

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Church Board** will meet TODAY following Worship.

Samaritan’s Purse ‘Operation Christmas Child’: After filling your box, please return it **NO LATER** than next Sunday, November 16th. Thank you.

King’s Daughters invites the FBC family to come to the Nora Store in Nora, SD on November 23rd at 4:30pm. *Why?* To sing Christmas praises and fellowship together. Mike Pedersen leads songfests, a 35-yr old tradition, in this little town during this time of year in his store. Please sign up in the foyer. (Seating is limited but we may be able to schedule another time slot if needed.) *If you wish to carpool or caravan, please be at the church at 2:45pm on the 23rd. “Anyone interested may gather at Pizza Ranch in Tea, SD for supper afterwards: some space will be reserved there for us so please indicate when you sign up if you wish to do this.”* Let’s sing praises together!

Senior Adult Bags: It is our privilege to gather goodies for our senior saints and spend some time with them when we deliver those treats. Please sign-up and bring donations of non-perishable snacks, small personal care items and/or pastime related items. The sign-up sheet, with a list of suggestions, and donation box is by The Opportunity Table. We will fill approximately 25 bags. Please bring donations to church by the **King’s Daughter’s Christmas** meeting on **Dec. 5th**. We will put together the bags and the delivery plan. If you are unable to attend the meeting, please let Susan Olthoff know if you want to deliver a bag and visit. Let’s spread some Christmas cheer!

Sunday School Coffee: If you would like to be added or removed from the coffee cleanup list, please contact Deb Heitzman. Thank you for your service and participation.

We have to make a new **Greeter List**, so if anyone would want to be added, or taken off this list email fbcemery@triotel.net by November 30th. Thank you.

Christmas in the Barn – Sunday, December 7 | 5–7 p.m. Join us at the Buseman farm for a special evening featuring a live nativity with animals, winter treats, and Christmas crafts for families. The event is free, with free will donations supporting food pantries in McCook and Turner Counties. Volunteers are needed for the nativity, parking, and possibly caroling groups. See DJ or Danya for more details or to sign up, or sign up here: bit.ly/4odXKnj **OR**



Church Directory Update: As you take your family photos for Christmas greetings, please consider updating your photo and information for the church directory! You can view the current directory in the white binder located on the counter by the Mission Table in the foyer.

- White forms are available to update your contact information. Purple forms are for updating how you receive Church Cancellation notices.

Please email updated photos (JPEG format) to the church office at fbcemery@triotel.net. The directory helps our church family stay connected and have one another’s contact information. Deadline for pictures and updates is December 21st. If you currently are not listed or have any questions, please contact the church office or Deb Heitzman. Thank you for helping keep our directory current!

A **big thank you** to everyone who remembered us with gifts and cards for Pastor Appreciation month. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. Pastor John and Tracy

The Trustees have hired Ashley Zens to be the **Youth Administrator**. Please update your Church Ministries List. She will also have a mailbox in the office if you need to leave her any information.

The **Youth Pastor Search Team** asks our church to pray as we search for someone to become part of our community and our lives, that we will be people willing to invest in their life as well. There is a prayer journal made up and available on the bulletin table for you to pick up and use.

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: Great Plains Association

Health & Recovery:

Nancy Roskens – Ongoing recovery
Brad Wollman Vanessa Buzey
Larry Bahmuller

Special Concerns:

Henry Olinger, Ray Schultz
Roger Derouchey

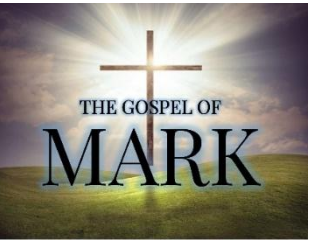
Church Ministry:

Above all, pray that God’s will would be done through the entire process of finding a new youth pastor. Pray that the Holy Spirit will give everyone involved in this process wisdom and peace. Pray that God will show us who He is calling.

Please continue to pray for the family of Melva Green, Susan Olthoff’s mother, as they mourn her passing.

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.



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.

Our Pastor
John Gilliland – Senior Pastor
Office: (605) 449-4215
Cell: (605) 240-0466
Email: johngilliland2@gmail.com
Availability:
Monday–Thursday | 9AM – 2PM
Available other times by appointment

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Emery, SD 57332
Email: fbcemery@triotel.net
Office: (605) 449-4216
 **Website:**
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
1 & 2 Kings, Isaiah, Jonah
Scripture Press – Faith Center
Acts

This Week
Sunday, November 9th
9:30am Sunday School for all ages
10:30am Worship
6:00pm Jr High Encounter
Monday, November 10th
7:00pm Christian Education Brd
Wednesday, November 12th
10:00am Bible Study
7:00pm AWANA ‘Tin Can Tally’
7:00pm Sr High Encounter
7:00pm Trustees
Thursday, November 13th
7:00pm Deacon Meeting
Friday-Saturday, November 14/15
GPA Assoc Meetings,
Wessington Springs, SD

Future Events
November 16 – Sunday Services
Shoebox Return (10:30am)
Jr High Encounter (6pm)
November 19 – Bible Study (10am)
Awana (7pm)
Sr High Encounter (7pm)
November 23 – Sunday Services
Program Practice (12-2pm)
Nora Store (4:30pm)



AWANA
Tin Can Tally
November 12th

Updates or changes for the church bulletin need to be submitted to the office by noon on Thursdays each week.

In Service This Week 11/9
Library: Sheryl Hofer
Piano: Elizabeth Perry
Children’s Church: Ashley Werning /
Sydney Becker
Coffee Clean Up: Sheryl Hofer
SS Nursery: Kelly/Emily Hohn
WS Nursery: Chuck/Jessica Liesinger
Greeters: Cordell/Sheryl Hofer

In Service Next Week 11/16
Library: Elizabeth Perry
Piano: Elizabeth Perry
Children’s Church: Adam/Ashley Zens
Coffee Clean Up: Chris Schultz
SS Nursery: Andy/Sydney Becker
WS Nursery: Paul/Tricia Lasley
Greeters: Jerry/Wanda Roskens

Opportunities for Service
-Youth Wednesday
Meals link:
<https://takethemameal.com/QSWK3805>

Attendance 11/2
Worship146
Sunday School 104
Wednesday Night. . . 108
Offering 11/2
General.\$4107.50

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Call to Worship
Psalm 56
Worship in Song
Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart #169
My Jesus, I Love Thee
Give Thanks #170
Worship through Giving
Special Music: Thatcher Werning & Brooklyn Liesinger

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

Worship in the Word
“Introduction to Mark”
Mark 1

Worship in Song
I Surrender All #596

Benediction



