



**Etowah Baptist
Missions Center**

First Monday of the month
9am to noon

Monthly Potluck Lunch

Beginning Thursday, January 25
11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall

Salvation Army Meals

Every other month - watch for details.

Please watch The Chimes for all event
announcements and sign-up
information.

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New Member

Jack Taylor (baptism)
3377 Mayflower Lane
Southside, AL 35907

Offering Boxes
are available at
the exits and in
the office.



Online giving is
available by
scanning the QR
code.



2024 CLINIC DATES

January 19	July 19
February 23	August 16
March 15	September 20
April 19	October 18
May 17	November 15
June 21	

*"Bear one another's burdens, and so
fulfill the law of Christ."
Galatians 6:2*

Weekly Records for January 7, 2024

Worship

Attendance 247
Kids Worship..... 51
Total Attendance 298

Sunday School

Enrollment 389
Attendance
Members 189
Visitors 2
Total Attendance 191

Stewardship Records

Budget \$26,043.83
Tithes Received..... \$23,394.69
Designated..... \$1,112.00
Budget to Date \$26,043.83
Received to Date \$23,394.69

**2023 End of Year
Stewardship Records**

Budget \$22,336.02
Tithes Received..... \$58,259.18
Designated \$13,100.00
Budget to Date..... \$1,161,473.00
Received to Date \$1,334,168.85

SERVING THE LITTLE ONES



Katie Haynie
Leslie & Brooke Jackson
Katie Meredith
Brittany Tucker
McKenna White
Claire Yother



Woodie & Kylie Turner
Diane Causey
Joyce Ponder
Joni Rowland, Suzie Tucker
Lydia Sewell

SOUND & TV MINISTRY

Scott Morgan
Matthew Vance
Chris Alexander, Allen Ray
Kay Moore
Jarrod Walker

SECURITY & GREETERS

Larry Brittain, Paul Hodge
Ronnie Lee, Ricky Vann
Terry Clayton, Mark Haller
Brant Haynie, Cameron White
Golf Cart - Ragan Lonnergan

Rev. Mat Alexander.....	Senior Pastor
Rev. Woodie Turner.....	Associate Pastor
Rev. Nathan Edwards.....	Associate Pastor for Worship
Miss Lydia Sewell.....	Minister of Children & Missions
Rev. Coale Jordan.....	Minister of Students & Media
Mrs. Sharon Reynolds.....	Pianist
Mrs. Lana Cornutt.....	Organist



**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
GADSDEN**
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DOMINION & DYNASTY

SERMONS FROM SAMUEL

"EVIL OUT OF YOUR OWN HOUSE"

2 SAMUEL 13

**The
Chimes**
January 14, 2024

Sunday, January 14, 2024 10:30 am

Prelude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM
Jack Taylor

Hymn 563 "Christ Receiveth Sinful Men" NEUMEISTER
stanzas 1, 2, & 4

Welcome Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor

Hymn 6 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" ST. DENIO
stanzas 1, 3, & 4

Missions Moment Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Miss Lydia Sewell,
Minister of Children & Missions

Choral Worship "Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me" arr. Scott
Sanctuary Choir

Reading from the Scriptures 2 Samuel 13:1-14 Rev. Nathan Edwards,
and Pastoral Prayer Associate Pastor for Worship

Hymn 291 "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" ST. CHRISTOPHER
stanza 1-men, stanza 2-women, stanza 3-all
On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.

Message "Evil Out of Your Own House" Rev. Mat Alexander,
2 Samuel 13 Senior Pastor
Page 363 in pew Bible

Time of Response Mrs. Sharon Reynolds

Congregation Benediction 330
"Amazing Grace" NEW BRITAIN
Stanzas 1, 4, & 5

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.

The Lord has promised good to me, His Word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we first begun!

Postlude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me: I would gracious be;
Help me now Thy grace to see, I would be like Thee;
And with words that help and heal, Thy life would mine reveal;
And with actions bold and meek, for Christ my Savior speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me: I would truthful be;
Help me now Thy truth to see, I would be like Thee;
And with wisdom kind and clear, Thy life in mine appear;
And with actions lovingly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me: I would holy be;
Show Thy mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee;
Separate from sin I would, and cherish all things good,
And whatever I can be, give God who gave me Thee.

Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be;
Help me now Thy pow'r to see, I would be like Thee;
'Gainst all weapons hell can wield, be Thou my strength and shield;
Let Thy word emboldened be, Lord, Thine the victory.

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would be like Thee!

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!
"ALMOST" ANYTHING GOES AT THIS EVENT.
PAST ITEMS: VACATIONS RENTALS,
CATERED MEALS, BAKED GOODS,
SMOKED MEATS, BABYSITTING,
ARTWORK, ANTIQUES, HOUSEHOLD ITEMS.
ITEMS MADE BY CHILDREN ARE
ALWAYS A HIT!!!

**WE WILL NOT BE RECEIVING CLOTHING
ITEMS.**

**CHURCH-WIDE
VALENTINE'S
LUNCH & AUCTION**

ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT FBC MISSIONS MINISTRIES

This Week at FBC

Sunday, January 14
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
8:00 pm Rebroadcast
Comcast Channel 5

Monday, January 15
Church Closed for Holiday

Tuesday, January 16
6:30 am Men's Prayer Group
10:00 am Staff Meeting

Wednesday, January 17
8:00 am Ladies Exercise
10:00 am Backpack Ministry
5:00 pm Supper
Menu: Beef Tips & Rice
Lima Beans, Fried Okra
5:30 pm Prayer Time
5:45 pm First Students Choir
Preschool & Children Activities
6:45 pm First Students
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Friday, January 19
7:00 am Dental Clinic
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Friday & Saturday, January 19 & 20
Ladies Retreat - WorldSong

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Church Goal: \$42,000
Total Given: \$35,641

A GREAT MULTITUDE FROM EVERY NATION
KNOWING AND WORSHIPING JESUS
REVELATION 7:9



Thank you for being our guest today!

Please fill out the information card and place in the Offering Box as you leave the service. If you prefer, please scan this code.



GUEST INFORMATION

Name _____

Email address _____

Other Contact Info _____

LOOKING AHEAD

Thursday, January 25
SA/Friends Potluck
Sunday, January 28
Deacons Meeting & Ordination
New Member Class
Lord's Supper in AM Worship
Monday, January 29
Linen Savers
Friday - Sunday, February 2 - 4
DNow - First Students
Thursday, February 8
Finance Committee
Sunday, February 11
Deacons Meeting
Annual Auction
Monday, February 12
WMU
Wednesday, February 14
Quarterly Business Meeting