yenny Families, Lynn Smith

**Cancer:** Karen Held, Chris Peterman

**Health Issues:** Kim Marzke, Julie Brink, Brian Smith, Bob Wilmoth, Judy Wrye

**Rehabilitating:** Janet Wise, Jan Cory, Dwight Dunton

**Nursing Home:** Paul Kirk, Ralph Batchelor, Judy Klemm, Bill Hodge

**Military:** Dillon Lang, Keith Bentley, Howard VanMatre, Adam Alm, Jimmy Humes, Gregg Merritt, Wesley Fleischer, Christian Ross, Austin Shearer, Wyatt Fleischer, Tyler Hauf, Bryce Kirk, Wyatt Doubet

**Guidance:** Brian & Lynette Smith, Eugene and Fawn Pabon, Lucas and Estela Crowe

**College Students:** Madison Klemm, Mark VanMatre, Stephen VanMatre, Katie Duda, Jordan Anderson, Neely Colvin, Clayton Dingle, Zachary Dingle, Austin Jones, Jillian Risjan, Cami Schmidt, Cori Schmidt, Ryan Shaffer, Alex Wheeler, Brenna Rindfuss

**Expectant Moms:** Rachelle Held



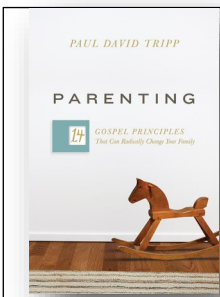
Tuesday  
January 7th  
Prayer Meeting  
7 pm



Vows Everyday.

L.O.V.E. Marriage Small group will meet every 3rd Friday at the Hovis'. The next meeting is Friday January 17th at 6 pm.

L.O.V.E. stands for Living Our



**Parenting Small Group**  
Friday  
January 10th  
7 pm  
@ Lowther's

**Men's  
Breakfast  
Fellowship**

Saturday January 25th 8 am.  
Come for breakfast.  
Stay for Bible Study.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<b>1</b> OFFICE CLOSED HAPPY NEW YEAR 	<b>2</b> 6 pm Praise Group 6:30 pm Prison Ministry	<b>3</b> Office Open 8:30-5	<b>4</b>  Pray for Pastor Rod
<b>5</b> <b>COMMUNION</b> <b>Commissioning of</b> <b>Officers</b> 6 pm Youth 3:16	<b>6</b> Office Open 8-5 7 pm Trustees  Pray for Pastor Phil	<b>7</b> 7 pm Prayer Meet- ing	<b>8</b> Office Open 8-5	<b>9</b> 6 pm Praise Group	<b>10</b> Office Open 8:30-5 7 pm Parenting Small Group <b>ANNUAL</b> <b>REPORTS DUE</b>	<b>11</b> <b>All Purpose Room</b> <b>In Use</b>  Pray for Pastor Rod
<b>12</b> 6 pm Youth 3:16	<b>13</b> Office Open 8-5 6 pm CE Board  Pray for Pastor Phil	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Office Open 8-5 6 pm Annual Tureen Dinner and Business Meeting	<b>16</b> 6 pm Praise Group	<b>17</b> Office Open 8:30-5 6 pm Marriage Small Group	<b>18</b> <b>6:30 pm Gosnell</b> <b>Movie</b>  Pray for Pastor Rod
<b>19</b> 6 pm Youth 3:16 <b>Sanctity of Life</b> <b>Sunday</b>	<b>20</b> Office Open 8-5 <b>NO SCHOOL</b> <b>6:30 pm Deacons</b> Martin Luther King Day  Pray for Pastor Phil	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Office Open 8-5	<b>23</b> 6 pm Praise Group	<b>24</b> Office Open 8:30-5 No School Penn- crest <b>NEWSLETTER</b> <b>ARTICLES DUE</b>	<b>25</b> <b>8 am Men's Break-</b> <b>fast</b>  Pray for Pastor Rod
<b>26</b> 6 pm Youth 3:16	<b>27</b> Office Open 8-5  Pray for Pastor Phil	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Office Open 8-5	<b>30</b> 6 pm Praise Group	<b>31</b> Office Open 8:30-5	
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## January Birthdays and Anniversaries



25th: Molly Billingsley  
 27th: Grayson Frazier  
 30th: Charity Peterson  
 Jenn Howell  
 Zachariah Hovis

1st: Liam Hale  
 5th: Abigail Maddox  
 7th: David Shearer  
 9th: Tim Wheeler  
 10th: Gina Brace  
 13th: Don Closky  
 15th: Cindy Mitchell  
 16th: Aiva Miller  
 Daniel Hovis  
 19th: Justin Howell  
 Isabell Gorske  
 20th: Randy Gorske  
 Meadow Gorske  
 21st: Doug Shearer  
 Bob Wilmoth  
 22nd: Diamond Jones  
 23rd: Nicole Oakes  
 24th: Adalee Baer



4th: Bill and Ginger VanMatre  
 17th: Jordan and Karen Joslin  
 18th: Phil and Rachelle Held

**1st Service:**

5th: Amy and Cassidy Boylan  
 12th: Debbie Dine and Marilyn Dine  
 19th: Gina Brace and Tenae Gage  
 26th: Carol Thumm and Teresa Findlay

**Sunday School:**

5th: Debbie Dine and Karen Joslin  
 12th: Ken Dine and Paul Sellers  
 19th: Wendy Gardner and Debbie Dine  
 26th: Pam Lowther and Lydia Sellers

**2nd Service:**

5th: Kristin Held and Barb Beardsley  
 12th: Darlene Gorske and Robyn Kovschak  
 19th: Andi Lundin and Brenda Morrow  
 26th: Stacie and Aubrey Klemm

Nursery

**Garden Room Schedule**

Please be sure to call your partner prior to working to confirm. If you are unable to work, please call to switch with someone and notify your partner. If you cannot work or find anyone to switch please call Laura at 398-2507



4th: Laura Stone and Kris Bancroft  
 11th: Toni Merritt and Karon Runyan  
 18th: Bonnie Boylan and Debbie Shearer  
 25th: Lynn Smith and Dana Encapera

First Baptist Church Officers

2020

<u>Office</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Term</u>	
Moderator	<i>Randy Gorske</i>	1 year	
Church Clerk	<i>Laura Stone</i>	1 year	
Treasurer	<i>Jan Cory</i>	1 year	
Financial Secretary	<i>Wendy Gardner</i>	1 year	
<u>Advisory Board Members at Large:</u>		1 year	
<b><i>Bill and Linda Roth</i></b>			
<b><i>Dwight and Kay Dunton</i></b>			
<b><i>Justin and Jenn Howell</i></b>			
<b><i>John Belfiore</i></b>			
<u>Deacons:</u>			
Lee Manross	1/2021	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	
Jack Parsons	1/2021	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	
Tom Gage	1/2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
<i>Larry Klemm</i>	1/2023	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	
<b><i>Jamie Gardner</i></b>	<b>1/2022</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Term/filling unexpired term</b>	
<b><i>Tony Jardina</i></b>	<b>1/2023</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Term</b>	
<u>Deaconesses:</u>			
Carol Thumm	1/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
Kay Gage	1/2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
<b><i>Mary Beth Manross</i></b>	<b>1/2023</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Term</b>	
<u>Trustees:</u>			
Jim Steudler	1/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
Ken Zirkle	1/2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
Karen Burchill	1/2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Term	
<i>Paul Sellers</i>	1/2023	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	
<i>Jordan Joslin</i>	1/2023	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	
<b><i>Dan Viglione</i></b>	<b>1/2023</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Term</b>	
<u>Christian Education:</u>			
Chairperson	Stacie Klemm	1/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Term
Secretary	<i>Jen Shaffer</i>	1/2021	1 year
Children	Dayna Burchill	1/2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Term
<b><i>Child Evangelism</i></b>			<b>need one</b>
Adult	Adam Jardina	1/2021	1 <sup>st</sup> Term
Ex-Officio/Youth	<b>Pastor Phil Lowther</b>		

*Italicized Print ~ renewed term*

***Bold and Italicized Print ~ new appointee to office***