

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

We exist to glorify God through seeking the lost, building up believers,  
and equipping workers to serve God.

"At that time Jesus declared, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth,  
that you have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children;  
yes, Father, for such was your gracious will."  
(Matthew 11:25-26)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026**

**WELCOME**

Announcements (screen)

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 23

**WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE**

Invocation

#447 "Jesus Loves the Little Children"

#185 "Jesus Loves Me"

#586 "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

**WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING**

Special Music- Bell Choir

Children's Time

Dismissal for Children's Church (Age 3-1<sup>st</sup> Grade)

Pastoral Prayer

Offering- (Doxology)

**WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD**

Scripture: Mark 10:13-16

Message: Let Them Come (Pastor Jesse Sternke)

**WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT**

#564 "Just a Closer Walk with Thee"

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**OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK**

SUNDAY - 9:00 am- Sunday School  
 10:00 am- Morning Worship (Bell Choir)  
 6:30 pm- Discipleship U

WEDNESDAY- 9:30 am- Good Sam Worship  
 6:30 pm- Youth  
 7:00 pm- Adult Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

NEXT SUNDAY- COMMUNION SUNDAY  
 9:00 am- Graduation Breakfast (No Sunday School)  
 10:00 am- Morning Worship  
 11:00 am- VBS Leaders Meeting  
 6:30 pm- Discipleship U

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4-19-26	Sunday School	Morning Worship	Evening Worship
WE CAME	68	132	25
WE GAVE	\$333.28	\$7,275.00	

Morning Organist/Pianist: Cindy Eben  
 Greeters: Doug & Donna DeBoer  
 Greeters Next Sunday: Greg & Sharon DeBoer  
 Nursery: Terresa Wagenaar  
 Children's Church: Kayla Reck

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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The GLR Bread of Life and Food Pantry in George served 47 families at the giveaway on April 22. Among those families, there were 92 adults and 48 children that needs are being met locally! The request for April is spaghettios, and we have a big need for size 5 and 6 diapers and pull-ups. If you would like to donate, please have to Crystal by May 24.

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If you would like to volunteer at VBS-Rainforest Falls- this year, please sign up in the foyer. This year VBS will be from 5-8 pm every night starting Sunday, June 7-Thursday, June 11. If you cannot make it every night but still want to help, let Rachel Kramer know. There is a donation list in the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to donate money for supplies or food, please give to Rachel or Crystal.

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Please keep the members of our Africa Mission Team in your prayers as they are preparing to depart on July 9 for their mission trip. Pray for safe travels, good health, and that God will work powerfully through them as they serve and share His love. We also ask for prayers for the people they will be ministering to, that hearts will be open and lives will be impacted by the Gospel.

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There will be a VBS leaders meeting Sunday, May 3, following the morning service.

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We are excited to announce that our construction project has started! During this time, there will be a few temporary changes to help everyone navigate the building safely and comfortably.

- **Main Entrance:** Please use the east kitchen door as the primary entrance.
- **Restrooms:** Bathrooms will be available in the nursery as well as upstairs, and the church parsonage.
- **Assistance:** A golf cart will be available to provide rides to the entrance for anyone who is unable to walk the distance.

We appreciate your patience and understanding as we make these improvements to better serve our church community. Thank you for your cooperation!

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