

Financial Update 2025

GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (02/09)
Budget Plan	\$ 23,887	\$ 143,322
Giving (Donations)	\$ 14,087	\$ 106,839
	(Short) \$ 9,800	(Short) \$ 36,483
GF EXPENSES	\$ 14,156	\$ 108,958
FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 1,053	\$ 6,318
Giving (Donations)	\$ 605	\$ 2,510
	(Short) \$ 448	(Short) \$ 3,808
FP EXPENSES	\$ 0	\$ 4,388
CIRA 2025: Budget: \$172,369	Church Plant: Budget: \$ 150,000	
Giving: \$ 12,749	Giving: \$ 6,042	

This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 2/17:** 6:15 am—Men's Monday AM Bible Study, rm 104
7:00 pm—Parents of Addicted Loved Ones, rm 104
- Tuesday, 2/18:** 9:30 am—Women's Bible Study, rm 107
- Wednesday, 2/19:** 5:30 pm—Youth Group, rm 207
6:30 pm—Choir/Orchestra/Praise Team rehearsal
- Thursday, 2/20:** 6:00 pm—Broken, rm 204
6:30 pm—Women's Bible Study, rm 104
6:30 pm—GriefShare, rm 218
6:30 pm—Wednesday's with Pastor John, rm 105

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



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF TEMPE

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Dr. John Heston, Senior Pastor

LOVE
PEOPLE
DEEDS

February 16, 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:
"The Call is For Us All"**

Matthew 9:8-13 February 16, 2025 Pastor John Heston

Jesus never called people to _____.

Jesus was a friend of sinners in that he _____

_____.

Jesus' mission was characterized by mercy, _____

_____.

Jesus' purpose statement: _____.

As we Love God and Love People, _____.

Featured Events:

2/17—Office closed for President's Day


- **Sun. Lunch: 2/16** Baked Potato Bar Bar **2/23** Steak Fajitas
- **Sunday, April 23: Women's Ministry** invites **any/all women** to grab their lunch from the gym after the 11am service and bring to room 118 to eat together. A fun chance to meet other women!
- **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: 2/25**
- **Young Family Group:** Meets every other Wednesday at FBC. Contact Pastor Anthony at awhitlatch@fbc-tempe.org
Next meeting: 2/26
- **Seniors Ministry 65+:** Join us on **Wednesday, February 19** at **11 am**. Bring \$5 and enjoy a good lunch and great fellowship!
- **Women's Tuesday/Thursday Bible Studies**
Tuesdays: January 14—April 8, 9:30-11:30am, rm 107/108
Thursdays: January 16—March 27, 6:30-8:00pm, rm 107/108
- **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.

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

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




Church Code: az131 Church Password: photos

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** 



FBC Family Cornhole Tournament with Dinner:

Friday, April 11, 5:30-8:30 pm \$20 per person/\$40 per team. Pay thru the church office or cash to Austin Erwin or Zelle (Austin Erwin @ 480-213-9627) **Entry Fee due by 3/30/25.** Prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place. Format: Double elimination, Rally Scoring, 10 min max time. Semi Finals & Finals Net scoring, first to 21 (win by 2) - no max time. **At least 1 Adult per team required.** No partner, no worries, we will team you with another player! Questions? Contact Austin Erwin via text or email: 480-213-9627 or FBCEvent.Austin@yahoo.com. Visit the Men's Ministry section the website (fbc-tempe.org) or **Scan Here**  to **sign up!**



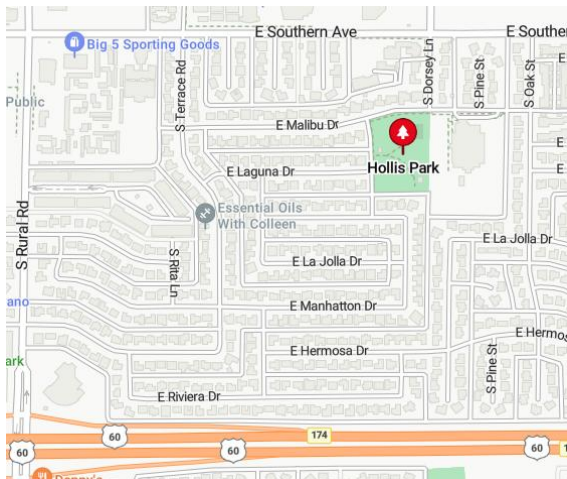
All Church Picnic! March 2, 2025

On March 2 we will have ONE morning service at 10am and then we will head to Hollis Park for an afternoon of outdoor fun and fellowship!

We have reserved a ramada with tables but please bring your own chairs, blankets and favorite lawn game!

Pack a lunch or grab take out!

Hollis Park
3421 S. Kenneth Pl.
Tempe, AZ 85282



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

Adam and Eve take care of the garden
(Genesis 2:15, 19-20)

Memory Verse: 1 John 4:19

"We love because God loved us first."

1st through 6th Grade

The Good Samaritan
(Matthew 13:10-13; Luke 10)

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.