

First Words
November 19, 2023

ROMANS VIII

THE TRENCHES
ROMANS 8:35-39

MEMORY VERSE:

AND WE KNOW THAT IN ALL THINGS GOD WORKS
FOR THE GOOD OF THOSE WHO LOVE HIM,
WHO HAVE BEEN CALLED ACCORDING TO HIS PURPOSE.
ROMANS 8:28 (NIV)

WELCOME

Glad you're with us!

SMALL GROUPS

Sundays at 8:00, 9:15 & 10:45am.
For help finding a small group,
contact: darrington@fbctrussville.org

WORSHIP

- **9:15am** (Traditional)
- **10:45am** (Contemporary)

OTHER HELPFUL INFO

- **Restrooms** are conveniently located just outside the Worship Center.
- **Offering bins** are located at the exits as you leave the Worship Center.
- **Listening devices** are available by request; see an usher to inquire.
- **FBCT Library: Today** 8:00am-12:30pm **Tuesday** 9:00am-5:00pm
Wednesday 4:00-7:30pm **Our veterans display will stay thru 12/31!**
- Inquire or register for any FBCT event at the **Event Center**.
- **For assistance** please see an usher or visit the Welcome Center.

PRAYER. Let us pray for you. Go to fbctrussville.org/prayer-requests
or use today's tear off, and share you prayer requests with us today.

1st Time Guests

Bring today's completed
tear off to the Welcome
Center, or visit
[fbctrussville.org/
next-steps](http://fbctrussville.org/next-steps) and let us
know you were with us today!

A
*Free
Gift*
For You!



Upcoming Service Opportunities

MON
NOV
20 SAM Serves at Jimmie Hale Mission

THU
NOV
30 SAM Serves at CLCC

FRI
DEC
8 Helping at Serving Your Ministries' Christmas Shop

SUN
DEC
10 Christmas Crafts at Lovelady Center

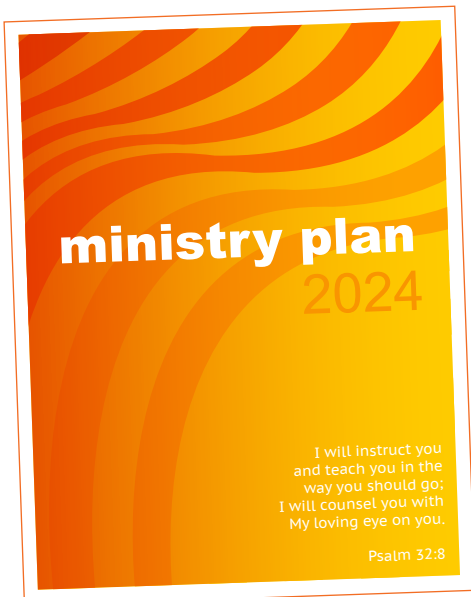


Life can be hard.
We're here to help.

Contact:
stephenministry@fbctrussville.org

For details on these and other opportunities to help, scan the QR
code at right, or visit: fbctrussville.org/helper





Today we approve the 2024 Ministry Plan.

Some call it a budget, we call it a plan for ministry as we use God's resources to share Jesus Christ with our community, and around the world next year!

You'll find copies of the Ministry Plan available today at the Event Center.

TODAY (11/19)

FBCT Conservatory Recital

1:30 & 3:00pm • Worship Center

Our students will showcase what they've learned this semester. All welcome!

THIS WEEK (11/20-25)

Holiday Week Schedule

- The FBCT Library will be closed 11/21 & 11/22.
- There will be no Midweek activities this Wednesday, 11/22.
- The FBCT offices will be closed for Thanksgiving 11/23 & 11/24.

COMING UP

- **Family Missions Night** (Missions)
Wednesday, November 29
6:00pm • Gym - After dinner we'll have a special time for families, honoring the work of international SBC missions.
- **Preschool Parents' Night Out**
Friday, December 1 • 6:00-8:30pm
\$10 per child/\$20 family max
For preschoolers and their 1st-5th grade siblings!
- **Lottie Moon Brunch** (Missions)
Saturday, December 2 • 10:00am
A200 • \$10 - Tickets available at the Event Center and Church Office.
And, if you have a nativity from your travels you'd let us display, contact: jamiec@fbctrussville.org
- **Giving Hope** (Kids/Families)
Providing the joy of Christmas to and area family in need. Visit the Giving Hope Wall (behind the Welcome Center) for more details.
- **Family Christmas Festival**
Saturday, December 9 • 4:00-6:00pm
Christmas fun for the whole family at FBCT, following the Trussville Christmas Parade.
- **SAM Christmas Banquet*** (SAM)
Sunday, December 10
11:30am & 4:00pm • Gym • \$25
Special guests, Williamson Bluegrass Family! Get your tickets today!
- **Red Mountain Theatre's Holiday Spectacular** (Events)
Thursday, December 14
7:30pm • \$28 - FBCT group tickets available now at the Event Center and in the Church Office.
- **"Let Us Adore Him"** (Worship)
Sunday, December 17
9:15 & 10:45am - A time of Christmas worship presented by the Worship Ministry of First Baptist Trussville.
- **Candlelight Services**
Wednesday, December 20 • 5:00pm
Christmas Eve • 3:00 & 5:00pm
All the wonder and worship of Christmas, by candlelight!
- **One Worship Service**
Sunday, December 24 • 10:00am
Sunday, December 31 • 10:00am
Small Groups will not meet on these Sundays. Small Group Bible study will resume on Sunday, January 7.

Giving Hope

Stop by the Giving Hope Wall (near the Welcome Center), select an ornament, and help a family in need this Christmas!

Wrapped gifts requested with tags attached by December 3rd.



International Nativity Sets

Do you have a nativity set that came from another part of the world? We'd love to have it on display at our upcoming Lottie Moon Brunch on Dec. 2 (We'll take good care of it!). Email: jamiec@fbctrussville.org

Numbers From Last Sunday - November 12, 2023

Budget Receipts:	\$ 163,300	Small Groups:	1,335
Budget Received YTD:	\$ 6,821,770	Worship Services:	
NEXT YTD:	\$ 572,247	On Campus - 1,532	Online - 278
		→ Total: 1,810	

*REGISTER: [FBCTRUSVILLE.ORG/EVENTS](https://fbctrussville.org/events)

On Today's Tear Off:



Christmas Poinsettias

Placed in the Worship Center in honor or memory of your loved one!



Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Placed in Honor Memory

of: _____

Poinsettias are \$10 each. Place cash/checks in a giving envelope with this form and drop it in a giving bin as you exit the Worship Center today. If paying by check, indicate "poinsettia" on your check.

Stephen Ministry

Help through difficult times from trained, caring ministers. Please contact me:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

stephenministry@fbctrussville.org



Upward Game Day Help

Contact me about helping with Upward Game Days.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Or email: jedwards@fbctrussville.org

Christmas Poinsettia orders, email
rebeccap@fbctrussville.org

For Stephen Ministry info, email
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