



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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**Linen Savers - Monday,
January 29 - 9:30 am
Lunch at 11:30**

Linen Savers will be making dining shawls & walker bags for nursing home residents.

Mission Focus

Care bags for Nursing Home residents.

- Thinking of You Cards
- Personal Items
- Individually wrapped crackers or snacks



2024 CLINIC DATES

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

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

Weekly Records for January 14, 2024

Worship

Attendance 242
 Kids Worship..... 45
 Total Attendance 287

Sunday School

Enrollment 389
 Attendance
 Members 175
 Visitors 1
 Total Attendance 176

Stewardship Records

Budget \$26,043.83
 Tithes Received..... \$12,863.50
 Designated..... \$220.00
 Budget to Date \$52,087.66
 Received to Date \$36,258.19

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



Online giving is available by scanning the QR code.

SERVING THE LITTLE ONES



Wattsie Alexander
 Luke & Stephanie Arnett
 Cathy Ellis, Jan Flowers
 Saratha Grigsby
 Kelly Richards
 Stephanie Simmons
 Vanessa Walker



Eugenia Cunningham
 Judi Beaird, Hollis Gilmer
 Amy & PR Hill
 Misty Walker
 Lydia Sewell

SOUND & TV MINISTRY

Scott Morgan
 Matthew Vance
 Matt Jackson, Jeff Martin
 Kay Moore
 Allen Ray, Ricky Ray

SECURITY & GREETERS

Larry Brittain, Paul Hodge
 Ronnie Lee, Ricky Vann
 Ray Grigsby, Noah Miller
 Bill Stone
 Golf Cart - Mark Harris

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

"THE BANISHED ONE"
2 SAMUEL 14

 **The Chimes**
 January 21, 2024

Sunday, January 21, 2024 10:30 am

Prelude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt
Call to Worship 135	"Nothing But the Blood" stanzas 1, 3, & 4	PLAINFIELD
Welcome		Rev. Woodie Turner, Associate Pastor
Hymn 395	"God of Grace and God of Glory" stanzas 1, 3, & 4	CWM RHONDDA
Reading from the Psalms	from Psalm 139	Rev. Nathan Edwards, Associate Pastor for Worship
Hymn 210	"My Jesus, I Love Thee" Stanzas 1, 2, & 4	GORDON
Reading from the Scriptures and Pastoral Prayer	2 Samuel 14:1-11	Rev. Coale Jordan, Minister of Students & Media
Choral Worship	"Rescue the Perishing" Sanctuary Choir	arr. Schwoebel
	<i>The text for this anthem may be found on page 559 of the Hymnal.</i>	
Hymn 301	"I Am Resolved" Stanzas 1, 2, & 4	RESOLUTION
	<i>On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.</i>	
Message	"The Banished One" 2 Samuel 14 Page 365 in pew Bible	Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor
Hymn of Response 302	"I Hear Thy Welcome Voice"	WELCOME VOICE
Choral Benediction	"Rescue the Perishing" Sanctuary Choir	arr. Schwoebel
	<i>Rescue the perishing, duty demands it; Strength for thy labor the Lord will provide; Back to the narrow way, patiently win them; Tell the poor wand'rer a Savior has died.</i>	
	<i>Rescue the perishing, care for the dying; Jesus is merciful, Jesus will save. Jesus will save!</i>	
Postlude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt



**SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 11**

IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING MORNING
WORSHIP

ALL PROCEEDS
BENEFIT
FBC MISSION
MINISTRIES

**THERE IS NO SET PRICE FOR LUNCH.
DONATE WHATEVER YOU LIKE.**

**THERE WILL BE SILENT AUCTION AS WELL AS
A LIVE AUCTION.**

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!!!

**IF YOU HAVE AN ITEM YOU WOULD LIKE TO
DONATE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE.**

This Week at FBC

Sunday, January 21	
9:15 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship
8:00 pm	Rebroadcast Comcast Channel 5
Monday, January 22	
8:00 am	Ladies Exercise
Tuesday, January 23	
6:30 am	Men's Prayer Group
10:00 am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday, January 24	
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
Thursday, January 25	
11:30 am	SA/Friends Potluck Lunch
Friday, January 26	
8:00 am	Ladies Exercise

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Church Goal: \$42,000
Total Given: \$39,061

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

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