### **Financial Update 2025 GENERAL GIVING** Last Week YTD (06/15) Budget Plan \$ 20,433 \$ 490,392 Giving (Donations) \$ 469,986 14.485 5,948 (Short) \$ 20,406 (Short) \$ 32,795 511.888 **GF EXPENSES FAITH PROMISE** Budget Plan 1.053 25,272 Giving (Donations) 15.382 1.295 (over) \$ 242 (Short) \$ 9,890 **FP EXPENSES** $\cap$ 22.019 **CIRA 2025:** Budget: \$172,369 Church Plant: Budget: \$ 150,000 27,736 Giving: \$ 56,799 Givina: \$

# This Week @ FBC

Monday, 6/23: 6:15 am—Men's Monday AM Bible Study, rm 104

7:00 pm—Parents of Addicted Loved Ones, rm 104

**Tuesday, 6/24:** 7:30 pm—Young Adults, rm 217

Wednesday, 6/25: 5:30 pm— Youth Group, rm 207

**Thursday, 6/26:** 6:30 pm—Worship Team Vocal Rehearsal

6:45 pm-Worship Band Rehearsal

6:30 pm-Ladies Summer Bible Study, rm 107/108

Saturday, 6/28: 8:00 -11 am-Open Gym-Pickleball





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June 22, 2025

Visit our Website for more info on all our ministries:

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Sunday Morning Worship Services 9:30 am 11 am 4525 S. McClintock Drive

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Dr. John Heston, Senior Pastor

# 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

# Wolves & Witnesses: Witnesses Confess Christ "Orient Your Fear in the Proper Direction"

Matthew 10:26-33 June 22, 2025 Pastor Anthony Whitlatch

1.	Do I	Not	Fear tl	ne	

2.	Fear	God's	not man's

3.	Do Not Fear Being	by Man when you
	are highly	by God

4. Do Not Fear the	of man—Fear
the	of Christ

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# **Featured Events:**

- Sunday Lunch: 6/22 Lasagna 6/29 NO LUNCH
- Young Adult Group: NOW MEETING at FBC upstairs in room 217. Young Adults 18-30, singles or couples, meets every other Tuesday evening at 7:30 pm, Contact Mike McCall for info: mayhmccall@gmail.com Next meeting: 7/1
- Young Family Group: Every other Wednesday. Contact Pastor Anthony (awhitlatch@fbc-tempe.org) Next Meeting: 7/2
- FBC Mid-Week Youth: (7th-12th grade), Wednesdays at 6pm
- Seniors Ministry: BRUNCH! Wednesday, July 16, 9 am.
  Bring \$5 and enjoy a good BRUNCH and great fellowship!
- Women's June Bible Study: Thursday evening at 6:30 pm, "Love", in room 107/108. June 5-26.
- Wacky Wednesdays: 3 year-old through 5th
  grade July 2 & 16 FREE SPACE IS LIMITED
  Registration



- **Summer Youth Camp: July 14-18**—Pine, AZ. 7-12 grade. Contact Pastor Scott at fbctempestudents@gmail.com
- Men's Fall Retreat: September 5-7. Pines Retreat Center in Strawberry, AZ. \$120 includes cabin & meals. \$50 due by August 24 to hold a spot. Space is limited. Register Here
- Women's Fall Retreat: September 12-14.
  "Anchors Aweigh! Sailing our SEAsons Together", Prescott, AZ.
  \$165 includes cabin & meals. Sign-up at Women's Table

FBC Summer Open Gym: Saturday's 8-11 am. Ages 12+

Next Up: 6/28—Pickleball, 7/5—Circuit Training, 7/12—Pickleball, 7/26—Basketball, 8/2—Basketball



A Huge Thank You to Our Wacky Wednesday volunteers (Deanna, Sophia, Danielle, Kathi, Wendy, Emma, Drew, Paula, Kailey, Raze, Alice, Tiffany, Sue, Susan, Amanda, Anne, Ted, Nancy, Doug, Richie, Bohdan, Tatiana, Pat and Linda)

I just want to take a moment to say a big, heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all of our amazing volunteers who are serving during our evening VBS/Wacky Wednesday!

Whether you're leading a group, handing out snacks, helping with crafts, teaching, or just jumping in wherever needed you are making a real difference in the lives of these kids. Your energy, kindness, and willingness to serve (even after a long day!) hasn't gone unnoticed.

VBS wouldn't happen without you, and we are so grateful.

You're showing the love of Jesus in action, and we're blessed to have you

If you'd like to help with VBS in July, please see Sharmon (480-839-0926) we'd love to have you join the fun!

# **Coming Events at FBC**

July 2 & 16 – Kid's Wacky Wednesday VBS

June 28 & July 5, 12, 26 - Open Gym Saturdays 8-11am.

July 14-18 – Summer Youth Camp, Pine, AZ. 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade

September 5-7 - Men's Retreat, Strawberry, AZ

September 12-14 - Women's Retreat, Prescott, AZ



# (Birth through 6<sup>th</sup> grade) Spiritual Growth Opportunities Sunday's 9:30 & 11:00am

**Today** your son/daughter will learn about:

# Preschool through Kindergarten

Creation Day 5 (Genesis 1:20-23)

**Memory Verse:** Genesis 1:31 "God looked at everything He had made, and it was very good."

# 1st through 6th Grade

We Can Know God Exists (Genesis 1:1-2; Exodus 3:14-15; John 18:1-6; Romans 1:18-23; 1 Corinthians 1:18-31)

**Memory Verse:** Colossians 3:20 "Children obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord."

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.