

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Budget Vote is TODAY! Completed ballots will be collected when we are called into business session at the close of the service.

Combined Worship Services at 11:00 am begin today and continue through December 30.

World Mission Offering - If you would like to give toward WMO, please use the blue-bordered envelopes in the pew racks for gifts. We are getting closer to our goal!

Family Advent Kits - If you are a family with kids, please pick up your Advent Kit before you leave church today. It has Bible verses and activities for each day of December.

Cookies, Cocoa, and Caroling is this week! Join us on Wednesday, December 12 at 5:30 pm in the FLC for cookies and cocoa (will be ready beginning at 5:15 pm). Then load the buses around 5:45 pm and drive to various nursing homes in our community to carol.

Come Messiah King, our Christmas musical, will be presented at the combined 11:00 am service on December 16. It will also be presented at 6:00 pm that evening at Memorial Baptist Church. Please invite your friends and make plans to attend this wonderful presentation.

Winter Wonderland is coming! Make plans to attend this church-wide event complete with fried chicken, music, games, and a reading of the Christmas story. It will be on Wednesday, December 19 at 6:00 pm. You won't want to miss this fun fellowship! Please plan to bring a side dish when you come.

Our two Christmas services are on Sunday, December 23, and Monday, December 24, at 4:00 pm. There will be singing, sharing of Scripture, and fellowship with the church family. Two service times are offered for your convenience.

Year End Giving - We will be closing out the financial year of 2018 soon. Please make sure that all your contributions are received in the church office, placed in the offering plate, or postmarked no later than December 31 to count toward your 2018 tax return. The office will be closed the week of December 23-28, but will be open from 8:00 am-12:00 pm on Monday, December 31 to receive any last-minute gifts.

THIS WEEK AT FBC

Sunday, December 9, 2018

Sunday School	9:45 am
Worship Service	11:00 am
MAGIC to Playhouse in the Park	2:00 pm
Choir Christmas Party	3:00 pm
Christmas Choir	4:00 pm

Monday, December 10

Upward Evaluations (PreK-2nd grade)	5:00 pm
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Tuesday, December 11

Mother's Day Out	8:30 am
Upward Evaluations (3rd-6th grade)	5:00 pm

Wednesday, December 12

Mother's Day Out	8:30 am
Prayer Meeting	12:00 pm
BFS Committee	5:15 pm
Cookies, Cocoa, and Caroling	5:30 pm
Christmas Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm

Thursday, December 13


Harvest SS Class Luncheon	11:15 am
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2018 GIVING

\$ 30,769.42	Budget Receipts from 12/02/2018
\$ 1,246,608.00	Budgeted YTD
\$ 1,164,216.63	Budget Expenditures YTD
\$ 1,113,277.42	Budget Receipts YTD


\$ 2,426.00	WMO Receipts from 12/02/2018
\$ 140,000.00	WMO 2018 Goal
\$ 76,420.78	WMO Receipts YTD

\$ 5,201.68	FLC Receipts from 12/02/2018
\$ 2,188,162.85	Family Life Center Receipts to Date
\$ 1,624,282.88	Family Life Center Borrowed to Date



DECEMBER 9, 2018

Light of the World



THE WORD BECAME FLESH AND MADE HIS DWELLING AMONG US.

JOHN 1:14

Welcome to First Baptist

If this is your first time at Murray First, thank you for joining us today. We're excited you've chosen to worship with us at First Baptist Church. We hope you enjoy the service.

In the pew in front of you, you'll find a **Connection Card**. Please take a moment to fill it out and place the card in the offering plate during the service. If you would like more information or have a prayer request to share, please indicate that on the card.

Sunday School - First Baptist Church offers classes for all ages from birth to adults. We seek to teach people the Word of God and make it applicable to their everyday lives. Stop by the Guest Services desk in our Welcome Center to help you get connected to a Sunday School class that is right for you and your family!

How to Join - God wants believers to be part of a local church. We proudly invite you to join our church. There are three ways to join: by **Baptism**, by **Letter** or by **Statement**. A staff member would love to discuss these options with you.



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Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00-4:30 PM
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Our 8:30 am worship service is aired at 11:00 am on WAAJ-FM 89.7 and a taped broadcast is available on Thursday evenings at 8 pm on Murray Electric System's channel 15.

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COOKIES, COCOA, AND CAROLING
December 12
5:30 pm

DECEMBER 16
FIRST BAPTIST:
11:00 AM
MEMORIAL:
6:00 PM

Winter
WONDERLAND
DECEMBER 19 | 6:00 PM

Christmas
SERVICES
DECEMBER 23 + 24 | 4:00 PM

first baptist church | **Order of Services**
Sunday, December 9, 2018

11:00 WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome and Announcements

"Come Messiah King"

Lighting of the Advent Candle:

Eddie and Lori Morris
Chase, Chelsea, Riggins, and Rhett Futrell

"Emmanuel"

"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Invocation

"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

"Let's Worship and Adore Him"

Offering

Missions Video

Message and Invitation: Pastor Keith Inman

"Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne"

Budget Vote

Prayer: Ryan Vanover

Kids1st Worship - Children ages kindergarten through third grade are dismissed to leave right before the message. Be looking for Ms. Rachel in the front right corner of the sanctuary and send your kids to meet her for a time of children's worship for the remainder of the service. **You can pick up your children in the Kids1st Worship room on the second floor.**