

**SICK:**

- Tommy Booker- Having A-Fib and associated cardiac issues. Grandson of Bill Malone living in San Marcos, TX.
- Becky Thompson- Recovering from cancer surgery. (Mother of Brandon Thompson)
- Vicki Shafer- Having hip surgery, and Ken Shafer diagnosed with pancreatic cancer (Family of Rhonda Cotton).
- Linda Toy- Diagnosed with ALS.
- Cheryl Donecker- Finished chemo and now starting radiation, doing better. (Cousin of Norma Wells, living in Wichita, KS)
- Noah Markey- 20 yr. old son of David and Melissa (Gordon) Markey has been diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma. His PET scan was clear. He has one more round of chemo then he is finished. He is a kidney transplant recipient so that's an added risk for treating cancer and protecting his kidney.
- Noel Ritter- Has a serious brain injury (Great niece of Barbara Moeller)
- Norma Wells- Grandson has contracted a rare disease.
- Patti Rhea- Her esophagus has narrowed, having difficulty eating. Patti is now home recuperating.
- Archie King- Last days of cancer (Brother of Norma Wells)
- Joseph and Sarah Woods- Medical needs.
- Ellen Gatliff- Diagnosed with Cancer, now taking chemo treatments.
- Jerry Golson- Has Congestive Heart failure (Friend of Mike Davis).
- Jerry Deaton- Diagnosed with Parkinsons (Brother-in-law of Gary Bradley).
- **ONGOING:**
- Cole LaBarre- Had brain surgery causing a stroke, trauma to his left side leaving him blind. Still doing therapy & speech with movement starting to come back. Update: He is walking alone now, short distances and his sight has returned a tiny bit in both eyes. (Cole is the great, great nephew of Brenda Bell)
- Tommy Morgan- Lost his left eye to infection and has a prosthesis and has glaucoma in his right eye and cancer. Update: Chemo Infusions have caused his pancreas to stop producing insulin, now he's a life-long diabetic. Chemo has been suspended until July. Eyes are now stable with its AMD and glaucoma.
- Awanda Glover- Health issues.

**2025 Mission Celebration- Sunday, January 19 @ 5:00 p.m.**

Join us as we explore the exciting mission opportunities awaiting First Baptist Church Lawton in 2025! This year, we are set to embark on transformative mission trips to vibrant locations, including Roatan, Honduras, Utah, and The Bronx in New York. Get ready to be inspired! Our event will feature captivating videos and motivational speakers who share their experiences and insights. We are incredibly excited to welcome Jeff and Glory Cone, missionaries from Legacy Mission International in Roatan, Honduras, who will offer valuable perspectives you won't want to miss. Additionally, via video, we will hear from Dustin Stockman (Utah) and Jordan Cicada (New York), who will enrich our gathering with their passion and mission stories. Dinner for the evening will be hearty beef stew, creamy potato soup, salad bar, and delightful desserts. And here's the icing on the cake—a chance to win a \$300 deposit that can be applied toward each of our mission trips! Remember, to enter the drawing, you must be present, and this amazing prize is non-transferable, so make sure you're there to claim it! We can't wait to see you at this amazing celebration. Let's make a difference, one mission trip at a time!

**OKLAHOMA BAPTISTS PRAYER REQUESTS**

Amber Hill, Brazilian Churches and NextGen, Serving in Brazil

- Pray more workers will engage with the universities in Rio De Janeiro.
- Pray the churches near each university will develop a partnership with those universities.
- Pray seeker Bible studies will start on each campus, leading to confession in faith and discipleship studies.

**NORTH AMERICAN MISSION:**

Leo and Miosha Robinson, Church Planter, Flint, Michigan

- Pray for us to seek God in every decision and live generously in our community.
- Pray for teachable leaders to be raised up and sent to Good Church.
- Pray we find a healthy rhythm of rest for our marriage and family.

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- Jean & John Skinner- Health issues. (Parents of Renee Hardage)
- Mike Finley- Has MS and has back & leg pain.
- Randy Newman-Heart issues.
- Beth Mercer- Health issues.
- Mr. & Mrs. Bill Looney
- Daymond McGaughey-Health Issues.
- Cindy Johnson- Health Issues
- Bud Hoskins- Health Issues. (Brother of Michael Hoskins)
- Marcia & Charles Elkins- Health issues.
- Evelyn Ard- Has Kidney failure and Dementia, lives in Georgia. (Mother of Tiffany Burris).
- David Ellsworth- Pray for heart healing and less anxiety.
- Harold Gaches- Health Issues (Lead Pastor of FBC West)
- Denise Campbell- Kidney Issues

**SYMPATHY:**

- To Gerald and Diane Branstetter on the passing of his brother, Steve Branstetter, December 28, 2024. His memorial service will be January 18, 2025, in Claremore, OK.

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January 12, 2025

# FBC Lawton

## NEWSLETTER

[fbclawton.org](http://fbclawton.org)

Bible Reading Plan

1. Genesis 1:1-2:25, Matthew 1:1-2:12, 15. Genesis 31:17-32:12, Matthew 10:24- Psalm 1:1-6, Proverbs 1:1-6 11:6, Psalm 13:1-6, Proverbs 3:16-18
2. Genesis 3:1-4:26, Matthew 2:13-3:6, 16. Genesis 32:13-34:31, Matthew 11:7-30, Psalm 2:1-12, Proverbs 1:7-9 Psalm 14:1-7, Proverbs 3:19-20
3. Genesis 5:1-7:24, Matthew 3:7-4:11, 17. Genesis 35:1-36:43, Matthew 12:1-21, Psalm 3:1-8, Proverbs 1:10-19 Psalm 15:1-5, Proverbs 3:21-26
4. Genesis 8:1-10:32, Matthew 4:12-25, 18. Genesis 37:1-38:30, Matthew 12:22-45, Psalm 4:1-8, Proverbs 1:20-23 Psalm 16:1-11, Proverbs 3:27-32
5. Genesis 11:1-13:4, Matthew 5:1-26, 19. Genesis 39:1-41:16, Matthew 12:46- Psalm 5:1-12, Proverbs 1:24-28 Psalm 13:23, Psalm 17:1-15, Proverbs 3:33-35
6. Genesis 13:5-15:21, Matthew 5:27- 20. Genesis 41:17-42:17, Matthew 13:24-48, Psalm 6:1-10, Proverbs 1:29-33 Psalm 46:1-15, Proverbs 4:1-6
7. Genesis 16:1-18:15, Matthew 6:1-24, 21. Genesis 42:18-43:34, Matthew 13:47- Psalm 7:1-17, Proverbs 2:11-5 Psalm 14:12, Psalm 18:1-15, Proverbs 4:7-10
8. Genesis 18:16-19:38, Matthew 6:25- 22. Genesis 44:1-45:28, Matthew 14:13-36, Psalm 7:14, Psalm 8:1-9, Proverbs 2:6-15 Psalm 18:37-50, Proverbs 4:11-13
9. Genesis 20:1-22:24, Matthew 7:15- 23. Genesis 46:1-47:31, Matthew 15:1-28, 29, Psalm 9:1-12, Proverbs 2:16-22 Psalm 19:1-14, Proverbs 4:14-19
10. Genesis 23:1-24:51, Matthew 8:1-17, 24. Genesis 48:1-49:33, Matthew 15:29- Psalm 9:13-20, Proverbs 3:1-6 Psalm 16:12, Psalm 20:1-9, Proverbs 4:20-27
11. Genesis 24:52-26:16, Matthew 8:18- 25. Genesis 50:1- Exodus 2:10, Matthew 34, Psalm 10:1-15, Proverbs 3:7-8 16:13-17:9, Psalm 21:1-13, Proverbs 5:1-6,
12. Genesis 26:17-27:46, Matthew 9:1- 17, Psalm 10:16-18, Proverbs 3:9-10
13. Genesis 28:1-29:35, Matthew 9:18- 26. Exodus 2:11-3:22, Matthew 17:10-27, 38, Psalm 11:1-7, Proverbs 3:11-12 Psalm 22:1-18, Proverbs 5:7-14
14. Genesis 30:1-31:16, Matthew 10:1- 27. Exodus 4:1-5:21, Matthew 18:1-20, 23, Psalm 12:1-8, Proverbs 3:13-15 Psalm 22:19-31, Proverbs 5:15-21





ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK	
Sunday School	303
Moring Worship	559
BUDGET REPORT	
Weekly Required	\$ 36,401.04
Weekly Received	\$ 44,110.99
YTD Required	\$ 1,456,041.60
YTD Received	\$ 1,384,417.32
YTD Percentage	95.08%
Lottie Moon Offering	\$ 40,344.18

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

##### 2024 Charitable Contribution

End of the year giving statements will be sent out on January 31, 2025.

##### Mother and Son - Nerf, Nachos, and Bingo

Join FBC Kids for an evening of food, fellowship, and lots of fun! This Mother/Son event is for kiddos birth-5th grade and their mom, aunt, grandma, female caretaker, or female guardian! The cost is \$5 per person. Bring Nerf guns for you and your son(s). We will provide Nerf bullets. We have limited goggles.

##### Deacon's Ordination Council & Service

The Deacon's Ordination Council will be held Sunday, January 12, 2025, from 4:00-5:00pm in the Parlor. Directly following the Council will be the Deacon's Ordination Service from 5:00-6:00pm in the Worship Center.

##### Silver Saints Luncheon

Silver Saints Luncheon will be held on Monday, January 13, 2025, at 11:00am in the Fellowship Hall

##### ESL Classes

ESL classes will start on Tuesday nights at 6:30 PM, beginning January 14, 2025.

##### M28 Ministries

Our next day to serve at the M28 Ministries is Saturday, January 18, 2025. Sign up with Jeff Henderson or email [web@fbclawton.org](mailto:web@fbclawton.org).

##### Office Closure

The office will be closed Monday, January 20th for Martin Luther King Day.

##### Dig Deeper

Dig Deeper will be on Thursday, January 23rd at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

##### 2025 United Weekend

Students!! United Weekend will be the weekend of February 7 & 8th. Please visit the FBC Lawton Students webpage for more information.

##### Sunday School Leadership Training

Join us for our upcoming FBC Kids & Adult Teacher Lunch & Leadership Training on Sunday, January 26th following the Worship Service.

##### Mac Powell - I Love Jesus Tour

Join us for the *I Love Jesus Tour*, featuring Mac Powell, the iconic voice of Third Day, alongside Cochren & Co. and Jon Riddick for an evening of music and inspiration! A lineup that's sure to create worship moments through songs you love and stories that resonate. Don't miss this chance to sing along, connect, and experience live music with your family and friends- get your tickets now! Tickets can be bought on [etix.com](http://etix.com) or at the Welcome Center. General Admission tickets - \$25.00

##### Live Stream

We will be live streaming our worship service at 10:45am on Sunday mornings from our website at [fbclawton.org](http://fbclawton.org), Facebook Live and YouTube. We will be broadcasting our Morning Worship service on KSWO at 11:00am.



# 2025 Mission Celebration

**Sunday, January 19, 2025**  
**5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**  
**Fellowship Hall**  
**Meal and Presentation**

#### WEEKLY PRAYER LIST

"Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving."  
 Colossians 4:2  
[www.fbclawton.org/connected/pray](http://www.fbclawton.org/connected/pray)

#### MINISTERS:

- Pray for a fresh and powerful walk with Jesus for myself, Jennifer, Hannah, Mikah and Sarah. Pray for God's favor, protection and provision for my family and me.
- Pray for wisdom, discernment, and vision as I lead my family and pastor our church.
- Pray for leading and anointing of the Holy Spirit as I prepare and as I preach.

- Pastor Keahbone

#### MEMBERS IN ASSISTED LIVING:

McMahon-Tomlinson  
 Beth Mercer #A-72  
 Charles & Marcia Elkins #41 A & B

#### MISSIONARIES: MIDDLE EAST

Brady & Julie Plunk and children

#### MEMBER NOTICES:

Please come join us January 14, 2025, at 4:45pm for our weekly fellowship meal. Adults \$5.00, Kids (5-12) \$3.00, (under 5 free) \$20 Family Max (5 or more people). Menu: Potato soup, Tomato Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Salad Bar, Dessert.

<b>SUNDAY, JANUARY 12</b>
9:30am Sunday School
10:45am Preschool Extended Session
10:45am Extended Session 1st-3rd
10:45am Morning Worship
3:30pm Revelation Women's Bible Study
4:00pm Deacon Mtg.
5:00pm Deacon Ordination
5:00pm Mother/Son Nerf & Nacho Night
<b>MONDAY, JANUARY 13</b>
8:30am Office Hours - 5:00pm
11:00am Silver Saints Lunch
<b>TUESDAY, JANUARY 14</b>
8:30am Office Hours - 5:00pm
9:30am Rooted Ladies
6:30pm ESL Classes
<b>WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15</b>
8:30am Office Hours - 5:00pm
9:30am Friendship International Fellowship Meal
4:45pm KDG Midweek
6:00pm Christ-Centered Living
Divorce Care
Midweek Media Team
Students Midweek
Womens Connection
Worship Choir Rehearsal
<b>THURSDAY, JANUARY 16</b>
8:30am Office Hours - 5:00pm
<b>FRIDAY, JANUARY 17</b>
Office Closed
<b>SATURDAY, JANUARY 18</b>
Office Closed
9:00am M28 Ministries
<b>SUNDAY, JANUARY 19</b>
9:30am Sunday School
10:45am Preschool Extended Session
10:45am Extended Session 1st-3rd
10:45am Morning Worship
2:00pm Budget/Finance Committee Mtg.
3:15pm Personnel Committee Mtg.
3:30pm Revelation Women's Bible Study
5:00pm Missions Celebration