

WELCOME!

November 3, 2024

**We're so glad you worshiped with us today!
Our prayer is that you would know and embrace
God's love and truth through Jesus Christ!**

*A staffed nursery is available during this morning's
worship gathering.

*Aid for the hearing impaired is available.
Please see an usher for assistance.

*Need Internet? SBFN Guest Password:
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TODAY'S WORSHIP GATHERING

For All The Saints

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/OFFERING

Firm Foundation
Filled With Glory
Breathe On Me Breath Of God

MESSAGE FROM GOD'S WORD

"The Life of the Mind"
Matthew 22:37-39
Lead Pastor, Andy Lauer

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

Sunday A.M. Discipleship	96
Sunday A.M. Worship	135
Midweek Activities	76
On-Line Views	23

SBFN MINISTRY TEAM

Lead Pastor - Andy Lauer
Children's Pastor - Brenda El-Talabani
Worship Pastor - Rebekah Gilbert
Missions Director - Sue Harris
Office Administrator - Carole Snyder
(Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday: 8:30-4:30, Friday: 8:30-Noon)

THIS WEEK AT SBFN

Today **International Day of Prayer**
8-11:15 a.m. Prayer Room is Open
8:00 a.m. Worship Team Rehearsal
9:00 a.m. S.S./Discipleship: Children, Youth & Adult
10:15 a.m. Morning Worship Gathering / CM
Christmas Program Practice
12:00 p.m. **Membership Class in room FC107**

Wednesday
All Day Prayer and Fasting
11:00 a.m. Ladies' Crafts
6:00 p.m. Children's Ministries Activities
WIRED - Youth Ministries
The Forge - Men's Group
She Soars - Women's Group
Come to the Water
Worship Practice

Thursday
6:30 p.m. Ladies' Quilting
Men's Basketball

Saturday
4:00 p.m. Parents' Night Out
5:00 p.m. Woman's Night Out @ Trudy
Thornburg's home

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11:30 a.m. **"Welcome Home Reception"** for
Charlie Correll from the Army
National Guard Training

Thank you for your faithful & generous giving!

Tithes & Offering
Received week of (10/27/24) \$7,631.00
Needed Weekly \$6,765.85
Average Giving YTD \$7,645.02

September Missional Giving
World Evangelism Fund \$2,478.55
Child Sponsorship \$30.00
Alabaster Total \$1,030.40

Church Building & Facilities
Mortgage Balance \$539,008.85

UPCOMING EVENTS & INFORMATION

ATTENTION SBFN FAMILY

Today is "International Day of Prayer for Persecuted Christians." The NMI will be honoring this special day of prayer during our Sunday morning worship gathering.

DISCOVERING SBFN: MEMBERSHIP CLASS TODAY

Membership is an exciting opportunity to become a part of all that God is doing through ministry here at SBFN. If you have ever thought about being a member here at SBFN now you have an opportunity to learn more during our "Discovering SBFN" membership class **TODAY, after the morning worship gathering, from noon - 3 p.m. We will meet in room FC107 back in the gym.** If you want to know more about the mission and ministry of SBFN? This is your opportunity to do that and to explore membership without having to actually make a commitment until you're ready to do so. ***NOTE: NO CHILDCARE AVAILABLE***



REMINDER TO CHILDREN'S MINISTRY PARENTS

Parents, just a reminder that from **NOW and continuing through Sunday, December 8th your children will be participating in practices during the Children's Morning Worship Gathering for the upcoming Christmas program** on Sunday morning, December 15th. It's **VERY important** that your children be here **every Sunday, and on time each Sunday** so that they can have as much practice as possible before the actual program. Thank you to each family for all your help and understanding. We look forward to a great Christmas program again this year!



PARENTS' NIGHT OUT - Saturday, November 9th

Parents' Night Out is **Saturday, November 9th** from 4 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. here at SBFN. This is for families with children between the ages of infant - 5th grade. We need each participating parent to fill out some necessary paperwork before attending the first time. You can get that paperwork from Karen Greer. This **MUST** be filled out **PRIOR** to you or the kids first time coming. There are also a couple of new items to remember about from last month. Parents' Night Out will be every 2nd Saturday for the next 6 months and also Karen has starting a Facebook Events page for parents to go on and mark whether your children will be attending that month's Parents' Night Out or not. If you have any question please contact Karen Greer on her cell, 419-604-0031.



WOMAN'S NIGHT OUT - Saturday, November 9th

Women's Night Out is **Saturday, November 9th**. We will be going to Trudy Thornburg's home (located at 12170 Jefferson Blvd., Mishawaka - a few houses east of Penn High School, on the right side). The evening will be filled with lots of food, fun, and fellowship. Plan to arrive at 5 p.m. We will eat dinner at 6 p.m. Trudy offered to provide tacos for dinner and asked that everyone else please bring an appetizer or dessert to share for the evening. If you are attending, **PLEASE RSVP on or before Wednesday, November 6th**. You can RSVP by filling out a yellow connection card with your name and number of people attending then place in the offering plate or in one of the connection boxes, or you can contact Darleen Minix on her cell at 574-304-7014. Remember, invite some friends to come with you to meet some of the SBFN ladies.



EVERYONE IS WELCOME

On Sunday, November 10th, there will be an informal "Welcome Home" reception for Charlie Correll immediately following the morning worship gathering. Donuts, snacks and light refreshments will be provided. Please be sure to stop by and visit with Charlie on his first Sunday home from Army National Guard training. Cards and notes would be appreciated, however, gifts are not necessary.



FALL CLEANUP DAY AT SBFN - November 16th

Mark your calendars for our annual fall cleanup day when we prepare the building and grounds for winter by picking up leaves, pruning trees, closing down fountains, and other work around the property. If you have a **leaf blowers, a chainsaw, or some rakes, plan to bring them when you come**. Donuts and coffee will be provided. Come dressed for the weather. We always have a great time and appreciate everyone's willingness to help!

YOUTH FRIENDSGIVING DINNER - Sun., Nov. 20th

On Sunday, November 20th, from 6 - 8pm in the Youth room the youth will be having their Youth Friendsgiving celebration for students in 6th-12th grade. Plan to bring a friend!! There will be no cost, but you will be asked to help supply the needed items for the chosen Mac & Cheese Bar! More information will be provided through the Group Me so check it out there. See Megan Williamson if you have questions.

GRATITUDE SUNDAY - Sunday, November 24th

Coming Sunday, November 24th during our morning worship gathering we will be taking a look back on the past year and offer thanks to our Heavenly Father. Psalm 9:1, says "I will give thanks to you, LORD, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds." We encourage you



Praise & Prayer

(If you would like a Praise or Prayer request put on our list, or if you know in advance of a scheduled surgery or extended hospital stay, please let the church office know by filling out a blue Prayer Card and placing it in the offering plate. Please remember to keep us updated.)

ONGOING PRAYER CONCERNS:

- *Pray for the Gospel to continue to be shared throughout the world. Pray for the Lord's soon return.
- *Pray for the global Church to be faithful to God and His Word.
- *Pray for Persecuted Christians, Missionaries, SBFN, our Church Staff, Elected Leaders, Courts, and our Country.
- *Pray for Hannah's House, and other Crisis Pregnancy Centers that are helping mothers who keep their children from abortion.
- *Pray for an end to conflict and wars around the world.
- *Pray for U.S. Soldiers, Police, First Responders, and families.
- *Pray for those who have lost loved ones.

SPECIFIC PRAYER CONCERNS: (New is in bold)

***Keilany & Daniel Lightsey** - Keilany delivered baby Ruth on 10/30 at 11:30 a.m. Mom and baby are doing well. Prayers everyone continues to do well and they can both go home soon.

***Brother & Sister - in - Law of Courtney Hoover** - sent to the hospital for possible induction of baby Abigail after Mom's doctors appointment on 10/31. Prayers all goes well for Mom & Abigail.

***Craig & Caitlin Hoover's daughter** - (Courtney Hoover's niece) - was diagnosed with RSV this week. Prayers she will recover and feel better quickly.

***Roxanne Human** - (Janet Pease's sister) doctors said no surgery to remove her cancerous kidney. It's too risky, she's not physically well enough. She has this new diagnosis, along with MS, HBP, Type 2 diabetes, and weight issues. So Roxanne has decided to start trying to get healthier for possible surgery next year naturally. She is hoping to do it by taking herbs and doing special diets, and not taking any more medications. She's stopped things as insulin, BP meds, and any of chemo. help. She's also looking at a specialty hospital that will give her this kind of help. Prayers for a miracle are asked for so that she can have the surgery needed maybe sooner than later.

***Kris - UPDATE** - (Marsha Gorbitz friend from WA) still having infection issues on the ankle she had surgery on back in July of this year. Doctor's have removed all the hardware thinking it may have been that, that was causing the issue. Prayers these last 2 surgeries are going to fix the infection issues and she can final heal and recover properly.

***Fern Hency - UPDATE** - (past attender, lives in FL. now) Fern & Paul had to relocate to niece's in MO. due to the recent hurricane. Once there Fern became ill and was admitted to the hospital. Doctors did testing and found she had a blockage caused by diverticulitis. She had emergency surgery to remove the blockage and is healing well now. But has a few more month before she can travel all the way back to FL. to be completely done with it all. So they are still in MO. at their niece's. She would like to thank everyone here at SBFN for all their prayers and asked that we continue to pray for her healing process as it is going to be a while yet for her.

SBFN INFORMATION

SBFN ONLINE GIVING IS AVAILABLE

You can give from anywhere using your desktop, laptop, or smart phone. You have options to make a one-time gift, or a recurring tithe such as weekly, monthly, or twice a month.



SCAN ME

You can also link the online giving account to your bank account or debit or credit card. From your smartphone camera, scan the QR Code provided, and it will take you straight to the online giving website. From your laptop or desktop you can simply go to the online giving option on our church's webpage and sign up there. Go to: www.sbfnaz.org, choose About SBFN, Online Giving from the scroll down box, then proceed from there.

SBFN CONNECTION BOXES

We want to hear from you. In order to better do that, we have Connection boxes throughout the building. Please place your Connection Cards/Prayer Cards in these boxes.



SBFN WEBSITE



Have you visited the SBFN website since it has been redone? It's a great resource for you, your family, and your friends to discover more about our church, our beliefs, and what's going on weekly. Check it out and share it at www.sbfnaz.org.

A QUICK VIEW OF UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

NOVEMBER

- Today** - Membership Class in room FC107 (Noon)
- 3, 10, 24** - CM Christmas program practice (during AM Worship)
- 9** - Parents' Night Out (4:30p.m.)
 - Woman's Night Out @ Trudy Thornburg's home (5 p.m.)
- 12** - Church Board Meeting (6:30p.m.)
- 16** - All Church Fall Yard Cleanup & Maintenance
- 20** - WIRED Friendsgiving here at SBFN (6p.m.)
- 24** - Gratitude Sunday (during the AM Worship Gathering)
 - Deck the Hall's (5 p.m.)
- 27** - No Wednesday Evening Activities
- 28 & 29** - HAPPY THANKSGIVING - Church Office Closed

DECEMBER

- 1 & 6** - CM Christmas practices continues
- 4, 11, & 18** - No Wednesday evening CM Activities
- 6** - Hannah's House Cookie decoration party
- 7** - Fischer's Baby Sprinkle party, here at SBFN from 1-3 p.m. SBFN family is invited
- 14** - Children's Christmas Party & Final Rehearsal (9:30 a.m.)
 - Crusader's Christmas Party (5 - 8:30 p.m.)
- 15** - Children's Christmas Program (AM service)
- 22** - WIRED Progressive Dinner (5 - 8:30 p.m.)



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