

First Baptist News

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Holiday Notes:

- The ECM & Church Offices will be closed December 24th, 25th, 28th in observance of the Christmas holiday.
- Tithing Time is moved from December 28th to Tuesday, December 29th due to our closure for Christmas.
- Contributions to the 2020 Budget need to be received or postmarked by December 31st.
- The ECM & Church Offices will be closed on January 1st in celebration of the New Year!



This Week. . .

Wednesday, December 23

7:00 p.m. Bridge Class (Zoom)

Thursday, December 24

ECM & Church Offices Closed

12:00 Virtual Christmas Worship
(Facebook Live & YouTube)

Friday, December 25

Merry Christmas!

ECM & Church Offices Closed

Sunday, December 27

10:00 a.m. **Worship (Facebook Live & YouTube)**

11:00 a.m. **Called Church Conference**

11:00 a.m. Fellowship Class (Zoom)

Monday, December 28

ECM & Church Offices Closed

7:00 p.m. Monday School
(Bo's Facebook Page)

Tuesday, December 29

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group
(Zoom)

1:00-2:30 p.m. Tithing Time

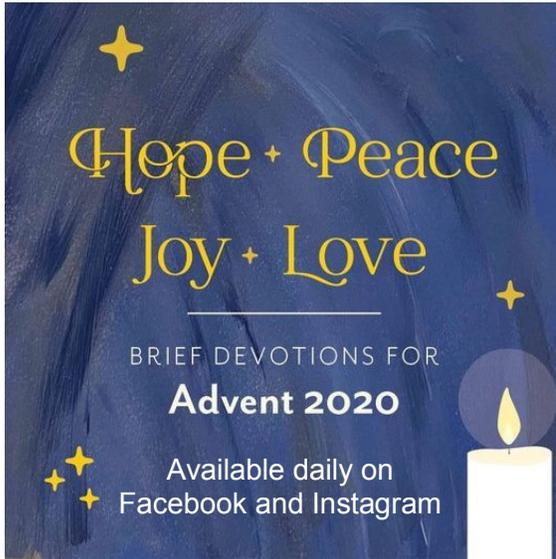
Christmas Eve at FBC

A virtual service of worship will be available online at noon.

Brief outdoor Candle-lighting at 5 pm on site (weather permitting.)

Candlelight Service

Called Church Conference
For presentation of the
2021 Committee on Committees Report
December 27th at 11 am via Zoom



Thanks Erin!

When Erin Collier came to us in 2012, no one could have imagined all that First Baptist had ahead. Erin has been with us through some good times and through some really hard times as well. We are thankful for her time here and wish her all the best.



Due to current restrictions, we are not able to hold a reception in Erin’s honor as she wraps up her time at FBC. Instead, we ask that you bring thank you cards, notes, or other remembrances for Erin when you come to tithing time on December 21st or 29th.

For the Record

Budgeted 2020.....	\$700,000.00
Weekly Need (2020)	\$13,461.54
Received December 15, 2020.....	\$9,105.00
Need to date	\$653,846.15
Received to date.....	\$519,672.62
Over (Under) Budget.....	(\$134,173.53)

Donations for the Children’s Christmas Party and Friends of Jesus Christmas are welcomed!

Even though we have distributed pizza and gift cards to our Friends of Jesus Class Members and given out clothes, toys, dried fruit and hams to families in need for Christmas, we will still accept donations toward these ministries through the end of the year.

Please designate “Children’s Christmas Party” or “Friends of Jesus Christmas” on the memo line of your check. Donations will be accepted by mail—606 N. Walnut St., Lumberton, NC 28358— or at tithing time—1-2:30 p.m. each Monday.

Give to First Baptist Church!

Here are some ways to donate to our ministry:

- Drop by during Tithing Time!— Mondays from 1:00-2:30 p.m.
- Scan our QR code with your cell phone to go to our giving page.



- Go to our website (www.fbclumbertonnc.org) to complete a draft form.
- Send us your contribution by mail— **606 N. Walnut St., Lumberton, NC 28358**

Community Café Volunteers Needed for 2021!

Groups are needed to host our Community Café on the 3rd Saturday each month. Host groups provide a meal to be picked up by our Community Café guests. If your Sunday School Class, Mission Group, etc. would like to host please contact the church office (739-4336 or dougreedy@fbclumbertonnc.org).

CHURCH STAFF

Contact us at 739-4336 or daphnefletcher@fbclumbertonnc.org
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Rev. Erin Collier — Associate Pastor of Families and Worship

Mrs. Daphne Fletcher — Administrative Assistant

Rev. Tim Little — Minister of Music and Facilities

Mr. Len Power—Building Superintendent

Dr. Bo Prosser—Interim Pastor

Mrs. Kandace Ramsey — Administrative Assistant

Rev. Doug Reedy — Associate Pastor of Youth, Young Adults and Missions