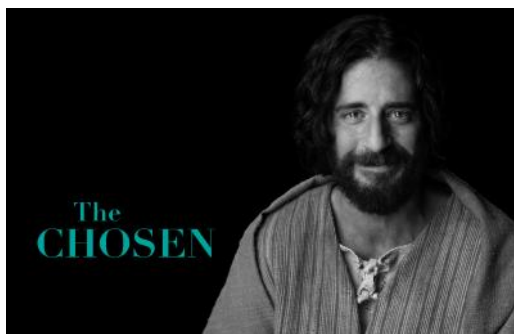




# STEEPLE VIEWS

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*The Chosen* is the first multi-season TV series about the life of Christ, exploring the characters who encountered Him and allowing us to see Him through their eyes. The stories are drawn from the four gospels but the characters' backstories give us an idea of what it could have been like to be near Jesus.

FBC is offering you an opportunity to view and discuss in a small group, season one of *The Chosen* - exploring together the impact Jesus made on those he encountered. It is scheduled for Friday, October 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Pizza and salad will be provided, so we ask that you RSVP by Tuesday, October 12. If you're skipping the meal, the show will start at 6:30 p.m. with discussion to follow. Please join us for this special opportunity. RSVP by calling/emailing the church office



Following Worship on Sunday, October 17  
in the Family Life Center

**Menu:**

**barbecue, fried chicken, green beans, sweet potato casserole, slaw, bread, dessert**

Cost is \$7.00 for those 12 and up  
\$3:00 for age 6-11, free for 5 and under

Reservations are needed — sign up in Bible Fellowship, worship, or call/email the church office no later than Tuesday, October 12

Carry-outs will not be available!

At least 30 reservations are needed in order to move forward with the Fellowship meal

Hand sanitizing stations will be available

**Weather permitting**, tables will be set up along the walkways in the courtyard ... tables will also be set up in the Family Life Center so you can choose to eat where you are most comfortable

## United Voices Yard Sale

The United Voices of NC Yard Sale that was scheduled for Saturday, October 16 **will not be happening**

You will be informed if they choose a later date

## Memorials ...

**In memory of:** By Doris Ramsey in memory of Sherrill Dawson, Lindsay Harris and Mary Ward. By Dr. and Mrs. A.W. Macklin in memory of Mary Wade. By Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hinson in memory of Sherrill Dawson.

## MONROE ART WALK

Friday, October 8, 5:30-9:00 pm

Saturday, October 9, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

**Downtown Monroe**

Featuring local artists, music, and more  
The FBC Sew Faithful Quilters will have a display at the Quilt Exhibit

## SOMETHING NEW

A new feature on our website is a posting of the Church Calendar for the current month as well as the upcoming 2 months

To view the calendars, click on "Calendar" at the top of the homepage then click the month you want to view

## Faith in Fiction Book Club

The Book Club will meet on Monday, October 11 at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center to review and discuss Jim Dent's book, ***Twelve Mighty Orphans***

Zoom information:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81184921855>

ID: 811 8492 1855

## Polar Express for Kids

Brittany Austin, Children's Ministry Coordinator, is planning on showing the movie Polar Express for children on Friday, December 10 in the Family Life Center and needs 5 to 6 volunteers to help. She plans on meeting 1 or 2 times with the volunteers. If you can help, please contact her.

## Church Calendar

### Sunday, October 10

9:30 am Bible Fellowship - Rooms 214 / 318  
 10:30 am Morning Worship - Sanctuary/Facebook

### Monday, October 11

6:00 pm United Voices of NC - Choir Room  
 7:00 pm Faith in Fiction Book Club - FLC

### Tuesday, October 12

6:30 pm Board of Trustees - Family Life Center

### Wednesday, October 13

7:30 pm Chancel Choir - Choir Room

### Friday, October 15

6:00 pm Pizza & Showing of *The Chosen* - FLC



Ken Murray - Libby Totty  
 Emily Massey - Ray Sowder - Joy Shute  
 Dr. Harry E. Poovey, former pastor  
 Charles Penegar, brother of Max Penegar  
 Christian Williams, father of Logan Williams  
 Denise Smith, niece of Ken Murray  
 Scottie Dinkins, mother of Scott Dinkins  
 Bill Thaxton, friend of Eddie & Vivian Roberts  
 Emma Hemphill, family member of Chris Dawson  
 Daniel Mackay, brother of Jonathan Mackay  
 Connell O'Neill, son of Tex and Eleanor O'Neill  
 Kevin Casner, son of Ray and Gerry Casner  
 All those affected by Covid-19

## Facts & Figures:

### Sunday, October 3, 2021

Weekly Budget Requirements .....	\$	7,786
Budget Receipts .....	\$	4,107
Budget Receipts to Date .....	\$	27,750
Expenses to Date .....	\$	38,002

## Worship October 10 10:30 a.m.

Words of Welcome	Dr. Dawson
Call to Worship	Dr. Dawson
Opening Music	Irene Wang, Guest Accompanist
First Lectionary Reading: Amos 5: 6-15	Logan Williams
Opening Hymn: "I Will Sing of the Mercies"	Logan Williams
Second Lectionary Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16	Carol Findley
Sharing Prayer Concerns	Carol Findley
A Moment of Prayer	
Prayer for the People	Carol Findley
Lord's Prayer	
Hymn: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"	Logan Williams
Anthem	Chancel Choir
Sermon Text: Mark 10:17-31	Dr. Dawson
Sermon	Dr. Dawson
Prayer	Dr. Dawson
Hymn: "I Surrender All"	Logan Williams
The Stewardship of Tithing	Dr. Dawson
Benediction	Dr. Dawson
Closing Voluntary	Irene Wang

## This Week's Committees

### Livestreaming Equipment for Worship:

Rachel Lowery

### Ushers:

Ken and Ann Handy, Tim McBride

### Worship Leaders:

Carol Findley

### Money Counters:

Jim Griffin, Harvey Whitle



## Steeple Views

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**Vision Statement:** "First Baptist Church Monroe exists to Love God, Love Within, and Love Beyond"