

Financial Update 2025

GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (01/26)
Budget Plan	\$ 23,887	\$ 95,548
Giving (Donations)	\$ 9,447	\$ 70,643
	(Short) \$ 14,440	(Short) \$ 24,905
GF EXPENSES	\$ 11,430	\$ 64,024
FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 1,053	\$ 4,212
Giving (Donations)	\$ 110	\$ 1,510
	(Short) \$ 943	(Short) \$ 2,702
FP EXPENSES	\$ 4,388	\$ 4,388
CIRA 2025: Budget: \$172,369	Church Plant: Budget: \$ 150,000	
Giving: \$ 6,507	Giving: \$ 4,851	

This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 2/3:** 6:15 am—Men's Monday AM Bible Study, rm 104
7:00 pm—Parents of Addicted Loved Ones, rm 104
- Tuesday, 2/4:** 9:30 am—Women's Bible Study, rm 107/108
- Wednesday, 2/5:** 5:30 pm— Youth Group, rm 207
6:30 pm— Choir/Orchestra/Praise Team rehearsal
- Thursday, 2/6:** 6:00 pm—Broken, rm 204
6:00 pm— Young Adult College Group, rm 207
6:30 pm — Women's Bible Study, rm 104
6:30 pm—GriefShare, rm 218
- Saturday, 2/1:** 9:00 am—Youth Group Event—"Bigger Better"

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 click "Donate" OR Scan here →



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LOVE
PEOPLE
DEEDS

February 2, 2025

Visit our Website for more
info on all our ministries:
fbc-tempe.org

Sunday Morning Worship
Services
9:30 am
11:00 am

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 on FBC and any of its ministries, please stop by the Connections Center located in the main Lobby.

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

Sermon Guide The Authority of Jesus Proven:
"Jesus' Authority over the Supernatural"

Matthew 8:28-34 February 2, 2025 Pastor John Heston

Demons are corrupt _____ who are
_____ to both God and man.

Demons know Jesus' true _____ and
will face _____.

The town valued the _____ above the
_____.

Featured Events

- **Sun. Lunch:** **2/02** Deli Subs **2/09** Mac and Cheese Bar
- **Young Adult Group:** **NOW MEETING at FBC** upstairs in room 217. Young Adults 18-30, singles or couples, meets every other Tuesday evening at **7:30pm**. Contact Mike McCall for info: mayhmccall@gmail.com **Next meeting: 2/11**
- **Young Family Group:** Meets every other Wednesday at FBC. Contact Pastor Anthony at awhitlatch@fbc-tempe.org
Next meeting: 2/12
- **Seniors Ministry 65+:** Join us on **Wednesday, February 19** at **11 am**. **Bring \$5 and enjoy a good lunch and great fellowship!**
- **FBC Membership Class:** This 2 session class gives you the opportunity to learn about FBC and answers any questions you may have. **Sunday, January 26 and February 2** at 11 am in rm 118.
- **Women's Tuesday/Thursday Bible Studies**
Tuesdays: January 14–April 8, 9:30-11:30am, rm 107/108
"Relying on the Holy Spirit" In this study we will discover who the Holy Spirit is and how He works in our lives. Lead by Allison Scharr and co-leader Amy Thomas. Study book \$11
Thursdays: January 16–March 27, 6:30-8:00pm, rm104—"Luke, Good News of Great Joy" Learn more about how Jesus' earthly ministry is good news for everyone, especially the downtrodden, hurting and the outsider. Lead by Amy Thomas and co-leader Allison Scharr. Study book \$11
- **Wednesday Nights with Pastor John: 2/12–4/16**
Join Pastor John for a video study on Prayer.
Wednesdays 6:30–7:30 pm, rm 105.

GriefShare – Meets Thursdays from 6:30-8:30pm, rm218

**On Sunday, March 2 we will only
have ONE Family Service at 10am**

New Church Directory is Coming!

We will be creating a new Church Directory and ALL attendees (and their families) are welcome to be included.

Directory photo days: **February 26-28**, 2pm – 8:30pm
March 1, 10am – 4pm

Photo session and viewing should take 20-60 minutes.
To reserve your time, sign up at the Directory Table in the lobby or **Scan Here**



Church Code: az131
Church Password: photos

Every photographed church family receives a free directory (when completed) and a free professional 8x10 of their family photo. Additional photos will be available for purchase separately.

MEN'S SUMMER SERVICE TRIP June 27-29 \$100 per person
We'll be traveling to Greer, AZ to help clear the grounds of a summer home of a widow in our church. Projects may include: Landscaping, tree felling, weather sealing, minor repair work, etc. Lodging will be at the cabin where we are working and the registration fee covers food and transportation.

Contact Pastor Anthony for more details at awhitlatch@fbc-tempe.org or register here



6 MEN are STILL NEEDED

What? Easter Musical, "We Are Witnesses" Sunday, April 13 at 6pm

Rehearsals? Sunday's 12:45 – 3:00pm (Not every Sunday is required)

- No memorization is required!
- There are a couple of roles that are smaller and don't require a lot of stage time
- No acting experience required!

Rehearsals start 2/9

We can still take anyone who is interested in acting, singing or helping with sets/costumes!

Sign up in the lobby TODAY! Or contact Julie Huver
frontdesk@fbc-tempe.org

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

Mary pours perfume on Jesus' feet

Memory Verse: 1 John 4:19

"We love because God loved us first."

1st through 6th Grade

Family Worship Service

Read It, Memorize It & Live It

3 year olds thru 6th graders have the opportunity to memorize God's Word.

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.