



## Welcome to FBC!

**We are so glad you chose to worship with us today!**

If you are new here, please take a moment to connect with us. Scan the QR code or use the link on the card in the pew back, text CONNECT to (225) 269-1138, or visit our welcome center before or after the service.

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*FBC exists to CONNECT people to God by faith in Jesus and to unite us to each other as we GROW together in faith and maturity in Christ, leading us to SERVE like Jesus in our church, our city, and the nations.*

## In Memory

- The flowers in the Sanctuary today are placed in loving memory of Merle Shugart by his family.
- Take note of the new FBC sign that was recently put up in the east parking lot on the corner of Florida and 6th St. This project was made possible by a very generous donation by Mrs. Sandra Campbell in memory of her late husband Jim Campbell.

## Our Staff

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# Order of Worship

Prelude Yannah Gustafson

Welcome Larkin Harris

334 // **Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine**

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Oren Conner

410 // **It Is Well with My Soul**

10 // **How Great Thou Art** (refrain, 1, 3, 4)

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 4:7-15 Jim Simon

Anthem *God of Our Praise* // Berry Sanctuary Choir

Deacon Offertory Prayer

Offertory 476 // **Be Strong in the Lord**

Message **Furrows of Redemption** Pastor Oren Conner  
Psalm 129 - *Pew Bible page 518*

Response 290 // **I Am Thine, O Lord**

Announcements Larkin Harris

407 // **Because He Lives** (refrain)

# Announcements

## Bed Babies Sunday School Teacher Needed

We now have an *immediate need* for a Sunday School teacher for our Bed Babies. Please contact Ginger Conner if you are interested.

## Deacon Nominations

*Open through August 31*

If there is someone you would like to nominate to be a deacon at FBC, please pick up a nomination form from the hall table near the office and return it by August 31.

Election will be held in October.

## Wednesday Night

Fellowship Meal: 5:00 pm

Prayer Meeting: 5:30 pm

Menu: *Caesar salad, rattlesnake pasta (sausage, chicken, cream sauce), broccoli, garlic bread, blueberry cobbler*

## Women on Mission

Tuesday, August 9 at 10:00 am

Laura Wilson and Hannah Cockerham will share about the Navajo mission trip.

## Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, August 9 at 11:30 am

Music by the Celebration Singers

Menu: *cheese & crackers, 3-salad plate with fruit, shrimp and pasta, and chicken salads, ice cream cake roll*

## Church-Wide Dinner on the Grounds

Sunday, August 21 at 12:00 pm

The church will provide ham—you bring the sides and desserts!

## Family Fun Fryday

Friday, August 26 at 6:00 pm

All of our children, youth, and families are invited to join us for a french fry bar and lots of fun and games!

*The Lord is righteous;  
he has cut the cords of the wicked.*

Psalm 129:4

**334 // Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine**

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,  
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight:  
Angels descending bring from above  
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Refrain

Perfect submission, all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest:  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in his love.

Refrain

**410 // It is Well with My Soul**

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, tho' trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.

It is well with my soul,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

My sin—oh, the bliss of this glorious thought:  
My sin not in part, but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more,  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

It is well with my soul,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

And Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll,  
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend,  
"Even so," it is well with my soul.

It is well with my soul,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

**10 // How Great Thou Art**

Refrain

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:  
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:  
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

Refrain

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,  
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin.

Refrain

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,  
And there proclaim, My God, how great Thou art!

Refrain

#### **476 // Be Strong in the Lord**

Be strong in the Lord, and be of good courage;  
Your mighty Defender is always the same.  
Mount up with wings, as the eagle ascending;  
Vict'ry is sure when you call on His name.

Refrain

Be strong, be strong, be strong in the Lord;  
And be of good courage, for He is your guide.  
Be strong, be strong, be strong in the Lord,  
And rejoice, for the vict'ry is yours.

So put on the armour the Lord has provided;  
And place your defense in His unfailing care.  
Trust Him, for He will be with you in battle,  
Lighting your path to avoid ev'ry snare.

Refrain

Be strong in the Lord, and be of good courage;  
Your mighty Commander will vanquish the foe.  
Fear not the battle, for the vict'ry is always His;  
He will protect you wherever you go.

Refrain

#### **290 // I Am Thine, O Lord**

I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice,  
And it told Thy love to me;  
But I long to rise in the arms of faith,  
And be closer drawn to Thee.

Refrain:

Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
To the cross where Thou hast died;  
Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
To Thy precious, bleeding side.

Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord,  
By the pow'r of grace divine;  
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope,  
And my will be lost in Thine.

Refrain

O the pure delight of a single hour  
That before Thy throne I spend;  
When I kneel in prayer, and with Thee, my God,  
I commune as friend with friend!

Refrain

There are depths of love that I cannot know  
Till I cross the narrow sea;  
There are heights of joy that I may not reach  
Till I rest in peace with Thee.

Refrain

#### **407 // Because He Lives**

Because He lives I can face tomorrow;  
Because He lives all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living  
Just because He lives.