

What's the purpose of our
Sunday Small Groups?

TEACH the Bible to change lives

REACH the lost with the Good
News of Jesus Christ



CARE for people through prayer,
ministry and fellowship

Our numbers from 10-4-26

Attendance - 285

Visitors -9

Enrollment - 502

Wednesday Fellowship Meal

Please submit your
reservation by noon
Tuesday before the meal
on Wednesday

NAME

Wednesday, October 14
5:15 pm to 6:00 pm

Pulled Pork Sandwich
Slaw
Baked Beans
Chips

____Regular Meal
\$5.00 per plate

____Chicken Tenders &
Fries \$3.00 per plate

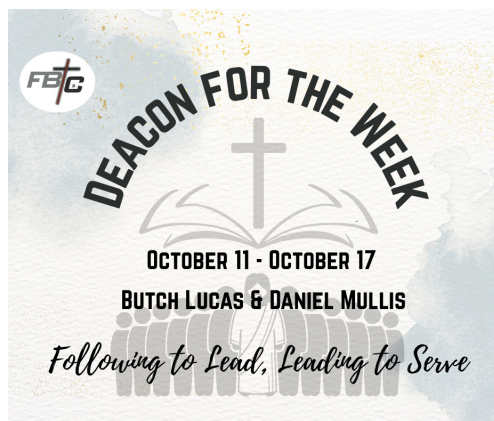
Payment is expected for
cancellations after Tuesday

FB C **LOOKING AHEAD**

October 19th - Activity time with the
residents at Southern Pines
Leave the church at 12:30

October 23rd - We will be providing
baked goods for the Bryant Nursing
Home fall festival. Please bring your
baked goods to the church before
4:00 pm.

We need cupcakes, cakes, cookies, pies and
brownies



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Sunday, October 11

8:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)

9:45 am Sunday Morning Small Groups

11:00 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)

4:00 Youth Band (The Summit)

4:30 pm Adult Small Group (Conference Room)

5:30 pm Associational Meeting (Sanctuary)

5:30 pm Children's Activities (Upstairs Children's Dept)

5:30 pm Youth Bible Study (The Summit)

Wednesday, October 14

5:15 pm Fellowship Meal

5:30 pm Youth Pizza & Fellowship

6:30 pm First Kids Music & Missions (Multipurpose Room)

6:30 pm Prayer & Bible Study (Sanctuary)

6:30 pm Choir Practice (Choir Room)

6:30 pm The 56

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STATE MISSIONS

OUR OFFERING


\$3,000.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIVING!

*A generous person will prosper; whoever
refreshes others will be refreshed. Proverbs 11:25*



Thank you

**Benevolence giving for
July - September 2026**

Food boxes given - 106

Toiletry Bags - 2

Utility bills support - 8

*And do not forget to do good and share
with others, for with such sacrifices
God is pleased.
Hebrews 13:16*



Ministry teams are important because they allow people to work together using their unique gifts and talents to serve others effectively. By sharing responsibilities, supporting one another, and pursuing a common mission, ministry teams help strengthen the church, build relationships, and create a greater impact than individuals can achieve alone.

To help our church family better understand and appreciate the many ways God is at work through our ministries, we are launching a weekly Ministry Spotlight. Each week, we will highlight one of our ministry Teams (previously known as Committees) or a stand-alone ministry, sharing its purpose, activities, and opportunities for involvement. Our hope is to increase awareness, celebrate those who serve, and encourage others to discover ways they can use their gifts to support the mission of our church.

Let us explore our **Finance Team!**

What is their primary purpose? The Finance Committee oversees the financial stewardship of the church. Its mission is to ensure that all offerings are collected, recorded, safeguarded, and used responsibly to support the ministries and mission of First Baptist Church.

How does this Ministry support the overall mission of FBC Cochran? By managing the church’s financial resources with integrity and transparency, the Finance Committee enables every ministry - from missions to discipleship to worship - to function effectively. Sound financial planning ensures that the church can fulfill its mission to worship, disciple, serve, and reach the world.

What ministry accomplishments may be unknown to our church? Faithfully preparing and presenting the annual church budget each year, ensuring offerings are handled securely & confidently and deposited promptly, & maintaining accurate giving records for members.

What are some things people may not know about this Ministry? Two of the five members must be active deacons. The committee works year-round, not just during budget season.

How can church members get involved? Express interest to the Nominating Committee, which selects three of the five members.

Are there any special skills, gifts, or interests that would be helpful for volunteers? Attention to detail, integrity and confidentiality, basic financial literacy or comfort with numbers, organizational skills, & a heart for stewardship and supporting the church’s mission.

What do you find most rewarding about serving on the Team? We love seeing how God uses the generosity of our church family to make real ministry happen.

How can the congregation pray for your ministry? For wisdom in financial decision-making, integrity and unity among committee members, faithfulness in stewarding the resources God provides, & clarity as the committee prepares budgets and evaluates ministry needs.

Who serves on this Team? Melissa Blankenship, Jason Johnson, Trey Kotara, Joyce Mickle, Jack Strickland. Scott Kletcke also serves ex-officio in his role as our Treasurer



**PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR
THE PASTOR SEARCH TEAM
&
THE NEW BUILDING TEAM**



Pastor Search Team

Diane Giddens

Melissa Johnson

AJ Blankenship

Ben Tyus

Emmie Kotara

Trey Belflower

Brad Davis

New Building Team

Jed Evans
Master Plan Team

Butch Ferrel
Building Maintenance Team

Jameson Shepherd
Grounds Team

Joe Meadows
Active Deacons

Caley Allen

Glenda Davis

Jim Rogers

PULASKI-BLECKLEY
ASSOCIATIONAL
ANNUAL MEETING

First Baptist Church
Cochran

OCTOBER 11, 2026
REGISTRATION - 5:00
MEETING - 5:30

There will be no meal

Candy
Needed
FOR OUR FALL FRENZY

Please drop candy in foyer of the church
before October 28th



Community Christmas Choir



Practice Dates

October 20 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

October 27 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

November 10 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

November 17 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

December 1 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm



Trunks
Needed

We need volunteers to use their trunks for decorating and handing out candy for our Fall Frenzy!.

Trunks can have games but not required!





Please contact Ryan 706-302-6374 to let him know you can help!

Fall
FRENZY

FELLOWSHIP-FOOD-FUN

Cake Walk
Trunk or Treat
Bounce house
POPCORN
FACE PAINT

OCTOBER 31, 2026
4:00-6:00PM
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