

Financial Update 2026

GENERAL GIVING	Last Week	YTD (08/16)
Budget Plan	\$ 18,898	\$ 623,634
Giving (Donations)	\$ 11,663	\$ 617,583
	(Short) \$ 7,235	(Short) \$ 6,051
GF EXPENSES	\$ 32,697	\$ 570,985
MISSIONARY FAITH PROMISE		
Budget Plan	\$ 938	\$ 30,954
Giving (Donations)	\$ 670	\$ 28,972
	(Short) \$ 268	(Short) \$ 1,982
FP EXPENSES	\$ 0	\$ 22,096
June CIRA Update		June Church Plant Update
• Budget 2026 - \$486,000	• Budget 2026 - \$150,000	
• June YTD General - \$245,425	• June YTD General \$27,830	
• June Designated Income-\$0	• June General— \$3,927	

This Week @ FBC

- Monday, 8/24 :** 6:15 am—Men's Bible Study, rm 104
- Tuesday, 8/25:** 9:30 am—Women's Bible Study, rm 221
7:00 pm—Young Adult Group, rm 217
7:00 pm—Men's Pickleball Game, in the Gym
- Wednesday, 8/26:** 11:30 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
6:30 pm— FBC Choir Rehearsal
- Thursday, 8/27:** 9:00 am—Intercessory Prayer Group, rm 104
6:30 pm—Women's Bible Study, rm 221
6:30 pm—Worship Team Rehearsal

August 23, 2026

LOVE GOD
PEOPLE



SENIOR PASTOR JOHN HESTON



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Sermon Guide - You Belong Here—"Kingdom Conflict"

Matthew 18:15-20

August 23, 2026

Pastor John Heston

Restoration is an essential part of _____ — it is a means of grace that strengthens our _____ for holiness and shapes us to _____ more like Christ.

Restoration thrives in a Culture of Grace.

Culture of Grace: We believe helping others become more like Christ includes both _____ and _____.

Restoration is meant to happen within _____.

By becoming _____ of our local church we commit to mutual accountability and intentional discipleship.

Four Steps of Restoration - Escalating in accountability until repentance

Go to them in private.

Include a small group.

Involve church leadership.

Remove as the final call to repentance.

Featured Events:

- **Sunday Lunch:** 8/23 No Lunch 8/30 Roast Pork
- **Young Adult Group:** Young Adults 18-30, singles or couples, meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm, rm 217.
- **Fall Women's Bible Studies:** A Word Study of the Book of Proverbs, by Fred Morse. Tuesday mornings, 9:30-11:30 am, 8/25—11/17 and Thursday evenings, 6:30—8:00 pm, 8/27—11/19. Both groups meet in room 221. Cost is \$5.
- **Men's Pickleball Game Night:** Tuesday, 8/25, 7-9 pm in the Gym. No sign up—Just show up!
- **Young Family Group:** Every other Wednesday. 5:30 pm, rm 107/108 Next Meeting: 8/26
- **Intercessory Prayer Meeting:** Thursday, August 27, at 9:00 am in rm 104. Join Pastor John on the last Thursday of each month in a time of intercessory prayer for our church and community.
- **Seniors Ministry: SPECIAL EVENT LUNCH and CONCERT by Phillip Shepherd.** Wednesday, 9/2, at 11 am. **TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO SIGN UP! RSVP REQUIRED . \$5,** Sign up in the lobby or scan here: 
- **Fall Women's Retreat:** Emmanuel Pines, Prescott—Sept. 11-13 \$165. Sign up and info at the Women's Table in the lobby.
- **Fall Men's Retreat:** Strawberry, AZ, \$75 September 25—27. Sign up at the Men's Table or 

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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

Elijah faces false prophets

(Genesis 37)

Memory Verse: Joshua 1:9

"Be strong and brave because God is with you."

1st through 6th Grade

Mission Trip Update—Grace Blum

Memory Verse: Matthew 5:16 "Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father."

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 MEN TEMPE

MEN'S PICKLEBALL GAME NIGHT

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25 | 7-9 PM | IN THE GYM

NO SIGN UP - JUST SHOW UP!

The poster features two pickleball paddles, one blue and one green, and a yellow pickleball on a blue court background.



Night of Prayer & Worship

Sunday, Aug 30th @ 6:30pm

Worship Center

FBC MEN TEMPE

The poster shows a silhouette of a person with arms raised against a sunset background.



Mission Trip to NORTH CAROLINA

OCTOBER 4-10

CONTACT DAVE LEMONS for details TEXT ONLY TO (602) 501-0057

BAPTISTS ON MISSION SERVE. SHARE. LOVE.

LOVING PEOPLE. SHARING HOPE. SERVING TOGETHER.

The poster includes a map of North Carolina with a heart, a photo of a person working on a wooden structure, a photo of a sunset over mountains, and a photo of hands working with a hammer.



BLOOD DRIVE

TODAY!



**WALK-IN
APPOINTMENTS
ARE AVAILABLE!**



**OUR GOAL:
12 BLOOD
DONATIONS**



**CURRENTLY:
7 SCHEDULED
DONATIONS**



*Every drop
makes a difference!*



**HELP US SERVE
OUR COMMUNITY!**

Head on outside where the
Vitalant Blood Mobile is and
make a lasting impact!

YOU CAN HELP SAVE LIVES. DONATE BLOOD TODAY!

Thank you for making a difference!



Volkswagen



First Baptist Church - Tempe Blood Drive

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23RD, 2026

8:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

BLOODMOBILE IN PARKING LOT
4525 S MCCLINTOCK DR., TEMPE



To schedule an appointment, scan the QR code or visit vitalant.org
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