# Welcome!

***We are glad you are here today.***

If you are our guest 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 coming. We hope you will plan to be part of our congregation regularly.

**WELCOME TABLE:** You will notice we have a welcome table at the front door. There is a basket with welcome bags for guests. There are also free devotionals, bulletins, and other materials on the table for anyone who would like one. Welcome to FBC Memphis!

## During Worship Service We have available for children:

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

## FBC Information:

**First Baptist Church**
**910 North Weaver Avenue**
**Memphis, MO 63555**
**660-465-2060**

The Church Office is usually open on Monday mornings.

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## Childcare Volunteer Schedule

| Event: | Today | Next Sunday Sept. 27 |
|---|---|---|
| Sunday School: | Sarah Moss | Sarah Moss |
| Morning Worship: | Betsy & Sarah, Kinley | Tammi & Sarah |
| Children's Church: | | |

**FREE!!!** Please take anything on the FREE table in the hallway by the library before we discard items. Also fall literature & devotion booklets are available in the foyer for you to take home too.

# Sunday School 9:30 A.M.

## Children's Sunday School Classes:

Nursery: Teacher: Sarah Moss
Pre-K & K- Teacher: Vanessa Wilson, Linda Loughead
Grades 1-2 Teacher: Linda Blessing
Grades 3-5 Teacher: Libby Kirkpatrick & Lorraine Nolt
Jr. & Sr. High Teacher: Shane Wilson & Joe Talbert

## Adult Sunday School Bible Study Classes:

Adult 1 Teacher: Sabe Sears
Adult 2 & 3 Teacher: Chester Primm, Jason Loughead
Adult 4 Teacher: Mike Blaine

(Age groups vary so you are welcome to join a Sunday School class of your choice where you feel comfortable.)

## Church Pastors & Leaders

**Senior Pastor:**
**Associate Pastor of Students:**
**Associate Pastor of Administration:** Mike Blaine
**Deacons:** Bud Wilson 660-216-2010, Steve Blessing 660-341-6440, & Jason Moss 660-341-1949.
**Church Treasurers:** Linda Blessing & Carolyn Primm
**Sunday School Superintendent:** Rex Link
**Church Secretary:** Pam Blaine
**Financial Secretary:** Pam Blaine
**Assistant Financial Secretary:** Vickie Hilpert
**Trustees:** Darrell Monroe, Collin Shultz and Clint VanGorkom
**Nursery Ministry:** Sarah Moss & Anna Talbert
**JOY Group:** Pam Blaine, Linda Blessing, Adrianna Briggs
**Hospitality:** Coordinator & Church Ladies
**Mission Ministry:**
**Custodian:** Jim Siver
**Librarian:** Pam Blaine & Anna Talbert
**Sports Ministry Director:** Sarah Moss

## LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

| | |
|---|---|
| Morning Worship Attendance | 74 |
| Sunday School Attendance | 58 |
| 9/13/26 General Fund Offering | $2,339.00 |
| Weekly **Operating Needs**: | $3,969.90 |
| Operation Christmas Child: | $2,863.38 |
| Preschool Playground Fund to Date: | $4.130.82 |
| Kitchen Remodel: Estimated need: | $72,000.00 |
| Amount raised to date: | $36,353.24 |

***Giving Emphasis:*** Our extra giving emphasis is for the **Nursery Playground.** Please be in prayer about how much you can give for this month's giving emphasis.

# Upcoming Events & Ministries

## Life Groups & Bible Studies

**-Hearts for Hope** with Brenda Wilson (660-216-7722)

**-Life Group** with Sabe Sears (660-342-8214) most Sundays at 1:00 PM in Fellowship Hall.

## We Need Volunteers – Can you Help?

There are **sign-up sheets** in the front foyer. Can you volunteer to bring foods for **Sunday morning breakfasts**? We also need volunteers to deliver **Meals on Wheels** every Wednesday. Please pray about helping with these ministries.

## *Scripture Reading:*

*"Then Samuel said:*
*Does the LORD take pleasure*
*in burnt offerings and sacrifices*
*as much as in obeying the LORD?*
*Look: to obey is better than*
*sacrifice, to pay attention is better*
*than the fat of rams."*
*1Samuel 15:22*




**Prelude:** Footsteps of Jesus — *Musicians*
Sunshine in My Soul

**Opening Song:** — *Pastor Mike*
*In the Name of Jesus*
*Alive, Alive*

**Welcome & Announcements:** — *Pastor Mike*

**Scripture Reading & Prayer:**
*(I Samuel 15: 22 (CSB)*

**Worship Music:** — *Pastor Mike*
*I'll Live for Him* — *Hymn 298*
*Great is the Lord* — *Hymn 12*
*We Are an Offering*

**Tithes & Offerings:** — *Musicians*
*As the Deer*

**Children's Sermon:**

**Worship Music:** — *Pastor Mike*
*Trust and Obey* — *Hymn 447*
*Prince of Peace*
*Higher Ground* — *Hymn 484*

**Special Music** — *Kinley Moss*
**Message:** — *Brother Jason*
*"Walking in His Obedience"*
*(1 Samuel 15:22)*

**Invitation:** — *Pastor Mike & Choir*
*The Nail-Scarred Hand* — *Hymn 318*

**Closing Prayer**

**Postlude:** *To Him Who Sits on the Throne* — *Musicians*

# Happening This Week

## Today, Sunday September 20

9:00 AM Choir Practice
9:00 AM Fellowship Time
9:30 AM Sunday School Classes
10:45 AM Morning Worship Service
5:00 PM Ministry Council Meeting
6:00 PM Business Meeting

## Tuesday, September 22

9:00 AM Ladies *Ephesians* Bible Study on Zoom
6:00 PM Ladies *Song of Songs* Bible Study
at Melinda Burrus' house.

## Wednesday, September 23




**5:30 PM IMPACT KIDS**
**6:00 PM** Prayer Meeting. Come and pray together for our church family and pray for the needs of many individuals on our prayer list. Lists are available in the front foyer.
**7:15 PM** Ladies Ephesians Bible Study at church

## Thursday, September 24

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study on the book of James led by Chester Primm.

## Saturday September 26

Soccer games have begun here in our Outreach Park and there will be two more games. Come and fellowship with these children and their parents.



## Next Sunday, September 27

**Church-wide Fellowship at Steve & Linda Blessing's house.** Come around 4-4:30 PM & plan to eat at 5:00 PM. Meat is provided. Bring covered dishes to share and lawn chairs.

# Welcome to First Baptist Church Memphis, Missouri

September 20, 2026




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9:00 AM Fellowship Time
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6:00 PM Business Meeting