



## Last Sunday's Record - May 8, 2022

Sunday School: 212 Offering: \$16,630.42

### January 1, 2022

Requirements: \$505,171.24

Receipts: \$515,633.66

## Deacon of the Week

May 15 - Benny Harrison May 22 - Tommy Brewer  
May 29 - George Hill June 5 - Brad Henry  
June 12 - Jeremy Hill June 19 - Brad Sykes  
June 26 - Joe Kieronski

## Deacon's Breakfast - May 22

8:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall

## Sermon for Sunday, May 15

**Dr. Daniel P. Caldwell**

*"Follow in His Steps"* 1 Peter 2:21-24

## Family Night Supper

has been suspended for the summer  
and will resume **August 17.**

## VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - MAY 15

### Preschool Ext. Session

VOLUNTEERS  
TBA

### Launch

Leslie and Jill Williams

### Worship Welcomers

Leonard and Betsy Cobb  
J.B. and Theresa Griffith

### Greeters

Richard and Laura Abney  
Greg and Kathryn  
Monsour

### Security Team 5

Jim Anderson  
Leslie Dunn Brad Sykes  
Bernie Mitchell  
Allan Tolleson

### Counting Committee

Louise Williamson,  
*chairman*  
Lee Rogers  
Ryan Haarala

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, May 15

9:15 - Sunday School  
10:30 - Morning Worship  
5:00 - Youth Choir Rehearsal/ *The Bishop's*

### MONDAY, May 16

10:30 - Hodgins/Beaman WMU Group

### WEDNESDAY, May 18

5:15 - Prayer Meeting/Chapel

**NOTE: We WILL have Prayer Meeting in the Chapel  
beginning at 5:15 p.m. for the summer months.**

Family Night Supper and all other regularly  
scheduled activities for Wednesday  
are suspended for the summer and will resume on  
**Wednesday, August 17.**

## YOUTH CHOIR TOUR

May 29 through June 4



*Begin to pray for our Youth Choir as they  
make their way to San Antonio, TX, with  
singing and ministry stops along the way.*

### USHERS FOR MAY

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

*Dr. Daniel P. Caldwell, Interim Pastor*  
*Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music*  
*Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries*  
*Noah Greer, Interim Youth Minister*  
*Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus*  
*Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus*

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Seek his will  
in all you do,  
and he will show you  
which path to take.

-Proverbs 3:6

Call to Prayer  
for our Church...  
for our Leaders...  
for our Mission.

**AMEN.**



## DON'T LOSE HEART.

One of life's greatest risks is to lose heart;

to reach a point where we become cynical and discouraged. Often in his letters to young churches, Paul urged his people to keep their spirits up and not let the difficulties of the day cause them to lose their spirit.

How do you keep your heart? One way is to avoid piling up disasters so that they form a wailing wall. Centuries ago, Jeremy Taylor put this advice picturesquely: "How many people are busy gathering thorns to sit on?" They multiply the obstacles so that they lose heart before the heart really has a chance to get in to the battle. We need to keep our heart fortified. Paul asked: "If God is for us, who can be against us?" We keep heart by remembering that our labor is not in vain in the Lord.

In our world there are a variety of ways to lose heart, but a strong personal faith can give us the hopefulness and resilience needed to move forward through gloom and despair. Do not forget Paul's advice to the Corinthians:

"By God's mercy...we do not lose heart."

David Bishop

### FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>  
 12:00 p.m. Cost: \$5.00  
*to Honor...to Fellowship...to serve.*



CREATED  
IN CHRIST  
DESIGNED  
FOR GOD'S  
PURPOSE.



Vacation Bible School 2022

June 20 - 24

for children who have finished  
PreK-4 to 6th grade

Your kids will learn that God's Creativity didn't stop in Genesis...

The Master Artist is working today to transform us into the design he planned for us! We are God's workmanship and our talents bring glory to Him.



## SUMMER

### ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS..

## COMING SOON

*Watch The Messenger for details*

## Sympathies to...

The family and friends of  
Jane Terry.

## Memorials...

### Missions and Ministry

DeeDee Fouts  
 Laura Abney  
 Lorraine Long

## FBC Pastor Search Committee

*Please keep the Pastor Search Committee in your prayers as they begin to meet weekly in their search for our next pastor.*

*Ask God for unity, spiritual strength, wisdom and endurance.*

**Tommy Allen, chairman Fay Adkins**  
**Kacey Bailey Elliot Brewer Leonard Cobb**  
**Chris Lauderdale Joni Miller**

**J. G. And Mellie T. Repsher Scholarship**  
**William B. Crooks Scholarship**  
**Brandon Scholarship**

## FBC Scholarship Applications

Scholarship applications are available at the Welcome Center Desk or may be secured by e-mail. They must be completed and returned to the church office on or before

**Sunday, June 12.**



If you would like to help host a Bridal Shower to celebrate the wedding of

**Lexie Harper and Davis Harrison,**

please sign the sheet on the Welcome Center Counter or call the church office.

**DATE: Sunday, June 12**

**2:00 - 4:00 p.m.**