# OUR STORIES:

## IT'S SWEET TO KNOW JESUS!

Jesus said, *"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden,"* (Matt 5:14). We are excited to shine a light on the goodness of God & serve our neighbors at Trunk N Treat, a sweet new family-fun event at FBC this fall. Learn more about it & see where you may step in & let your light shine on October 31!

QR to Read More ⟶

**GIVE ONLINE**

| | GENERAL FUND as of 09/24/26 | | Renovation Mortgage - Sept. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | LAST WK | YTD | MONTHLY | YTD |
| BUDGET | $8,992 | $341,696 | $3,207 | $28,863 |
| RECEIVED | $5,934 | $373,351 | $2,188 | $32,575 |

**Open Position**
Interim Lead Pastor

**Patty Casler**
Worship Director
517.303.5585

**Chase Bartels**
Youth Pastor
517.499.4120

**Andy Hazel**
Elder Chair

**Denise Droscha**
Deacon Chair

**Angie Thompson**
KidMin Director

# WE'D LOVE TIME WITH YOU!

**OUR APP**

**DIGITAL BULLETIN**

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**Biblical Unity • Building Disciples • Healthy Families**
**Relevant Impact • Serving Community • Unconditional Love**

**27 SEPT**

**9:30 AM**

## OUR MISSION

Passionately connecting people to Jesus Christ

## COL 1:28-29

"We proclaim Christ, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, to present every one complete in Christ."

# UPCOMING

**www.fbcchar.org**

# TODAY

*"Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me."*
Psalm 51:10-12

**Whatever Became of Sin?**
Psalm 51:1-13

**PASTOR GARY WALES**

*Pastor Gary Wales moved to Charlotte with his family in 2013. He served as a United Methodist pastor in Charlotte for the last seven years of his pastoral career. In all, he was a pastor for 33 years, retiring in 2020. Occasionally he serves as a substitute in the Eaton RESA school system. Gary and his wife felt led by God to become members of City on a Hill Community Church in Olivet. They have five adult children, all of whom are married; and ten grandchildren. God has been very gracious to the Wales family!*

KidZone

- New GOD'S KIDS curriculum - *Parents, download the app today!*
- Please pick up kids promptly after Worship

## GIVING AS PART OF WORSHIP

- Online at www.fbcchar.org or use this QR code to GIVE
- Wood Offering Box on the HUB table

# NEXT STEPS

**INTERIM PASTORS JOINING FBC OCTOBER 1**
We are excited to welcome Pastor Jim and Pastor Leo as our interim pastors! Details on their shared leadership role will be provided soon. Join us for the **Oct 4 Business Mtng!**

# MINISTRIES

Awana Clubs™

Energetic kids' club for ages 3yrs thru 5th grade. Weds @ 6:30pm in KidZone.
**PRAISE & PRAYER for 60 students registered!**

ANCHOR STUDENT MINISTRIES

Student Ministry for grades 6th-12th
**SUN YOUTH GROUP:** 5:30-7:30p, doors open 5p
**WED YOUTH GROUP:** 6:30-8p, doors open 6p

***Registration is Open*** *for the winter retreat (Feb. 12-14). See Pastor Chase to save your spot!*

# UPCOMING

**Oct 4** 11am - **Business Meeting** with Pastor Jim and Pastor Leo following Worship Service.

**Oct 13** 5:30pm - **SOAR Motorcycling** meets @ FBC parking lot, kickstands up at 6pm! Qs? Teresa, 517.206.8502

**Oct 16-18** **Women's Retreat** at Bair Lake Bible Camp. Register by Oct. 4 with Beth Pettit, 517.719.0080.

**Oct 31** Sat., 5-7pm **Trunk N Treat** kids' outreach. Candy donations in lobby. Trunk & worker sign-ups online or contact Marie Reeder, 517.652.4497.

***Next Sunday*** *- Pastor Jim Lacy will speak on "The Greatest Short Story Ever Told" from Luke 15.*

*Our FBC "Lost & Found" is full! Please check the coat room to claim any found items that belong to you!*