

Last Sunday's Record - December 22-30, 2019

First Baptist SS: 163/208 Offering: \$94,836.29

January 1, 2019

Requirements: \$1,347,717.00

Receipts: \$1,328,940.86

Lottie Moon Offering: \$25,541.00

Deacon of the Week

1/5 - Landry Adkins 1/12 - Tommy Allen
1/19 - Randy Carroll 1/26 - Randy Chesney

Deacon's Breakfast

Sunday, January 19 8:00 a.m.

Sermon for January 5

"God Will See To It"

Genesis 22:9-18

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

*Family Night Supper and all other
scheduled activities will resume*

Wednesday, January 15.

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY for January 5

PRESCHOOL EXT. SESSION

Tyler and Amy Covington

LAUNCH

Ryan and Casey Haarala

WORSHIP WELCOMERS

Cecil and Carolyn Johnson

Leslie and Susan Dunn

GREETERS

John and Debra Anderson Freddie Poitevent

SECURITY

Justin Anders Brad Sykes

SUNDAY, January 5

9:15 - Sunday School
10:00 - Library Open
10:30 - Morning Worship
5:00 - F260 Teacher Prep/Temple

TUESDAY, January 7

7:00 - Men's Prayer Group
4:30 - Tuesday Hospital Ministry
- F260 Small Group/R. Scarbrough
6:00 - Prayer Shawl Ministry/Aldersgate

WEDNESDAY, January 8

No Family Night Supper or Activities

*Family Night Supper and
All Regularly Scheduled Activities
will resume on **Wednesday, January 15.***

FRIDAY, January 10

6:00 - G.I.F.T.



**Lottie Moon Offering for
International Missions
OUR GOAL: \$58,000
We have given: \$25,541.00**

COUNTING

Davis Miller, Tyler Covington, Daphne Calhoun,
Marcia Brewer, chairman

TV MINISTRY

Jet Scarbrough, Reed Scarbrough, Jason Braud,
Brad Henry, Tim Maloney, Turner Rogers, Isabel Long,
Priscilla Scarbrough, Randy Carroll

USHER TEAM 1 - JANUARY

Allen, Bailey, Carpenter, Foreman, B. Garrett, Harrison,
Jones, Little, T. Maloney, Mims, Sellers, R. Smith,
Tolleson, Vaughn, L. Williams

Dr. Nathan VanHorn, Pastor

Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music

Zach DePriest, Minister of Youth Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries

Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus

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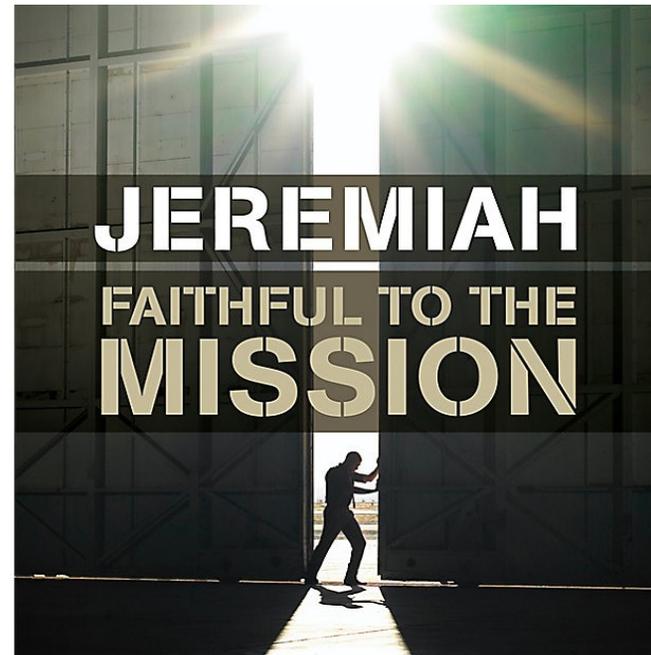


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First Baptist Church
Meridian

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**FBC January Bible Study
Sunday, January 12**

5:00 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

Bible Study...

**followed by a Fellowship Meal
(provided by FBC)**

and a dramatic monologue

featuring

Dr. Wayne VanHorn

F260

Church Family,

We begin our F260 journey this week.

I am so excited to journey through God’s Word alongside you. I cannot get beyond the statement I heard from Robby Gallaty last year: “Get in the Word ‘til the Word gets in you.” Our goal is to READ God’s Word, REFLECT on God’s Word, and RESPOND to God’s Word obediently in our lives. By way of reminder, we will be posting videos on our church website (fbcmeridian.org – there is a webpage for F260 that can be accessed through the top menu or through the slideshow on the homepage) and church Facebook page. We will also post reminders about each week’s readings and memory verses.

If you don’t have one already, I encourage you to find a good study Bible. I try to read through a different study Bible each year. This year, I’ll be using the Apologetics Study Bible in the Christian Standard Bible translation (CSB—the translation I use for sermons), which I received from my father-in-law for Christmas. Additionally, Dr. John Temple went through all 260 readings in just six weeks last year and compiled weekly devotionals and daily questions for reflection into a notebook. If your family would like a copy, just let us know in the church office, and we will be happy to provide one. Finally, Robby and Kandi Gallaty have published a FOUNDATIONS book/journal that summarizes each day’s reading and offers a question or two for reflection. We are providing this resource for FREE to those teaching the F260 material in their Sunday School class as well as those who completed the small group leader training in the fall. For everyone else, we are asking \$15 for the Foundations Book simply to offset the cost to the church.

I am excited to get into God’s Word with you, and I pray that we let it “get into us” in the process. Let’s get started.

**Blessings,
Your Pastor**



JANUARY 17-19, 2020

SIGN UP NOW!

tinyurl.com/fbcmdnow

COST: \$40.00

F260 WEEK 2 READING beginning 1/6/20

Monday-Job 38-39

Tuesday-Job 40-42

Wednesday-Genesis 11-12

Thursday-Genesis 15

Friday-Genesis 16-17

Memory Verses-Hebrews 11:6 and 11:8-10



**Join us as we introduce
the next step in learning
to make disciples...**

**Beginning Wednesday, January 15
6:00 p.m.**

**FBC CHAPEL John Temple, facilitator
Practicing the 9 Arts of
Spiritual Conversation**

*If you would like to place flowers in our
sanctuary in memory or honor of someone
or to commemorate a special occasion,
the following dates are open:*

January 26	May 29	July 26
February 2	April 19	August 2
February 23	May 24	August 16
March 1	June 7	September 6
March 8	June 21	November 8
March 22	June 28	November 29
	July 5	

Memorials...

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

In memory of:

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tilghman

Gladys Walker Joe Carnathan

Mark Fairbanks James C. Matthews

In honor of: Charles Naylor

Music Fund

In memory of:

James C. Matthews Mark Fairbanks

Michael Dempsey (*Randy Chesney’s nephew*)

Roger Geddie (*Faith Braud’s father*)

WMU MISSIONS LUNCHEON

Monday, January 13 at 12:00 noon

Guest Speaker: Dr. Scott Harrell, pastor

Oak Grove Baptist Church

**Ladies’ Bible Study begins
Tuesday, January 14 at 9:30 a.m.
Call the church office to sign up!**

The Wisdom of God
by Nancy Guthrie
Cornelia Laird, facilitator



F260 **ATTN F260 PARTICIPANTS!**
Week 5 was missing from

**the original notebooks of
The Devotional Guide by John Temple.
Copies are available in the Welcome
Center for you to add to your notebook.**

**If you would like to help with a
Bridal Tea Shower honoring** 
Anna Harrison, Bride elect of David Jackson
contact Miriam Chesney or Carolyn Harrell
or sign the sheet in the Welcome Center.
Date: Sunday, February 2 (NEW DATE)