

<i>Last Week's Attendance Report</i>			
	Sunday School	Morning Service	Offering
Goal	92	189	\$8,965
8/13	49	98	\$7,689

<i>Nursery Schedule</i>			
9:15 AM	C. Feiler		
10:30 AM	M. Campbell	L. Triunfo	S. Uy

Pray for God's man, in God's time, to do God's work, God's way for God's glory here at FBC.

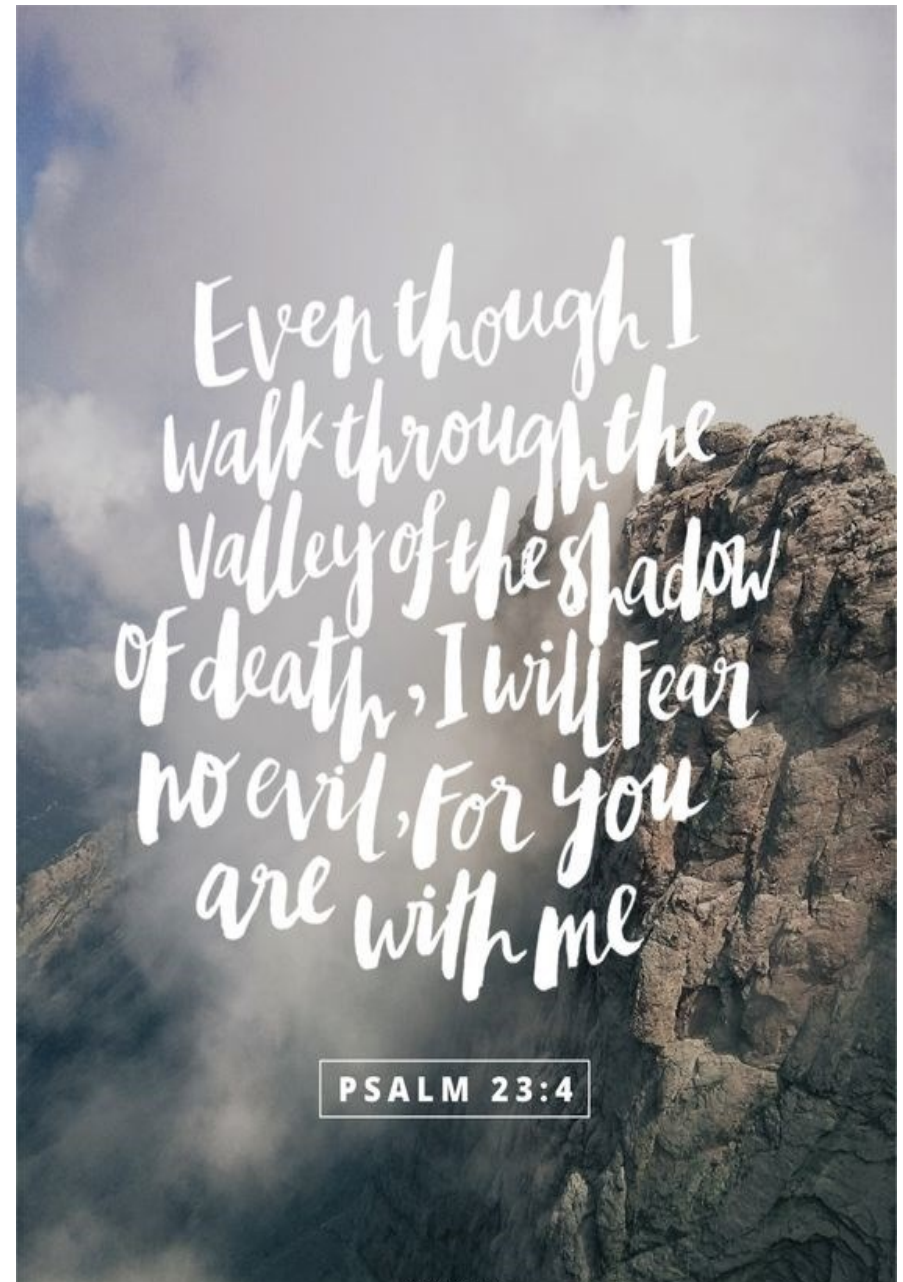
<i>July 2017</i>
<i>Tithes & Offerings: \$48,859.99</i>
<i>Budget: \$35,860</i>
<i>Surplus: \$12,999.99</i>

***Please Pray
for Bergen
County
Christian
Academy***



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Current enrollment for 2017—2018 School Year: 122



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August 20, 2017

TODAY

Sunday School Staff Prayer Meeting 8:45 AM

Sunday School 9:15 AM

Our missionary from France, Mark Nelsen will be visiting with us this morning. He will give their ministry report during Sunday School hour. The Adult, High School, and Junior Sunday School classes will meet together in the auditorium.

Morning Worship Service 10:30 AM

Guest Speaker: Pastor Mark Nelsen

**** No Evening Worship Service ****

LATER THIS WEEK

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting & Youth Group 7 PM

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

No Sunday Evening Service Through Sept. 3

First Day of BCCA Wednesday, September 6

Thank you for worshipping with us today!



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 **First Baptist Church of Hackensack**

WHEN A NATION TURNS ITS BACK ON GOD

2 Chronicles 33:1-25

Hezekiah was a God-fearing king who brought about reformation among the Israelites. His son, Manasseh, however, was an evil ruler. He had watched his father walk with God and live according to Scripture. Yet he chose to ignore the Lord.

Manasseh worshipped false gods, even to the point of sacrificing his sons by fire in order to praise Molech. He practiced much evil—including witchcraft and sorcery—and led Israel astray, thereby provoking God to anger. The king, along with the people, paid a high price for his rebellion. This story illustrates the Lord’s intolerance of a nation’s disregard toward Him.

Now consider our country. We, too, are a nation that pushes God aside—one that has turned away from the only true God and embraced idols. Perhaps these aren’t statues of stone, but we worship money, sports ability, fame, and reputation, to name a few.

The United States of America was founded on biblical principles with the intent to guarantee freedom of worship. But over time, we have removed the Lord from many aspects of public life. Prayer in schools, for instance, was deemed unconstitutional. What was once a “nation under God” has turned into a country that tolerates a growing number of sins and yet belittles absolute truth.

If a nation turns its back on the Lord, His judgment is inevitable unless the people repent and make Him Lord once again. As believers, our responsibility is to pray that God would draw the heart of our country back to Himself.