

Last Sunday's Record

Sunday School: 271 Worship: 295

Offering: \$17,765.13

January 1, 2024

Requirements: \$1,223,736.14

Receipts: \$1,153,790.49

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Nov. 3 - Randy Carroll Nov. 10 - Davis Miller

Nov. 17 - Freddie Poitevent

Nov. 24 - Walter Rogers

Sermon for November 3

"Who Gets In?" Luke 18:9-14

Noah Greer

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER - Nov. 6

Hamburger Steak with Gravy,
Mashed Potatoes, Butter Beans, Cornbread,
Salad Bar and Dessert

KIDS: Corn Dogs and Chips

ADULTS: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20

SERVERS: Shayne Garrett,

Helen Follis and Sylvia Follis

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - Nov. 3

GREETERS - Brad and Susan Swink

Neil and Amanda Henry

PRAYER LINE - Melissa Mabry

PRESCHOOL EXT. Session - Amanda Henry

Anna Kate Eakes

CHILDREN'S CHURCH - Candice Maloney

Kelley Davis

MEDICAL RESPONSE - Bobby Berg

SECURITY - Jim Anderson, Leslie Dunn, Brad Sykes,

Bernie Mitchell, and Allan Tolleson

USHERS FOR NOVEMBER

Tommy Cason, Leonard Cobb, Chris Dean, Van Goodman,

J.B. Griffith, Alan Lamar, Jim Lauderdale, Ben Leake,

Joey Mabry, Davis Miller, Greg Monsour,

Freddie Poitevent, Larry Roberts, Brad Sykes,

Gary Wilkinson, Jim Williamson

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, November 3

9:15 - Sunday School

10:30 - Morning Worship

3:00 - ACTEENS

4:30 - YOUTH Bible Drills

- Children's Bible Skills and Drills

5:00 - Sunday School Teacher's Workshop

(Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, November 5

7:00 - YOUTH Bible Study/Jack's

9:00 - Ladies Bible Study/Jane Moseley, facilitator

9:30 - GriefShare/John Temple, facilitator

6:00 - Prayer Shawl Ministry (*Aldersgate*)

WEDNESDAY, November 6

5:00 - YOUTH BELLS

5:15 - FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

5:30 - YOUTH CHOIR/Young Ringers

6:00 - Preschool and Children's Choirs

- MASTERLIFE/John Temple, facilitator

6:30 - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

- G.A.s, R.A.s, and Mission Friends

- YOUTH WORSHIP

7:30 - Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, November 7

7:00 - YOUTH Bible Study/Piggly Wiggly

4:30 - Ladies' Bible Study/Rachael Scarbrough

FRIDAY, November 8

6:00 - PARENTS NIGHT OUT



Dr. Will Wall, Pastor

Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music

Dr. Jason Brooks, Associate Pastor for Discipleship

and Membership

Rev. Noah Greer, Student Minister

Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries

Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus

Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus

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Where is God?

SERMON SERIES
CONTINUES IN NOVEMBER



OPERATION Christmas Child

Pick up your box today!

Please fill and
return by
November 17



Let our ACTEENS be your personal shoppers!
For **\$35** (this includes the \$10 shipping fee),
they will shop and fill your boxes. Please give
your money to Rachael Scarbrough or the
church office by Wednesday, November 6.

OUR GOAL: 150 Shoeboxes

WHAT GOES IN MY SHOEBOX?

For children around the world, a shoebox is
often **their very first gift.** Given together with
the Good News of Jesus Christ, it communi-
cates God's love to a boy or girl in need. So,
it is important to make sure your gift is ...

FUN—includes a “wow” item and other qual-
ity toys

FULL—packed to the brim with additional
school supplies and personal care items

PERSONALIZED—prayed over and contains a
note and photo, which are often the child's
favorite items!

WHAT NOT TO INCLUDE:

Candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged
items; scary or war-related items such as toy
guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or
food; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks;
drink mixes (powdered or liquid); liquids or
lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable
items or aerosol cans.

Deacon Ordination

Sunday, November 17

10:30 am

Candidates to be ordained are
Bobby Bogue
Dakota Pace Cason
Brandon Harkins



Fellowship Luncheon

Tuesday, November 19

12:00 noon COST: \$5

Sign up in the Welcome Center
or call the church office.

Special Program by Jason Brooks



Smoked Meat Fundraiser

ORDER NOW
for Thanksgiving
from one of our FBC CentriKids
or stop by the Church Office.



PICK-UP:
TUESDAY,
November 26
12:00 to 5:00 p.m.

ALL ORDERS and \$ due
November 10.

Whole Turkey \$40
Boston Butts \$35
Rack Ribs \$25

Turkey Breast \$35
Half Hams \$35
Porkloin \$25

YOUTH PARENT THANK YOU DINNER

Sunday,
NOVEMBER 17
6:00 pm
Fellowship
Hall

Sponsored by
FBC YOUTH
MINISTRY
and
YOUR STUDENTS



Welcome to our newest members...

Thomas and Melissa Graham
Ann Hadley Graham

The Church Family
is cordially invited to attend a
Bridal Tea Shower
honoring
Caroline Garrett
Bride Elect of Charlie Ballou
Sunday, November 3, 2024
2 to 3 o'clock p.m.
First Baptist Church Welcome Center

The Church Family
is cordially invited to attend a
Bridal Tea Shower
honoring
Grace Goodman
Bride Elect of Tyler Alexander
Sunday, November 10, 2024
2 to 3 o'clock p.m.
First Baptist Church Welcome Center



Another team will be heading to
the Rolling Fork Rising project
November 11-15

and a few more volunteers are needed
(ALL WEEK or just A FEW DAYS). For more
information or to sign up, call the church
office or contact Adam Foreman.