

Financial Update 2026

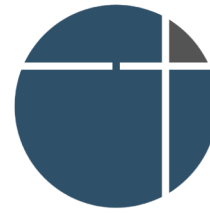
GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (05/10)
Budget Plan	\$ 18,898	\$ 359,062
Giving (Donations)	\$ 13,897	\$ 394,391
	(Short) \$ 5,001	(Over) \$ 35,329
GF EXPENSES	\$ 10,294	\$ 311,856
MISSIONARY FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 938	\$ 17,822
Giving (Donations)	\$ 229	\$ 17,350
	(Short) \$ 709	(Short) \$ 532
FP EXPENSES	\$ 0	\$ 12,161

March CIRA Update

- Budget 2026 - \$486,000.00
- April YTD General - \$187,468.30
- April YTD Designated-\$90,000

March Church Plant Update

- Budget - \$150,000.00
- April General—\$5,396



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF TEMPE

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Dr. John Heston, Senior Pastor

LOVE
PEOPLE
DEEDS

May 17, 2026

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

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

This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 5/18:** 6:15 am—Men's Monday AM Bible Study, rm 104
- Tuesday, 5/19:** 6:30 pm—Young Adult Group, rm 217
- Wednesday, 5/20:** 1:30 am—Mommy & Me Playdate, Kid City
5:30 pm—Young Family Group, rm 107/108
5:30 pm— Youth Music/Band Practice, rm 207
6:30 pm—Youth Group, rm 207
- Thursday, 5/21:** 6:30 pm—Worship Team Rehearsal

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 - Who Is Jesus?:

“Jesus is the Christ”

Matthew 16:13-18

May 17, 2026

Pastor John Heston

Authentic Confession: Jesus is **the Christ** as the only _____ and Jesus is **the Son** as the only _____.

Jesus _____ the Church,
we _____ Jesus.

The gates of hell _____ when a church
knows and _____ who Jesus truly is.

Featured Events:

- **Sunday Lunch:** **5/17** Pasta & Meatballs **5/24** Mac & Cheese
- **Young Adult Group: Young Adults 18-30, singles or couples,** meets every other Tuesday evening at **7:00 pm, rm 217**. Contact the church office for information. **Next meeting: 5/19**
- **Young Family Group: Every other Wednesday.** Contact the church office for info. **5:30 pm, rm 107/108** **Next Meeting: 5/20**
- **Seniors Ministry: LUNCH Wednesday, June 10, at 11 am. \$5**
- **NEW Bible Class: “How to Interpret the Bible”** led by Stephen Tunnicliff. Sundays at **11 am**. 10-week class, rm 107/108.
- **Women’s June Bible Study: Tuesday mornings, 9:30–11 am,** “What the Bible Has to Say About Angels”. Led by Allison Scharr. **Thursday evenings, 6:30-8 pm,** “Women of the Bible”. Led by Amy Thomas and Malou Tribiana.
- **One Family Service: Sunday, May 24, 2026, at 10 am.** Come for the service, stay for the BBQ lunch and games in the Gym! **The Café will be open for coffee only.**
- **Short-Term Mission Trip Opportunity: June 1-10, 2026.** Join Dave Lemons and others as they head to North Carolina to help with flood relief work with the organization Baptists on Mission. **Contact the church office** if you are interested in going.

VBS: Help us get ready for Wacky Wednesday (VBS).

An evening full of silly games and activities, and learning about God in a fun way.

We’re looking for **cash donations** to help cover program costs and make this unforgettable for every child. Help us turn wacky into wonderful! **Mark your donation “VBS”.**

Current Donation Total: \$645.00 (5/10)

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

Job's friends

Book of Job

Memory Verse: Proverbs 17:17

"A friend loves at all times."

1st through 6th Grade

The Parable of the Speck and the Log

Matthew 7:1-5 & Luke 6:41-42

Memory Verse: James 1:22 "Do not merely listen to the word, and don't deceive yourselves. Do what it says."

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.

Wacky Wednesday Summer Fun!

Dates: June 3 & 17 | July 1 & 15

Ages: 3 years old through 5th grade

6-8 pm

We're turning summer upside down with Wacky Wednesday!

Each evening is packed with fun, surprises, and activities your kids won't want to miss. All while learning about God's love in an engaging way.

Join us for one date or come to them all. It's always a new adventure!

FREE EVENT

Space is limited— registration required!

Have questions or interested in volunteering?

Contact Sharmon at fbcchildren@fbc-tempe.org



REGISTER HERE

RSVP HERE

SunSplash
Sunday, May 31st
\$30/Person
12:30pm-5pm

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ISRAEL TRIP 2027: March 1-10, 2027 This is an AMAZING way to see the WORD thru new eyes! Contact Pastor Roger Ball if you are interested in going on this incredible trip. Pastor Roger's email address is: rball@fbc-tempe.org

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