

November 19, 2023

# Give Thanks

THANK YOU SUNDAY



# SERVEMBER

► a month of appreciation and mobilization ◄

Throughout the month of November, SERVE opportunities will be available. Learn how to use your gifts by taking the Spiritual Gifts Survey.

[fbpc.com/spiritualgifts](http://fbpc.com/spiritualgifts)




## Baby DEDICATION

December 10 • 9 & 10:30 AM

Baby dedication parent class December 3 | 9 AM

Register online by November 29: [FBCPC.com/events](http://FBCPC.com/events)



the  
Light  
OF  
CHRISTMAS

### Drive-in Light Show

featuring *great music and a message of hope*  
November 26 - January 1 | 6 - 10 PM Nightly

### Light of Christmas Kickoff Event

Sunday, December 3 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM

featuring *live music, hay rides,  
living nativity & food trucks*



Hope  
has a  
Name

### A Special Christmas

series beginning  
Sunday, November 26

### Christmas Celebration

featuring the First Baptist worship team,  
choir & orchestra

Sunday, December 17  
9 and 10:30 AM

For more info on upcoming events,  
please visit: [FBCPC.com/Events](http://FBCPC.com/Events)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
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## Short-term Mission Opportunity in Cha-am, Thailand | March 7-16

Info Meeting: November 26 at 11:45 AM in room 111 | Must be 18+ to participate.

Support a homeschool conference for missionary kids - teaching, proctoring exams, and having fun! Contact Chloe: 813-541-7504 or [chloeawalton@gmail.com](mailto:chloeawalton@gmail.com)

NIGHT *to Shine*  
SPONSORED BY THE **TIM TEBOW**  
FOUNDATION™

**February 9, 2024**

Volunteers needed for this great event!

Find out more and sign-up by visiting  
[fbpc.com/nighttoshine](http://fbpc.com/nighttoshine).

## SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY LUNCHEON THE CHRISTMAS GOSPEL

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7 | 11 AM | THE COMMONS  
REGISTER AT [FBCPC.COM/EVENTS](http://FBCPC.COM/EVENTS)

It's a Christmas celebration featuring the  
First Baptist Church band, worship, food  
& fellowship

## Vitals

### IN MEMORY OF:

**SKIP MC ISAAC**

*Renee Sparkman*

### DON OWENS

*Mark & Felicia McDonald*

## Giving

### STATISTICS (11.12.2023)

Budget Rec'd:	\$ 74,026.57	Building Debt:	\$12,316,790.89
Budget Req'd:	\$ 93,434.00		
To Date Budget Rec'd:	\$ 591,215.99		
To Date Budget Req'd:	\$ 654,038.00		



*Our love for God shows in many ways, including how we use the resources He has given us. You can give in the receptacles at each Worship Center entrance, on the church website ([FBCPC.com](http://FBCPC.com)), or through the church app ([FBCPC.com/Get-App](http://FBCPC.com/Get-App)).*

Giving thanks. For what?

**1. God is \_\_\_\_\_ vv 1-3**

Take a moment and give specific thanks to the Lord for one answered prayer this year.

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**2. God is \_\_\_\_\_ vv 4-6**

What is one name, one character trait, for which you have been especially grateful for this year.

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Where are you? Are you close or distant? Are you desperate to be near the Lord or determined just to use Him as the last effort?

**3. God is \_\_\_\_\_ vv 7-8**

Recall one specific instance this past year where you witnessed the faithfulness of the Lord.

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“Lord, Your faithful love endures forever...”

God is good.  
God is great.  
God is faithful.

## *Our Pastor*



Dr. Brian Stowe came to First Baptist in 2013. He and his wife Bonnie have four children: Sarah, Hannah, Andrew, and Elizabeth. Pastor Brian earned his Doctorate in Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also holds a Master of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology.

# This Week

## SUNDAY 11.19

8, 9 & 10:30 AM | Small Groups  
9 & 10:30 AM | Worship Services  
4 PM | Ukulele Class | Mod 1

## MONDAY 11.20

6 PM | REACH | The Commons  
6 PM | Surviving the Holidays | Mod 6

## TUESDAY 11.21

9 AM | KIT | Mod 3

## WEDNESDAY 11.22

No Wednesday Activities

## THURSDAY 11.23

No Thursday Activities

## FRIDAY 11.24

No Friday Activities

# SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

November 20 | 6 PM

For more info:  
[fbcpc.com/events](http://fbcpc.com/events)



## **MINISTERIO HISPANO**

### **LOS DOMINGOS:**

9 AM | Servicio en Español\*

11 AM | Escuela Dominical\*

### **LOS MIERCOLES:**

6:15 PM | Estudio Biblico en Español\*

\* = 105 E. Baker St. (El Aposento Alto)

## *Connect*

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*"Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching." 1 Tim 5:17*

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