



# The Vision



## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, MARTINSVILLE

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**October 9, 2022**



Good Morning everyone! God is good to give us the diversity

of all four seasons here in Indiana! Truth be known, as I get older winter is my least favorite yet there is beauty in winter as well. Today as our community celebrates our "Fall Foliage", let us once again be drawn to the Creator God who is such a grand Artist indeed!

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guest! Welcome! Sit back and relax. You are among friends. We are delighted to have you with us. If possible, I would love to connect with you before you leave today.

Love,

*Pastor John & Debbie*



**Servants**

In His Service

**October 16, 2022**

SOUND SYSTEM -Ross Drapalik

DEACON-Ken McVey

Small Talk- Judy Thompson

*(The previous week's attendance and financial status)*

ATTENDANCE

SS -50 Worship-68

FINANCIAL NOTES

Monthly Need \$11,070.16

	Worship Service	Sunday School
October 2	\$2,448.23	\$53.00

Operating Fund  
\$2,448.23

### SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Deacon's Fund-\$61.00, Ice-\$1.00, Zumba-\$400.00,  
Rental FLC-\$50.00, Bereavement Fund-\$45.00,  
Youth Fund-\$200.00

Total Receipts (October.)	\$3,258.23
Weekly Need	\$2,700.18

## Everyone Has a Story in Life

Author Unknown

A 24 year old boy seeing out from the train's window shouted...

"Dad, look the trees are going behind!"

Dad smiled and a young couple sitting nearby, looked at the 24 year old's childish behavior with pity, suddenly he again exclaimed...

"Dad, look the clouds are running with us!"

The couple couldn't resist and said to the old man...

"Why don't you take your son to a good doctor?"  
"The old man smiled and said..."I did and we are just coming from the hospital, my son was blind from birth, he just got his eyes today.

Every single person on the planet has a story. Don't judge people before you truly know them. The truth might surprise you.



***Your fellowship today is important to us. Please fill out the attendance pads at the end of each pew.***



October 23-----Church Cookout  
November 12-----Craft Fair

Remember to pray for our youth on Mission Trip this week!!



On October 23rd at Noon, there will be a cookout for the church in the shelter house. There will be hot dogs, hamburgers, baked beans, potato salad, brownies and cookies. There will also be some games. Everyone is invited to come, eat and fellowship.



The beautiful flowers on the Altar today are in recognition of Jacquie and Bill Power's 50th Wedding Anniversary!



Remember, October is Pastor Appreciation Month.



There will be a donation box in the Narthex to collect individually wrapped candy for the youth goody bags for their fall celebration (Halloween). For more info, contact: Judy Thompson.



**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

**Church Family:**

Sharon Loomis, Lynn Williams, Kathy Morris, Family of Rev. Larry Osmon, Dan Brown, Tom and Norma Brown, Jim Barley, Rhonda Driscoll, Catherine & Bob Etter, Jim and Donna Abshire, Judy Thompson, Mary Jennison, Evelyn Denney, Bertha Marie Heiny, Brian Etchison, Dee Dee Kaufman, Betty Williamson, Larry & Peggy Martin, Susan Polk, Bob & Dianna Jennings & our college youth.

**Community: Pray for America,** our community, the leaders, our school boards. For children in school and those in need in our community.

**Military Personnel:** Skyler Rynard, Dan Koong, Michael Pitz, Clint Plake and all military personnel serving at home and abroad.

**Country** People affected by the COVID-19, People that have been affected by the Hurricane, Situations in the country and abroad, the President, cabinet, political leaders, military personnel, our nation, police, the US economy, firemen and medical personnel.

**World:** Peace, Middle Eastern conflict, global financial situation, and those serving on the mission field.

