

Welcome!

We are glad you are here today.

If you are visiting today, please fill out a **Connection Card** located on the back of the pews. Place your card in the offering plate or give to an usher. Thank you for visiting with us. We hope you will plan to be part of our congregation regularly.

During Worship Service

We have available for children:

- Child Care/Nursery, birth through age 3
- Children's Church, ages 4 through 4th grade
- The Quiet room is in the back of the sanctuary for your use if you have a restless baby or child.

FBC Information

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The Church Office is normally open on Monday mornings and all day on Wednesdays.

Childcare Volunteer Schedule

<u>Event:</u>	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday 1/14</u>
Sunday School:	Chasity	Chasity
Morning Worship:	NURSERY AVAILABLE AS NEEDED	
Children's Church:	Lorraine & Renita	Carolyn & Sarah

Sunday School 9:30 A.M.

Children's' Sunday School Classes:

Nursery:	Teacher: Chasity Black & Brittany Bagwell
Pre-K & K	Teacher: Nancy Hirner & Terri Monroe
Grades 1-2	Teacher: Linda Blessing & Volunteer
Grades 3-5	Teacher: Elizabeth Kirkpatrick
Jr. & Sr. High	Teacher: Jimmy & Brittany Bagwell

Adult Sunday School Bible Study Classes:

Adult 1	Teacher: Sabe Sears
Adult 2	Teacher: Darrell Monroe
Adult 3	Teacher: Chester Primm
Adult 4	Teacher: Mike Blaine
Women's Class Teacher: Melinda Burrus	
(Age groups vary so you are welcome to join a Sunday School class of your choice where you feel comfortable.)	

WHY ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL?

Start the New Year by attending Sunday School!
Bible Study helps us grow in Bible knowledge, have discussions, develop relationships with others as we help each other in our walk with Christ. Attend Sunday School; it is for everyone of all ages. Bring family and friends!

Church Pastors & Leaders

Senior Pastor: Josh Black
Associate Pastor of Students: Jimmy Bagwell
Pastor of Administration: Mike Blaine
Deacons: David Myers (chairman), Bud Wilson, Steve Blessing, Jason Moss, & Nathaniel Orr
Church Treasurers: Linda Blessing & Carolyn Primm
Church Worship Leader: Nathaniel Orr
Sunday School Superintendent: Darrell Monroe
Church Secretary/Financial Secretary: Pam Blaine
Trustees: Steve Blessing, Chick Downing, Collin Shultz
Childcare Ministry: Chasity Black & Brittany Bagwell
JOY Group: Pam Blaine, Linda Blessing, Adrianna Briggs
Hospitality: Lorraine Nolt, Melinda Burrus, & Jan Blake
Mission Team: Bud & Brenda Wilson
Custodian: Jim Siver
Librarian: Pam Blaine

Upcoming Events & News

EVENTS COMING IN JANUARY:

7th: 2:30 PM PGBA Exec Board at Gorin

THERE WILL BE NO HYMN SING THIS MONTH

9th: 12:30-6:00 PM BLOOD DRIVE

10th: 5:30 PM IMPACT Students Begins

11th: 5:30 PM SKATE NIGHT - Kahoka

15th: 5:30 PM Mission Team Meeting

27th: 8:00 AM Men's Breakfast

28th: 6:00 PM Matt Carroll Family Singers

29th: 6:00 PM Camp Director Meeting



"Throw off your old sinful nature and your former way of life, which is corrupted by lust and deception. Instead, let the Spirit renew your thoughts and attitudes. Put on your new nature, created to be like God—truly righteous and holy."
Ephesians 4: 22-24

Thank you! We are so thankful for our church family. We are grateful for all of you and for the gifts/cards/words of encouragement and love that you expressed toward us this Christmas. We feel so blessed to serve the Lord here at First Baptist. God bless you! Your Pastors/staff/leaders

Order of Service

Prelude: *I Know Whom I Have Believed
He Hideth My Soul*

Opening Song
Holy, Holy, Holy Hymn #2

Welcome, Announcements and Prayer Pastor Mike

Prayer Pastor Jimmy

Scripture Reading *II Corinthians 12: 9-10* Deacons

Worship with Song
Great is the Lord Hymn #12
Build My Life
Ancient Words

Offering *As the Deer* Instrumental

Children's Message Pastor Jimmy

Sermon Christ in Genesis Pastor Josh
QUIET TIME READING: (Genesis 22 & Genesis 37)

Invitation
Open My Eyes, that I May See Hymn #502

Closing Prayer Brother Darrell

Postlude *Open Our Eyes, Lord* Instrumental

“ But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you,
for my power is made perfect in weakness.”
Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly about my
weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on
me. That is why, for Christ’s sake, I delight in
weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in
difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.”
-II Corinthians 12: 9-10

Announcements This Week

SUNDAY:

9:15 AM Coffee & Fellowship time
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:45 AM Morning Worship
2:30 PM Pleasant Grove Exec. Board at Gorin
6:00 PM Evening Service

TUESDAY:

12:30 – 6:00 PM RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

WEDNESDAY:

5:30–7:05 PM IMPACT STUDENTS
BEGINS FOR THE NEW YEAR
7:15 PM Music Practice



THURSDAY:

5:30-8:30 SKATE NIGHT (KAHOKA)

Operating needs for 2023: \$3,262.00 per wk.

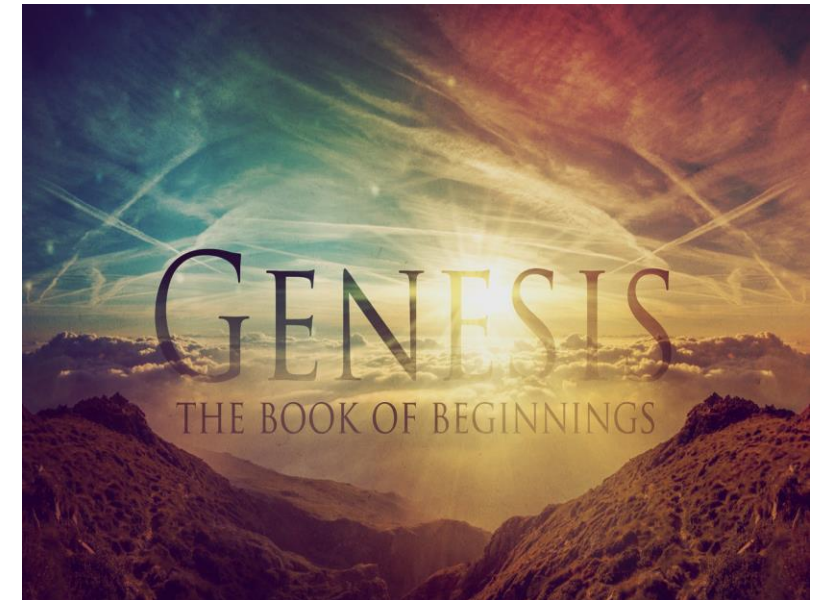
Last Week's Undesignated Offering: \$3,033.00
Lottie Moon Christmas Offering to date: \$2,475.00

GIVING EMPHASIS FOR JANUARY: **THE GENERAL FUND IS THE SPECIAL GIVING EMPHASIS for JANUARY 2024.**

January is the first month of the new year and a good time to prayerfully consider what God would have us give to Him through our general tithes and offerings.

“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the LORD Almighty, and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.
Malachi 3:10

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Memphis, Missouri



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