



FBC Winfield

Newsletter

November 14, 2023

Thank you to all who served in any way in **Final Judgement** last week. Whether you acted a part, served as a guide, an extra, an angel, a counselor or helped prepare food, served, or cleaned up after the meals, you are appreciated! We pray an eternal difference was made in the lives of many people.

Welcome New Member!

11-5-23 by letter: Blake Coleman

We look forward to serving and ministering together with you!

Thanksgiving Outreach

This Sunday evening, November 19 at 5:30 p.m.

You are encouraged to participate in this special community outreach! Thank you to everybody who donated canned goods for filling the boxes.



Poinsettias for Hanging of the Green

Forms for purchasing a poinsettia plant are on the credenzas by the bulletins. You may place a plant in honor or in memory of a friend or loved one. The cost is \$22 each. The deadline for turning in your order form to the Office is **next** Tuesday, November 21. Hanging of the Green will be on Sunday evening, December 3. Thank you!



Congratulations to Daniel and Devon Chism on the birth of a baby girl, Reagan Grace, born Nov. 3, 2023 at Huntsville Hospital for Women & Children. Reagan Grace weighed 7 lbs, 5 oz and was 19" long. Grandparents are Sonia & Wesley Chism, Lisa & Rob Bennett. Great-grandparents are Linda & Leon Edmond, Deborah & Bob Morrow; Judy & Glenn Chism, Dominic Fortunato & Maryann Fortunato, Elizabeth Champagne & Phillip Bennett.



Sunday, December 3 - Hanging of the Green

Purchase forms for poinsettias are on the credenzas.

Sunday, December 10 at 5:30 p.m. - Christmas Cantata
(Born to You This Day)

Wed., Dec. 20 and Thurs. Dec. 21 - Drive-Thru Nativity at the Park

Sunday, December 24 at 5:00 p.m. - Candlelight & Communion Christmas Eve service

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Calendar

Wednesday, Nov. 15 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Youth, Choir Practice, Man Church, GA's, RA's, Mission Friends

Thursday, November 16 6:15 a.m. Man Church

Sunday, November 19 8:00 a.m. Man Church
 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
 10:15 a.m. Worship Service/ Baby Dedication/ Lord's Supper
 *Livestream *Radio WKXM 97.7 *Facebook live
 3:00 p.m. Choir Practice until 4:30 p.m.
 5:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Outreach

Wednesday, Nov. 22 *(12:00 Noon Church Office will close)*
 No evening services

Thursday, November 23 *Thanksgiving Day*
(Church Office closed)

Friday, November 24 *(Church Office closed)*

Sunday, November 26 8:00 a.m. Man Church
 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
 10:15 a.m. Worship Service
 *Livestream *Radio WKXM 97.7 *Facebook live
 Children's Church
 5:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Tuesday, November 28 8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Time
 9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. Current Mission Christmas supper in Fellowship Mall

Wednesday, Nov. 29 6:30 p.m. Prayer service, Youth, Choir Practice, GA's, RA's, Mission Friends

Thursday, Nov. 30 6:15 a.m. Man Church

While "thanksgiving" celebrations date back to the 1600s, it wasn't until 1863 during the Civil War that Abraham Lincoln proclaimed that a national Thanksgiving Day would be held each November. As you observe this special time of year, here are some thoughts from Billy Graham on the topic of thankfulness.

"A spirit of thankfulness is one of the most distinctive marks of a Christian whose heart is attuned to the Lord. Thank God in the midst of trials and every persecution."

"We should not let a day go by without thanking God for His mercy and grace to us in Jesus Christ."

"When thanksgiving is filled with true meaning and is not just the formality of a polite 'thank you,' it is the recognition of dependance."

"Why should we give God thanks? Because everything we have comes from God."

"Thanksgiving is recognition of a debt that cannot be paid. We express thanks, whether or not we are able otherwise to reimburse the giver."

"This Thanksgiving, ask God to help you set aside the bad things that have happened this year, and focus instead on the good things He's given you. The Bible says, 'Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus'" (1 Thessalonians 5:18).

"This year as we observe our season of thanksgiving, let us be grateful not only in word but also in deed. Let our gratitude find expression in a resolve to live a life more unselfish and more consecrated to Jesus Christ."

"Even if you're going through hard times, thank God for His presence with you. Most of all, thank Him for Jesus Christ, who gave His life so you could have the greatest gift of all — the gift of eternal life."

Have you accepted this gift of eternal life? If not, [let us tell you more about committing your life to Christ](#). This Thanksgiving, you can experience new life and have something eternal to truly be thankful for!

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**The newsletter & calendar are
always available online on our
website! www.fbcwinfield.com**



Sincere Sympathy is expressed to:

Tammy and Randy Price and Family in the loss of her father, John Fowler

Praying God's comfort will tenderly embrace you during this difficult time.

Financials

November 5, 2023

Reg. Offering \$ 22,841.66

Bldg. Fund \$ 2,573.00

November 12, 2023

Reg. Offering \$ 18,010.00

Bldg. Fund \$ 798.00

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