



—In Between—

January 5, 2022

Adult Bible Study & Soup Supper How Did We Get Our Bible(s)?

Month of January | Wednesdays at 6 PM In the Fellowship Hall

Have you ever wondered why the Gospel of Matthew is in the Bible but not the Gospel of Thomas? Why do Protestants, Catholics, and Greek Orthodox have different Bibles? We will discuss these and other issues.

If you plan to be present on January 12, 2022 for Part 2 of our study, please sign up on the bulletin board on the 2nd floor hallway, or call the church office (252-332-4003). Coffee, crackers, and various flavors of soup will be served! Come join us!

Staff Anniversary



Bland Baker joined our staff on January 6, 1995. For 27 years he has faithfully served as pianist for worship services, rehearsals, and special events. Thank you, Bland, for sharing your love of Christ with First Baptist Church of Ahoskie.

Wednesday Activities Resume January 12, 2022

Children (Age 3- K) | 5:00 PM

Age 3—Kindergarten meets in room 105. Their leaders are Avery Byrum, Bridget Deveney, J.C. Doughtie, Jane Hollingsworth, and Lisa Outlaw.

Grades 1-5 students meet in the choir room. Their leaders are Jayne Frei, Vicky Overman, and Anita Thompson.

Youth (Grades 6-12) | 6:00 PM

Our grades 6-12 students meet in the FBCA Annex, 325 Main St. W. Leaders are Jamie Burns and Lou Ann Gilliam.



Worshiping Together

January 9, 2021 11:00 AM

Epiphany Sunday

Whatever Colossians 3:17

Rev. Dr. Paul R. Gilliam III

Deacon Ordination

Deacon Ordination January 9, 2022

A Deacon Ordination is planned for January 9, 2022 during our worship service. Those to be ordained are Stuart Pierce, Walt Pierce, and Lee Taylor Rose. They, along with previously ordained deacons, Nancy Freeman and Eley Whitehead, begin serving a three year term January 2022.

THE CALEDDAR

Sunday, January 9th

- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 11 AM Worship with Deacon Ordination
- 2 PM Chairo Music Ensemble Resumes

Monday, January 10th

- 3 PM Staff Meeting
- 6:30 PM Missions Committee

Wednesday, January 12th

- 5 PM Children's Music & Missions
- 6 PM Adult Bible Study
- 6 PM Youth Group (Grades 6 -12)
- 7 PM Sanctuary Choir
- 8 PM Vocal Ensemble

Monday, January 17th - MLK Jr. Holiday

- 3 PM Staff Meeting
- 7 PM Building & Grounds Meeting

Tuesday, January 18th

• 7 PM - Deacons' Meeting

SERVING IN THE LOVE OF CHRIST

Week of Jan. 9 - 15, 2022

Minister on Call

Rev. Dr. Paul R. Gilliam III, 398-7321 paulrgilliam@fbcahoskie.org

Deacons on Call

Don Joyner, 396-1957 Claire Presley, 287-6132

Childcare During Worship - January 9

Babies: Nancy Cobbs & Joyce Leary Ages 1 & 2: Lyndsay Britt, Isabella & Leah Woodard Ages 3-5: Heather & William Alexander

Ushers - January 9

Brad Hauser, Colby Hauser, Gail Holloman, Jane Hollingsworth, Charles Hughes, Patricia Hughes

Sound System Operator - January 9

Chris Slachta

Security Monitor - January 9

Stuart Pierce

Floral Offering - January 9

Carroll Thompson & Anita Thompson

Home Delivered Meals - January 10

Bill & Susan Early

Food Pantry - January 14

Millie & Jack Britt

Week of Jan. 16 - 22, 2022

Minister on Call

Rev. Anita Thompson, 395-0061 anita@fbcahoskie.org

Deacons on Call

Charles Hughes, 287-8403 Kari Pierce, 217-8017

Childcare During Worship - January 16

Babies: Kari Pierce & Cheryl Slachta Ages 1 & 2: Claire & Jordan Harrell Ages 3-5: Avery & Harriet Byrum

Ushers - January 16

Henry Joyner, Bill Magette, Perry Newbern, Camille Pierce, Pate Pierce, Nat Riddick

Sound System Operator - January 16

Rick Burns

Security Monitor - January 16

Walt Pierce

Floral Offering - January 16

Vicky Overman

Home Delivered Meals - January 17

Jayne Frei

Food Pantry - January 21

Melanie Byrum

Altar Flowers for Worship



The 2022 Altar Flower Schedule is in the process of being prepared. There are a few open dates available to place flowers in our sanctuary for worship services. Flowers may be provided in memory of or in honor of a loved one, or

may mark any special accomplishment or milestone. Perhaps you may just want to take an open date for no specific reason.

The following dates are available at this time:

March 6 | June 12 | July 24 | October 30

If you would like to reserve one of the open dates, please call the church office to let us know what date you desire.

Stewardship Statement

January 2, 2022

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Weekly Need	\$	9,143.50
Weekly Offering	\$	8,760.47
Difference	\$	-383.03
YTD Needs	\$	9,143.50
YTD Offerings	\$	8,760.47
YTD Difference	\$	-383.03
Capital Campaign Offering	\$	575.00
Benevolence Offering	\$	275.00
Global Missions Total	\$	3,139.00

Thank you for your generous gifts!