

## **SERMON NOTES**

**TODAY'S TEXT: MATTHEW 8:18-22  
WITH PASTOR BEN WETHERINGTON**

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Please pray for missing children as we approach  
the Super Bowl where children are trafficked.

### **In Our Backyard Organization 2024 Super Bowl Virtual Volunteer Opportunity**

- \*Help find and free missing children
- \*Be computer savvy
- \*Use social media & Google docs
- \*Be available to volunteer Feb 4th—Feb 9th
- \*Fill out an application
- \*Pass a background check
- \*Take training on the process

View the website below,  
also contact me for information and pre-application.

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<https://inourbackyard.org/our-impact/super-bowl/>

In Our Backyard is also on Facebook

[www.fbcshelburn.com](http://www.fbcshelburn.com)

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*Loving God & Loving People, Serving God by Serving People*

**JANUARY 7, 2024—ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Welcome/Bible Reading—*Pastor Adam Snyder***

**Worship in Song**

**Worship Through Offerings**

**Announcements/Prayer—*Elder Jeff Hudson***

**Message from—*Matthew 8:18-22***

*Pastor Ben Wetherington*

**“The Hard Privilege of Following Jesus”**

**Invitation & Worship in Song**

**The Lord's Supper**

**Blessing & Benediction**

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## THIS WEEK @ FBCS

### Sunday

9:00 AM Sunday School  
 10:00 AM Worship Service  
 5-7:00 PM Prayer Service

### Monday

7:30 PM Worship Practice

### Wednesday

6:30 PM Prayer Mtg. &  
 Youth Groups

## REGULAR OPPORTUNITIES

### Sunday School

Classes meet every Sunday at  
 9:00am for Nursery—Senior Adults.

### Children’s Church

Gospel-centered, age-appropriate  
 teaching, offered during the service  
 for Nursery through 5th grade.  
 Please stop by the Check-in station  
 at the Welcome Center.

### Evening Service

**Tonight will be a Come & Go Prayer  
 Service from 5:00-7:00pm.**

The 6:00pm service is a relaxed  
 setting to learn as a family. Nursery  
 and Youth Group are both available.

### Midweek @ First

Join us on Wednesday at 6:30pm for  
 our Prayer Meeting. Nursery,  
 Children’s Class and Youth Group  
 are also available.

### Hearing Devices

Hearing packs are available at the  
 Welcome Center if you need hearing  
 assistance during the sermon.

## MISSIONS

### Missions Committee

If you’d like to serve on the Missions  
 Committee for 2024, please see Tony  
 Haymaker. Stay tuned for upcoming  
 trips and service opportunities for  
 this year!

If you’d like to know the Missions &  
 Ministries we are supporting for  
 2024, please see the updated flyers  
 on the Missions table!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Night of Prayer

**Tonight from 5:00-7:00pm**

Please come and be prayed over by  
 the Elders. This is a “come and go” as  
 you please service. You can also grab  
 a prayer guide and pray for as long as  
 you’d like in the sanctuary.

The Youth Group will meet in the  
 gym from 6-7:00pm.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Special Business Meeting

**Sunday, Jan. 14th at 11:45am**  
 Please plan to attend the Business  
 Meeting, there will be a discussion  
 and a vote on our continued  
 affiliation with the American Baptist  
 USA denomination. You must be a  
 member and 16 in order to vote.

### Men’s Breakfast

**Saturday, Jan. 27th at 8:00am**

Hey guys, you’re invited to a hearty  
 breakfast and devotion time led by  
 Pastor Ben in the Ministry Center. If  
 you plan to attend, please see the  
 signup sheet on the foyer table.

### Choir Practices Coming Up

Adult Choir Practice will begin on  
 Sunday the 21st following the Evening  
 Service.

The Kid’s Choir will also begin on the  
 21st at 6:00pm in the large Children’s  
 Classroom.

Handbell Choir will begin on Monday  
 the 22nd at 6:30pm.



## INFORMATION

### Building Fund Recap

Total BF \$51,743.78

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## GIVING

Received:  
**\$9,000.82**

Needed:  
**\$8,956.00**

## ATTENDANCE

Sunday School **61**

Worship **202**

Visitors **15**

## COMMUNITY

**FOOD MIN.**

On Break Until  
 March