

# FBCT TODAY

October 18, 2020



COME TOGETHER

**Today:  
Choose!**  
1 John 2:1-17

## Welcome to First Baptist!

We're glad you're with us!

### Small Groups

Groups meet at **8:00, 9:15 & 10:45am**, as well as other times throughout the week. If you're looking for a group, visit the Event Center today, or get in touch with Minister of Education

**Jamie O'Dell** at: [jamieo@fbctrussville.org](mailto:jamieo@fbctrussville.org)

### Worship Today

**9:15 & 10:45am** - Each service is also available online via our livestream! For details visit: [fbctrussville.org/live](https://fbctrussville.org/live)

### 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.
- Spacious **Overflow Viewing** is also available in A200 (the high school room).
- **The FBCT Library** has thousands of resources for your enjoyment; contact Connie Horsley about book delivery: [connieh@fbctrussville.org](mailto:connieh@fbctrussville.org)
- Inquire or register for any FBCT event at the **Event Center**.
- **For further assistance** please see an usher or visit the Welcome Center.

### Let us pray for you.

Use today's tear off to request prayer, placing it in the offering bin, or request prayer under "What's Next" at [fbctrussville.org](https://fbctrussville.org).

### 1st Time Guests

Bring today's completed tear off to the Welcome Center, or text the phrase "fbctguest" to 94090 and complete the short form.

*Thank you for being here today!*

A  
*Free  
Gift*  
For You!

# F260

## OCTOBER F260 Reading Plan

- Sept. 27: Acts 15-16
  - Sept. 28: Galatians 1-3
  - Sept. 29: Galatians 4-6
  - Sept. 30: Acts 17 - 18:17
  - Oct. 1: 1 Thessalonians 1-2
- Grace Days:**  
Oct. 2 & 3
- Memory Verses:**  
Acts 17:11, Acts 17:24-25

October F260 bookmarks are available at the Event Center today!

### Week 42 Reading Schedule

- 1 Corinthians 15-16
- 2 Corinthians 1-2
- 2 Corinthians 3-4
- 2 Corinthians 5-6
- 2 Corinthians 7-8

### Memory Verses

- Romans 1:16-17
- 1 Corinthians 15:3-4



## Live The \_\_\_\_\_

My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have One who speaks to the Father in our defense—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world. 1 John 2:1-2 (NIV)

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. 1 John 1:8 (NIV)

"atoning sacrifice" = \_\_\_\_\_

## By Obeying The \_\_\_\_\_

We know that we have come to know Him if we obey His commands. The man who says, "I know Him," but does not do what He commands is a liar, and the truth is not in him. But if anyone obeys His word, God's love is truly made complete in him. This is how we know we are in Him: Whoever claims to live in Him must walk as Jesus did. 1 John 2:3-6 (NIV)

Note: \_\_\_\_\_

## By Experiencing The \_\_\_\_\_

### 1. Life of \_\_\_\_\_

Dear friends, I am not writing you a new command but an old one, which you have had since the beginning. This old command is the message you have heard. Yet I am writing you a new command; its truth is seen in Him and you, because the darkness is passing and the true light is already shining. 1 John 2:7-8 (NIV)

### 2. Life of \_\_\_\_\_

Anyone who claims to be in the light but hates his brother is still in the darkness. Whoever loves his brother lives in the light, and there is nothing in him to make him stumble. But whoever hates his brother is in the darkness and walks around in the darkness; he does not know where he is going, because the darkness has blinded him. 1 John 2:9-11 (NIV)

## By Doing God's \_\_\_\_\_

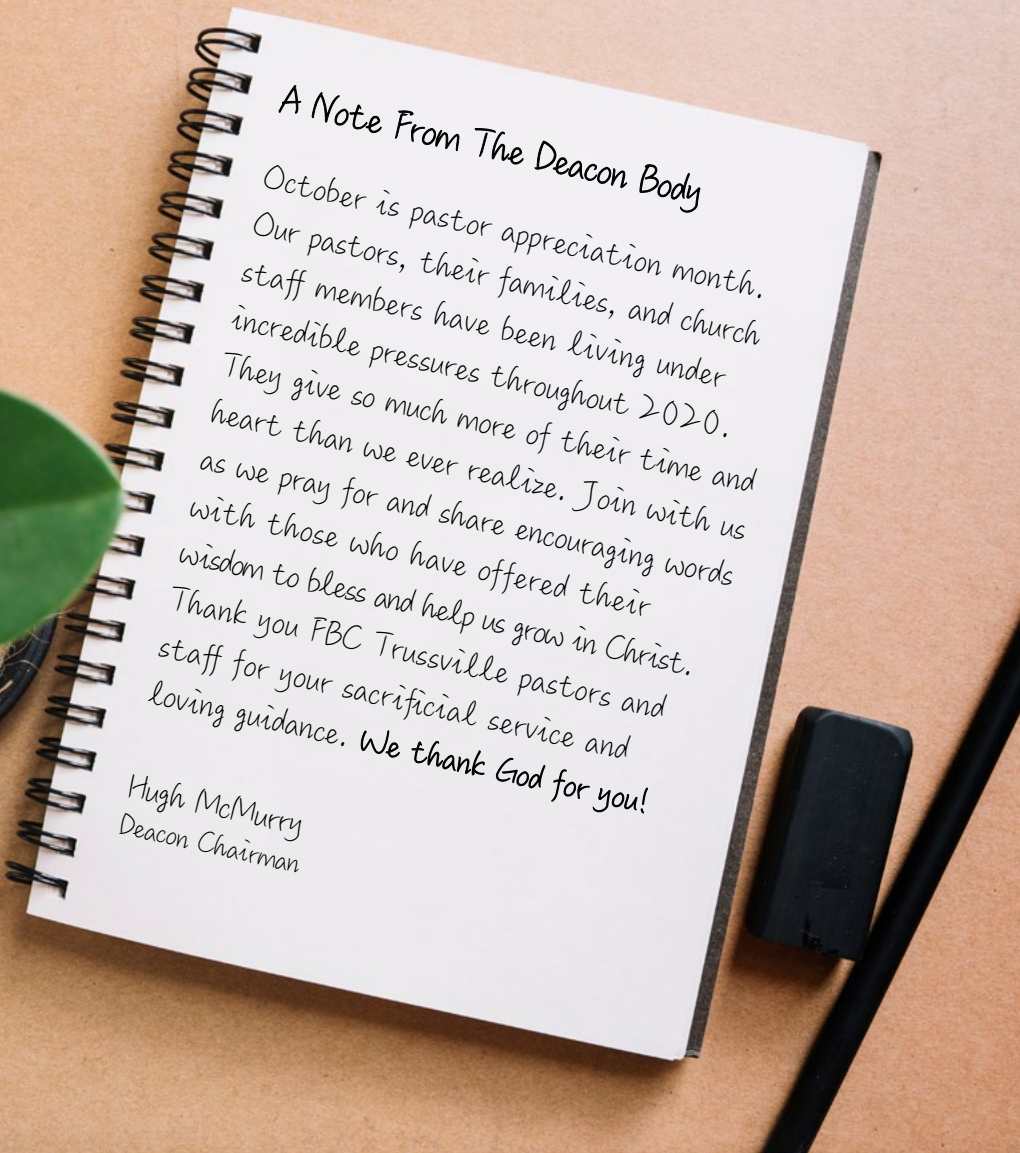
Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For everything in the world—the cravings of sinful man, the lust of his eyes and the boasting of what he has and does—comes not from the Father but from the world. The world and its desires pass away, but the man who does the will of God lives forever. 1 John 2:15-17 (NIV)

For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. 1 John 2:16 (KJV)

World = \_\_\_\_\_

- Unsatisfied \_\_\_\_\_
- Visually \_\_\_\_\_
- Personal \_\_\_\_\_

You adulterous people, don't you know that friendship with the world is hatred toward God? Anyone who chooses to be a friend of the world becomes an enemy of God. James 4:4 (NIV)



## Serve the Lord with gladness!

Psalm 100:2

Serving the church and all who enter it is an act of worship to God. We'd be lost without difference makers who make our church function, and we'd love to have you join our team of **difference makers!** Email [info@fbctrussville.org](mailto:info@fbctrussville.org) to inquire about helping as door holders, coffee bar workers, extended care help, golf cart drivers, or Fall Family Night volunteers!

# News you need to know!

## JELLO Live!

Monday, October 19 • 9:30am  
A time of fun and learning livestreamed on the JELLO Facebook page!

## Midweek

Wednesday, October 21 • 6:00pm

In our time this week we'll explore the faithfulness of God's people as they followed Moses out of Egypt. Livestreamed at [fbctrussville.org/live](http://fbctrussville.org/live), Facebook, and YouTube.



## Student Worship!

Wednesday, October 21  
7:00pm  
Worship Center



We're learning how God moves in unexpected ways in our lives!

## JELLO Trick or Treat!

Thursday, October 22  
10:00am • Gym Parking Lot  
Candy and dress up fun with the FBCT staff!



## SAM Luncheon

Thursday, October 29  
10:30am • Worship Center  
Interpretive storyteller Dolores Hydock will be with us giving life to Norman Rockwell images.



## Exercise Classes

Class schedule at [fbctrussville.org](http://fbctrussville.org)

## Register Now At [fbctrussville.org/event](http://fbctrussville.org/event)

- Upward/Student Basketball - \$100
- DNOW (1/15-17) - \$50 thru 10/21(\$65 after)
- Family Dedication (11/3)
- H.S. NYC Mission Trip (3/19-25) - \$900
- Operation Christmas Child *Online* - \$25
- Conservatory Music/Art Lessons - \$168

## Fall Family Night

Saturday, October 31

5:00-7:00pm

Back FBCT Lot

Trick-or-Treating for kids, a "purple pumpkin hunt," and football on the big screen!



## A Night of Prayer

Monday, November 2 • 6:00pm  
On the Mall, near the tennis courts  
Join area churches as we come together and pray the evening before the election.

## Missions Opportunities

**Christmas Backpacks**  
Visit the Mission Wall for info on these special gifts for kids and teens of the Mississippi Delta area.

**Operation Christmas Child**  
Shoebboxes needed by November 13.  
For details on filling them online or in-person, visit our website or the Mission Wall today!

### Numbers From Last Sunday

Sunday, October 11, 2020	
Small Groups	840
Budget Receipts	\$ 187,203
Budget Received YTD	\$ 5,455,733
EPIC YTD	\$ 235,951

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