



**Magnolias and Friends**  
No Group Meeting  
in June  
  
Mission Focus:  
VBS &  
McSpadden Music Camp

**Orchids and Friends**  
Group Meeting  
Monday, June 9  
6 pm, FLC

Mission Focus: Monetary Donations for  
EBA Summer Interns' gift cards.  
*Donations may be brought to the  
church any time before the meeting.*



Wednesday  
Summer  
Schedule

**NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT  
ACTIVITIES IN JUNE AND JULY.  
REGULAR SCHEDULE WILL  
RESUME AUGUST 13.**

**Memorial**

Richard Davis  
Jim & Jane Hicks

**College Graduates**

If your college student has recently graduated, we would like to recognize them in **an upcoming** issue of the Chimes. Contact the church office with this information: name, college, and degree earned.

You may email  
receptionist@fbcgadsden.org  
or call 256-547-6828.



**Please remember to pray for  
The Southern Baptist  
Convention Annual Meeting,  
June 8 - 11 in Dallas, TX.**



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**Weekly Records June 1, 2025**

**Sunday School**

Enrollment.....420  
Attendance  
Members.....150  
Visitors .....7  
Total Attendance .....157

**Stewardship Records**

Budget.....\$29,697.88  
Tithes Received .....\$13,446.50  
Designated.....\$1,340.00  
Budget to Date .....\$653,353.36  
Received to Date .....\$548,787.35

**Worship**

Attendance.....212  
Kids Worship .....33  
Total Attendance .....245

**Monthly Giving Comparison**

	2025	2024	difference
May Budget Receipts	\$120,291.73	\$105,576.81	\$14,714.92
Year to Date	\$535,340.85	\$533,717.04	\$1,623.81

**SERVING THE LITTLE ONES**



Tammy Clayton  
Katie Haynie  
Leslie & Brooke Jackson  
Amber Sewell  
Samantha Sullivan  
Jessica Whitt



Woodie & Kylie Turner  
Diane Causey  
Joyce Ponder  
Suzie Tucker

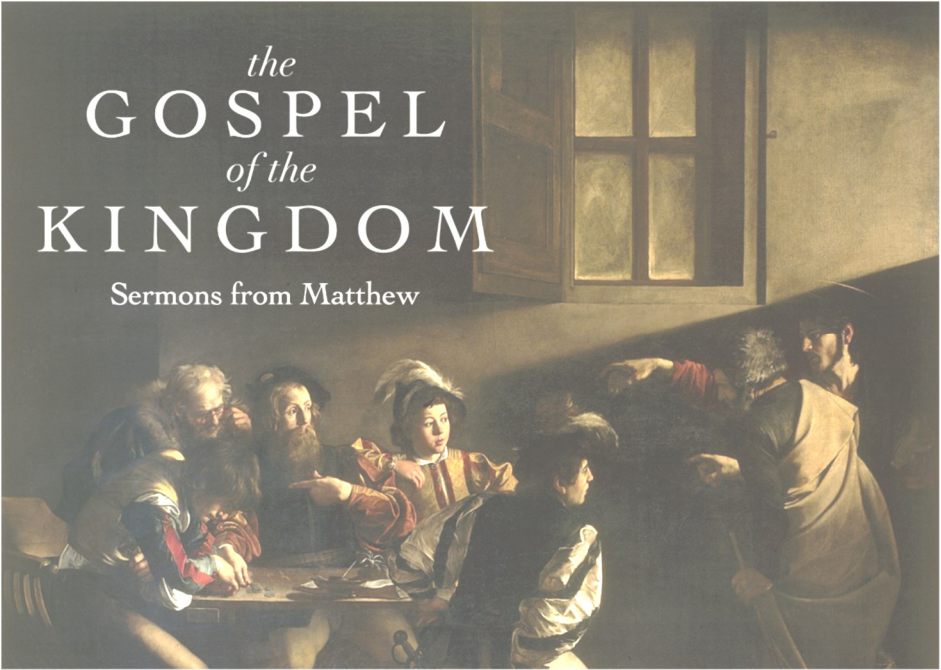
**SOUND & TV MINISTRY**

Scott Morgan, Matthew Vance  
Matt Jackson, Coale Jordan  
Jeff Martin, Kay Moore

**SECURITY & GREETERS**

Larry Brittain, Paul Hodge  
Terry Clayton, Mark Haller  
Brant Haynie, Cameron White  
Golf Cart – Ragan Lonnergan

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





The  
**Chimes**  
June 8, 2025

Sunday, June 8, 2025 10:30 am		
Prelude	Mrs. Lana Cornutt	
Call to Worship 231	"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"	MADRID
Welcome	Rev. Woodie Turner, Associate Pastor	
Hymn 4	"To God Be the Glory"	TO GOD BE THE GLORY
Ministry Moment	VBS Report	Miss Lydia Sewell, Minister of Children & Missions
Special Music	"Magnified"	Johnson & Marino VBS Children
Reading from the Scriptures and Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Nathan Edwards, Associate Pastor for Worship	
Choral Worship	"Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God"	arr. Larson Sanctuary Choir
Hymn 539	"Satisfied"	SATISFIED Stanzas 1, 3, & 4 On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.
Message	"Can You Read the Signs?"	Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor Matthew 16:1-12 Page 821 in pew Bible
Time of Response	Mrs. Sharon Reynolds	
Congregational Benediction 469	"Revive Us Again"	REVIVE US AGAIN Stanza 4  Revive us again; Fill each heart with Thy love; May each soul be rekindled with fire from above.  Hallelujah! Thine the glory. Hallelujah! Amen. Hallelujah! Thine the glory. Revive us again!
Postlude	Mrs. Lana Cornutt	

<i>Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God</i>
<i>Holy Spirit, living breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul. Let the presence of the risen Lord come renew my heart and make me whole. Cause Your Word to come alive in me; Give me faith for what I cannot see, Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.</i>
<i>Holy Spirit, come abide within, may Your joy be seen in all I do. Love enough to cover every sin, in each thought and deed and attitude. Kindness to the greatest and the least, gentleness that sows the path of peace. Turn my strivings into works of grace; Breath of God show Christ in all I do.</i>
<i>Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made, Show Your power once again on earth. Cause Your church to hunger for your ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; Lead us on the road of sacrifice, That in unity the face of Christ may be clear for all the world to see.</i>

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR MAKING VBS 2025 A HUGE SUCCESS.  
NOW, LET’S EXCITED FOR SOME JESUS MUSIC!!!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO  
HELP PROVIDE SNACKS  
FOR MUSIC CAMP  
VOLUNTEERS,  
PLEASE CONTACT  
JANICE CORNUTT OR THE  
CHURCH OFFICE.

JUNE 23 - 26

MCSPADDEN

MUSIC  
CAMP

2025

PLEASE SCAN CODE  
TO REGISTER  
VOLUNTEERS AND  
PARTICIPANTS



This Week at FBC	
<b>Sunday, June 8</b> 9:15 am 10:30 am 8:00 pm	<b>Sunday School</b> <b>Morning Worship</b> <b>Rebroadcast</b> <b>Comcast Channel 5</b>
<b>Monday, June 9</b> 8:30 am	<b>Ladies Exercise</b> <b>Children leave for WorldSong</b>
10:00 am 6:00 pm	<b>Staff Meeting</b> <b>WMU-Orchid Group</b>
<b>Tuesday, June 10</b> 6:30 am	<b>Men’s Prayer Group</b>
<b>Wednesday, June 11</b> 8:30 am	<b>Ladies Exercise</b>
<b>Thursday, June 12</b> 12:15 pm	<b>Finance Committee</b>
<b>Friday, June 13</b> 8:30 am	<b>Ladies Exercise</b>

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who provided snacks for the VBS volunteers.

It was a wonderful break for the workers and the food was delicious!

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

- Upcoming EVENTS
- Sunday, June 15

Father’s Day

Friday, June 20

Dental Clinic

June 23 - 26

McSpadden Music Camp

Sunday, June 29

Lord’s Supper & Family Worship

Friday, July 4

Church Closed for Holiday

Monday, July 7

SA+Friends to EBMC

Thursday, July 10

Finance Committee

Friday, July 18

Dental Clinic

Sunday, July 27

Lord’s Supper & Family Worship