

# Welcome New Members!

 11/24 <b>Vadah Howard</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 11/24 <b>Olivia Gay</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 12/1 <b>Evie Merritt</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 12/1 <b>Ruthie Merritt</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 12/1 <b>Colin, Cyndi, Anna, Emily &amp; Ava Eubanks</b> transfer of letter
 12/8 <b>Blair Lybrand</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 12/8 <b>Emma Shores</b> profession of faith/ baptism	 12/8 <b>Steve &amp; Kim Bates</b> transfer of letter	 12/15 <b>Bill &amp; Pat Roberts</b> transfer of letter	 12/15 <b>Taylor, Lauren, Wilson, Jack &amp; Charlotte Payne</b> transfer of letter



God's handiwork  
FBCT Women's Conference 2025

January 31 - February 1

Ladies, join us for our 3rd Annual Women's Conference! We are so excited to have Lisa Allen of Proverbs 31 Ministries as our speaker this year! Cost is \$65. Sign up today at [fbctrussville.org/events](http://fbctrussville.org/events)



The Conservatory at First Baptist Trussville

## FACULTY RECITAL

**JANUARY 26 | 2PM**  
Featuring piano, strings, drums, voice & guitar

### Faculty Recital

Jan 26 • 2pm  
Worship Center

Our great Conservatory staff will come together and perform for us! This recital will feature piano, strings, voice, and guitar.



# COME HUNGRY AND BRING A FRIEND!

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 16**  
**6:11AM • IN THE GYM**

Men and boys of all ages, join us for a hearty breakfast and a challenge from God's Word!

### Mission Opportunities:

#### WellHouse School Supply Drive

We are having a school supply drive for the homeschool at The WellHouse Ministries.

#### Changed Lives Christian Center Meals

We need Sunday school classes to sign up to take a meal to Changed Lives Christian Center. Sign up on Helper Helper.

#### Mission Trip Scholarships

If you would like to help sponsor a youth or adult for a 2025 mission trip, please contact the Missions Office at (205) 228-1014.

#### Summer Mission Trip Registration

Registration for all summer mission trips opens on January 19th. To register or learn more, visit [fbctrussville.org/events](http://fbctrussville.org/events)

Helper Helper




**REGISTRATION FOR THE  
SPRING SEMESTER IS  
NOW OPEN!**

Music and art lessons begin January 6

**TO REGISTER  
OR FOR MORE  
INFORMATION,  
SCAN THE QR**



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January 2025

# THE LINK

The Monthly Newsletter of FBC Trussville

A new message series starting January 5...

# FREEDOM *after* FAILURE



LESSONS FROM A BROKEN KING

[FBCTRUSVILLE.ORG](http://FBCTRUSVILLE.ORG)



# JANUARY AT A GLANCE...

- 1 - **New Year's Day**  
Church Office Closed
- 2 - **Joyful Hearts Choir Rehearsal**  
10:00am • Chapel
- 6 - **SAM First Monday Prayer**  
10:00am • D139
- 8 - **Midweek at FBCT Returns**  
Dinner at 4:30pm • Discipleship  
Univeristy Classes at 6:00pm
- **Big Wednesday Night (Kids)**  
Dodgeball Tournament
- **MVMT Nite (Students)**  
Neon Night
- 9 - **SAM Praying For Your One**  
Men - 6:30am • Ladies - 12:00pm  
Room D139
- 15 - **2nd Annual Jubilee Bible Study**  
10:00am • Chapel
- 16 - **6:11 Breakfast**  
6:11am • Gym
- **Joyful Hearts Choir Rehearsal**  
10:00am • Chapel
- 17 - **MVMT WKND**  
January 17-19
- 19 - **Summer Mission Trip**  
Sign-Ups Open
- 23 - **SAM Luncheon**  
10:30am • Gym
- 25 - **TRECHO New Year's**  
**Resolution Run**  
8:00am • FBCT Fountain
- 22 - **Italy Mission Trip Interest Meeting**  
12:00pm • D144
- **Conservatory Faculty Recital**  
2:00pm • Worship Center
- **Starting Point**  
5:00pm • Fellowship Hall
- 31 - **FBCT Women's Conference**  
January 31 - February 1

## Going On Now

- SAM 2025 Meal Tickets**  
On Sale Now! \$85
- Conservatory Spring Registration**  
Music & Art Lessons Begin Jan. 6
- MVMT WKND Sign-up\***  
(6th-12th Grade)  
Jan. 17-19 • \$100
- God's Handiwork Women's**  
**Conference Sign-up\***  
Jan. 31-Feb. 1 • \$55 thru 11/24

## Happening Weekly

- Sunday Mornings**  
8:00, 9:15 & 10:45am  
Small Group Classes  
9:15 & 10:45am  
Worship: Traditional (9:15) &  
Contemporary (10:45)
- Midweek - Wednesdays**  
4:30-6:00pm  
Fellowship Meal in the Gym  
5:30pm - Children's Choir  
6:00pm - Discipleship University  
- TeamKID (babies-K5)  
- Acts 1:8 (1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>)  
- 412 (4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>)  
- Middle School (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)
- 6:15pm - Special Needs  
Midweek Refresh  
- Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30pm - Orchestra Rehearsal  
7:00pm - High School (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)
- Sports & Wellness Outreach**  
• Exercise Classes  
Daily! For schedule vist:  
fbctrussville.org/exercise-classes

**JELLO**  
Thursdays, 9:00&10:30am  
A weekly playdate for  
preschoolers and their moms

**FBCT Library**  
Sundays • 8:00am-12:30pm  
Tuesdays • 9:00am-5:00pm  
Wednesdays • 4:00-7:30pm



Middle and High School Students, you don't want to miss MVMT WKND happening January 17-19! This year's speaker will be Nate Hilgenkamp and Landon Wolfe will lead us in worship! Sign up today!

## TRECHO New Year's Resolution Run

January 25 • FBCT Fountain



Join us for a goal oriented walk, jog, run for anyone who has set a fitness goal or resolution for 2025!



## Starting Point

Jan 26 • 5pm • Fellowship Hall

The perfect opportunity for anyone new to First Baptist or looking for a church home!

Meet and share a meal with our ministry team as you hear more about the mission and message of our church! Childcare also available. Register at [fbctrussville.org/events](http://fbctrussville.org/events)

## Christian Sympathy

- Rita Huggins** in the loss of her husband, *Al Huggins*.
- Joe & Robin Davis** in the loss of his sister, *Katie Hayes*.
- Russ & Jana Feild** in the loss of his father, *Ron Feild*. **Madison & Reeve Feild** in the loss of their grandfather.
- Floyd Plummer** in the loss of his wife, *Linda Plummer*.
- Butch & Karen Evans** in the loss of his mother, *Barbara Evans*. **Sandy & Tony Green** in the loss of her mother.
- Teresa Allred** in the loss of her husband, *David Allred*.
- Bonnie Dunn** in the loss of her husband, *Robert Dunn*.

## Giving

	12/1	12/8	12/15	
Budget Needed Weekly	\$ 174,661	174,661	174,661	Note: Giving and Attendance information for 12/22 and 12/29 were not available at the time of print.
Budget Receipts	\$ 131,507	270,361	205,282	
Budget Needed YTD	\$ 8,383,754	8,558,415	8,733,076	
Budget Receipts YTD	\$ 7,515,753	7,786,115	7,991,397	
NEXT YTD	\$ 445,414	465,270	469,775	

## Small Groups

	8:00	9:15	10:45	Other	Total
12/1	- 262	995	319	4	<b>1,580</b>
12/8	- 270	916	351	14	<b>1,551</b>
12/15	- 238	1,055	311	0	<b>1,604</b>

## Worship

	On Campus		Online		Total
	9:15	10:45	9:15	10:45	
12/1	- 751	1,068	230	66	<b>2,115</b>
12/8	- 842	825	235	80	<b>1,982</b>
12/15	- 1,085	1,343	257	103	<b>2,788</b>

**TO REGISTER OR LEARN MORE, VISIT [FBCTRUSVILLE.ORG/EVENTS](http://FBCTRUSVILLE.ORG/EVENTS)**  
\*Registration/RSVP Required

Midweek

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### Midweek @ FBCT Returns January 8!

We will have new Discipleship University classes offered to help you live **with, like and for** Jesus, as well as dinner, served weekly from 4:30-6:00pm. Worship, Bible study, and activities for kids and students of all ages too! Scan the QR code above for available classes!

**4:30-6:00pm • Dinner • In the Gym**  
\$5 ADULTS, \$2 KIDS, \$20 IMMEDIATE FAMILY MAX

**6:00pm • Something For Everyone**

- Discipleship University Classes
- Preschool: TeamKID
- Weekly activities for Kids and Students (visit their ministry pages for additional details)

**ON THE MENU IN JANUARY...**

- 1/8 - Vegetable or Broccoli Cheese Soup
- 1/15 - Taco Salad
- 1/22 - Fried Chicken
- 1/29 - Spaghetti

\*Salad Bar offered as an alternative entrée  
\*\*Dine-in only; take-out not available