

Advent Decorations

Help us decorate the sanctuary for the holiday season by ordering a topiary, amaryllis or poinsettia in memory of or in honor of someone.

Please fill out the form below and Hurry! Numbers are limited. There are only 8 topiaries, 6 amaryllis, and 25 poinsettias available.

Topiaries (\$50) Pick up the week after Christmas

Amaryllis (\$25) Pick up the week after Christmas

Poinsettia (\$25) Pick up after Christmas Eve Service

In memory / honor of (circle/one):

Blank lines for writing names and dates.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- December 1 Hanging of the Green
December 2 SA/Friends to EBAMC
December 3 SA/Friends Day Trip
December 5 Finance Committee
December 8 Children's Choir Musical
December 10 SA/Friends - Salv. Army
December 12 Backpack Delivery
December 15 Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra
December 24 Christmas Eve Service
December 25-26 Church Office Closed

This Week at FBC

Sunday, November 24
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
11:30 am Thanksgiving Meal
12:30 pm Choir Rehearsals
8:00 pm Rebroadcast

Monday, November 25
8:00 am Ladies Exercise
10:00 am & 6:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

Tuesday, November 26
6:30 am Men's Prayer Group

Wednesday, November 27
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Church Office closes at noon
No Wednesday Services

The church office will be closed
Thursday and Friday to
celebrate the holiday.



Memorial

John Wiggins
Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Perkins

Honoraria

Kent Back (aka Hoyt Butler, Sr.)
The Butler Family

New Arrival

Congratulations to Gary & Julie
Ramsey on the birth of a son,
Noah Michael, on November 8.

The rosebud at the organ is placed
in honor of Noah Michael Ramsey.

Weekly Records for November 17, 2019

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Sunday School Enrollment (279), Attendance (Members 141, Visitors 4, Total 145), Stewardship Records (Budget \$13,377.87, Tithes Received \$14,951.47, Designated \$323.00, Budget to Date \$615,382.02, Received to Date \$573,679.28), and Worship (Attendance 160, Kids Worship 26, Total Attendance 186).

Table listing church staff: Rev. Mat Alexander (Pastor), Rev. Woodie Turner (Minister to Families), Rev. Nathan Edwards (Minister of Music), Mr. Chris Taunton (Director of Student Ministries), Miss Lydia Sewell (Director of Children's Ministries and Missions), Mrs. Sharon Reynolds (Pianist), Mrs. Lana Cornutt (Organist).



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Churchwide Thanksgiving Meal
November 24, 2019
Immediately following Morning Worship
The Chimes logo

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2019

10:30 AM

Prelude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

Celebration of Baptism
Preston Daniel Turner

Welcome Rev. Mat Alexander, Pastor

Call to Worship 637 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Choral Worship Mrs. Corrie Edwards
Mrs. Brittany Johns
Mrs. Jessica Ponder

Hymn 176 "Fairest Lord Jesus" ST. ELIZABETH
Stanza 1 - Men
Stanza 2 - Women
Stanza 3 - Omit
Stanza 4 - All

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Nathan Edwards, Minister of Music

Hymn 541 "Why Do I Sing About Jesus" KETCHUM
On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship

Choral Worship "The Majesty and Glory of Your Name" Fettke
Sanctuary Choir

Message "Thankfulness: A Mark of a Christian Heart" Pastor
Colossians 3:12-17
Page 1354 in Pew Bible

Invitation Hymn 643 "For the Fruit of All Creation" AR HYD Y NOS

Offertory Prayer Rev. Woodie Turner,
Minister to Families

Offertory "Now Thank We All Our God" arr. Larson
Adult Handbells & Piano

Special Called Business Meeting to vote on 2020 Budget

Congregational Benediction 253 "Doxology" OLD 100TH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Postlude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

This Sunday November 24 Churchwide Thanksgiving Meal

We invite you to join us immediately following morning worship, for
Joyce's delicious Thanksgiving lunch followed by choir rehearsals.
Reservations Not Required
No charge for guests

11:30 am - 12:30 pm Lunch - Adults \$8, Children \$3 (\$25 family max)
12:30 pm - 1:15 pm Children's Choir Rehearsal
12:30 pm - 2:00pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal



Sunday, December 1
Hanging of the Green, 10:30 am

Sunday, December 8
Children's Musical, 10:30 am
"THE CASE OF THE RELUCTANT INNKEEPER"

Sunday, December 15
Sanctuary Choir Musical, 6:00 pm
"GOODWILL BEGIN...AND NEVER CEASE"
(Fellowship following the program)

Tuesday, December 24
Candlelight Christmas Eve Service, 5:00 pm

BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY!
LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING®
— for international missions —

In Service This Sunday

SECURITY
Mark Haller

SOUND & TV MINISTRY
Scott Morgan, Allen Ray, Ricky Ray
Chris Alexander, Kenny Flowers
Jeff Martin, Jarrod Walker
Kay Moore

NURSERY
Anona Aderholdt
Sandy Galloway
Katie Haynie, Jan Flowers

KIDS WORSHIP
Woodie & Kylie Turner
Suzie Tucker
Lydia Sewell

SA
(SENIOR ADULTS)
AND FRIENDS
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, December 2
EBA Missions Center

Tuesday, December 3, 8:30 am
Deadline to sign up is Sunday,
November 24.

Gorham's Bluff,
Blacksmith Shop, &
Eddie's Christmas Shop

Come prepared to do some
Christmas Shopping!!

Cost: \$30 (includes lunch)

Tuesday, December 10
Salvation Army Meal

3:00 pm-Prep at FBC
5:00 pm-Serve at Salvation Army

Christmas Celebration
To be announced.
Watch Chimes for details.

Sign-ups/payment envelopes for
all events are in the church office.

Guests: We are glad you are worshipping
with us today! Please fill out the
information card and place it in the
offering plate when it is passed.

GUEST INFORMATION

Name _____


Email address _____

Other Contact Info _____

Prayer Requests

Visiting Today?

Text "New2FBCG" to
97000 to connect with us!

 **fbcguest**
PW: firstlovesgadsden

At the close of the service we invite you
to the Welcome Center to meet our
pastor and his wife and receive a
small gift we have for you.