

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

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*The Lord's Day – August 19, 2018*

8:45 a.m. – Coffee and fellowship time in small gym

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School & Small Group Studies; classes for all ages

**MORNING WORSHIP**

**10:45 a.m.**

Prelude

Hymn: "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder" #566

Welcome & Prayer: Pastor Grotzke

Special Music: Joyce & Amyellen

Hymn: "What if it Were Today" #277

Offertory Natalie & Nikole Thorson

Hymn: "More Precious Than Silver" Screen

Special Music: Margie Erickson

Message: Pastor Grotzke

Closing Prayer: Scott Blake

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4:45 p.m. – Choir practice begins

5:30 p.m. – Orchestra practice

**EVENING SERVICE**

**6:00 P.M.**

Offertory: Orchestra

Special Music: Amanda Montague & kids

~ Karen Wetterlund & teen girls

**THIS WEEK:**

Wednesday – Fargo abortion trip: Call Bobbi Blake for more info.

6:00 p.m. – Awana meeting for all the helpers.

6:30 p.m. – Midweek service – Youth Group, Kid's Bible Club, Adult Service –

7:30 p.m. – Deacon's meeting

**LRCS NEWS:**

– Monday, August 27 is LRCS' first day of school

**TONIGHT:**

Teens `n Treats at the Miller's House tonight from 7 – 9 p.m.

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

August 28 – Cabin Fever in the fireside room. There will be a salad bar – please bring something to go with it. A fall craft project will be done. Everything will be provided. Please let Jean know if you are coming.

August 29, 8:30 a.m. – Birthday breakfast for Sheryl Tollefson at Northwinds Grille.

September 2 – Buddy Fitzgerald from Peru in the a.m. service.

– **Baptism service on September 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please note new date**

– Picnic lunch at Pastor & Cindy Grotzke's following the a.m. service. Meat and drinks will be provided for. Please bring food to share as follows: A-F: dessert; G-Y: salad; also bring a lawn chair if you have one. Golf carts will be available to transport Seniors to the backyard. No evening service on September 2<sup>nd</sup>.

September 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> – 2018 Men's Fellowship. Please contact Pastor Grotzke or Pastor Wayne if you are interested.

September 10 – Ladies' Bible Study starts in fireside room at 7 p.m.

September 11 – Ruth Circle at 10:00 a.m.

September 12 – Awana starts: kick-off party on soccer field.

September 16 – LRCS Teacher Recognition in the a.m. service

September 23 – Sunday School Teacher Recognition in the a.m. service

**NEW COMERS' PICNIC:**

If you are a new comer, or have been coming as recently as 2 years, we would like to invite you to a picnic hosted by the Grotzkes, Ericksons, and Ogrens, **today, August 19<sup>th</sup>** at 12:30 p.m. following the a.m. service. It will be held at Pastor & Cindy's home. Your children are also invited, just bring a lawn chair! If you are able to come, please RSVP to 839-9022 or [cindygrotzke@icloud.com](mailto:cindygrotzke@icloud.com).

**THANK YOU FROM HAITI**

"I can't thank you enough for the outpouring of love and generosity I received. Thank you for your prayers and financial gifts. The impact you have made on Christian education in Haiti is great. I will be praying for your ministry as you pray for mine." – Pastor Jean Maxo Michel

**ATTENTION CHURCH FAMILY:**

If you have already watched the "War Room" DVD, please return it to the church office so that we can pass it along to other church members who may want to watch it. Thank you so much!

**LAPS BABY RESULTS:**

Thank you so much for participating in the 2018 Baby Bottle Fundraiser! Your church individually raised \$890.66. Overall, the campaign has brought in \$33,866.18 to date; and the Brained area churches raised \$22,087.97! Thank you for helping make this campaign a successful one.

**AUGUST GREETERS:**

East: Bob & Elva Schack                      Middle: Don & Cindy Ogilvie  
West: Kenn & Suanne Maurer                Far West: Sheryl Tollefson

**CHURCH FAMILY BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:**

Happy birthday to Julie Kovacik and Thea Newton today; Gloria Peterson on Monday; Jay Jares and Luke Shough on Tuesday; Abraham Blake and Ezekiel Grab on Wednesday; and Rich Palmquist on Saturday.

**NURSERY SCHEDULE – for children up to age 3:**

Sunday, August 19 – Scott & Bobbi Blake and John & Alyssa Blake  
p.m. – Mike & LaVerle Courts

Wednesday, August 22 – Dustin & Sarah Kuschel

Sunday, August 26 – Scott & Debbie Kirkvold and Daniel Kientzle  
p.m. – John & Heather Hagen

Wednesday, August 29 – Keith & Rachael Anderson

<b><u>Last Week's Offerings &amp; Statistics:</u></b>			
<b>Offerings:</b>			
<b>General:</b>	<b>\$7,941.39</b>	<b>Budget amount needed weekly:</b>	<b>\$8,486.77</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest</b>	<b>200.00</b>	<b>Budget giving YTD:</b>	<b>\$474,136.76</b>
<b>Haiti</b>	<b>3,398.43</b>	<b>Budget needs YTD:</b>	<b>\$424,338.49</b>
<b>Teen Challenge</b>	<b>2,020.58</b>		
<b>Shinie</b>	<b>750.00</b>		
<b>Marnie</b>	<b>50.00</b>		
<b>Franks</b>	<b>25.00</b>		
<b>Attendance: Morning Service – 291    Children's Church – 47    Nursery – 13</b>			
<b>Evening Service – 284                  Nursery - 4</b>			

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