

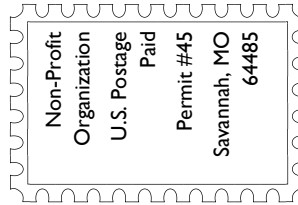


¹³ You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh^[a]; rather, serve one another humbly in love.¹⁴ For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."^[b] (Galatians 5:13-14 NIV)

Servants, that's what we are called to be. Not masters, servants. Not bound by the world, but by God. Not receiving care but giving care to others. That servanthood we are called to was modeled by Jesus as he washed the disciples' feet at the last supper. It is spoken of by Paul and demonstrated throughout scripture. We are to serve others. Servanthood takes on many forms. Our pastor is a servant. The staff are servants. Deacons are servants. The kitchen teams are servants. The body of the church is made up of servants. Each of us is doing different things but with a focus on serving.

I'm going to take a moment to recognize some servants that make our worship possible each week. The folks in the streaming room and the sound/video booth are truly servants. They are there to help make the sound clear, put the screens up, send a live stream, and in general, enhance the worship experience. Some are there almost every week. Some help out once a month. All are giving of their time and energy to do this as volunteers. They don't ask for recognition, but I am asking that you say thank you to them on occasion. And while you're at it, look around and see the others who serve the Kingdom. Then, see what you can do to join them. Service is a means of sharing God's love with each other. Be a servant.

Pastor Dan



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Savannah First Baptist Church
500 East Pawnee
Savannah, MO 64485

The Enlightener

I pray also that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened...." Ephesians 1:18

Connecting Building Sharing

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OUR MISSION:

**TO
CONNECT
PEOPLE TO
GOD AND
CONNECT
PEOPLE TO
EACH
OTHER**

**TO
PRODUCE
POWERFUL,
POSITIVE
LIFE
CHANGE**

Serving Feb. 4, 2024	Serving Feb. 11, 2024	Serving Feb. 18, 2024
<u>Classic Service Nursery</u> Jennifer Lowrance	<u>Classic Service Nursery</u> Shelly Lundy	<u>Classic Service Nursery</u> Connie & Steve Brosi
<u>Sunday School Nursery</u> Melissa & Morgan Jackson Anne Toalson	<u>Sunday School Nursery</u> Deidre Turner Anne Toalson	<u>Sunday School Nursery</u> Jennifer Lowrance Anne Toalson
<u>Contemporary Nursery</u> Hannah Wyble Reagan Alexander	<u>Contemporary Nursery</u> Angie Ziolkowski Jazlyn Nigh	<u>Contemporary Nursery</u> Kyle & Caitlind Budine
<u>Security Team</u> Team 2	<u>Security Team</u> Team 3	<u>Security Team</u> Team 4
<u>Van Driver</u> Don Jones	<u>Van Driver</u> Harold Morgan	<u>Van Driver</u> Kelly Speer

BUDGET OFFERING			
11-12-2023	11-19-2023	11-26-2023	12-03-2023
<u>\$9,351.50</u>	<u>\$5,415.15</u>	<u>\$8,399.07</u>	<u>\$17,365.94</u>
WEEKLY BUDGET NEEDS			
\$9,244.00			
BUDGET RECEIPT			
\$8,075.00	\$5,062.55	\$7,897.00	\$17,054.59
BFT RECEIPTS			
\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
DESIGNATED RECEIPT			
\$1,256.50	\$332.60	\$482.07	\$291.35



Serving Feb. 25, 2024
<u>Classic Service Nursery</u> Debbie & Steve Cole
<u>Sunday School Nursery</u> Sara Alexander Anne Toalson
<u>Contemporary Nursery</u> Mallory Belding Atalie Belding
<u>Security Team</u> Team 1
<u>Van Driver</u> Don Jones

<u>GREETERS</u>
<u>Feb. 4, 2024</u> Bill & Cindy Stone
<u>Feb. 11, 2024</u> Desiree' Chambers
<u>Feb. 18, 2024</u> Fonda Gabriel
<u>Feb. 25, 2024</u> Lydia Sprague

<u>WELCOME CENTER & VISITATION TEAM</u>			
<u>Feb. 4, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 11, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 25, 2024</u>
Donna Morris	Carole Paxton	Debbie Coats	Ted & Nola Coats

<u>DEACONS OF THE WEEK</u>			
<u>Feb. 4, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 11, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 2024</u>	<u>Feb. 25, 2024</u>
Gary Lowrance 816-248-5090 Phil Gould 816-721-7702	Nick Nigh 816-261-5348 Steve Brosi 816-596-0026	Aaron Jones 816-676-8393 Tim Kelley 816-387-3554	Mark Alexander 816-351-7302 Caryl Walker 816-390-7158

<u>ATTENDANCE</u>			
<u>Jan. 7, 2024</u>	<u>Jan. 14, 2024</u>	<u>Jan. 21, 2023</u>	<u>Jan. 28, 2024</u>
<u>CLASSIC SERVICE</u>			
149		156	177
<u>CONTEMPORARY SERVICE</u>			
80	125 online views	104	104
<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL</u>			
141		158	173

WEEKLY EVENTS

Feb. 4, 2024-Feb. 10, 2024

Feb 4: SUNDAY

8:30am Classic Service
9:35am Sunday School
9:35am Deacon's Meeting
10:45am Contemporary Service
1:45pm Nursing Home Services

Feb 5: MONDAY

Feb 6: TUESDAY

7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice

Feb 7: WEDNESDAY

9:30am Women's Bible Study
10:30am WMU Meeting
5:00pm Dinner
6:00pm Children's Bible Study
6:00pm Adult Bible Study
6:00pm Men's Bible Study
6:00pm Middle School Kingdom Youth
7:00pm High School Kingdom Youth

Feb 8: THURSDAY

6:00pm Choir Practice

Feb 9: FRIDAY

Feb 10: SATURDAY

WEEKLY EVENTS

Feb. 11, 2024-Feb. 17, 2024

Feb 11: SUNDAY

8:30am Classic Service
9:35am Sunday School
10:45am Contemporary Service
5:00pm Business Meeting

Feb. 12: MONDAY

Feb. 13: TUESDAY

7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice

Feb. 14: WEDNESDAY

Happy Valentine's Day!
9:30am Women's Bible Study
5:00pm Dinner
6:00pm Children's Bible Study
6:00pm Adult Bible Study
6:00pm Men's Bible Study
6:00pm Middle School Kingdom Youth
7:00pm High School Kingdom Youth

Feb. 15: THURSDAY

6:00pm Choir Practice

Feb. 16: FRIDAY

Feb. 17: SATURDAY

WEEKLY EVENTS

Feb. 18, 2024-Feb. 24, 2024

Feb. 18: SUNDAY

8:30am Classic Service
9:35am Sunday School
10:45am Contemporary Service

Feb. 19: MONDAY

10:00am WOM Meeting

Feb. 22: TUESDAY

10:00am Second Harvest
Fresh Mobile Pantry
Contemporary Worship Practice
7:00pm

Feb. 21: WEDNESDAY

9:30am Women's Bible Study
5:00pm Dinner
6:00pm Children's Bible Study
6:00pm Adult Bible Study
6:00pm Men's Bible Study
6:00pm Middle School Kingdom Youth
6:00pm High School Kingdom Youth

Feb. 22: THURSDAY

6:00pm Choir Practice

Feb. 23: FRIDAY

Feb. 24: SATURDAY

WEEKLY EVENTS

Feb. 25, 2024-Mar. 2, 2024

Feb. 25: SUNDAY

8:30am Classic Service
9:35am Sunday School
10:45am Contemporary Service

Feb. 26: MONDAY

Feb 27: TUESDAY

7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice

Feb. 28: WEDNESDAY

9:30am Women's Bible Study
5:00pm Dinner
6:00pm Children's Bible Study
6:00pm Adult Bible Study
6:00pm Men's Bible Study
6:00pm Middle School Kingdom Youth
7:00pm High School Kingdom Youth

Feb 29: THURSDAY

6:00pm Choir Practice

Mar. 1: FRIDAY

Mar. 2: SATURDAY

Deacon
Meeting



FBC
Savannah



Kingdom Youth

Our Theme for 2024 is "Get Active!"
Our current lessons are focusing on what that means and how it works.

Feel free to contact Pastor CT - 501-310-9017 or email him at youthfbcsav@gmail.com.

They are doing WONDERFUL with our youth kids! If you have questions about the upcoming events or schedules, please contact one of them or Cort'Ney!

#KingdomOverEverything!

Upcoming Children's Events

*** Good Friday Service - March 29th @ 6:00 p.m.**

An age appropriate service will be available for children ages 3 - 5th Grade during the adult service.

*** Easter Sunday - March 31st
Classic Service & Children's Church @ 8:30 am**

Family Breakfast & Children's Easter Egg Hunt @ 9:30 am

Contemporary Service & Children's Church @ 10:45 am

*** Save the Date!**

3rd Annual Spring Carnival - April 20

Church email addresses:

Pastor Jason's email: fbcsavjason@gmail.com
Pastor Cort'Ney's email: youthfbcsav@gmail.com
Office Email: fbcsavmain@gmail.com
Pastor Dan's Email: fbcsavdan@gmail.com
Stephanie's Email: fbcsavsteph@gmail.com
Emily's Email: fbcsavemily@gmail.com
Carter's Email: fbcsavcarter@gmail.com
Daniel's Email: danielbootsmoss@gmail.com

Any questions, please contact the church office.

Please follow the link below on your computer to access our church directory on-line. The password is **HeLives**. You may request to access your personal information and edit data such as names, numbers, addresses, etc. for you or your family only. Your user name and password for that type of functionality will be unique. **OTHER THAN YOURSELF, ONLY THE CHURCH OFFICE ALSO HAS ACCESS TO UPDATING YOUR INFORMATION.** This **REQUIRES** an email to be included in your information on the church database. If you prefer we send you an invitation to set up your own account via our control-panel, please notify pastor Dan. We can do updates for you, but it will not be as quick as if you did them yourself.

<https://servantkeeper.com/directory/FBCSAV>

You may also place the directory on your phone. You need to follow the instructions for your type of phone on how to place the link to the directory on your screen. This varies among brands so please know that we cannot assist with requests for this type help. There is on-line help available from your phone manufacturer and it can guide you to accomplish the task.

Let Pastor Dan know if you have questions. The old church directory is still in use until such time as we complete the transfer.

The next Enlightener date will be:
February 28, 2024
Submission deadline - 2/20/24 by 9am

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Office Phone#: (816) 324-3314

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY please call **Pastor Dan @ (816)261-7271. If no answer in the office on a work day**, please leave a message on voice mail and someone will return your call as soon as possible.

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Electronic Giving



Senior Pastor: Dr. Jason Abbott

Youth Pastor
Cort'Ney Turner
Pastor of Tech & Admin Consultant
Dan Mefford
Senior Adult Minister
Stephanie Mefford
Music Ministers
Daniel Moss
Carter Abbott

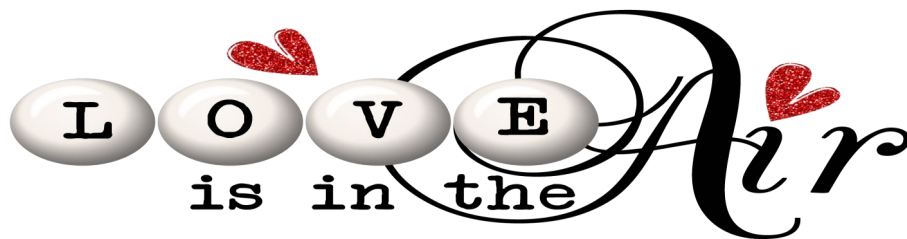
Children's Minister
Emily Moss
Musician(s)
Meredith McDonald
Custodian
Terry Toalson
Part-Time Custodian
Patty Wilson
Secretary
Sarah Roller

First Baptist Church (Note: Calendar subject to change. Contact the church for accurate schedule.)

March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>25</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>26</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>7:00pm –8:30pm Heather Clark basketball</p>	<p>27</p> <p>5:30pm –7:30pm Gazarek Volleyball</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p> <p>7:30pm –9:00pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>	<p>28</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>29</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Basketball - Jeffrey Bonner</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p> <p>10:30am –12:30pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>
<p>3</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>9:30am –10:30am Deacon's Meeting</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>4</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>7:00pm –8:30pm Heather Clark basketball</p>	<p>5</p> <p>5:30pm –7:30pm Gazarek Volleyball</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p> <p>7:30pm –9:00pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>	<p>6</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>10:30am WMU Meeting - Room #1</p> <p>12:00pm –1:00pm Savannah Chamber of Commerce Meeting</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>7</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p> <p>10:30am –12:30pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>
<p>10</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Johnny Appleseed Day</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>7:00pm –8:30pm Heather Clark basketball</p>	<p>12</p> <p>5:30pm –7:30pm Gazarek Volleyball</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p> <p>7:30pm –9:00pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>	<p>13</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>14</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Ides of March</p>	<p>16</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p> <p>10:30am –12:30pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>
<p>17</p> <p>St Patrick's Day</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>18</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>7:00pm –8:30pm Heather Clark basketball</p>	<p>19</p> <p>4:45pm –6:15pm Breastfeeding Support Group</p> <p>5:30pm –7:30pm Gazarek Volleyball</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p> <p>7:30pm –9:00pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>	<p>20</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>21</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p> <p>10:30am –12:30pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p> <p>1:00pm –5:00pm Brooke Salinas - Birthday party</p>
<p>24</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>25</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>7:00pm –8:30pm Heather Clark basketball</p>	<p>26</p> <p>5:30pm –7:30pm Gazarek Volleyball</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p> <p>7:30pm –9:00pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>	<p>27</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>28</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p> <p>10:30am –12:30pm Jessica Hausman - basketball</p>
<p>31</p> <p>Sunday Schedule</p> <p>2:00pm –4:00pm Laura King - basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:00pm Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>	<p>1</p> <p>April Fool's Day</p> <p>4:00pm –5:30pm Jayme Voss Basketball</p> <p>4:00pm –6:30pm TOPS</p> <p>5:30pm –7:00pm Laura King - basketball</p>	<p>2</p> <p>7:00pm Contemporary Worship Practice</p>	<p>3</p> <p>9:30am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>10:30am WMU Meeting - Room #1</p> <p>5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>6:00pm Adult Bible Study</p> <p>6:00pm –7:00pm Middle School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p> <p>7:00pm –8:00pm High School KINGDOM YOUTH (Student Ministry)</p>	<p>4</p> <p>6:00pm Choir Practice</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>8:00am –10:00am Shawn Younkin/Chuck Miller - Basketball</p>

Birthdays & Anniversaries



Mar. 3–Gary & Joyce Lowrance

Mar. 7–Wilburn & Marilyn Moran

Mar. 12–Danny & Sharon Summers

Mar. 19–Billy & Patsy Kretzer

Mar. 22–Mike & Peggy Butner

Mar. 22–Jim & Cheryl Pelley

Mar. 25–David & Jennifer Lowrance

1–Susan Cain

1–Tim George

1–Morine Walker

1–Molly Weis

2–Jasey Bell

2–Jordan Bower

2–Debbie Cole

2–Emily Keller

2–Jennifer Springer

3–Arlie Beier

3–Rodney Cole

3–Boston Cole

3–Amber Lawrence

3–Heather McKeighan

3–Benjamin Woosley

3–Cash Ziolkowski

4–Alex Davila

4–Angelica Edwards

4–Donna Kelley

4–Ralph Walker

5–Kim Baker

5–Bradley Long

5–Larry Robertson

5–Jeremy Wyble

6–Steve Bartlett

6–Kathie Gabler

6–Chelsie Gillispie

6–Shirley Kiner

6–Tessa Lukehart

6–Reed Powell

6–Allie Sybert

6–Mackinzee Wilson

7–Elena Braszko

7–Robert Davis

7–Katie Ernst

7–Michael Grider

7–Scarlet Jones

8–Kyleigh Clay

8–Jenna Keyes

9–Darian Davis

9–Rylee Scott

9–Ryan Scott

10–Elijah Conner

10–Nathaniel Jarrett

11–Bill Hampton

11–Wilma Roberts

11–Jacki Scott

12–Nathan Brown

12–Joyce Chambers

12–Jerry Mickel

13–Jamie Fenwick

13–Ellen Lilley

13–Skyler Richter

14–Christina Dennis

14–Sarabeth Michael

14–Michael Wampler

15–Jennifer Ehrhardt

15–Kindra Lowry

16–Mark Alexander

16–Dorothy Beier

16–Macey Durham

16–Kerri Heath

16–Saylor Ray

16–Courtney Smith

16–Debbie Worley

17–Barbara Grider

17–Zachary Lewis

17–Roxanne Shanks

17–Madison Browning

18–Ryan Lundy

18–Dylan Marschel

19–Carrie Jandorf

19–Kiley Kelley

19–Whitney Mildfeldt

21–Cathy Keller

21–Debbie Wells

22–Kaden Bechtold

23–Geneva Cole

23–Mark Schneider

24–Courtney Gossett

24–Amy Ray

25–Jaylin Abbott

25–Collin Reese

25–John Thomas

26–Jay Hoyt

26–Matthew Martin

26–Emerson Roland

27–Nellie Miller

27–Sarah Wilson

28–Fletcher Blair

28–Mattie Crisler

28–Julia Goehring

28–Leah Helmich

28–Madison Jermain

28–Xander Richey

28–Doug Watson

28–Cooper Wilkinson

28–Liam Wilkinson

29–Jamie Nigh

29–Jonathan Pray

29–Ron Simpson

30–Barbara Johnson

30–Stefan Loewe

31–Jan Bauspies

31–Jaime Bressman

31–Courtney Brosi

31–Steve Cole

31–Monty Fleenor

31–Juanita Hererra

