

SERMON NOTES

“The Three-Fold Cord to Success in 2025”
Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

I. The Cord of _____

II. The Cord of _____

III. The Cord of _____

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

January 5, 2025 – 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

“Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves.
A cord of three strands is not quickly broken” Ecclesiastes 4:12

Call to Worship

“10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)”
“Another Year is Dawning”

Morning Prayer

Bro. Brad

Worship Medley

“Count Your Blessings”
“Turn Your Eyes”

Scripture Reading

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Praise and Worship

“In Christ Alone”

Message

Bro. Brad

“The Three-Fold Cord to Success in 2025”
Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Invitation

“Come, Just As You Are”

Benediction

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP

January 5, 2025—6:30 p.m.

Welcome & Announcements

Bro. Brad

Hymn Medley

“Wonderful Words of Life”
“Speak, O Lord”

Message

Bro. Brad

“Reading the Bible Devotionally”
Psalm 119

Benediction

Bro. Brad

WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING

January 8, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.

Welcome and Hymn

Message

“The Millenium”

Benediction

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOTTIE MOON INTERNATIONAL MISSION OFFERING

We Gave \$25,196.93!! God bless you for your generous gift!

DEACON'S MEETING

Tonight at 7:30 p.m.

TRUSTEES AND BUSINESS MEETINGS

Wednesday 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.

LORD'S SUPPER

Next Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

SPRING WORSHIP CHOIR RETREAT

The FBC Worship Choir will kick off its spring season with a two-day retreat on Friday, January 10 from 5:00-9:00 p.m. and Saturday, January 11 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. This will be a time for us to reconnect from our Christmas break, welcome new members, have some fun, and learn our music for the rest of the choral year! If you have questions, contact Bro. Chuck.

CHURCH LEAGUE VOLLEYBALL

The Volleyball League will kick off on Monday, January 20. If you have an interest in participating, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

LIFE LINE SCREENING

Thursday, January 16.

2025 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

If you would like a box of your own contribution envelopes for 2025 and don't see yours at the welcome center, please let Susan know and she will prepare them.

BABY SHOWER FOR
ALEXIA AND ANDREW BANKS

NEXT SUNDAY
After the 11:00 a.m. service

Lunch will be served!

Registered at babylist.com

THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

SUNDAY 1/5

9:00 a.m. Early Service
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Late Service
6:30 p.m. Evening Service
7:30 p.m. Deacons Meeting

WEDNESDAY 1/8

10:00 a.m. Manna in the Morning
5:30 p.m. Trustees Meeting
6:30 p.m. Midweek Service/
Business Meeting
6:30 p.m. Mission Kids
6:30 p.m. Main Street Youth

FRIDAY 1/10

5:00 p.m. Choir Retreat

SATURDAY 1/11

9:00 a.m. Choir Retreat

SUNDAY 1/12

9:00 a.m. Early Service
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Late Service
Noon Baby Shower
6:30 p.m. Evening Service

Scan for online giving:



A Look at Giving YTD (thru December 29, 2024)

Budget Required	\$ 507,922.48
Budget Received	\$ 569,457.23
Difference	\$ + 61,534.75



MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

1/5: Early-Carol Wooten
SS-Patty Greene
Late-Sherry Craigmyle
Evening-Meleah
1/12: Early-Meleah
SS-Sarah Cobb
Late-Tonya Jones
Evening-Meleah

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

1/5: Lindsay, Kiley, Courtney, Jenna

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2024 Thru the Bible Reading

Sunday, 1/5– Romans 5-6
Monday, 1/6– Gen 8-11
Tuesday, 1/7– Josh 11-15
Wed., 1/8– Psalm 6-8
Thursday, 1/9– Job 5-6
Friday, 1/10– Isa 12-17
Saturday, 1/11– Matt 5-7
Sunday, 1/12– Romans 7-8



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BRAD BANKS, LEAD PASTOR

CHUCK HARRIS, WORSHIP & MEDIA PASTOR

ROSS FORD, STUDENT PASTOR

KILEY BLAIR, DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY