

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AWANA Truth Script 2026 cards are available on the information table for anyone wishing to memorize God's Word. The verses this year are Romans 6:1-14. Please return your card by April 1st. Thank you

HAPPY BIRTHDAY First Baptist Emery!! Our 140th year in existence will be Tuesday, February 24th. The church originally was located in the country and in 1963 the building we are now located in was built. God has blessed us for continuing to share the Gospel.

Adult SS Leaders needed: If anyone is willing to be a SS Adult class leader, please let Deb Heitzman or Adam Zens know. Thank you!

QUESTION – Who sets up, provides food, serves, and cleans up for the events that happen at FBC-Emery? **ANSWER** – Serving Groups!! (And we need and appreciate you!!) We take turns as the Body of Christ and share the load. If you are attending church recently or for a time, we would invite you to join a serving group. Please see Joyce Fluth, Janet Becker or Susan Olthoff with questions and/or your answer YES to joining! Thank you!

The Senior High Encounter group would like to **thank everyone** that has provided a meal for them on Wednesday nights thus far! They have all been delicious! Many come straight from practice and do not have time to eat. We have extended the sign-up sheet to try and get them through the busyness of basketball season. If you would like to sign up, please use this link: <https://takethemameal.com/QSWK3805>. Thank you again! Ashley Zens, YA

You are invited to a **baby shower** for Libby and Baby Girl Nickerson on Saturday, February 28th at 10:30am in the Hearth Room at Central Church, Sioux Falls. RSVP to Mollie at (402) 533-8938. Libby is registered at babylist.com or you can use the QR code. 

On behalf of the Senior High Encounter Youth group, we would like to **thank everyone** who donated a dessert for the dessert auction and all of those that came out to support us! We have such an amazing church family and community! We would not be able to do this without you all! Thank you again! Ashley Zens, YA

Email Bulletin: If anyone is not receiving the email bulletin and would like to, please inform Deb Heitzman. Thank you.

The **Youth Pastor Search Team** asks our church to pray as we search for someone to become part of our community and lives, that we will be people willing to invest in their life as well.

The **Swan Lake Christian Camp Annual Meeting** will be held Sunday March 8th at 4pm. The meeting will probably be held in the new worship center so you can see the progress being made. A light lunch will follow. RSVPs are appreciated. Judi Kroeker, Office Manager, Swan Lake Christian Camp, www.myslcc.com, 605-326-5690

Prayer Chain: To include a request in the bi-monthly Petitions & Praise sheet or in the bulletin, contact Deb Heitzman (text or call) (605) 770-9382 or email dmaph53@hotmail.com or text or call Susan Olthoff (605) 630-9521. To join or leave the prayer chain, please contact Deb.

Prayer Requests- Mission of the Month: Hope Harbor, Parker, SD

Church Ministry: Pray that a burden for deep and urgent prayer permeates the church not only as we see God's Will for a youth pastor, but also as you seek God's vision for the church.

Nancy Roskens –Ongoing recovery **Larry Bahmuller** **Henry Olinger** **Brad Wollman** **LouEtta Decker** **Diana Buseman** **Joan Johnson** – At home rehab **Fern Haan**

Visitor Information & Prayer Needs

Welcome to First Baptist Church
Glorifying God by Making Disciples

Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Prayer Concerns: _____

Prayer Request for Deacons:

Prayer Request for Prayer Chain:

Please contact me:

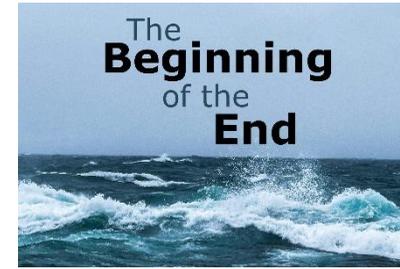
I am a first-time visitor:

Other needs or concerns: _____

Feel free to drop it in the offering plate or hand it to the pastor.

We would love to hear from you!

The section along the right edge of this bulletin is a place for you to share information with the Church Office. *If you are a first-time visitor or have recently started attending,* please fill out the form so we can connect with you. Place this form in the offering plate or give to our Pastor as you leave. Our contact information is on the back—feel free to keep it handy by placing it on your fridge or in your Bible.



Our Pastor
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 Monday–Thursday | 9AM – 2PM
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www.fbcemery.org
Some services and activities are live streamed.

Sunday School Program
 9:30 AM – 10:20 AM
 For ages 2 years through Adult
 Join us each week as we study God’s Word together!
Adult Classes:
 D6 – Fellowship Hall & Chapel
 Minor Prophets, Jeremiah, Daniel, Galatians
Scripture Press – Faith Center
 1, 2 Samuel

This Week
Sunday, February 22nd
 9:30am Sunday School for all ages
 10:30am Worship
Wednesday, February 25th
 10:00am Bible Study
 7:00pm Awana
 7:45pm T’N’T Grand Prix
 7:00pm Sr High Encounter

Future Events
 March 1 – Sunday Services
 Jr High Encounter (6pm)
 March 4 – Bible Study (10am)
 AWANA (7pm)
 Sr High Encounter (7pm)
 March 8 – Sunday Services
 March 9 – Christian Education Meeting (7pm)
 March 11 – Bible Study (10am)
 Sr High Encounter (7pm)
 Trustee Meeting (7pm)



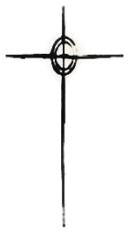
In Service This Week 2/22
Library: Sharon Schrader
Piano: Elizabeth Perry
Children’s Church: Seth/Jaci Potter
Coffee Clean Up: Janet Becker
SS Nursery: Zach/Rachel Potter
WS Nursery: Charles/Jessica Liesinger
Greeters: Jason/Jennifer Hofer

In Service Next Week 3/1
Library:
Piano: Elizabeth Perry
Children’s Church: Scott/Amanda Stahl
Coffee Clean Up: Tracy Gilliland
SS Nursery: Seth/Jaci Potter
WS Nursery: DJ/Danya Buseman
Greeters: Dennis/Lorna Decker

Opportunities for Service
 -Youth Wednesday Meals
 link:
<https://takethenameal.com/QSWK3805>
 Adult Sunday School Leaders

Attendance 2/15
 Worship 155
 Sunday School 96
 Wednesday Night. 97
Offering 2/15
 General. \$8682.00

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February 22, 2026

Call to Worship
 Isaiah 56:1-8

Worship in Song
 Cornerstone
 Crown Him with Many Crowns vs 1,3,4 #45
 King of Kings

Worship through Giving
 Special Music: Carissa Schulz, Jerin Schulz, Haley Bahmuller

Worship in Prayer
 Children’s Church 3yrs-5yrs

Worship in the Word
 “The Beginning of the End”
 Mark 10:46-11:33

Worship in Song
 Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus #340

Benediction

Updates/changes for the church bulletin need to be submitted to the office by Thursday 8:30am each week.