

Financial Update 2026

GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (09/06)
Budget Plan	\$ 18,898	\$ 680,328
Giving (Donations)	\$ 12,160	\$ 654,995
	(Short) \$ 6,738	(Short) \$ 25,333
GF EXPENSES	\$ 3,749	\$ 616,156
MISSIONARY FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 938	\$ 33,768
Giving (Donations)	\$ 1,526	\$ 32,187
	(Over) \$ 588	(Short) \$ 1,581
FP EXPENSES	\$ 0	\$ 25,707

July CIRA Update

- Budget 2026 - \$486,000
- June YTD General - \$275,116
- June Designated Income-\$0

July Church Plant Update

- Budget 2026 - \$150,000
- June YTD General \$37,930
- June General— \$8,959

This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 9/14:** 6:15 am—Men's Bible Study, rm 104
- Tuesday, 9/15:** 9:30 am—Women's Bible Study, rm 221
6:00 pm—Prayer Walk, meet outside church
7:00 pm—Young Adult Group, rm 207
- Wednesday, 9/16:** 5:30 pm— Youth Music/Band Practice, rm 207
6:30 pm—Youth Group, rm 207
6:30 pm— FBC Choir Rehearsal
- Thursday, 9/17:** 6:30 pm—Grief Share, rm 104
6:30 pm—Women's Bible Study, rm 221
6:30 pm—Worship Team Rehearsal

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Sermon Guide

The Final Word— "Reordering Relationships"

Matthew 19:3-15

September 13, 2026

Pastor John Heston

Marriage isn't made for a _____; it's made for
a _____.

Divorce goes against God's _____.

Some divorce is _____, but not _____.

Your Application:

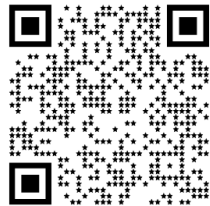
How to deal with the injustices that come from divorce:

1. Identify a past injustice.
2. Ask God to help you forgive and bless everyone who harmed you.
3. Ask forgiveness for your reaction to the injustice.
4. Release the right to understand why the injustice happened.
5. Declare release and healing from your past!

Featured Events:

- **Sunday Lunch:** 9/13 Deli Bar 9/20 Baked Potato Bar
- **Young Adult Group:** Young Adults 18-29, singles or couples, meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm, rm 207.
- **Fall Women's Bible Studies:** A Word Study of the Book of Proverbs, by Fred Morse. Tuesday mornings, 9:30-11:30 am, 8/25—11/17 and Thursday evenings, 6:30—8:00 pm, 8/27—11/19. Rm 221
- **Young Family Group:** Every other Wednesday. 5:30 pm, rm 107/108 Next Meeting: 9/23
- **Intercessory Prayer Meeting:** Thursday, September 24, at 9:00 am in rm 104. Join Pastor John the last Thursday of each month in a time of intercessory prayer for our church and community.
- **Seniors Ministry:** Monthly lunch and fellowship. Wednesday, October 14, at 11:00 am. \$5. Join us for a fall Octoberfest!
- **FBC Prayer Walk:** Tuesday, September 15, 6-6:30 pm. Led by Rafael Salgado.
- **FBC Baptism Class:** Are you interested in baptism? Join us on Sunday, September 20, at 11:00 am in rm 118.
- **FBC Mission Trip to North Carolina: October 4-10.** There are still spaces available! Contact Dave Lemons by text at 602-501-0057 if you are interested in this incredible service opportunity.
- **New Bible Class:** Our Foundations of Faith class will start back up on Sunday, October 4, 5:00—6:30 pm, rm 107/108.
- **Men & Sons Mini-Golf:** Monday, September 21, 7-9:00 pm. Imagine 3D Mini-Golf, 785 W. Warner Road, Suite A107, Gilbert. Sign-up at the Men's table. Pay at the location.

**WANT TO LEARN TO BE A
DISCIPLEMAKER?**



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**Do you care for a loved
one and need support?**

**Is there another area in
your life you could use
the support of a care
group?**



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KID CITY

(Birth through 6th grade)

Spiritual Growth Opportunities

Sunday's 9:30 & 11:00am

Today your son/daughter will learn about:

Preschool through Kindergarten

Jesus Faces Unkind People

Memory Verse: Joshua 1:9

"Be strong and brave because God is with you."

1st through 6th Grade

Fill Your Mind with God's Truth

(Philippians 4:8)

Memory Verse: Matthew 5:16 "Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father."

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.

Explore Skylight Cafe' ...FREE!



Free bagels, donuts, sodas and water during the whole month of September. We want you to see for yourself that our Cafe is a place where you can belong and connect. Stop in and get one drink and one food item free each Sunday in September!



The flowers on stage this morning represent recent decisions for Christ through the people, ministries and missions of FBCT.

- **FBC Missionaries, Ryan and Shelby Webb have let us know that one of the Manam people in Papua New Guinea has given their life to Christ this week!**

