

## Financial Update 2026

GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (01/11)
Budget Plan	\$ 18,898	\$ 37,796
Giving (Donations)	\$ 71,077	\$ 86,464
	<b>(Over) \$ 52,179</b>	<b>(Over) \$ 48,668</b>
GF EXPENSES	\$ 5,925	\$ 5,925
MISSIONARY FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 938	\$ 1,876
Giving (Donations)	\$ 135	\$ 840
	<b>(Short) \$ 803</b>	<b>(Short) \$ 1,036</b>
FP EXPENSES	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>CIRA 2026:</b> Budget: \$469,500	<b>Church Plant:</b> Budget: \$	150,000
Giving: \$ 53,592	Giving: \$	738

## This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 01/19:** 6:15 am—Men's Monday AM Bible Study, rm 104
- Wednesday, 01/21:** 11:30 am—Mommy & Me Playdate, Kid City  
5:30 pm—Youth Music/Band Practice, rm 207  
6:30 pm—Youth Group, rm 207  
6:30 pm—FBC Choir Rehearsal
- Thursday, 01/22:** 6:00 pm—Worship Team Vocal Rehearsal  
6:45 pm—Worship Band Rehearsal

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## January 18, 2026

Visit our Website for more  
info on all our ministries:  
[fbc-tempe.org](http://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

### Mission Minded Kingdom People: "The Impact of the King's Words"

Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

January 18 , 2026

Pastor John Heston

There is nothing wrong with the sower (\_\_\_\_\_) or the seed (\_\_\_\_\_).

It is the condition of the ground (\_\_\_\_\_) that impacts reception.

Three hindrances to the Kingdom Message

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

We are called to spread the \_\_\_\_\_ and leave the \_\_\_\_\_ to God.

## Featured Events:

- **Sunday Lunch:** **1/18** Roast Pork Loin **1/25** Teriyaki Chicken
- **Young Adult Group:** Young Adults 18-30, singles or couples, meets every other Tuesday evening at **7:30 pm, rm 217**. Contact Mike McCall for info: mayhmccall@gmail.com **Next meeting: 1/27**
- **Young Family Group:** Every other Wednesday. Contact Pastor Anthony (awhitlatch@fbc-tempe.org) **5:30 pm, rm 107/108**  
**Next Meeting: 1/28**
- **Seniors Ministry:** LUNCH **Wednesday, February 11**, at **11am**. Sign up in the lobby.
- **Women's Spring Bible Studies:** Tuesday morning, begins 1/27, 9:30-11:30 am. Thursday evening begins 1/29, 6:30-8:00 pm. "Intentional, Living Out the Eight Principles of Disciple Making" \$11
- **Women's Event; Fast Friends:** Saturday, February 7, 10 am - 12 pm with light finger foods, rm 221. This event is like speed dating only for making friends! Helping women form connections quickly and meaningfully across generations. Ages 14-30 paired with ladies that are 30 plus. Hosted by Lee Ann Williams. Sign up at the Women's Ministry table.
- **Youth Mission BAKE SALE:** Help send our youth on mission! February 1 before and after each service. Sign up in the lobby to help out by bringing a baked good for them to sell! Cash and check only.

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### Start Saving Now! Change the World – One Coin at a Time!

During the month of February, Kid City will be collecting coins to support our Missionaries.

Grab your spare coins, fill up a bag, and drop it off at the Kid City Welcome Area.

Every coin counts, and together our change can change the world!

# KID CITY

(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**

Hannah prays for a baby

(1 Samuel 1:1-20)

**Memory Verse:** Psalm 69:13

"I pray to you. Answer me because you love me so much!"

**1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Creation Review and Celebrate

(Genesis 1)

**Memory Verse:** John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life."

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.

## FBC 2026 Mission Conference

**"Mission Minded Kingdom People"**



### Missionary Schedule

**Again, this year you will have the opportunity on each of the Sundays in February to meet, talk with and get acquainted with different missionaries and learn about their ministries. The following missionaries will be with us in our Worship Services, our Sunday Bible Classes, our Children's Ministry, our High School and Junior High Sunday Bible Class plus you will be able to share a meal with them. Plan to be here to renew friendships and make new ones.**

**Sunday, February 1** – Cathy Wilson (Chosen People Ministries)  
Dwight and Gwynne Shaver  
(Wycliffe Bible Translators)  
Ryan and Shelby Webb (World Outreach Mission)

**Sunday, February 8** – Jeff Hause (South America Mission)  
Brent and Melanie Palmer  
(Missionary Aviation Fellowship)  
Steve and Patty Robenalt (Mission Door)

**Sunday, February 15** – Al Fadi (CIRA International)  
Peter and Trisha Molina  
(FBC—Tempe Church Plant)  
Steve and Darlene Evers (In Touch Mission)

**Sunday, February 22** – Ramon and Anna Rodriguez (Mission Door)  
David and Donna Shaver  
(Wycliffe Bible Translators)  
Kevin and Leilani Humble (Venture International)

**Be watching for more information!**