

# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES



**READY TO GIVE?**—But you forgot your checkbook and there is little cash in your wallet? You can scan this code with your smartphone where you will be linked to our online giving page. Thanks for being a GIVING part of the First Family.

**YOUTH INFORMATION** - There is a new youth activity calendar available at the welcome desk. This calendar includes all events for the rest of the year, along with stats on salvations and baptisms.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES** - Are on tables in the hallways. Please take a box for each member of your family. Use them each week to ensure your contributions are correctly posted.

**THANK YOU** - To the Flower and Decorations Committee for the beautiful Christmas decorations in the Sanctuary and hallways. You all did an outstanding job!

## CHURCH STAFF

- Dr. Patrick Hunter, Pastor -  
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# A LOOK AHEAD

**TODAY** December 29  
9:25 am Worship Team Rehearsal  
9:45 am Bible Study Groups  
11:00 am **Worship in the Morning**

**MONDAY** December 30  
4:30 pm **NO Bible Drill**

**TUESDAY** December 31

**WEDNESDAY** January 1  
**New Year's Day**

**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**



All Adult Bible Study  
**Wednesday nights at 6:30pm in the Hospitality Room.** We are studying the book of Galatians as we discover how to live Gospel-Rooted Lives.

**We will resume on January 8th.**  
**Bible Study Galatians 4:12**

## Attendance Last Sunday:

Worship: 190  
Sunday School: 155

## Offering Last Sunday:

Budget: \$10,586.00  
Designated: \$1,320.00

**Weekly giving to fund budget: 13,494.00**



# New Boston's FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**W**e are glad you made the choice to be here at New Boston's First Baptist Church today. Our prayer for you is to experience God's grace in such an amazing way you'll talk about it all week. In fact, helping others discover how to love God and love people is why we are here! Let us know how we can help you on your journey.



**Welcome to  
Worship**

**December 29, 2024**

*Unto Us  
a Child is Born*



**Worship God Together**

Prelude Marti Stellpflug

*I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day (187)*

*Gentle Mary Laid Her Child (212)*

*Come Worship the King  
(Sanctuary Choir)*

Welcome & Prayer Dr. Patrick Hunter

*We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise (581)*

*Great is Thy Faithfulness (96)*

*What a Beautiful Name*

Offertory Prayer-Usher

Offertory Song O Holy Night Dana Weaver & Trent Michael

Message Dr. Hunter

Invitation Song  
*Wherever He Leads I'll Go (437)*

Benediction Song  
*Go Tell It on the Mountain (182)*

HOW CAN I JOIN FBC?

You may unite with our fellowship by profession of faith in Jesus followed by water baptism; by transfer of letter from another Baptist Church, or by statement of your faith and baptism.

**Message for Today**

Dr Patrick Hunter  
Jesus' Early Life Matthew 2:13-23

\_\_\_\_\_ Out  
of Egypt. (v.13-15)

\_\_\_\_\_ in  
Ramah. (v.16-18)

\_\_\_\_\_ in  
Nazareth. (v.19-23)

**The Word for Today**

Obedience Demands \_\_\_\_\_  
Steps.

\_\_\_\_\_ People do  
Wicked Things.

God \_\_\_\_\_ Makes  
the Way.

*Offerings may be given by placing them  
in the offering box at the rear of the  
sanctuary before or after the service.*

**NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS** - Until after the holidays- January 2025.

**LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING** - Offerings will be received through December 31st. Please pray about your part in our mission offering. Our Church's goal is **\$6,000.00**. We have received **\$6,125.00**.



January 31-February 1st: 2025! Cost: \$35.00  
FBC Benton, AR . See Chris to sign up.

**REMINDER** - The church office will be closed Wednesday, January 1st, in observance of New Year's.



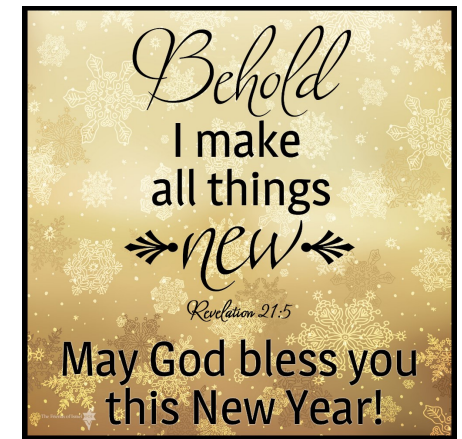
**This Week's Bible Reading**  
**Today 29:** Job 40:6-42:6, Isaiah 65, Revelation 21: 1-22:5, Psalms 150  
**Mon. 30:** Job 42:7-13, Is. 66, Revelation 22:6-21, Psalms 50  
**Tues. 31:** HAPPY NEW YEAR  
**Wed. 1:** Genesis 1-2, Matthew 1  
**Thurs. 2:** Genesis 3-5, Matthew 2  
**Fri. 3:** Genesis 6-8, Matthew 3  
**Sat. 4:** Genesis 9-11, Matthew 4

**REMINDER** - **5:00 PM**, TOMORROW, December 30th is the last day to bring any contribution for 2024 to the church office. Mailed contributions must be postmarked no later than December 31, 2024.

**2025 - BIBLE READING PLAN** - Is on the ledge in the vestibule and north hallway table. There are two (2) readings a day.



**2025 JANUARY-FEBRUARY** - Birthday lists are on the ledge in the vestibule.



**DEACONS ON CALL**

Roy Dale Bray -  
David Daniel -

**Security Duty**

Brian Bobbitt - Rip England