

Sunday, January 5, 2025

10:40 a.m. Rev. Nathan Brooks, Pastor

Prelude		
Welcome/Announcements/Lord's Prayer		Deacon Jeff Coffin
Praise Songs	"Bless the Lord (10,000 Reasons)" "Waymaker" "At the Cross (Love Ran Red)"	Worship Team
Offering		
Doxology		#815
Morning Prayer		
Special Music	<i>"If I Got Jesus"</i> Braden & Tasha Hudson	
Prayer & Devotion	"Time of Prayer for FBC in 2025" (see insert and slide show)	Deacons
Communion		
Closing Song	"China lague China"	Worship Team
Closing Song	"Shine, Jesus, Shine"	worship ream
Benediction	Shine, Jesus, Shine	worsing ream

Prayer Request Cards

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If you have a request for which you would like prayer during worship, please fill out a Prayer Request Card and give it to one of the Deacons, or Pastor Nathan. They can also be placed in the offering plate. Cards are in the pew backs and on the table in the Narthex.

This Week @ FBC

Today	9:30 p.mSunday School
January 5	10:40 a.mMorning Worship
Monday January 6	7:00 p.mChoir Practice
Tuesday January 7	9:30 a.m Cottage Prayer Group
Wednesday	9:00 a.mBible Study
January 8	10:30 a.m Community Fellowship
Saturday January 11	8:00 p.m5 th Quarter
Sunday	8:30 a.m Fellowship Breakfast
January 12	9:30 a.mSunday School
	10:40 a.m Morning Worship
	4:00 p.mBackyard Kids Club

Birthdays this Week

January 5: Avery Malone January 9: Pauline Auxier, Teresa Coffin, & Debra Hudson January 10: Tasha Hudson

Offering Envelopes

Offering envelopes for 2025 are available on the library counter.

5th Quarter Saturday, January 11

High school and Jr. high students are invited to come hang out in the CLC after home HS boys' basketball games. They can play in the youth room and big area, we serve pizza, pop, and chips. They pay \$1.25 to get in. This event ends at 11pm. Future dates: Feb. 15, Feb. 28 Please talk to Tasha or Braden Hudson or Kylee Moody if you are interested in helping.

Hoops for Him 2025

The 2025 Hoops for Him Season begins January 25th and runs each Saturday through March 15th. Any child aged 4 through the 6th grade may participate in this program that teaches basic basketball skills along with our love of Christ. Online Registrations are available via our Facebook page or scan the QR code below. Contact Eric Moody at 812-227-0700 if you are willing to help out during the season. Volunteers are needed to coach and lead devotions each Saturday.



A Look at Last Week

(On-line giving is available here: Tithe.ly or at www.fbcbloom.org)

Last Week's Giving

General Fund	\$3,499.35
Food Pantry	\$30.00
RMMO	\$1,005.00
Children's/Library Fund	\$500.00
Church Directory	\$300.00
Pastor Appreciation	\$15.00

Year to Date Giving

Income (undesignated giving)	\$258,979.75
Budget Requirements	\$280,180.68
Net Income vs. Budget	\$21,200.93

Online giving can be found here:





Praying together for 2025











5 January 2025

Children's Program: Backyard Kids Club January **12** Our once-a-month children's program will begin on Sunday, January 12

from 4-6pm. Future dates include: Feb. 2, March 2, April 6, and May 4. We are seeking teen and adult helpers to lead games, kitchen crew, a craft Leader (craft and instructions provided), and to mingle with a PreK-1st grade group or 2nd-6th grade group. Please let Tasha Hudson know if you can help.

Telephone Prayer Chain Updates

Hello everyone. The Deacons will be updating the telephone prayer chain. If you are currently on the prayer chain and want to remain on there, you don't need to do anything. If you aren't currently on the chain and want to be added, you have updates (e.g., phone number change), or if you would like to be removed from the chain, let me know. If you have any questions, please ask. Thank you, Debra Hudson.

Church Wide Email Updates

If you would like to be added or removed from the current church wide email list, or your email address has recently changed, please contact Heather in the church office. These emails generally include prayer requests/updates, the Weekly Blast, the monthly Newsletter, announcements etc.

Luncheon & FBC Trio Songfest Sunday, January 26

On January 26, immediately after worship, there will be a soup and sandwich luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. Following lunch, at 1:30 p.m., there will be a concert in the sanctuary by The Trio.

We need volunteers to provide food for the luncheon. If you can provide a crockpot of soup, call or text Cheri Graf 812-227-0117, 2 dozen sandwiches call or text Debra Hudson 812-384-2805, 2 dozen cookies call or text Betty Miller 812-227-1407. Bring all donations to the Fellowship Hall on Sunday morning. There is a sign-up list on the library counter, so that we can get a general idea of how many people to expect. Looking forward to seeing everyone for a time of fellowship.

Please pray for First Baptist Church in 2025, that we would...

Glorify Our Creator, Revelation 4:11

Persist in Prayer, Matthew 7:7-8 & Colossians 1:9

Remember That We've Received Grace, and Show Grace to Others Romans 3:21-26

> Love God and Others Well, 1 John 4:7-21 & Matthew 22:37-39

Be Open to and Trust God's Plans, Isaiah 43:19 & Jeremiah 29:11

> Be Equipped and Vigilant, Ephesians 6:10-13

Remember and Extend God's Compassion, Lamentations 3:22–23 & 2 Corinthians 1:3–5

Thank you for keeping our church and community in prayer!