

MORNING WORSHIP - 10:15 AM

Praise & Worship

I Stand Amazed In The Presence
Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King
My Jesus I Love Thee (w/Every Breath)

Welcome

Thank You For Giving!

Message in Song

Breath Of Heaven

Children Dismissed to First Kids Worship

Message

Time of Response

Jesus Paid it All

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Apryl Casey, Sara Hester, & Cherie Towns

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Closing Comments

Mark Towns

Post Service Music

Celebration Band

I Stand Amazed In The Presence

TODAY AT FBC

8:00 AM Band & Worship Team Rehearsal
9:00 AM Sunday School
10:15 AM Worship Service
10:30 AM Hispanic Church Sunday School
12:00 PM Hispanic Church Worship Service

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSURE & SCHEDULE

The Church Office will be closed January 1. We will not have Wednesday Night Activities on January 1.

NEW WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

BEGINS JANUARY 8

Our Pastor will begin a new Bible Study Series, "The Gospel According to John," on January 8. This study meets at 6:00 PM in Fellowship Hall.

NEW MESSAGE SERIES BEGINS

JANUARY 12

We will begin a new series of Sunday morning messages in January titled, "In The Beginning" from the Book of Genesis. After all, the Book of Genesis deals with beginnings. It sets forth the beginning of creation, the beginning of humanity, the beginning of family life, the beginning of sin and disobedience to God, the beginning of suffering, and the beginning of God's effort to redeem and restore man to a relationship of love and a fellowship of faith. Due to this fact, the Book of Genesis is considered by some to be the most important book in the Bible.

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

TED MURPHREE

We welcome today our special guest speaker, Ted Murphree. Ted grew up in Oneonta. His family is from Oneonta. Ted is married to his delightful wife, Thea, and they have one son, Micah. He became a Christian in 1983. Several people here at First Baptist were instrumental in his early Christian life. Ted has been in several ministry roles over the last 25 years. He is grateful for the opportunity to be here today.

NEW BIBLE READING PLAN

BEGINS JANUARY 1

Join the First Baptist Family as we read through and experience the Bible together in 2025. The **One Year Chronological Bible** provides an intriguing way to easily read through the Bible in one year . . . in only fifteen minutes per day! Experience the Bible in a fresh way by reading it in the order the events actually happened. You don't have to be a Bible historian to appreciate the fascinating new perspective waiting for you. It's like reading some of your favorite passages for the very first time! You can use the Church App with all the readings included along with an option to listen to the passages read to you. You can also pick up a printed 2025 Daily Reading Plan at the Welcome Center or Sanctuary Foyer. We are excited to see all God will teach us as we commit to read His Word this year!

**LFBC MEN'S MINISTRY
NIGHT OF WORSHIP
SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2025**

Supper @5pm
We will have a
Chili Cook-Off



To enter the Chili Cook-Off please fill out the google doc (QR Code) or call the church office (205-681-2254).

**Speaker:
Lee Moore**



SAMFORD/MTI CLASS PASTORAL EPISTLES

Mondays at 6 PM, Jan 20-Mar 10

First Baptist Church, Oneonta

Class Description: This course is an exegetical verse-by-verse study of First and Second Timothy and Titus. These letters are generally referred to as the Pastoral Epistles because they are written to church leaders. The letters are filled with ecclesiological insights and should be considered collectively as the textbook for the modern church.

Instructor: Larry Gipson

Note: This location will offer Zoom as an option for attending classes.

Register on the church website/app.

Registration is now available.

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OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

Monthly Budget Needs	\$68,281.90
Monthly Budget Receipts through December 22	\$94,692.00
Lottie Moon Christmas Offering	\$10,512.00

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YEAR END NOTES FROM YOUR FRIENDLY FINANCIAL MINISTRY ASSISTANT

As 2024 comes to a close, please keep this in mind when making your contributions.

Contributions can only be claimed in 2024 for tax purposes if received by the church prior to 12/31/24. The only exception is if mailed (postmarked) on or before 12/31/24 or given at church on Sunday, 12/29/24.

2024 Contribution Statements will be mailed to home addresses in January 2025. If you have moved or have a change of address, please notify the church office.

The 2025 Offering Envelopes are available outside the church office. If you are unable to locate yours, please contact Sarah Blakely in the church office for assistance.

JANUARY DEVOTIONALS

January Magazines and Devotions are available outside the church office.



*“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord,
“plans to prosper you and not to harm you,
plans to give you hope and a future.”*

Jeremiah 29:11

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2024

**LARRY GIPSON, PASTOR
GARY MORGAN, WORSHIP PASTOR
PATRICK DALSTRA, STUDENTS & YOUNG ADULT PASTOR
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