

# Let's Celebrate

## Baby Shower Honoring Sydney Williams Murray

Saturday, January 31

12 pm - 2 pm in the Parlor of FBC  
Registered at Peppermint Pony,  
Mommy & Me, Babylist.com

## Donuts & Diaper Sprinkle

Sunday, February 1 - 9:15 am  
Stop by the parlor on your way to  
Sunday School & join us in celebrating  
Rebecca & Baby Lucy Monroe Walker

## Jeannie Ray's 100th Birthday

Friday, February 6  
2 - 4 pm

Exchange Financial Center  
230 North 3rd Street

No gifts please, but cards are welcome.



## Orchid Group

Monday, February 2  
6 pm at the home of  
Marian Stone

Soup/Chili Supper provided

Mission Project:  
Financial donations to provide lunch for  
teachers at Walnut Park Elementary



## Magnolia Group

Monday, February 9  
Lunch - 12:00 noon  
FLC

Mission Project:  
Valentines for Nursing Home Residents  
Sugar-Free Candy Needed

## New Members

Adley Drummons (Baptism)  
128 Waterford Place  
Gadsden, AL 35904

## MISSION Opportunity

Hello, FBC Gadsden. My name is Jonah Meredith, and I need your help. I have placed a Blessing Box in the Family Life Center parking lot as part of my Eagle Scout project. The Blessing Box is available for anyone in need, and it is also open for donations. There is an immediate need for donations, and your help is greatly appreciated. If you are able to give, you are welcome to place canned goods, non-perishable food items, drinks, or other helpful necessities inside. Thank you for helping support our community and sharing God's love with others. May God bless you all.



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## SERVING THE LITTLE ONES

Eugenia Cunningham  
Sarah Kathryn & Julia Ann Haller  
Alecia Jordan  
June McCurley  
Samantha Sullivan, Addie Taylor  
Misty & Mary Frances Walker



Clay & Cathy Ellis  
Corri & Ella Edwards

## Weekly Records

## January 25, 2026

### Sunday School

Enrollment.....	412
Attendance	
Members .....	179
Visitors .....	4
Total Attendance .....	183

### Worship

Attendance.....	204
No Kids Worship.....	34
Total Attendance .....	238

### SENIOR EXERCISE CLASS

Family Life Center  
Tuesdays & Thursdays  
10:30am - 11:30 am  
  
No Charge for Class  
Led by Tracy Edwards

### Stewardship Records

Budget.....	\$30,750.00
Tithes Received.....	\$15,784.49
Designated.....	\$350.00
Budget to Date .....	\$123,000.00
Received to Date .....	\$82,247.93

**2025 Contribution Statements have been mailed. If you do not receive yours in a timely manner or you have any questions, please contact Becki Morgan in the church office.**

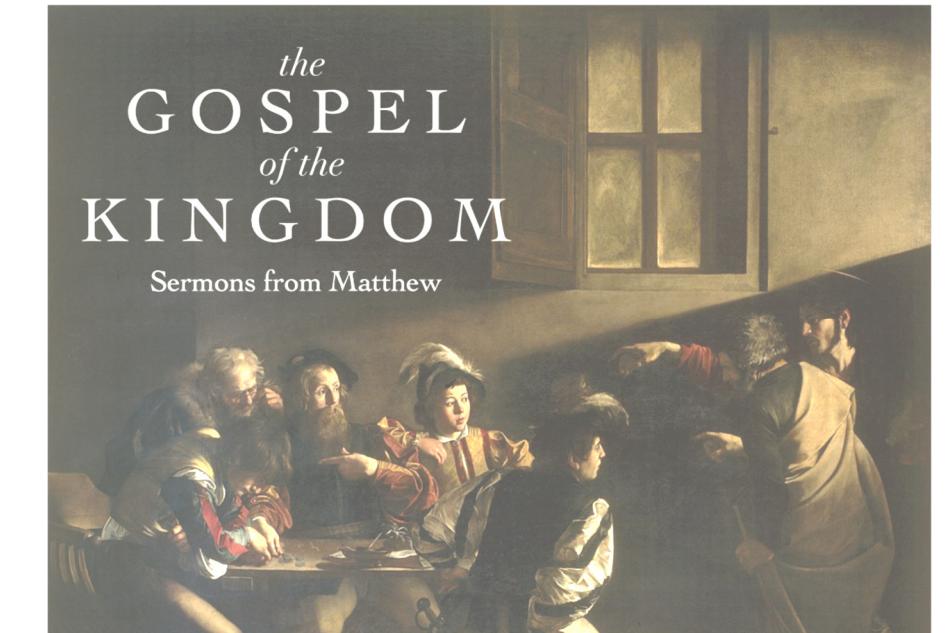
## SOUND & TV MINISTRY

Scott Morgan, Matthew Vance  
Coale Jordan, Kay Moore  
Allen Ray, Ricky Ray  
Carey Tucker

## SECURITY & GREETERS

Paul Hodge, Ricky Vann  
Mike Erwin, Jared Lowe  
David Simmons, Zane Sullivan  
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**  
February 1, 2026

Sunday, February 1, 2026 10:30 am

Prelude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt
Call to Worship	"Surely the Lord is in This Place" Sanctuary Choir	arr. Colvin
	<b>Celebration of Baptism</b> Adley Drummons	
Hymn of Response 362	"Baptized in Water"	BUNESSAN
Welcome		Rev. Woodie Turner, Associate Pastor
Hymn 36	"Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him"	HYFRYDOL
Ministry Moment	First Students - DNow	Rev. Coale Jordan, Minister of Students & Media
Hymn 478	"Seek Ye First"	LAFFERTY
Reading from the Scriptures	Luke 24:13-16; 28-32	Miss Lydia Sewell, Minister of Children & Missions
Choral Worship	"Surely the Lord is in This Place" Sanctuary Choir	arr. Colvin
Hymn 377	"Jesus, At Your Holy Table"	BEACH SPRING
	On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.	
Message	"The Table of the Lord" Matthew 26:14-29 Page 832 in pew Bible	Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor
Hymn of Response 329	"Grace Greater Than Our Sin"	MOODY
Congregational Benediction 253	"Doxology"	OLD 100 <sup>TH</sup>
	Praise God, from whom all blessing 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

THEN JACOB AWOKE FROM HIS SLEEP AND SAID, "SURELY THE LORD IS IN THIS PLACE, AND I DID NOT KNOW IT." AND HE WAS AFRAID AND SAID, "HOW AWESOME IS THIS PLACE! THIS IS NONE OTHER THAN THE HOUSE OF GOD, AND THIS IS THE GATE OF HEAVEN."

GENESIS 28:16-17



**Church Goal: \$42,000**  
**Total Given: \$38,939.56**

## This Week at FBC

### Sunday, February 1

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

### Monday, February 2

8:00 am **Ladies Exercise**  
9:00 am **SA/Friends to EBAMC**

### Tuesday, February 3

6:30 am **Men's Prayer Group**  
10:00 am **Staff Meeting**  
10:30 am **Senior Exercise Class**

### Wednesday, February 4

8:00 am **Ladies Exercise**  
10:00 am **Backpack Ministry**  
5:00 pm **Supper**

**Menu: Baked Chicken  
Mashed Potatoes, English Peas**

5:30 pm **Prayer Time**

5:40 pm **First Student Activities**  
5:45 pm **Preschool & Children Activities**

6:00 pm **Winter Training U**

7:00 pm **Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal**

### Thursday, February 5

10:30 am **Senior Exercise Class**  
12:15 pm **Finance Committee**

### Friday, February 6

8:00 am **Ladies Exercise**

**Please be in prayer for our students as they participate in DNOW WEEKEND.**



**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

IMPORTANT  
*Dates* 2026

Friday, Feb. 6-Sunday, Feb. 8  
Deacon's Meeting  
D'Now (First Students)

Wednesday, Feb. 11  
Quarterly Business Meeting  
Connection Night

Wednesday, Feb. 18  
Spring Training U begins

Sunday, Feb. 22  
Annual Auction

Friday-Saturday, Feb. 27-28  
45 Retreat (First Kids)

Friday-Saturday, March 6-7  
YouthCue Spring Celebration

Sunday, March 29  
Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 4  
Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 5  
Easter Sunday