

# First Words

March 24, 2024



## WELCOME

Glad you're with us!

### SMALL GROUPS

Small groups meet Sundays at **8:00, 9:15 and 10:45am**. For help finding a Small Group, visit the Welcome Center, or contact [darrington@fbctrussville.org](mailto:darrington@fbctrussville.org).

### WORSHIP

• **9:15am** (Traditional) • **10:45am** (Contemporary)

### OTHER HELPFUL INFO

- **Restrooms** are conveniently located just outside the Worship Center.
- **Offering bins** are located at the exits as you leave the Worship Center.
- **Listening devices** are available by request; see an usher to inquire.
- **FBCT Library:** Today 8:00am-12:30pm, closed this week. Reopening next Sunday, 8:00am-12:30pm. **Come see our Easter and New Book displays!**
- Inquire or register for any FBCT event at the **Event Center**.
- **For assistance** please see an usher or visit the Welcome Center.

**PRAYER.** Let us pray for you. Share your prayer requests at [fbctrussville.org/prayer-requests](http://fbctrussville.org/prayer-requests), or using this QR code. >>>



### Renew Conference

**Saturday, April 13 • 9:00am**  
Statewide WMU conference hosted by FBC Trussville.  
Tickets: [alabamawmu.org/renew](http://alabamawmu.org/renew)

### Men Of Acts Meeting

**Sunday, April 14 • 5:00pm • D144**  
Do you have handyman skills that you wouldn't mind sharing with the widows, single moms and homebound in our church family? Learn more about this busy ministry!

**More upcoming opportunities >>**



## F260

### BIBLE READING PLAN

- THIS WEEK
- Joshua 5:10-15, 6
  - Joshua 7-8
  - Joshua 23-24
  - Judges 2-3
  - Judges 4

### Memory Verses

- Joshua 24:14-15
- Judges 2:12

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Our Goal  
**\$115,000**

Received  
**\$46,252**

**MAKE JESUS KNOWN**

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

# Count On It!

Galatians 6:7-10

Choose Wisely

Sunday, March 24, 2024



<sup>7</sup> Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked.

A man reaps what he sows. <sup>8</sup> The one who sows to please his sinful nature, from that nature will reap destruction; the one who sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. <sup>9</sup> Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. <sup>10</sup> Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers. Galatians 6:7-10 (NIV)

Decisions:

- According to the \_\_\_\_\_ nature
- According to the \_\_\_\_\_

**Law 1: Must \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_**

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. 2 Corinthians 9:6 (NIV)

Note: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: \_\_\_\_\_

**Law 2: Reap \_\_\_\_\_ You Sow**

“mocked” = \_\_\_\_\_

Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Galatians 6:7 (NIV)

“Don’t be deceived” = \_\_\_\_\_

**Law 3: Reap \_\_\_\_\_ You Sow**

The one who sows to please his sinful nature, from that nature will reap destruction; the one who sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Galatians 6:8 (NIV)

“destruction” = \_\_\_\_\_

Remember: \_\_\_\_\_

Now He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. 2 Corinthians 9:10 (NIV)

**Law 4: Reap \_\_\_\_\_ You Sow**

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6:9 (NIV)

Remember: \_\_\_\_\_

Important Truth:

- Sow a \_\_\_\_\_, reap an \_\_\_\_\_
- Sow an \_\_\_\_\_, reap a \_\_\_\_\_
- Sow a \_\_\_\_\_, reap a \_\_\_\_\_
- Sow a \_\_\_\_\_, reap a \_\_\_\_\_

“ \_\_\_\_\_ is the father of \_\_\_\_\_.”

- Charles Stanley

Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers. Galatians 6:7-10 (NIV)



# HOLY WEEK

SERVICES DAILY @NOON • LUNCH TO FOLLOW  
TRUSSVILLE METHODIST • FBCT'S DAY TO LEAD: 3/26



# GOOD FRIDAY

3/29 • SERVICE @6:00PM • WORSHIP CENTER  
CHILDCARE PROVIDED FOR BIRTH THRU 4K



# EASTER SUNDAY!

3/31 • THREE IDENTICAL SERVICES @8:00, 9:30 & 11:00AM  
A CELEBRATION OF THE RISEN KING!

CHILDCARE  
AVAILABLE FOR  
BIRTH THRU 4K

PLEASE ATTEND  
8:00 OR 11:00  
IF POSSIBLE

FAMILY PHOTO  
OPPORTUNITIES IN  
MULTIPLE LOCATIONS!



## Today (3/24)

### Overflow Mentor Training

Noon • D200 • Lunch provided!  
Training for those taking part in our  
new women's mentoring ministry.

## THIS WEEK (3/24-30)

### Sports & Wellness Outreach

- Men's Spring Basketball League\*  
Register now! \$40 person/\$320 team
- Exercise Classes - Daily! For schedule  
visit: fbctrussville.org/exercise-classes
- TRECHO - Saturday • 8:00am
- Gym Closed - Evenings this week; no  
open gym or pickleball. (Resumes 4/1)

### Holy Week Services

Daily • Noon • Trussville Methodist  
Services take place at Noon, with  
lunch to follow. FBCT's day to lead  
this service will be on Tuesday, 3/26.

### Midweek

Wednesday, March 27  
No Midweek This Week  
Our Midweek meal,  
studies and activities  
will resume next  
Wednesday, April 3,  
with four new classes!



### Good Friday Service

Friday, March 29 • 6:00pm • WC  
A night of worship focused on the  
cross at Calvary. Childcare provided  
to kids through age 4K.

## Next Sunday (3/31)

### Easter Sunday!

Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00am!  
If you can, please try to be with us at  
8:00 or 11:00, leaving the 9:30 service  
for any visiting with us. *Small groups  
will not meet on this day.*

## COMING UP

- **First Monday Event (SAM)**  
Monday, April 1 • 11:00am • WC  
We'll be joined by Dr. Johnny Fain.
- **Cruise-In Meeting (SAM)**  
Monday, April 1 • 6:00pm • D142  
We'll look ahead to the June 1 event!
- **Bus Bash (All Students)**  
Wednesday, April 3 • 4:30-7:30pm  
In the front FBCT parking lot.
- **Starting Point\* (Membership)**  
Sunday, April 7 • 5:00pm • FH  
For anyone new to First Baptist!
- **Children's Choir (Worship)**  
Wednesday, April 10 • 5:30pm  
For 1st-5th grades, in the Chapel.
- **6:11 (Men)**  
Thursday, April 11 • 6:11am • Gym  
Come hungry, and bring a friend!
- **Edible Education (Wellness)**  
Thursday, April 11 • 11:30am • FH  
Healthy eating and helpful advice.
- **Baptism Sunday! (FBCT)**  
Sunday, April 21 • Noon • WC  
For any needing to take this step!

## Numbers From Last Sunday - March 17, 2024

Budget Receipts:	\$ 169,359	Small Groups:	1,682
Budget Received YTD:	\$1,682,893	Worship Services:	
NEXT YTD:	\$ 74,106	On Campus - 1,879	Online - 320
Annie Armstrong YTD:	\$ 46,252	Total: 2,199	

\*Registration: [fbctrussville.org/events](https://fbctrussville.org/events)

# On Today's Tear Off:



## Easter Flowers

Placed in the Worship Center  
this Easter season in honor/  
memory of your loved one.



Place this tab with \$12 in an offering  
envelope, leaving it in an offering bin as you  
leave today. Make checks to FBC Trussville.

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

In honor...     In memory...

...of: \_\_\_\_\_

## Easter Sunday Team

Help needed extending our best to worshippers  
during the 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00am services.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to help by serving:

As an usher     As a door holder

As a cart driver     In preschool

## Starting Point

Sunday, April 7 • 5:00pm • Fellowship Hall  
Please plan on me at the next Starting Point!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Total # attending with me: \_\_\_\_\_

Ages of children attending: \_\_\_\_\_

## Stephen Ministry

Help through difficult times from  
trained, caring ministers. Please contact me:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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