### Financial Summary

January-November 2020 Actual Income \$882,853 \$816,766 Expenses Difference \$66,087

General Fund Summary 12/13

Weekly Budget \$17,245 Actual \$14,430 Month to Date Budget \$34,490 Month to Date Actual \$39,270

Lottie Moon Goal: \$60,000 Received to Date: \$32,408

Attendance

Morning Worship 114 Sunday School

## Our Staff

**Dr. Jim Cooley** Senior Pastor, 901-3218

Dr. Rich Hutchens Associate Pastor, 401-0605

> Dr. Joe Hopkins Worship Pastor

Rev. Nathan Lyon Youth Pastor & Family Ministries 334-301-8607

**Evie Morris** 

Worship Ministries Associate

**Cyndy James** Pastoral Administrative Assistant

**Nancy Chesser** 

Financial Assistant

Mary Jo LeCroy Receptionist/Ministry Assistant

> Melvin Robertson Daniele Scott Custodians





### Church Calendar

Sunday, December 20

10:15am Morning Worship Service - Sanctuary

Wednesday, December 23

Church office closed

Friday, December 24

Church office closed 4:00pm Christmas Eve Service 5:00pm Christmas Eve Service

Friday, December 25

Church office closed

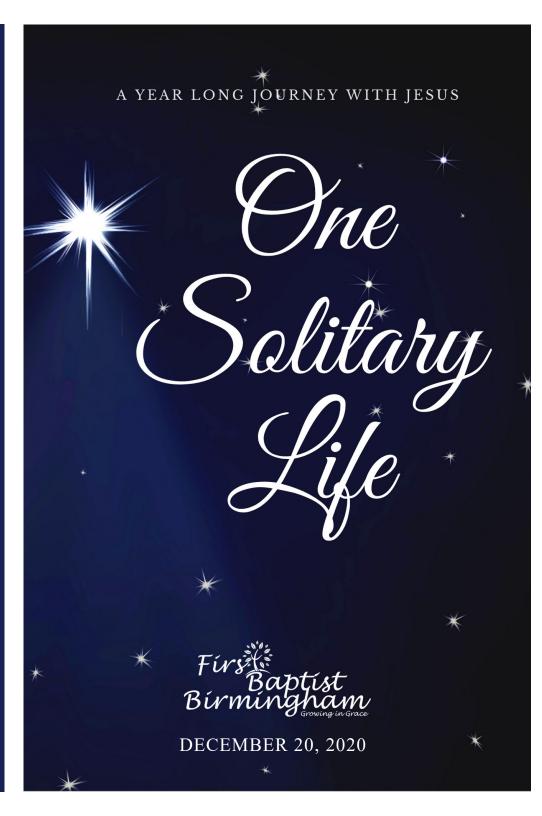


#### Current Office Hours

Monday-Thursday Friday

8:30am - 4:30pm Closed

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# Morning Worship

### December 20, 2020

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Preparing Our Hearts for Worship		Evie Morris
Announcements & Prayer		Dr. Rich Hutchens
Call to Worship	O Come, All Ye Faithful	Hymn 192
Lighting of the Advent Wreath		Harrison and Nikita Smith
Welcome		Dr. Jim Cooley
	This Child	Dr. Joe Hopkins
Children's Moment		Dr. Rich Hutchens
	The Noel Promise	First Lights Band
Morning Scripture	Luke 2:1-7	Dr. Rich Hutchens
	Mary Did You Know	Hymn 209
Message	Large Lessons in Small Places	Dr. Jim Cooley
Invitation	Away in a Manger	Hymn 205
Benediction Prayer		
Closing Song	All is Well	Congregation
Postlude		Evie Morris

## News & Events

### Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Today

Because you give, IMB missionaries can take the gospel to unreached peoples around the world. Every dollar you give makes a difference, because 100% of the money collected goes to the work of reaching every nation. Over 3,700 IMB missionaries are supported through your giving. The goal this year for FBC is \$60,000. The IMB's goal is \$175 million. You may leave your donation in the basket at the table in the foyer. Don't forget to pick up a mug (1 per family please)!

### **Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion**

December 24

Come and be a part of a beautiful celebration as the FBC family joins to anticipate Christmas morning and give thanks for the most Glorious Gift! This year, we will have two services: one at 4:00pm and one at 5:00pm. Please let us know which service you plan to attend and with how many guests so we can plan accordingly. To sign up for a service, visit www.fbcbirmingham.org/christmas-eve-service or call the church office.

#### Faith Comes by Hearing

January 3-17

Paul admonished Timothy to "devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture" (1 Tim 4:13). Here at First Baptist, we have always centered our life and worship on the Word of God. As we begin a new year, we are inviting each member of FBC to join in reading the Bible together, from Genesis to Revelation. Beginning on January 3 and concluding January 17, we will read the Word of God in our sanctuary and stream the readings live through our Facebook page. You can sign up today, picking your best time to read or your favorite passage or both. Look for the banner in the foyer to be a part of Faith Comes by Hearing.

### No Sunday School On:

December 20, December 27, January 3, and January 10



Drop your Christmas cards off to FBC members and staff at the Christmas Card Mailboxes in the hallway across from the church office. Use the money you would have spent on postage to donate to Lottie Moon instead! Please check the boxes and pick up your cards.