

The Purpose of FBC . . .

Accept, love and challenge people with God's truth. We help any willing person reach his or her fullest potential to become radically Christ-like.

Bible Reading for the Week

May 1-II Samuel 5:1-10
I Chronicles 11-12
May 2-Psalm 133
May 3-Psalm 106-107
May 4-II Samuel 5:11-6:23
I Chronicles 13-16
May 5-Psalm 1-2, 15, 22-24, 47, 68
May 6-Psalm 89, 96, 100, 101, 105, 132
May 7-II Samuel 7, I Chronicles 17
May 8-Psalm 25, 29, 33, 36, 39

Birthdays

Lupe Finch (5/1)
Jo Gott (5/1)
Michael Vega (5/1)
Rachel Maack (5/2)
Darlene Cohea (5/3)
Tatiana Will (5/3)
Ben Albright (5/4)
David Metcalf (5/4)
Sandy Barnhart (5/4)
Ken Enfinger (5/5)
Kayleigh Hulbert (5/6)
Tom Dobrick (5/7)
Robbie Verberg (5/7)
Ian White (5/7)

For Our Guests . . .

Welcome to First Baptist Church! We are so glad you have joined us this morning.

Guests . . If you would like to receive information or a brochure on FBC and any of its ministries, please stop by the Connections Center.

Also, please share any prayer or praises in the space provided on one of the orange Communication Cards located in the pew racks. Let us know how we can help you!



By giving to Faith Promise you help our missionaries spread the Gospel of Jesus around the world!

Visit our Website for more information on all our ministries:
<http://fbc-tempe.org>

For a complete listing of our Pastoral Staff and contact information, please visit our website at fbc-tempe.org.
You may also contact the Church Office at 480-839-0926.

Free Sermons

Want to listen to one of the sermons by Pastor Roger or one of the other FBC Pastors?

Free sermons by Pastor Roger and the other FBC Pastors are available to you on the FBC webpage at www.fbc-tempe.org.

Volunteer House Cleaners Needed at FBC

We are looking for a few good men and women who could help with some important tasks on our campus. We need help with:

- ✓ Vacuuming
- ✓ Cleaning windows,
- ✓ Landscape projects,
- ✓ Clean tables and chairs,
- ✓ Dusting for cob webs and
- ✓ Organizing several storage rooms.



If you would give a few hours to help with one or more of these projects, contact the Church Office at 480-839-0926.

Financial Update 2022

General Giving	Last Week	YTD (4/24)
Budget Plan	\$ 28,355	\$ 482,035
Giving (Donations)	\$ 24,153	\$ 297,487
	\$ -4,202 (Shortage)	\$ -184,548 (Shortage)
GF Expenses	\$ 7,643	\$ 335,668
Faith Promise	Last Week	YTD (4/24)
Budget Plan	\$ 1,045	\$ 17,764
Giving (Donations)	\$ 814	\$ 18,867
	\$ -231 (Shortage)	\$ 1,103 (Overage)
FP Expenses	\$ 6,284	\$ 23,852

Legacy Cumulative Debt Reduction

	Last Week	Since Jan 2019
Legacy Designated	\$ 1,005	\$ 406,157

Please continue to give to help reduce our long-term Legacy debt of approximately \$822,627.20.
On February 6, 2018, our debt was \$1,829,853.40.

How Do I Get Connected?

Do you want to meet and get to know the full-time Pastors, Children's Director, Women's Ministry Director and others? If so, you are invited to attend one of our "Welcome Lunches" as a guest of Pastor Roger and Di-anna. If you would like to attend our next Welcome Lunch please contact the Church Office by calling 480-839-0926.



FIRST BAPTIST
CHURCH  TEMPE

WE
LOVE
GOD
PEOPLE

Accepting, loving and chal-
lenging people with God's
truth

May 1, 2022

4525 S. McClintock Drive
Tempe, AZ 85282
480-839-0926
fbc-tempe.org
Dr. Roger Ball, Senior Pastor

Welcome to Worship

8:00 am-Traditional Worship

Rejoice the Lord is King
Welcome and Announcements
There Is a Fountain
The Old Rugged Cross
Prayer
Communion
Message-Al Fadi
“Nothing Has Been Left Unpunished”

9:30 am-Contemporary Worship

Only King Forever
Welcome and Announcements
Living Hope
Lord I Need You
Prayer
Choir
Communion
Message-Al Fadi
“Nothing Has Been Left Unpunished”

11:00 am-Alternative Contemporary Worship

In Tenderness
Welcome and Announcements
Psalm 19
Better Is One Day
Communion
His Mercy Is More
Prayer
Message-Al Fadi
“Nothing Has Been Left Unpunished”

11:00 am-Acoustic Praise and Worship (Upper Room)

Welcome
Worship Song #1
Worship Song #2
Worship Song #3
Prayer
Message-PIT Nathan Pipe
“Nothing Has Been Left Unpunished”

6:00 pm-Worship Service

Welcome
Day By Day
Your Grace is Enough
Without Him
Famous One
Prayer
Message-Pastor Matthew Downs
“If You Want the Blessing of God
You Must Obey”

CIRA 2022 Update

The Center for Islamic Research and Awareness (CIRA-a full-time ministry of FBC) is excited to provide you with this financial update for the period of January-February 2022.

Financial Need

Annual Budget	\$ 126,770.00
Giving-to-Date	\$ 38,246.00
Under Budget	\$ 88,524.00

On behalf of Al Fadi, Hanane and the CIRA ministry thank you for your kindness and your continued support. Your contributions enable them to serve HIM to advance the Gospel to Muslims here and throughout the world. For more information contact Al Fadi at alfadi@CIRAIInternational.com. Make out all checks to FBC earmarked “CIRA.”

Church Plant 2022 Update

The FBC Church Plant (10 minutes from FBC-Tempe) in Guadalupe (a ministry of FBC) is pleased to provide you a financial update for the period of January-February 2022.

Financial Need

Annual Budget	\$ 150,000.00
Giving-to-Date	\$ 15,209.00
Under Budget	\$ 134,791.00

The FBC Church Plant in Guadalupe along with Peter and Trisha Molina, would like to say thank you for your support and contributions which enable them to serve HIM and share the Gospel with the people of Guadalupe. For more information regarding the Church Plant, you can contact Peter Molina at pmolina@fbc-tempe.org. Make out all checks to FBC earmarked “Church Plant.”

This Week at FBC

Sunday, May 1

8:00 am-Traditional Worship
8:00 am-Adult Bible Class
9:30 am-Contemporary Worship
9:30 am-Kid City Children’s Classes
9:30 am-Teen Bible Class
9:30 am-Adult Bible Classes
11:00 am-Alternative Contemporary Worship
11:00 am-Acoustic Praise and Worship
11:00 am-Kid City Children’s Classes
11:00 am-Adult Bible Classes
12:00 pm-Lunch in the MAC
12:15 pm-Men’s Ministry Leadership Meeting
6:00 pm-Evening Worship Service

Monday, May 2

6:00 am-Men’s Bible Study
6:00 pm-Bible Study Fellowship

Wednesday, May 4

6:30 pm-Worship Team Rehearsal
6:30 pm-Choir and Orchestra Rehearsal

Thursday, May 5

9:00 am-Tot Town
5:00 pm-Teen Music Hang-Out
6:00 pm-High School and Junior High Teen Youth Group
7:00 pm-Finance Committee Meeting

Friday, May 6

6:00 pm-Guadalupe Church Plant Bible Study

Saturday, May 7

10:00 am-Youth Cyber Saturday

Consider These

*“What the Bible says is really true-
it is better to give than to receive.”*

(Ted Turner, Media Mogul and Philanthropist)

*“Giving is more than a responsibility it is a privilege;
more than an act of obedience-it is evidence of our faith.”*
(William Arthur Ward, American Educator)

Reflect

Beware of greed, hoarding or selfishness in your life . . .

- ✓ Luke 12:15-21 (Jesus said) *“Beware! Don’t be greedy for what you don’t have. Real life is not measured by how much we own.” And he gave an illustration: “A rich man had a fertile farm that produced fine crops. In fact, his barns were full to overflowing. So he said, ‘I know! I’ll tear down my barns and build bigger ones. Then I’ll have room enough to store everything. And I’ll sit back and say to myself, My friend, you have enough stored for years to come. Now take it easy! Eat, drink and be merry!’ “But God said to him, ‘You fool! You will die this very night. Then who will get it all?’ “Yes, a person is a fool to store up earthly wealth but not have a rich relationship with God.”*
- ✓ Psalm 37:16 *Better the little that the righteous have than the wealth of many wicked.*

Safety and Security



For the safety and security of everyone, your backpack or bag may be inspected. Thanks for your cooperation!

FBC Window Decals

FBC car window decals are still available for purchase. All proceeds from these go to Faith Promise to support our FBC Missionaries and Short-Term Mission Trips. If you have any questions regarding these, contact David Brinn.



Recycle Ink Cartridges

Please place any HP, Dell, Lexmark, Brother, Epson, Samsung, Kodak, Sharp or Canon empty ink cartridges that you have in the recycle box in Skylight Hall. These help defray the cost of office supplies for the church.

**Visit our Website
for more
information on all our
ministries:
<http://fbc-tempe.org>**

Library News

New to the Library:

- ✓ **Heart of Rubies** by Tessa Afshar
- ✓ **Harvest of Gold** by Tessa Afshar

Stop by and check them out!



FBC Bible Classes

8:00 am

Messenger Class-Room 107/108
(Couples and Singles, 50’s-70’s)

9:30 am

Men’s Class-Room 105
(Men of all Ages)

Truth Seekers-Room 118
(Couples and Singles All Ages)

JHM (Junior High)-Room 207
(Junior High Ages 12-14)

HSM (High School)-Room 207
(High School Ages 14-18)

11:00 am

**Nursery-
Birth through 23 Months Old
Children’s Classes-Kid City**
(2 Years through 6th Grade)

The Hood-Room 107/108
(Couples and Singles All Ages)

Journeys-Room 106
(Couples and Singles All Ages)

The Cure—Room 104
(Men of all Ages)

Online Donation

Why not consider signing up for electronic giving. FBC relies on the financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an easy way to give once or on a recurring basis. To give electronically, visit www.fbc-tempe.org and locate the link to the electronic giving page.

Help FBC Meet Its Budget

We appreciate your faithful giving to FBC and its ministries.

God is doing many good things at our church. Pray for the economy in America.

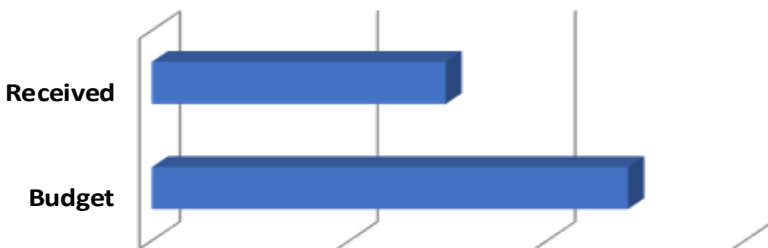
We need \$28,355.00 each week to meet our budget.

YTD Money Needed
\$482,035.00

YTD Money Received
\$297,487.00

UNDER Budget
\$-184,548.00

2022 General Fund Giving



	Budget	Received
Series 1	\$482,035.00	\$297,487.00



GriefShare Support Groups In-Person or via Zoom

Help and encouragement
following the death of a loved one

Loss of Spouse Seminar – Sunday, May 22, 2:00 to 4:00 pm

For registration information, contact Teresa Kovac
at 732-319-5533 or visit www.Griefshare.org

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever;
With my mouth will I make known
Your faithfulness to all generations.
Psalm 89:1



Children's Ministry (Birth through 6th Grade)

Preschool and Kindergarten

Bible Story: Esther is Bold Before the King

Bible Point: Bible Super Heroes

Elementary

9:30 am Bible Story: The Gospels

11:00 am Bible Story: The Crucifixion

Extraordinary Blessings / Special Needs

Bible Story:

Our goal is to partner with parents in teaching children to see and experience the world through the lenses of our beliefs.

Our desire is for them to have a biblical worldview instead of a secular worldview. Our worldview influences everything in our lives. We want our children to know that God's Word is the foundation for our lives and is the standard we use to judge every thought and action. Our Bible is perfect and true. If we use it as our foundation, it will guide us and change our lives.

Kid City Prayer Request for the Week:

Pray that Kid City . . .

Would be a place where God would be
Worshiped, praised and adored.

Humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God,
that He may exalt you in due time,
casting all your care upon Him,
for He cares for you.
I Peter 5:6-7

Do you listen to . . .

Pastor Roger's "Walk and Talks"

each week? If not, why not start this week!!

Here is how you can find the "Walk and Talks" on the internet.

- The most current weekly "Walk and Talk" is found on the FBC webpage at www.fbc-tempe.org
- To find all of the "Walk and Talks" on YouTube, go to www.youtube.com, type in "FBC Tempe Walk and Talk"
- To find the "Walk and Talks" on Facebook, go to www.facebook.com/FBCtempe, search First Baptist Church – Tempe and go to videos

Invite Someone To Worship

Family, Friends, Neighbors,
Co-Workers



Worship Service Tech Workers Needed

Due to moves and health issues **we are in serious need of new Tech Workers to run our Sound, Lighting, Media and Camera Stations** for all morning services, as well as

our evening service. If you have a desire to serve our Lord Jesus in these areas, we need you greatly. Our worship services cannot happen without dedicated volunteers to serve these vital tech positions. We will train you on whichever tech station you would like to serve. Please contact Pastor Rob Swanson at 480-839-0926 or Julie Huver at jhuver@fbc-tempe.org.

When in doubt – tell the truth!

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, July 9, 2022 -
7:50 to 10:00 am



You will get to:

- Meet – Know – Pray for Other Men
- Enjoy an Excellent Breakfast
- Join Other Men in Lifting Up Jesus
- Develop New and Lasting Friendships
- Worship
- Discover Special Events for Men

Sign-up today at the Men's Ministry Table
in Skylight Hall – Don't miss it!



Men's Upcoming Events

*Plan ahead and sign-up at the
Men's Ministry Table across from the Library
for the following men's events:*

- **Men's Breakfast** – The next Men's Breakfast will be on Saturday, July 9, 2022, at 7:50 am here at FBC. For more information on what is planned contact Pastor Anthony.
- **Monday Morning Bible Study** – This Men's Bible Study is meeting each Monday morning at 6:30 am here at FBC in Room 104. Contact David Brinn at 480-466-3481 for more information.
- **Authentic Manhood** – This class for men meets on Sunday mornings here at FBC at 9:30 am in Room 105. For more information on this class contact Pastor Anthony.
- **Hikes with Adam** – Contact Adam Bachman at 480-363-5570 for more information.
- **Bible Study Fellowship** – Small group Bible studies focused on learning the Bible here at FBC on Monday evenings. Contact Austin Erwin at 480-213-9627 for more information.
- **Men's Alaska Fishing Trip** – August 22 – 29 – Contact Pastor Anthony for more detailed information and cost.
- **Men's Camp** – September 23-25 – Check out the Men's Ministry Table for more information.
- **Men's Golf Outing** – July 23 – Check out the Men's Ministry Table for more information.



• Online Giving

Have you ever considered using online donations to make your contributions to FBC?

Online Giving . . .

- Helps you plan your offerings as a percentage of your income (I Corinthians 16:2).
- Is easy, convenient and secure.
- Supports the ministry program at FBC, just like your plate offerings do.

Would you like to give online? Go to the FBC webpage at www.fbc-tempe.org and click on “Donations” and follow the directions. If you need assistance contact Pam Rosendale at 480-839-0926.



“TOT TOWN”

FREE New Indoor Play Area in Kid City!

Ages – Birth to 5 years old with attending parent

When – First and Third Thursdays of each month
from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Where – FBC Kid City Preschool

Call your friends, bring your tots and meet up with new friends for some great play time. This is an amazing NEW community space, which will include bounce houses, imagination play, doll houses, an indoor playground and more!

Contact the Church Office at 480-839-0926 for more information.



Sunday Lunch in the MAC

Your donations at the food line in the wood boxes help greatly to cover the cost of each meal

May 1 – Chicken Cordon Bleu, Roasted Potatoes, Veggies, Salad Bar and Dessert

May 8 – Burrito Rice Bowls with Taco Beef and Your Choice of Toppings, Salad Bar and Dessert

May 15 – Variety Pizza Bagels, Caesar Salad, Salad Bar and Dessert

May 22 – Baked Chicken Taquitos, Rice, Pintos, Lisa’s FBC Salsa, Guacamole, Salad Bar and Dessert



Women's Ministries helps create opportunities for women to grow in their relationship with Jesus, to make healthy and safe connections with other women of faith, and to use their God given talents to benefit the church body and the community.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday Evenings

Moms in Prayer on ZOOM

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Dates: Jan. 9 - May 1

**Additional Information
can be found at the
Women's Ministry Table
across from Skylight Café.**

**Sign-up there
to receive
an email reminder
on all activities
and events!**



Family Dedication



Date – Mother's Day, Sunday, May 8

Times – 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

This is a special event where parents
dedicate themselves
to raise their children based on biblical
principles and to set an example for them.

Families (single or married) need to fill out a form
and meet with Dianna Ball to take part in this special Mother's Day event.
You can contact Dianna at 602-463-7329 (please leave a message)
or at dball@fbc-tempe.org.

**The courage to speak
must be matched
by the wisdom to listen!**



Where Do We Go from Here?

Starting Sunday, May 8

Our world is experiencing major changes.

We see the falling away of the church, the silencing of Christians, the ravaging toll of pandemics, the rise of globalism, a frail world economy, the fallout from socialism, woke religion, and more. These issues can be a cause of great anxiety. But if we understand that they were prophesied in the Bible as signs of the end times then we can be encouraged and know how to respond properly.

This series from Dr. David Jeremiah looks at 10 prophetic events that are appearing today in our culture and provides answers to these questions:

- **Where are we?** Take an honest look at troubling issues in our culture.
- **What does it mean?** Examine how these events are linked to Biblical prophecy.
- **Where do we go from here?** Get practical Biblical instruction to provide hope and courage to face these issues.

This series will be presented in The Hood Class, which meets on Sundays at 11:00 in Room 107. It will begin on Sunday, May 8. For more information contact Greg Jones, 480-205-8801, gregj757@gmail.com.



Ryan and Shelby Webb

Are you interested in hearing more about Sharing the Gospel with the Manam people?

Ryan and Shelby Webb and their four children are soon returning to Papua New Guinee with plans for finally sharing the

Gospel with the Manam people after 10 years of serving them.

Join them at FBC in Room 118 on Thursday, May 12, at 6:30 pm -OR- Sunday, May 15, 11 am to hear directly from them. Ryan will show you some Gospel training material he has been developing.

Pray for them, support them and listen carefully to how God will bring His Gospel to the nations.

**The Christian's walk and talk
must go together!**



Invite your friends on Sundays
to Hear Practical Answers
to Every Day Problems!



Sunday, May 1 – How much of my sin does
Jesus cover?

Sunday, May 8 – How do I rejoice in my
salvation?

Sunday, May 15 – What is healthy grief?

Sunday, May 22 – God's design has always been to dwell with His people

Sunday, May 29 – Can God make me a new person?

Sunday, June 5 – Is most of the world blind to the truth?

Sunday, June 12 – Is Jesus going to return soon?

Sunday, June 19 – How can I avoid a false prophet?

Sunday, June 26 – What is real hypocrisy?



Oh taste and see that the Lord is good;
Blessed is the man who trusts in Him!
Oh, fear the Lord, you His saints!
There is no want to those who fear Him.
The young lions lack and suffer hunger;
But those who seek the Lord
shall not lack any good thing.
Psalm 34:8-10

VOLUNTEER



FBC Is Looking for Volunteers

Are you looking to meet some new people? Are you interested in serving here at FBC? Do you have a few hours

you could give each week to volunteering here at FBC? Then we have just the thing for you!

FBC is looking for volunteers who would be willing to give a few hours each week as needed to accomplish some of the following:

- Maintenance and housekeeping projects
- Window washing
- Dusting, sweeping and vacuuming
- Painting projects
- Taking out trash
- Cleaning tables and chairs
- Landscaping projects
- Sweeping sidewalks
- Cleaning and sanitizing kitchens
- Cleaning and sanitizing bathrooms
- Tear-down and re-set classrooms
- Greeters and Information Desk Greeter
- Bible Class Teachers
- Small Group Leaders
- Sunday Morning Early Prep Church – Open-Up and Lock-Up
- Sunday Evening – Open-up and Lock-up
- Golf Cart Overseer and Golf Cart Drivers

If you are interested in volunteering here at FBC please drop this form in the offering plate, sign-up at the table across from the Library or contact Pastor Roger at rb618@cox.net

Name _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____



Kid City Happenings . . .

1. Tot Town, 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, Indoor parent/child playgroup for 5 years and under.

2. Mother's Day Celebration, Sunday, May 8,

Students will be presenting a special Mother's Day Poem through sign language during the 9:30 am and 11:00 am services.

3. Family Event @ SunSplash, Sunday, May 15, 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm, \$20.00 if you pre-register and pay in advance or \$46.00 @ the gate.

4. Donuts with Dad, Sunday, June 19, Students bring your dad, uncle or grandpa to Kid City on Father's Day for a free donut.

5. Family Summer Camp, June 24 – 26, Prescott Pines Camp

Get ready to have a family weekend filled with adventure, food, activities, laughter, recreation for the whole family and faith. Family camp is a great place for traditions and memories to form. This event is open to families of all ages. Registration required.

6. VBS, June 27-29 | 9:30 am – Noon, FREE

Join us for Mystery Island. Students will track down truths about the one true God. Students leaving 1st -5th grade will also have the opportunity to participate in electives such as soccer, sign language, cheer, art and more. Registration required.



7. Worship and Serve God

God created each of us uniquely with gifts and talents to bring Him the glory and to benefit the body of Christ. Our desire is to help you and your children find your place here at FBC. We are excited to provide ways for your family to use your gifts by serving in Kid City. Registration required.

**Information and registration links
can be found on the church website:**

www.fbc-tempe.org under Children's Ministry.



Helping our Missionaries

Since January 1, giving to Faith Promise has been

\$18,868.00

Our need since January 1 is **\$18,666.00**

Our weekly need is **\$1,098.00**

If we do not receive \$4,760.00 each month, each of our Faith Promise missionaries receive partial monthly support, not "full" monthly support from us.

Your faithfulness in giving to Faith Promise helps our **missionaries** spread the love of Jesus around the world!

Faith Promise **missionary** giving is in addition to your General Fund giving.

Here at FBC we support our **missionaries** in three ways:

1. Through our General Fund Budget,
2. Through designated gifts to specific **missionaries**, and
3. Through our Faith Promise giving to our **missionaries**.

Below is a list of the **missionaries** we support monthly through Faith Promise:

- Al Fadi
- Mark Burritt
- Steve and Darlene Evers
- Jim and Carolyn Fasold
- Gideons
- Bob and Elena Gonzalez
- Jeff Hause
- Kevin and Lelani Humble
- Ben and Aleyamma Joseph
- Luis Matute
- Bernie and Mary Miller
- Nogales Baptist Seminary
- Brent and Melanie Palmer
- Nathan and Meagan Pipe
- Erika Potter
- Tom and Laura Requadt
- Steve and Patty Robenalt
- Salvation Army
- Dwight and Gwynne Shaver
- Southwest CBA
- Tempe Community Action
- Ryan and Shelby Webb
- Cathy Wilson
- Peter and Trisha Molina

To help support our Faith Promise **missionaries** you can donate online using the FBC website, you can bring your check or cash when you attend one of our Sunday Worship Services, you can mail a check to the Church Office or you can drop off your donation at the Church Office. Be sure to designate your gift for "Faith Promise."

We received for our **missionaries** in 2021, through our General Fund Budget, through specific designated gifts and through Faith Promise giving \$695,647.00 which is 47.18% of our total General Fund Budget.





**Plan to show your
compassion at our next**

**Compassion Outreach
Day**

Honoring God & Others!

Saturday, May 21, from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

- One-Hour Prayer Groups
- Painting Project
- Free Car Wash
- Blood Drive
- Send the Gospel to PNG
- Breakfast in the Park
- McClintock Street Clean-Up
- United Food Bank
- Bible Drive



***Sign-Up at the Compassion Outreach Day table
in the foyer for the project
that you would like to take part in.***

***“This is how everyone will know
that you are my disciples
when they see the love
you have for each other.” John 13:3***




**Let the words of my mouth
and the mediation of my heart
Be acceptable in Your sight,
O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer.
Psalm 19:14**



17 Celebrations of You and God at Work at FBC-Tempe

1. Recently our church gave \$5,000.00 to help the suffering people in Ukraine with special personal delivery by our Missionary, Steve Evers.
2. In the last week \$8,379,25 was sent to A Perfect Injustice to help orphans in Uganda through Abigail and David Kakeeto, the daughter of one of our former pastors Steve Tracy. Thanks to all donors!
3. In 2021 total mission donations received (General Fund and designated) and made available for our missionaries was \$695,647.00 which is 47.18% of our total General Fund Budget. Praise God! Keep giving to our Faith Promise missionaries.
4. In February and March, 2021 our average attendance on Sundays, AM and PM, adults, children and teens, was approximately 375. In February and March, 2022, one year later, our average attendance on Sundays is almost 200 more, totaling 575 people.
5. After two years of no Easter Breakfast and Lunch in the gym due to Covid, we will serve Easter Breakfast and Lunch in the gym on Easter Sunday. Thank you, Ryan Barbarisi and team.
6. In March, 2022 our monthly expenses for the new Guadalupe Church Plant were \$5,447.00 and we received in donations \$5,190.00. Continue to give donations earmarked to our Church Plant in Guadalupe. Praise God! Pray and help Peter and Trisha Molina.
7. Last week the FBC Finance Committee and Deacon Board approved approximately \$19,000.00 to be spent toward Legacy Debt Reduction. In February, 2018, our original loan was \$1.8 million, and four-years later our Legacy indebtedness has a balance of \$792,715.00. This is a 56% reduction after four years. Earmark your donations "Legacy Debt."
8. In the last four or five months many first-time guests (visitors) have attended FBC and become regular attendees. Keep loving new faces in our church. Keep loving familiar faces.

9. Praise God, last Sunday night we worshiped God with an Easter Musical by our music team. The last Easter Musical occurred many, many years ago. Thank you, Music Team. Thank you, Pastor Rob.
10. In the last 12 months children's attendance on Sunday morning has gone from an average of 62 children to 90 children. Thank you, Kid City leaders and teachers. Thanks, Sharmon.
11. Two former Pastors-in-Training became Senior Pastors: Corey Kugle and Burton VanKirk. Pray for them.
12. Finally, after 2 ½ years we legally started the FBC Legacy Endowment and LLC for Church Preservation Planning. Thank you, Gary Maack, Pam Rosendale, Deacons, congregation, staff and soon to be the newly created FBC Endowment Board with Board Members Gary Maack, Danielle Fisher, Debbie Roberts, Robert Hill and David Brinn.
13. Praise God for first-term new Deacons: Ted Gutierrez, John Lucki and Mike McCall, and first-term new Deaconess, Sherri Lucki.
14. Our missionaries, Ryan and Shelby Webb and their four children soon return to Papua New Guinea to share Jesus with the Manam people. Listen to their story on Thursday, May 12, and Sunday, May 15, at FBC-Tempe. Give a donation to FBC earmarked "Webb Airfare."
15. FBC-Tempe Family Camp returns to FBC sponsored by Children's Ministry, June 24-26 at Prescott Pines. Go to the FBC website Children's Ministry page for more information.
16. Several people recently said "YES" to Jesus as their Savior. Show kindness and Jesus to everyone.
17. Women! Have fun. Laugh. Bring your neighbors and friends to the Women's April 23 comedy event. Buy your ticket now.



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the church needs you,
and the world needs both.

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Sunday Mornings Messages

May 8 – “Full Scale Corruption” (Ezekiel 8:1-18)

Al Fadi (8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Center)
PIT Nathan Pipe (11:00 Upper Room)

May 15 – “Destruction and Salvation” (Ezekiel 9:1-14)

Al Fadi (8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Center)
PIT Nathan Pipe (11:00 Upper Room)

May 22 – “The Departure of the Divine King” (Ezekiel 10:1-22)

Al Fadi (8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Center)
PIT Nathan Pipe (11:00 Upper Room)

May 29 – “The Gospel” (Ezekiel 11:1-25)

Al Fadi (8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Center)
PIT Nathan Pipe (11:00 Upper Room)

Sunday Evening Messages

May 1 – “If You Want the Blessing of God, You Must Obey” (Joshua 23:1-16) Pastor Matthew Downs

May 8 – “The Choice to Serve God” (Joshua 24:1-15) Pastor Matthew Downs

May 15 – “We Choose to Follow God, But We Cannot” (Joshua 24:16-28) Pastor Matthew Downs

“Nothing Has Been Left Unpunished”

May 1, 2022

Al Fadi

Ezekiel 7:1 – *Moreover, the word of the Lord came to me saying,*

Ezekiel 7:2 – *“And you, son of man, thus says the Lord God to the land of Israel, ‘An end! The end is coming on the four corners of the land.*

Ezekiel 7:3 – *‘Now the end is upon you, and I will send My anger against you; I will judge you according to your ways and bring all your abominations upon you.*

Ezekiel 7:4 – *‘For My eye will have no pity on you, nor will I spare you, but I will bring your ways upon you, and your abominations will be among you; then you will know that I am the Lord!’*

Ezekiel 7:5 – *“Thus says the Lord God, ‘A disaster, unique disaster, behold it is coming!*

Ezekiel 7:6 – *‘An end is coming; the end has come! It has awakened against you; behold, it has come!*

Ezekiel 7:7 – *‘Your doom has come to you, O inhabitant of the land. The time has come, the day is near-tumult rather than joyful shouting on the mountains.*

Ezekiel 7:8 – *‘Now I will shortly pour out My wrath on you and spend My anger against you; judge you according to your ways and bring on you all your abominations.*

Ezekiel 7:9 – *‘My eye will show no pity nor will I spare. I will repay you according to your ways, while your abominations are in your midst; then you will know that I, the Lord, do the smiting.*

Ezekiel 7:10 – *‘Behold, the day! Behold, it is coming! Your doom has gone forth; the rod has budded, arrogance has blossomed.*

Ezekiel 7:11 – *‘Violence has grown into a rod of wickedness. None of them shall remain, none of their people, none of their wealth, nor anything eminent among them.*

Ezekiel 7:12 – *‘The time has come, the day has arrived. Let not the buyer rejoice nor the seller mourn; for wrath is against all their multitude.*

Ezekiel 7:13 – *‘Indeed, the seller will not regain what he sold as long as they both live; for the vision regarding all their multitude will not be averted, nor will any of them maintain his life by his iniquity.*

Ezekiel 7:14 – *‘They have blown the trumpet and made everything ready, but no one is going to the battle, for My wrath is against all their multitude.*

Ezekiel 7:15 – *‘The sword is outside and the plague and the famine are within. He who is in the field will die by the sword; famine and the plague will also consume those in the city.*

Ezekiel 7:16 – *‘Even when their survivors escape, they will be on the mountains like doves of the valleys, all of them mourning, each over his own iniquity.*

Ezekiel 7:17 – *‘All hands will hang limp and all knees will become like water.*

Ezekiel 7:18 – *‘They will gird themselves with sackcloth and shuddering will overwhelm them; and shame will be on all faces and baldness on all their heads.*

Ezekiel 7:19 – *They will fling their silver into the streets and their gold will become an abhorrent thing; their silver and their gold will not be able to deliver them in the day of the wrath of the Lord. They cannot satisfy their appetite nor can they fill their stomachs, for their iniquity has become an occasion of stumbling.*

Ezekiel 7:20 – *‘They transformed the beauty of His ornaments into pride, and they made the images of their abominations and their detestable things with it; therefore I will make it an abhorrent thing to them.*

Ezekiel 7:21 – *‘I will give it into the hands of the foreigners as plunder and to the wicked of the earth as spoil; and they will profane it.*

Ezekiel 7:22 – *‘I will also turn My face from them, and they will profane My secret place; then robbers will enter and profane it.*
Ezekiel 7:23 – *‘Make the chain, for the land is full of bloody crimes and the city is full of violence.*

Ezekiel 7:24 – *‘Therefore, I will bring the worst of the nations and they will possess their homes. I will also make the pride of the strong ones cease, and their holy places will be profaned.*

Ezekiel 7:25 – *‘When anguish comes, they will seek peace, but there will be none.*

Ezekiel 7:26 – *‘Disaster will come upon disaster and rumor will be added to rumor; Then they will seek a vision from a prophet, but the law will be lost from the priest and counsel from the elders.*

Ezekiel 7:27 – *‘The king will mourn, the prince will be clothed with horror, and the hands of the people of the land will tremble. According to their conduct I will deal with them, and by their judgments I will judge them. And they will know that I am the Lord.’”*