

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

 **Church Wi-Fi**
 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.

Visiting Today?

Text "New2FBCG" to 97000 to connect with us!

New Members

Letter
 Jennifer & John Michael Heston
 312 Oak Street, Glencoe, 35905
 Caleb Rogers
 Bernice Jenkins
 415 Turrentine Ave, Gadsden, 35901
Statement
 Mike & Betty Rogers
 415 Turrentine Ave, Gadsden, 35901

Memorial

Hal Culp
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Skelton
 Ann Cushing
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Skelton
 Ray Dunnington
 Mr. & Mrs. Rick Galloway
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Skelton
 Jean Estes
 Mr. & Mrs. Darden Boume
 Devan Lowe
 Hilda Lowe
 Kimberly Jolly
 Kendall Hamilton
 John Wiggins
 Mr. & Mrs. Darden Boume

Honoraria

Dr. Harrell Cushing
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Skelton
 Clara Dunnington
 Mr. & Mrs. Rick Galloway
 Jim Inzer
 Inzer Sunday School Class
 David & Cindy Kimberley
 Mr. & Mrs. Darden Boume

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 Now is a great time to begin receiving this weekly newspaper about the work of Baptists in our state, so call the church office to get your subscription started!

Weekly Records for December 22, 2019

Sunday School	Stewardship Records
Enrollment.....280	Budget..... \$13,377.87
Attendance	Tithes Received..... \$11,618.87
Members..... 148	Designated..... \$2,675.00
Visitors3	Budget to Date \$682,271.37
Total Attendance 151	Received to Date \$657,955.08
Worship	
Attendance..... 168	
No Kids Worship30	
Total Attendance 198	

Weekly Records for December 29, 2019

Attendance	Stewardship Records
No Sunday School or Kids Worship	
Prayer Emphasis in Fellowship Hall	
Total Attendance..... 95	End of Year Records
	in next week's Chimes

Rev. Mat Alexander <i>Pastor</i>	Rev. Woodie Turner <i>Minister to Families</i>	Rev. Nathan Edwards <i>Minister of Music</i>
Mr. Chris Taunton <i>Director of Student Ministries</i>	Miss Lydia Sewell <i>Director of Children's Ministries and Missions</i>	Mrs. Sharon Reynolds <i>Pianist</i>
		Mrs. Lana Cornutt <i>Organist</i>



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SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020 10:30 AM

Prelude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt
Call to Worship 524	“We’re Marching to Zion” Stanzas 1, 2, & 3	MARCHING TO ZION
Welcome		Rev. Mat Alexander, Pastor
Responsive Reading 690	“Praise and Adoration”	
Hymn 74	“O God, Our Help in Ages Past” Stanzas 1, 2, 3, & 6	ST. ANNE
Missions Moment	Lottie Moon Offering	
Hymn 385	“In Christ There is No East or West”	ST. PETER
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Woodie Turner, Minister to Families
Hymn 382	“God, the Father of Your People” <i>On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship</i>	HOLY MANNA
Choral Worship	“Know My Heart” <i>Sanctuary Choir</i>	Harlan
Message	“Only the Easy Yoke” 2 Corinthians 6:14-7:1 <i>Page 1330 in Pew Bible</i>	Pastor
Invitation Hymn 317	“Only Trust Him”	STOCKTON
Offertory Prayer		Mr. Chris Taunton, Student Ministries Director
Offertory		Mrs. Sharon Reynolds
Congregational Benediction 524	“We’re Marching to Zion” <i>Stanza 4</i>	MARCHING TO ZION
	Then let our songs abound, and every tear be dry; We’re marching thro’ Immanuel’s ground, We’re marching thro’ Immanuel’s ground, To fairer worlds on high, to fairer worlds on high.	
	We’re marching to Zion, beautiful, beautiful Zion; We’re marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God!	
Postlude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING®

— for international missions —
Church Goal: \$19,000 Given to Date: \$15,709

Children & Preschool Outing
Wednesday, January 8, 5:45 pm

THE CHILDREN WILL GO TO THE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER TO SEE “LET IT SNOW” DURING MISSIONS/MUSIC TIME.

PRESCHOOL CHILDREN ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US WITH A PARENT.

FUNDRAISER FOR HONDURAS MISSION TRIP

PANCAKES AT APPLEBEE'S

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM

TICKETS \$5 EACH

Tickets must be purchased in advance.
Contact Lydia Sewell or church office.

Ministry Workshop

Jan 12 @ 12pm in Fellowship Hall

FAMILY MINISTRIES | FIRST IMPRESSIONS

PRESCHOOL & NURSERY
CHILDREN
YOUTH
MCSPADDEN & VBS

PARKING LOT GREETERS
DOOR GREETERS
SANCTUARY USHERS
SECURITY TEAM

In Service This Sunday

SECURITY
Mark Haller & Jared Lowe

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

NURSERY
Eugenia & Genie Cunningham
Martha Haller
Sarah Kathryn Haller
Misty Walker

KIDS WORSHIP
Clay & Cathy Ellis
Martha Russell, Emma Martin
Lydia Sewell

This Week at FBC

Sunday, January 5
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
8:00 pm Rebroadcast
Comcast Channel 5

Monday, January 6
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Tuesday, January 7
6:30 am Men’s Prayer Group

Wednesday, January 8
8:00 am Ladies Exercise
5:00 pm Fellowship Supper
Pulled Pork, Baked Beans, Slaw
Salad, Dessert
(Hamburger/Hot Dog/Chips)

5:30 pm Youth Choir
5:45 pm Prayer Meeting
Children/Preschool Outing

6:00 pm “Knowing God” Book Study-Chapel
6:15 pm Youth Worship & Bible Study
Adult Handbells
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 9
3:00 pm Backpack Delivery

Friday, January 10
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 12	Ministry Workshop
January 17	Dental Clinic
January 20	Church closed for holiday
January 27	Linen Savers
February 2	Annual Auction
February 21	Dental Clinic

The church staff would like to thank you so much for your kindness and generosity during the Christmas season. Your encouragement and support is such a blessing.

We would also like to thank all of those that worked so hard to make Christmas such a wonderful time of worship & fellowship for everyone.

I thank my God in all my remembrance of you.
Philippians 1:3

New Arrivals

Congratulations to Alex & Kaitlyn (Kimberley) Reese on the birth of a daughter, Calyn Alexis, on December 18. Her proud grandparents are David & Cindy Kimberley.

Congratulations to Cameron & McKenna White on the birth of a daughter, Kinley Parker, on December 23.

The rosebuds at the organ are placed in honor of Calyn Alexis Reese and Kinley Parker White.