



ORDER OF SERVICE

February 12, 2023

Opening Song	<i>At the Cross (Love Ran Red)</i>
Welcome & Greeting	Jerry Patton
Scriptural Call to Worship	Chris Baker <i>Deuteronomy 30:15-20</i>
Worshipping Together Through Song	<i>A Mighty Fortress is Our God</i>
Deacon Devotion & Offertory Prayer	Seth Foster
Responsive Scripture Reading	Chuck Burton
Worshipping Together Through Song	<i>I Will Trust My Savior Jesus Grace Greater Than All Our Sins</i>
Pastoral Prayer	Jerry Patton
Receiving God's Word Together	Chris Baker
Responding to God's Word Together	<i>Be Thou My Vision (Lord You Are)</i>
Announcements & Benediction	Chuck Burton
Closing Song	Doxology

WHY WE GATHER

Whether you're a first-time guest or a longtime member, we're glad you're here! We believe that there are many ingredients involved in making a healthy Christian, and the Sunday morning gathering is definitely one of them. Each week we live our lives being bombarded by lies; we are told that we are so bad that we are beyond hope or so good that we are beyond need. Throughout our week we are tempted to put our hope in and stake our joy on things and people that will inevitably fail us. A gospel-centered, Jesus-exulting weekly gathering is a major defense against these errors. We need to be reminded by others and need to remind others of the wonders purchased for us by the person and work of Jesus Christ. Gathering with other Christians is a God-ordained means to do this.

WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

This Week

Next Week

Ushers	Jared Hawkins, Kendrick Ross, Dennis Sykes, Ed West	Travis Barr, Pete Brooks, Frank Buck, Tuff Griggs
Nursery	Nancy Wheeler, Nada Gibson, Jack Mathews, Sheri Deckerd	Greg & Hilary Hedberg, Cathy Harvey, Jade Harper
Children's Church	Michael, Rebekah, & Noah Kropf, Kendrick Ross, Kyle Anderson	Sandra Dorr, Kelly Hawkins, Seve Ward, Harold Deckerd
Tech Team		
Deacon Prayer	Seth Foster	Stuart Cox
Stuart House	Harold Deckerd	Steve Gordon
Breakfast: B=Bakers S=Servers	B: M Magley, M Griffin, C Hinspeter, J Ross S: M Magley, M Landis, M Griffin, C Burton	B: B VanHulton, T Hann, L Sykes, P Bryson S: B VanHulton, T Hann, L Sykes, P Bryson
Monday Tellers	Chuck and Rita Burton	<u>Tuesday:</u> Pete Brooks & Lynda Sykes

OUR TEAM

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Deacons

Larry Bryson	Nathan Martin
Stuart Cox	Tom Nelson
Seth Foster	Randy Power
Steve Gordon	Dan Rhoades
Greg Hedberg	Kendrick Ross, Chairman
Dylan Kempker	Gary Dorr, Vice Chairman
John Malloy	Harold Deckerd, Secretary

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FBC THIS WEEK

Sunday, Feb 12

8:30am	Breakfast
9:00am	Sunday School
10:15am	Worship
1:00pm	Financial Peace University
4:00pm	Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, Feb 14

6:30pm	Deacons Meeting
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Wednesday, Feb 15

1:00pm	Food Pantry open
6:00pm	FBC Kids FBC Students Parenting Class

Thursday, Feb 16

6:00pm	Pickleball
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Friday, Feb 17

10:00am	Game Day
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Saturday, Feb 18

7:00am	Men's Bible Study
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Upcoming FBC Events

Tues, Feb 14 @ 7:30p: Deacons Meeting
Friday, Feb 24: Children's Movie Night

NEWS

Mary Bagley will be turning 100! Mary has been a member of FBC since 1951. She will celebrate her 100th birthday on February 14. Send Mary a birthday card to 711 Brick St, Centralia, MO 65240.

Women's Bible Study: *What the Women Saw:* Discovering Jesus through the Eyes of Women. Due to Super Bowl shenanigans, this Sunday only, we'll meet at 4:00 in the Fellowship Hall.

Missouri Baptist Disaster Relief training will be held on the following dates: March 10-11 at FBC Macon and April 14-15 at FBC Clinton. You only need to attend one 2-day training to be certified. Visit modr.org or see Pastor Chris to register.

Today there will be a short meeting about a work trip to **Hamtramck, MI** right after the service down at the front of the Sanctuary near the piano. We're putting together a small team to do some flooring, dry-walling, and plumbing in a ministry house from March 15-19.

Next Sunday we're hosting a lunch and **Membership Class** for anyone who is interested in joining FBC or who has joined recently. In fact, anyone can attend if you'd like to learn more about FBC or how to get involved in our various ministries.

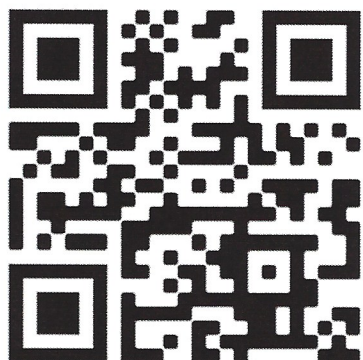
The **FBC Scholarship** deadline is about 6 weeks away. The scholarship information can be found under the resources tab on our website.

Operation Christmas Child News:

1) On Saturday at 1pm there is an *Operation Christmas Child* celebration at FBC Fulton. A young lady from the Philippines will be on-hand to share her testimony about God's love through receiving a shoebox when she was 13. See Terry or Ann Carlyle for information.

2) Is it easier for you to shop from your couch? Please check the Amazon Wishlist for OCC. Search the Amazon gift registry for Ann Carlyle and you will see the Operation Christmas Child list. If you have any questions, please see Terry or Ann Carlyle.

All In, Heroes of the Faith: Moberly Area Women's Retreat hosted by Redeemer Church. March 10-11, 4th Street Theater, Moberly. Fri at 6pm/Sat at 9am. Featuring Jaime Pittman
Visit <https://sites.google.com/.../allinmoberlyladiesretreat/home> for more information and to register.



MOBILE GIVING

Scan the QR Code with your mobile device to be directed to our mobile giving platform or visit centraliafbc.org/give.

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE & GIVING

Sunday School	84
Morning Worship	171

Giving

Weekly Need	\$7,328.00
Total Received (includes online offerings)	\$7,473.38

SERMON NOTES

Exodus 18:1-27 | Chris Baker

PRAYER LIST

To add a prayer request, complete a Connect Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate, or email office@centraliafbc.org

Name	Need	Name	Need
Tarryn Vega	Sports Crusaders decision		
Travis Barr	Treatment/healing/God's guidance for drs		
Melinda Morrow	Cancer		
Darlene/Russell Boswell	COPD & Overall health		
Anderson Family	Decisions		
Janelle Ross	Strength and mobility, healing		
Josie Hudson	Fell, broke leg		
HMBA Association	Executive Board Meeting		
FBC Building	Repairs		
Rita Burton	Breathing problems & tests		
Bob Fair	Breathing problems		
Unbelievers	Lost souls		

Nursery is available during our worship gathering for children from birth through preschool. The nursery is located up the stairs from the family entrance. Ushers are available to help with the nursery check-in process.

Children's Church is available for children in kindergarten through the third grade on the first three Sundays of each month. Children's Church is dismissed from the Sanctuary before the sermon begins.

Join us for
**MEANINGFUL
 MEMBERSHIP**

class

February 19, 2023
FELLOWSHIP HALL

Noon-2:30pm
 Lunch Provided

Register



Who needs
 a card
 from you
 today?

And let us consider
 how we may spur
 one another on
 to love and
 good deeds.
 Hebrews 10:24

There is a card ministry at FBC in which some of our new members and attendees may not be aware. In the pews and in the hallway outside the library, you will find an assortment of greeting cards for your use. Please, help yourself to them.

Celebration Event

Location: Fulton First Baptist Church
 701 Court Street
 Fulton, MO, 65251

Event Date: Feb 18

Event Time: 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM CST

We will be Celebrating what God did through His people in the Central MO area in 2022! We are overwhelmed with the amount of support and want to recognize how mightily God moved! Please join us as Evangeline Franzon shares how a shoebox she received when she was 13 living in the Philippines assured her that God loved her and her siblings. Everyone is welcome so please grab a friend or two and join us!!!

Host Information

Michelle Hale



Discover how God used an Operation Christmas Child shoebox in my life...

Central MO Shoebox Celebration

Date: Saturday, February 18th
Time: 1:00 pm
Place: First Baptist Church
 Fulton, Missouri

Evangeline was born in Cebu, Philippines, where her family lived near a dump area. She had to skip school and babysit her younger siblings while her mom worked seven days a week, providing food for the family. Evangeline received a shoebox gift when she was 13 years old. There was only one left, and they offered it to her. Its contents met many needs for Evangeline and her family. Toothbrush and toothpaste especially stood out to her, as those were items they couldn't afford. She also remembers receiving coloring books and small toys. To hear more how a shoebox gift assured that God loved her and her siblings, please join for a special time of Evangeline sharing her testimony.

COMO CHRISTIAN MEN'S CONFERENCE

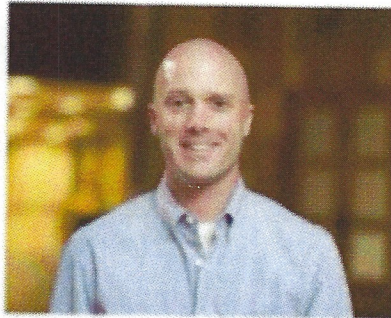
2023 Conference Saturday, March 4

The Crossing
3615 Southland Drive • Columbia, Mo

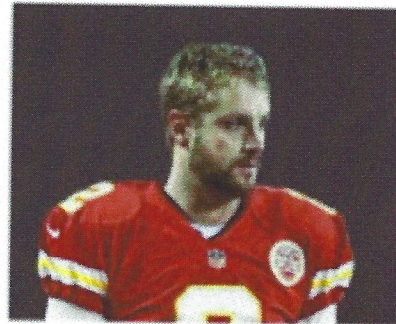
Announcing Our Featured Speakers...



Levi Lusko
Pastor/Author
Fresh Life Church
Whitefish, Montana



Chris Freeland
Senior Pastor
Doxology Church
Ft. Worth, Texas



Dustin Colquitt
Retired Kicker
Super Bowl Champion
Kansas City Chiefs



Chris Harper
Executive Director
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