



Etowah Baptist Missions Center
 First Monday of the month
 March 4 9:00 am to 11:30 am
 Meet at Missions Center

Hot Dogs & Games in FLC
 Tuesday, March 19
 11:30 am

Salvation Army Meal
 Tuesday, April 9
 Meet at FBC at 3:00 pm

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

Please call the church office
 to sign up, or contact
 Margarete Fuhrman



March 2024

Group Meeting - Monday, March 11
Lunch at noon, followed by meeting

Mission Focus

- New Beginnings for Women
- Household items
 - Toiletries
 - Financial Donations

New Members

Luke & Jamie Armstrong (by Letter)
Evan & Emma
 209 Dogwood Circle
 Gadsden, 35901

Samantha Montes (by statement)
 2918 Shahan Avenue
 Gadsden, 35904

Zane Sullivan (by statement)
 104 Argyle Court
 Gadsden, 35904

Christian Sympathy

Is extended to
 Carey & Brittany Tucker,
 Will & Haley Bailey and families in
 the loss of their grandmother,
 Jeanie Tucker.

Memorials

W. C. Brittain
 Larry and Beckey Brittain

Ringers Needed!

**ADULT
 HANDBELL
 CHOIR** 

Wednesdays at 6:00

**If you have questions or
 would like to join us for
 rehearsal, please contact
 Gina in the church office.**

Weekly Records for February 18, 2024

Worship		Stewardship Records	
Attendance	227	Budget	\$26,043.83
Kids Worship.....	43	Tithes Received.....	\$21,462.50
Total Attendance	270	Designated.....	\$200.00
		Budget to Date	\$182,306.81
Sunday School		Received to Date	\$151,732.45
Enrollment	393		
Attendance		Offering Boxes	
Members	161	are available at	
Visitors	2	the exits and in	
Total Attendance	163	the office.	



Online giving is
 available by
 scanning the QR
 code.

SERVING THE LITTLE ONES



Anona Aderholdt
 Beckey Brittain
 Keri Lonnergan
 Jared & Cantrell Lowe
 Kylie & Eva Turner
 Francie Vann



Lydia Sewell, Becki Morgan
 Martha Haller
 Dan & Brittany Johns
 Noah Miller
 Vanessa Walker

SOUND & TV MINISTRY

Scott Morgan, Matthew Vance
 Chris Alexander, Jeff Martin
 Kay Moore, Allen Ray
 Ricky Ray

SECURITY & GREETERS

Larry Brittain, Paul Hodge
 Ronnie Lee, Ricky Vann
 Mark Harris, Jim Hicks
 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
 235 South Fifth Street
 Gadsden, AL 35901



DOMINION & DYNASTY

SERMONS FROM SAMUEL

"ARISE O LORD!"

2 SAMUEL 18

The
Chimes

February 25, 2024

Sunday, February 25, 2024 10:30 am

Prelude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

Call to Worship 56 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" CWM RHONDDA

Welcome Rev. Woodie Turner, Associate Pastor

Hymn 2 "Holy, Holy, Holy" NICAEA

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

"The Old Rugged Cross"
Stanzas 1, 2, & 3

Reading from the Scriptures from Romans 8 Rev. Nathan Edwards, Associate Pastor for Worship

Choral Worship "Sometimes a Light Surprises" Courtney Sanctuary Choir

Hymn 334 "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine" ASSURANCE
On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.

Message "Arise, O Lord!" Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor
Page 269 in pew Bible

Time of Response Mrs. Sharon Reynolds

Congregational Benediction 253 "Doxology" OLD 100th

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

Postlude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

Sometimes a Light Surprises

Sometimes a light surprises the child of God who sings;
It is the Lord who rises with healing in His wings;
When comforts are declining, He grants the soul again
A season of clear shining, to cheer it after rain.

In holy contemplation we sweetly then pursue
The theme of God's salvation, and find it ever new;
Set free from present sorrow, we cheerfully can say,
'Let the unknown tomorrow bring with it what it may.'

It can bring with it nothing but He will bear us through;
Who gives the lilies clothing will clothe His people, too:
Beneath the spreading heavens no creature but is fed;
And He who feeds the ravens will give His children bread.

Though vine nor fig tree neither their wanted fruit should bear,
Though all the fields should wither, nor flocks nor herds be there;
Yet, God the same abiding, His praise shall tune my voice;
For, while in Him confiding, I cannot but rejoice.

Training U Spring Semester
February 21- May 8
Wednesdays 6 - 7 pm
Books are available in church office and the classroom.

Mat Alexander Chapel
READING & INTERPRETING THE BIBLE
Book: \$20
"40 Questions About Interpreting the Bible"
by R. Plummer

Craig Carlisle Room C201
LONGING FOR GOD IN AN AGE OF DISCOURAGEMENT: THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ZECHARIAH
Zechariah Scripture Journal \$5

Kylie Turner Room C103
EVERYDAY FAITHFULNESS
Book: \$12
"Everyday Faithfulness: The Beauty of Ordinary Perseverance in a Demanding World"
by Glenna Marshall

Woodie Turner Room C108
A SHEPHERD LOOKS AT PSALM 23
Book: \$5
"A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23" by Phillip Keller

Ladies Bible Study
HOSEA
JENNIFER ROTHSCHILD
JOIN US! Mondays at 10:00 AM & 6:00 PM Beginning March 4
Study Book \$18 Meeting in Kids Worship Room

thank you
BECAUSE OF GOD'S BLESSINGS AND YOUR GENEROSITY THE AMOUNT RAISED AT THE AUCTION WAS IN EXCESS OF
\$18,845
ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT FBC MISSION MINISTRIES

This Week at FBC

Sunday, February 25
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
8:00 pm Rebroadcast
Comcast Channel 5

Monday, February 26
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Tuesday, February 27
6:30 am Men's Prayer Group
10:00 am Staff Meeting

Wednesday, February 28
8:00 am Ladies Exercise
10:00 am Backpack Ministry
5:00 pm Supper
Menu: Chicken Fingers
Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans
5:30 pm Prayer Time
5:45 pm First Students Choir
Preschool & Children Activities
6:00 pm Training U
6:45 pm First Students
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 29
10:00 am SA/Friends leave for Crossroads Grill in Lincoln

Friday, March 1
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Parent & Child Dedication
Sunday, March 17
during Morning Worship
We will have a parent/child dedication on Sunday, March 17 during the morning worship. Please contact the church office if your family would like to participate. You may email receptionist@fbcgadsden.org or call 256-547-6828.

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

Monday, March 4
SA/Friends - EBA Missions Center

Thursday, March 7
Finance Committee

Sunday, March 10
Men's Wild Game Supper in PM

Monday, March 11
SA/Friends - EBA Missions Center
WMU

Friday, March 15
Dental Clinic

Sunday, March 17
Baby Dedication

Sunday, March 24
Palm Sunday

Wednesday, March 27
No Wednesday Night Activities

Thursday, March 28
Maundy Thursday Service

Saturday, March 30
Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, March 31
Easter Sunday - No Sunday School
Easter Breakfast at 9:30 am in FH