

THIS WEEK @ FBC:

SUNDAY

9:30am	Morning Service
11:00am	Sunday School/Life Groups
6:00pm	Youth Group

MONDAY

Church Office Closed

TUESDAY

6:00pm	Taekwondo
6:30pm	GriefShare

WEDNESDAY

6:30am	Men's Morning Coffee
6:00pm	AWANA

FRIDAY

Church Office Closed

SATURDAY

7:00pm	Fireside Chats
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GIVING:

You can give online through our website, through the Church Center app, use one of the two offering boxes in the lobby, or simply mail a check to the church at P.O. Box 157, Lowell, MI 49331. Thank you!

LIFE GROUPS and D GROUPS:

Life Groups and D Groups are hospitable environments where we connect with God, and one another, by sharing life together. There is information at the Welcome Center on joining a Life Group. D Group signups are every fall for one year.

GRIEFSHARE:

Join us for Griefshare, a weekly grief support group for healing after the death of a loved one. The fall session of Griefshare is starting this week on September 9th, 6:30 - 8:30pm, and goes until December 16th. You can register anytime at www.griefshare.org or by calling Bob Copeland at 734-330-7482. Griefshare is held in the Outreach Building classroom.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FIRESIDE CHATS: A night, only for guys 9th grade and up, of great camp food and great conversations of life and godliness. Happening on Saturday, November 8 at 7pm. Hotdogs and S'mores provided. Bring a chair, bring a friend! Any questions? See Ray Kastanek or Steve Kiser.

SINGLE MOMS MINISTRY: Hey mom, take a break! Bring your kids and come join us for a meal on Thursday, November 13. We will be serving the meal between 6pm-8pm. We will be providing childcare as well so you can connect with the other moms. We would love to have you.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST: Men of all ages, come join us for breakfast, fellowship, an encouraging word, and prayer in the Fellowship Room (lower level, main building) at 8am, on the third Saturday of the month, November 15.

CHRISTMAS THROUGH LOWELL: FBC will be a stop in Christmas through Lowell this year (November 14 and 15, 9-7 each day). Many of our own church members will have booths set up. Please come down and see what the vendors have to offer. If you would like to volunteer to help out this year, they are looking for help at the Welcome table on Saturday. They are also looking for youth workers to sell popcorn for the youth group. Please see Chelsea Kastanek or Laura Roberts if interested.

Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child collection week will be November 17-24. Boxes and labels are available in the lobby. Boxes collected at FBC will be picked up on Sunday, November 23, and taken to the collection site in Grand Rapids.

Shoebox gift ideas: Fun items like dolls and stuffed animals, toy cars, jump ropes, yo-yo's, soccer balls with a pump, crayons, markers, coloring books. Necessary items like toothbrushes, shoes, socks, combs/hairbrushes, pens, pencils, sharpeners, notebooks, sunglasses, hair accessories, flashlights, solar calculators.

DO NOT INCLUDE: soap, candy, toothpaste, gum, used or damaged items, scary or war-related items, seeds, food, liquids or lotions, medications or vitamins, breakable items, glass containers, aerosol cans.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

CHRIST-CENTERED, KINGDOM-FOCUSED HOMES

November 02, 2025

God's Design for Gender

Genesis 2:15-25

Pastor Mac Hildebrand

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

Thank you for joining us for worship today. It is our desire to be as helpful as possible during your visit. If you would like to know more about our church, please visit the Welcome Center in the lobby.

During the Service

Bibles	At the Welcome Center
Nursery*	Infant through age 2
Preschool*	Ages 3-5: Downstairs
Children's Church*	Grades K-3. Children are dismissed to go downstairs before the message begins.

****Please be sure to check your child in at one of our "Child Check-In" Stations.***

Child Check-in Volunteers Needed!

Child-check volunteers are a vital part of our Sunday morning service and Life Group time. They are a necessary part of the security of our children. Please consider volunteering for a one (1) - one hour time slot a month. Services are recorded so if you miss one you can catch it later on YouTube anytime after the service, or the website after Sunday evening.

There are a total of seven (7) slots open. Only one of them is during morning service. That slot is downstairs at the child check-in station. The remaining six are during Life Group time. Upstairs and downstairs child check-in stations. Men and older teens are welcome! Please see Karol Burnham to volunteer.

Missionary Christmas

We are starting our Missionary Christmas collection. This is a great way to bless and encourage our missionaries during the holiday season. You and your family can take part in three different ways:

-Take an envelope off the Christmas tree at the Welcome Center. Place a check or cash in the envelope and return it to the marked box by the Christmas tree.

-Grab a jar, take it home and fill it with change. Return the, hopefully, full jar back to the Welcome Center.

-Give online using the church website (fbclowell.org). Click the "Online Giving" button and choose "Missionary Christmas" from the dropdown menu box. You can also use the Church Center app.

Please contribute by Sunday, November 9. Our goal is \$2,200. Thank you for going above and beyond to bless our missionaries in this way.

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