

## **SERMON NOTES**

**TODAY'S TEXT: JOSHUA 1:8 & 9  
WITH PASTOR ADAM SNYDER**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Parent Shopping/Date Night**

**December 8th from 6:30-9:00pm**—Parents, leave your kiddos at the church with Pastor Adam and others for fun activities and food while you Christmas shop! See the signup sheet at the foyer table if you want your kids to participate.

#### **Live Nativity in Sullivan Park**

**Saturday, Dec. 9th from 6-8:00pm**—The Sullivan Park will be creating a Christmas drive thru. We'll have our Live Nativity there. Samantha Tryon is collecting a list of people willing to help with setup/tear down, lights, characters, animals, caroling and hot chocolate stand. Please see the signup sheet to participate.

#### **Gingerbread House Party**

**Sunday, Dec. 10th After Church**—Come join us for a light lunch and our annual Gingerbread House making party! Anyone is welcome to attend and participate. You'll need to bring a tub of icing, 3 bags of candies to decorate with and to share, and a 12x12 in. aluminum covered piece of cardboard. Signup sheet to participate is at the foyer table.

#### **"Joy to the World" Daily Readings For Advent Book**

Pick up a free copy of the book on the black round tables in the foyer while they last! The 25 brief devotional readings from John Piper begin on December 1st and carry you to Christmas Day! Our prayer is that God would use these readings to deepen and sweeten your adoration of Jesus this December and keep Him in the center of this Christmas season!



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**NOVEMBER 26, 2023—ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Welcome/Bible Reading**—*Pastor Ben Wetherington*

**Worship in Song**

**Worship Through Offerings**

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

**Message from**—**Joshua 1:8 & 9**

*Pastor Adam Snyder*

**"Success Requires Obedience"**

**Invitation & Worship in Song**

**Blessing & Benediction**

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## THIS WEEK @ FBCS

### Sunday

9:00 AM Sunday School  
 10:00 AM Worship Service  
 4:30 PM Hanging of the Greens- No Evening Service

### Monday

6:30 PM Trustees Mtg  
 7:30 PM Worship Practice

### Wednesday

6:30 PM Prayer Meeting & Youth Group

### Saturday

All Day MC/K Reserved  
 2:00 PM Cantata Rehearsal

## INFORMATION

### Building Fund Recap

Total BF \$40,082.71

## 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

**No Service due to Hanging of the Greens.** 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.

### Choir Practices

Adult Choir will be at 7:00pm this evening. Youth Choir & Children’s Choir will meet together at 5:30pm in the Choir Room.

## MISSIONS

### Sponsor a Christmas Basket

With the holidays approaching, we’re looking for people who would like to partner with our Food Distribution Ministry to help provide Christmas Food boxes. If you would like to sponsor a box for a family in our community, please sign the list at the foyer table. The sponsorship cost is \$50 a box. You can sponsor one box, or multiple boxes. We hope to provide at least 35 boxes. If you have any questions, please talk to Cheryl.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Hanging of the Greens and Soup/Chili Cookoff

**Today at 4:30pm**  
 Come help decorate the church for Christmas! Afterwards we’ll have soups and chili. There will be a friendly competition with the soups and judges! We are requesting six soups, of any kind, and six chilis to participate in the judging. If you’d like to make a soup/chili for the cookoff competition, please see the signup sheet at the foyer table. We’ll need others to bring desserts and sides to go with the soups.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Annual Business Meeting

**Sunday, Dec. 3rd at 11:45am**  
 Please plan to attend the Meeting following the service next week. A discussion will take place for the Staff Evaluation Policy, Wedding Policy and Budget. See the insert for all the open nomination information. Phyllis Scott has accepted the nomination for the vacant position as Assistant Clerk. Stop by the foyer table for copies of the proposed 2024 Budget/Policies.

### Christmas Cantata & Rehearsal

**Sunday, Dec. 3rd at 6:00pm**  
 You are invited to join us for our annual Christmas Cantata! Performing will be the kids, teens and adults. There will be refreshments afterwards. Rehearsal will be on Sat. the 2nd from 2-4:00pm in the Sanctuary.

### SonShine Fellowship Lunch

**Thursday, Dec. 7th at 11:30am**  
 There will be a lunch and fellowship for the Seniors of our church next Thursday. On the menu is Ham, Cheesy Potatoes, vegetables and rolls. You’re welcome to bring a dessert to share! Please see the signup sheet.



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## GIVING

Received:  
**\$8,696.75**  
 Needed:  
**\$8,610.00**

## ATTENDANCE

Sunday School	<b>71</b>
Worship	<b>229</b>
Visitors	<b>24</b>

## COMMUNITY

**FOOD MIN.**  
 Wednesday,  
 December 20th