



First Baptist Church of Ahoskie

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October 22, 2025

2026 Deacon Nomination Results

On Sunday, October 19, 2025, resident church members nominated persons to serve as deacons for a three-year term beginning January 1, 2026. The top five nominees who have agreed to serve are:

Nancy Freeman Stuart Pierce Walt Pierce

L. Taylor Rose Brandon Zoch

On Sunday, December 14, 2025, members will have the opportunity to confirm these nominees.

CBF Youth Retreat

Dear Church Family,

Please keep our youth in your prayers as we head to the CBF Youth Retreat at Fort Caswell on October 24-26, 2025! Our theme this year is "Voice of Truth," and we'll be looking at Philippians 4:8 as we learn how to hear God's truth above all the noise in the world. Pray for open hearts, safe travels, and a fun, meaningful weekend for everyone going: Dempsey Pierce, Henry Pierce, Gates Vaughan, Katie Vaughan, Lily Ann Brinkley, and leader, Lyndsay Britt.

Blessings, Lyndsay Britt

Gathering Place Donations Needed

If you have gently used coats, jackets, warm hats or gloves that you can donate to us at The Gathering Place. This can be for women, men, and children. You can drop them off at The Gathering Place Ahoskie between 9:30 AM to 12 PM. We will also pick them up if you call Pat Byrd at 209-4301. Thank you and God Bless you.



Worshiping Together

October 26, 2025 11:00 AM Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Opposing Prayers Luke 18:9-14

Dr. Dennis Bazemore

Baptist Children's Homes Annual Offering



During the month of November, we're collecting donations for the Baptist Children's Homes.

Checks can be made payable to First Baptist Church of Ahoskie with Baptist Children's Homes in the memo line. If you have any questions, contact Claire Presley at 287-6132.



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

It is time to prepare for this year's Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. Our church goal this year is to complete 150 boxes! Let's help share God's Love through a gift-filled box, bringing hope to a child in need. Due to customs requirements, soap and toothpaste is no longer permitted. If you have any questions, please contact Melanie Byrum, OCC Coordinator for FBC Ahoskie, at (252) 209-7744.

SERVING IN THE LOVE OF CHRIST

Week of October 26 - November 1, 2025

Minister on Call

Dr. Dennis Bazemore, (910) 890-2940 dnbazemore@gmail.com

Deacons on Call

Josh Brinkley, 287-7776 Betty Joyner, 398-6104

Childcare During Worship - October 26

Crib: Anna Dawson & Kari Pierce Ages 1 & 2: Debbie Greene, Sarah & Olivia Jenkins Pre-K & K: Michelle Boyd & Henry Pierce

Ushers - October 26

Lee Byrum, Duck Harrell, Dempsey Pierce, Stuart Pierce, Nat Riddick, Eley Whitehead; Balcony: Walt Pierce

Sound System Operator - October 26

Frank Britt

Security Monitor - October 26

Rick Burns

Floral Offering - October 26

Frank & Penny Rose

Home Delivered Meals - October 27

Austine Evans & Mary Ann Umphlett

Food Pantry - October 31

Carolyn Arrington & Vicky Overman

Women's Bible Study 10:30 AM October 23 | November 6 & 20

Trunk or Treat Sunday, October 26, 2025

Bring the kids in costume and enjoy a familyfriendly night of treats and fun! We're still in need of 4 trunks, so if you'd like to decorate your car and hand out candy, please contact Sarah-Grace Britton at (252) 287-9858. We'd love to have you join the fun!

5:00-5:30 PM **Trunk Set-Up** 5:30–6:00 PM Trunk or Treating 5:00–6:00 PM **Hotdogs**

Week of November 2 - 8, 2025

Minister on Call

Dr. Dennis Bazemore, (910) 890-2940 dnbazemore@gmail.com

Deacons on Call

Heath Britt. 642-2331 Alex Britton, 578-0920

Childcare During Worship - November 2

Crib: Sylvia Britt & Winnie Matthews Ages 1 & 2: Nancy Perry, Mary Page & Stuart Pierce Pre-K & K: Georgia Copeland & Corbett Britton

Ushers - November 2

Frank Britt, Kay Byrd, Sophia Byrd, Graham Lawrence, Larry Matthews, Nathan Pierce; Balcony: Brad Hauser

Sound System Operator - November 2

Henry Daniels

Security Monitor - November 2

Stuart Pierce

Floral Offering - November 2

Worship Decorating Committee

Home Delivered Meals - November 3

Rita Bula & Jayne Frei

Food Pantry - November 7

Carolyn Arrington & Kay Byrd

Join Us for Chairo Sundays at 2:00 PM | Grade 5 - Still Breathing

Stewardship Statement October 19, 2025 Weekly Need \$ 10,096.71 Weekly Offering \$ 8,913.30 Difference -1,183.41 YTD Needs \$ 424,061.86 YTD Offerings \$ 362,446.29 YTD Difference \$ -61,615.57 \$ Benevolence 200.00 \$ Memorial 155.00

Thank you for your generous gifts!