



first baptist church

CHATTANOOGA GATEWAY

A place to be. A place to serve.

February 11, 2026

401 Gateway Ave., Chattanooga, TN 37402

423.265.2257

www.fbcchattanooga.org

**Worship Care Workers**  
**February 15, 2026**  
 for babies, toddlers, & preschoolers

**Drew Laseter**  
**Emily Laseter**



**Deacon Greeters**

1. Tom McCullough
2. Steve Partridge

Each remaining Sunday in February, we are **collecting \$1 bills** as part of our offering to be used to help fund items needed by our community, such as prescription medications and other items not covered through our Benevoelnce Fund. We encourage you to place your dollar bills in the offering baskets as they are passed during Worship. Last Sunday we received \$156.

# Transfiguration Sunday, February 15, 2026

Sunday School / Bible Study 9:30AM



## Worship at First

Streamed and in-person

It's a "dollar Sunday"!

**10:50AM**  
**SONGS OF COMMUNITY**  
**JENNY PARKER, PIANO**

**11:00AM**  
**Dr. Thomas Quisenberry**  
 Matthew 17:1-9  
**Speaking of Jesus**

**COOL KIDS COLLECTIVE** (grades 3-5) will be in Franklin, Tennessee, this Friday and Saturday, **February 13 -14,**



to participate in SUPER START weekend. Based on John 8:31-32, the theme invites our kids to become truth detectives through the world of a hilarious and thrilling mystery play full of twists, turns, and suspects – where only the best detectives can reveal the truth. The trip includes a private event at Dave & Busters. Please keep these kids, Ben Johnson, and Kelly Kurf in your prayers as they travel and experience God this weekend!

**ASH**  
**WEDNESDAY SERVICE**  
 February 18, 2026 6:15PM CHAPEL  
 Childcare available for babies-2<sup>nd</sup> graders.

Prior to this service, there will be a light fellowship supper of chili and fixings served in the Parlor at 5:30PM.

**THE GONG SHOW**

**Youth Choir Fundraiser**

**Christmas GONG SHOW**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 8**  
 6:00 PM, FBC FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for an evening of laughter and great entertainment as members of our Youth Choir perform for our special Christmas Gong Show judges. Your ticket includes dessert and drinks. All funds raised go toward the youth summer trip to Passport Missions.

**TICKETS: \$15**  
**CHILDREN UNDER 13: FREE**  
**GOLD TABLE: \$150 (UP TO 8 GUESTS)**  
**SILVER TABLE: \$100 (UP TO 8 GUESTS)**

**Tickets go on sale February 15 in the Lobby and through the Church Office.**  
 for more information: 423-648-2545

## Church Family Concerns

(Updated from prayer requests and by office staff; not listed in order of priority)

The multitude of folks all over the world without food, water, shelter, safety  
 Those affected by justice & human rights issues; immigration issues  
 Those affected by extreme winter weather  
 Those affected by unrest, invasions, and conflicts in their countries

Tim Burton  
 Bobby Colvin  
 Sue Crockett  
 Sue & Bill Doyle (St. Louis)  
 Doug (hospice) & Martha Eaves  
 Robin Gray  
 Maggie Hansel  
 Charlie Longer  
 Don Manning  
 Mark Mardis  
 Vic Oakes  
 Melissa Phillips  
 Annette Spinks  
 Lynn Strong  
 Cordelle Terrell  
 Penny Tullock  
 Alice Turner  
 Steve Yantis



Karen, Rose Thomas's friend  
 Chelsea Darras, Dan Mayfield's niece  
 Ruth Dayhuff, Marian Herdzina's friend  
 Larry Dickey, Regina Koller's friend  
 Rachel Fagan, Stephanie & David Daley's niece  
 Montana Freeman, Robin Gray's daughter  
 Ilean Gentry, Cordelle Terrell's friend  
 Allie Hammond, Grady Worley's niece  
 Fred Hall (hospice), Bill Roddy's brother-in-law  
 Debarah & Brad Harbuck  
 Anthony Henderson's father, Ronald (Anthony, FBC custodian)  
 Charlie Hill, Jan Varnell's friend  
 Dora Hunter, Jane Lewis' niece  
 Mark Jackson, Robin Gray's friend  
 Nancy & Jim Lewis, Doug Lewis's brother and sister-in-law  
 Teresa Longer, Sandra & Charlie Longer's daughter-in-law  
 Margie Mayfield, Dan Mayfield's mother  
 Family of Jeff McDaniel  
 Holly Harris Misirly, Sharon & Emily Tousek's relative  
 Lance Robbins, Tom McCullough's friend  
 David Stewart, the Markham's friend  
 Joseph "Stroud" Watson & family (Bryony Stroud-Watson, SFA)  
 Cathy Suarez, Rusty Rouse's friend  
 Bill Tate, Regina Schwall's father  
 Shirley Thomas, Cordelle Terrell's friend  
 Connie Trowbridge, Sean Pickett's cousin  
 Ed Wade, Brenda Underwood's cousin

### Hospitalized

Bill Allen – Memorial ICU  
 Barbara Koller – Rehab in Atlanta  
 Carlie Wojnovich – Memorial Hixson, ICU

### Condolences to

Barbara & Regina Koller in the death of Joe Koller  
 The family of Harold Loyd

### SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Tyler Cain, Virginia Condry Ledman  
 Jamie Fitch, Matthew Hellier  
 Coty Kissinger, Michael Land  
 Keith Mays, Nathan Skidmore

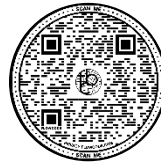
## SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY 11

5:30 pm	Bring Your Own Supper	Fellowship Hall
<b>Babies / Toddlers</b>		
6:00 pm	Childcare	E104
<b>Preschoolers</b>		
6:15 pm	Preschool Music & Missions	E107
<b>Children (K-5<sup>th</sup> grade)</b>		
6:15 pm	Children's Choir	E111
7:00 pm	Gym Time	Gym
<b>Youth</b>		
6:15 pm	Youth Gathering	Youth Area
7:00 pm	Gym Time	Gym
<b>Adults</b>		
6:15 pm	Epiphanies (study/discussion/action)	E217
<i>Lent</i>		
Facilitated by Maggie Quisenberry		
6:15 pm	"I've Been Meaning to Ask..." ...What Do You Need?	FH
Job 2:11-13; II Timothy 4:9-18 Facilitated by Thomas Quisenberry		

## FINANCE REPORT (for February 11, 2026)

Budget receipts in the mail	\$ 12,712.32
Budget receipts digitally/online	14,625.37
<b>BUDGET RECEIPTS for the week</b>	<b>\$ 39,630.37</b>
Designated offerings	2,595.35
Total offering for this week	\$ 29,933.04
<b>YTD Revenue</b>	<b>\$106,357.31</b>
<b>YTD Expenses</b>	<b>\$115,742.93</b>

With this QR code, you can donate to our budget, pay for event tickets, give to a mission opportunity, and more. Please contact the church office with any questions.



## NOTE-WORTHY FRIENDS

(They'd love a note from you.)

Carole Daniel  
 671 Alexian Way #605  
 Signal Mtn, TN 37377

Iris Daniels  
 801 Riverhill Dr #657  
 Athens, GA 30606

Barbara Davis  
 83 Rose St  
 Sopchoppy, FL 32358

Feb. 11	Dreama Vinyard
Feb. 13	Joanie Kerr
Feb. 14	Samuel Bond Tilson Boshears
	<b>MILDRED MAYS</b>
Feb. 18	Annette Spinks
Feb. 20	Megan Long
Feb. 21	Stewart Thibault
Feb. 22	Mary Carol Campbell Virginia Rowe
Feb. 23	Bill Doyle Abigail Hixson
Feb. 24	Jay Avery
Feb. 26	Franklin Davis Regina Schwall
Feb. 29	Ed Fitch





The Chattanooga Area Middle School Choral Festival, February 10, was a daylong event held at FBC, sponsored by the Chattanooga Boys Choir, and culminating in a wonderful concert.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH & COVENANT COLLEGE  
present

*REST MY WEARY SOUL  
in THEE*

**A LENTEN CONCERT**  
Sunday, February 22, 2026  
6:00 PM

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401 Gateway Avenue, Chattanooga, TN 37402  
[www.fbcchattanooga.org/lenen-concert/](http://www.fbcchattanooga.org/lenen-concert/)

YOUR JOURNEY FROM MOURNING TO JOY

**GRIEF SHARE®**

Tuesdays, beginning March 10  
6:30 – 8:00PM \* room E213

11 video-based sessions with small group discussions  
\$20 fee covers the workbook: *From Mourning to Joy*

To register go to: [fbcchattanooga.org/griefshare](http://fbcchattanooga.org/griefshare) Questions? Contact Jim Schwall, 423-280-7998  
First Baptist Church, 401 Gateway Ave, Chattanooga, TN 37402

Our congregation partners with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship and CBF of Tennessee. [cbf.net](http://cbf.net)

**ON THE CALENDAR, FEB. 12 – FEB. 25**

<b>Thursday, February 12</b>	
Investment Committee	5:00PM
<b>Friday, February 13</b>	
Meet for Super Start Retreat (3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> gr.)	5:00PM
<b>Saturday, February 14</b>	
Back from Super Start Retreat	6:00PM
<b>Sunday, February 15</b>	
Chancel Choir Rehearsal	9:00AM
Sunday School/Bible Study	9:30AM
Fellowship Time/Library Open	10:30AM
Songs of Community	10:50AM
Worship	11:00AM
Youth Choir Rehearsal	4:30PM
Youth Supper	5:30PM
Youth Bible Study	6:00PM
Chancel Choir Rehearsal	6:00PM
<b>Tuesday, February 17</b>	
Prayer Shawl Ministry Group	10:00AM
Lunch & Learn	11:00AM
Moving Forward CJC Classes	5:30PM
Deacon Council Meeting	5:30PM
<b>Wednesday, February 18</b>	
FBC Serves at the CHATT Foundation	11:00AM
Fellowship Time – Light Supper	5:30PM
Ash Wednesday Service	6:15PM
Youth Ministry Leadership Team Mtg	7:15PM
<b>Thursday, February 19</b>	
Shower Ministry	2:00PM
Finance Committee Meeting (Zoom)	4:30PM
<b>Saturday, February 21</b>	
Rehearsal Covenant & FBC Choirs	9:00AM
<b>Sunday, February 22</b>	
Chancel Choir Rehearsal	9:00AM
Sunday School/Bible Study	9:30AM
Fellowship Time/Library Open	10:30AM
Songs of Community	10:50AM
Worship – 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent	11:00AM
Cook Kid's Collective	12:30PM
Youth Choir Rehearsal	4:30PM
Youth Supper	5:30PM
Youth Bible Study	6:00PM
Lenten Concert (FBC/Covenant Choirs)	6:00PM
<b>Tuesday, February 24</b>	
Prayer Shawl Ministry Group	10:00AM
Lunch & Learn	11:00AM
Tuesday Book Group	4:00PM
Moving Forward CJC Classes	5:30PM
<b>Wednesday, February 25</b>	
Fellowship Time (BYOF)	5:30PM
Preschool Music/Missions	6:15PM
Children's Choir	6:15PM
Youth Gathering	6:15PM
Epiphanies (study/discussion/action)	6:15PM
Midweek Study (Pastor led)	6:15PM
Gym Time	7:00PM

**FBC Ministerial & Support Staff**

Dr. Thomas Quisenberry	Senior Pastor	
Rev. Jeff Parker	Minister of Music & Worship	
Rev. Kelly Kunf	Interim Minister of Youth & Children	
Ms. Megan Long	Intern, Youth & Children	
David Daley	Facilities Supervisor	423.648.2548
Lila Knauth	Financial Associate	423.648.2547
Patty Spells	Church Administrative Assistant	423.265.2257
Lizzie Alford	Education Administrative Ass't	423.648.2542
Frances Marandi	Music Administrative Assistant	423.648.2543