

DECEMBER 06, 2020



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JOHN 1:14

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PLANT CITY





First Baptist Church Plant City exists to lead people beyond just good enough to experience L.I.F.E. in Christ. We do this by helping you to **WORSHIP**, **GROW**, **SERVE** and **REACH**.

Upcoming Opportunities

2020 Year-End Giving CHALLENGE

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December 2020

The Lord loves a cheerful giver! As 2020 draws to a close, we at FBCPC are challenging ourselves to a season of giving by prayerfully considering how the Lord would have us contribute to the ongoing work of his church. For this year-end challenge, there are three (3) areas where we are focusing our giving:



GENERAL BUDGET

GOAL: \$500,000



DESTINATION NEXT

GOAL: \$600,000



LOTTIE MOON

GOAL: \$65,000

If you are currently contributing or making plans to contribute to one or all of these areas, we thank you. If you are not currently contributing and would like to do so, we would encourage you join us in giving toward one or all of these areas, as the Lord leads and as you are able by clicking on the button below.

MORE INFO

"Each person should give as he has decided in his heart — not reluctantly or out of compulsion, since God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

Upcoming Opportunities



THE *Light* — OF CHRISTMAS —

A Drive-In Christmas Light Show

December 4, 2020 - January 2, 2021 | 6 - 10 PM Nightly

[MORE INFO](#)

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING® — *for international missions* —

What better Christmas gift than the good news of Christ? Help share the gospel around the world by giving to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

For more info or to give online, visit: FBCPC.com/Lottie

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LOTTIE MOON
CHRISTMAS
OFFERING®

Giving Hope CHRISTMAS TREE

Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us,
even as we hope in you. Psalm 33:22

Partner with us to
bring hope to needy
children this Christmas!

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[MORE INFO](#)



Do you have the gift of hospitality?

Our Missions Ministry needs help hosting missionary and church planting families during our Missions Conference, February 26-27, 2021.

For more information, please contact:

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This Week

SUNDAY 12.06.2020

8, 9 & 10:30 am | Small Group Bible Study | Class List: www.fbcpc.com/SmallGroups

9 & 10:30 am | Worship Service | Worship Center

9 & 10:30 am | Streaming LIVE Online:

Church Website: www.fbcpc.com/live -OR- Church Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/FirstBaptistPlantCity

6:00 pm | Young Pros Bible Study | Daniel Helms' house

(text 813.943.8894 for directions)

WEDNESDAY 12.09.2020

6:15 pm

Preschool

AWANA

First Student Worship | The Landing

Parenting Together | Worship Center

Women's Bible Study | Room 111-112

Men's Bible Study | Mod Bldg, Room 2

Wednesday in the Word | Room 113-114

7:30 pm

College & Young Pros | Midweek Bldg

THURSDAY 12.10.2020

6:30 pm | Bible Study (English) | **John Foxx***

DAILY

6 - 10 pm | **The Light of Christmas** | S. Campus Parking Lot

MINISTERIO HISPANO

LOS DOMINGOS:

9:00 am | Servicio en Español*

11:00 am | Escuela Dominical*

6:15 pm | Servicio en Español*

LOS MIERCOLES:

6:15 pm | Estudio Biblico en Español*

* = www.facebook.com/spanishministry

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please visit: **[FBCPC.com/Events](https://www.fbcpc.com/Events)**



Vitals

CONGRATULATIONS:

To Kayshawn & Skye Smith on the birth of their son, Xander Allen Smith, born November 27th weighing 7 lbs., 9 oz. and measuring 20.5 inches. Welcome, baby Xander!

MEMORIALS:

Terri Fisher

Coleman & Sue Davis
David & Carole Cruzado
Beverly Hoover
Bettye Jean Manee
Simmy & Becky McIntosh
Randall & Nancy Miller

Sam Morrow

Coleman & Sue Davis
Joel & Eleanor Kidd
Alvin & Linda Brooks
& Family
Bettye Jean Manee

Jack Johnson

Beverly Hoover

Rodney Sparkman

Winfred & Sue Harrell

Louise Studstill

Bettye Jean Manee
Coleman & Sue Davis
Eleanor Poppell
Randall & Nancy Miller

Betty Wittman

Coleman & Sue Davis

Ron Lott

Coleman & Sue Davis

Velma Boothe

Coleman & Sue Davis
Bettye Jean Manee
Eleanor Poppell

BEREAVEMENT:

Our Pastor and Church Family extend their deepest sympathy and love to:

Bill & Shari Bennett in his loss of his mother, **Jaqueline "Jackie" Chancey Bennett.**

Jack & Meribeth

Sizemore in their loss of their grandson, **Jeffrey Sizemore.**

THANK YOU:

Thank you to our church family for your prayers, visits, cards, calls, texts, and contributions to the building fund in Sam's memory. We love and appreciate each and everyone of you.
--Bill & Diane Morrow & the Morrow Family

STATISTICS:

Budget Rec'd 11.22.2020:	\$56,849.84
Budget Rec'd 11.29.2020:	\$50,436.65
Budget Req'd:	\$80,513.00
To Date Budget Rec'd:	\$686,735.92
To Date Budget Req'd:	\$724,616.48

destination next

March 4-5-19

Pledges:	\$4,129,627.88
Rec'd 11.22.2020:	\$8,916.13
Rec'd 11.29.2020:	\$6,626.00
Rec'd to Date:	\$2,314,553.58

Giving

Giving is an expression of our love for God and His ministry and mission through First Baptist Church.

You can give on the church website (FBCPC.com), through the church app (FBCPC.com/Get-App), or by clicking on the onling giving button.



"Sufficient" means "enough, ample".

The Lord is sufficient (enough) in the:

1. _____, vv 26-38

A. _____ encounter would change Mary's life completely.

When the blessings come, the Lord is sufficient! When amazing things happen, the Lord is sufficient.

B. In the _____ of the amazing, give thanks.

2. _____, Luke 2:25-35; Matthew 2:13-18

A. _____ of Jesus, Mary would have many alarming circumstances.

• Luke 2:34-35

• Matthew 2: the wise men.

B. In the alarming times of life, _____ in the sufficient Lord.

When alarming times come in your life - and they do for believers just as they do for those that do not have a relationship with Christ - where do you turn? What do you do? Who do you trust?

How do we display trust in the Lord?

Don't:

- _____ out.
- _____ matters into your own hands.
- _____ up. Keep talking to the Lord, even if it is venting!
- _____ yourself off from others.
- _____ victim.
- _____ to get an immediate answer to the question, "Why?"

Do:

- _____ extra time with the Lord.
- _____ wisdom from the Lord and His Word.
- _____ wisdom from **godly** others.
- _____ to the fact that God is still in control and can be trusted.
- _____ the Lord in spirit and in truth.
- _____ the Lord.

God knows what is best and He will do what is best as we declare our trust in Him.

Do you believe that?

3. _____, John 19:25; Acts 1:14

A. Mary _____ she needed a Savior.

B. _____ of the sufficient atoning work of our Lord, we worship.

What now?

1. _____ thanks to the sufficient Lord in the amazing times of your life.

2. _____ the sufficient Lord in the alarming seasons of your life. What do you need to give over to Him right now?

3. _____ the sufficient Lord as you realize the greatness of His atoning work for your life.

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.

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