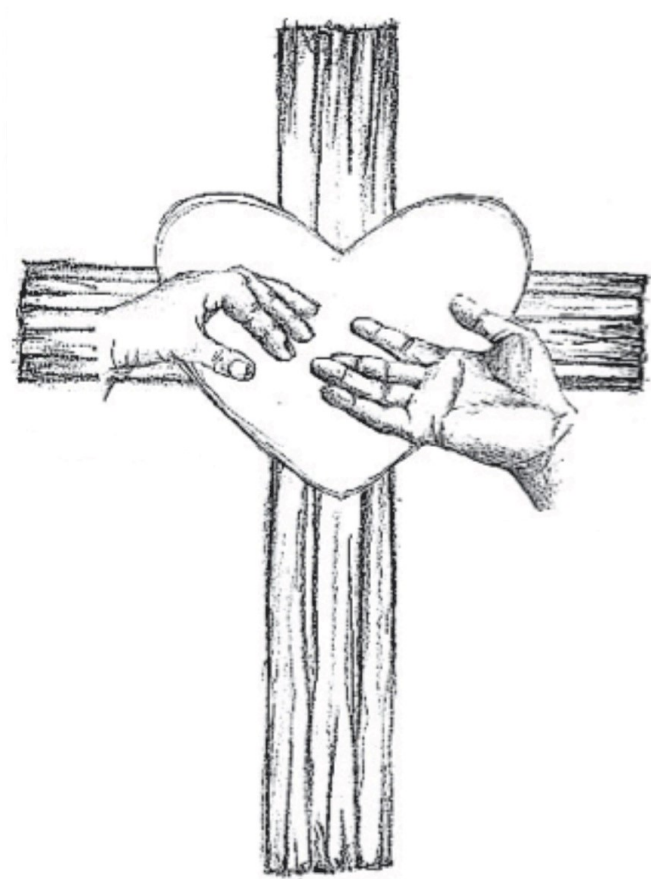


# First Baptist Church of Williams



*“Touching Lives by Sharing the Love of Jesus!”*

Rev. Chris Thomas, Pastor

January 12, 2020

# Morning Worship

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*\*Please stand if you are able*

## The Church Gathers

**Prelude**

**Litany for Baptism**

**Baptism of Coralyn “Coco” Blades**

**Welcome & Announcements**

Nikki Haynes

**Invocation**

Nikki Haynes

**Scripture Call to Worship**

Psalm 29

**Hymn# 13**

“Bless His Holy Name”

**Moment with the Younger Church**

Nikki Haynes

**Hymn# 585**

“Brethren, We Have Met to Worship”

## The Church Gives Thanks

**\*Offertory Hymn #252**

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

**\*Offertory Prayer**

Allison Ostrander

**Worship with the Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Doxology #625**

## The Church Hears the Word

**Choir Anthem**

**Sermon** “The Gifts that Keep on Giving: The Gift of Unexpected Community” Rev. Chris Thomas

Matthew 3:13-17

**Communion**

## The Church Responds

*\*The pastor will be at the front during this time to welcome any prayer need or decision you would like to share – whether it is to publicly profess faith in Christ or to join the Williams family. Respond as God’s Spirit leads.*

**\*Invitation Hymn #376**

“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”

**Benediction**

Rev. Chris Thomas

*[Next Sunday: “Gifts that Keep on Giving: The Gift of Unbridled Curiosity” – John 1:29-42 ~ Rev. Chris Thomas]*

*All Hymns are used by permission CCLI#3148358*

## Opportunities This Week

### TODAY

8:30am	Deacon/Staff Prayer Time
9:00am	Sunday School
10:00am	Morning Worship-Rev. Chris Thomas
	Baptism of Coco Blades
	Communion
3:00pm	Youth Committee Meeting
4:00pm	Choir Practice

### TUESDAY

10:00am	BIBLE STUDY
5:30pm	CMC RESERVED-K Duncan

### WEDNESDAY

5:30pm	Supper
6:00pm	Devotion, Children & Youth Activities
6:30pm	Children's Ministry Meeting

### THURSDAY

6:00pm	Adult Get-together
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### FRIDAY

5:30pm	CMC RESERVED-K Duncan
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### NEXT SUNDAY

8:30am	Deacon/Staff Prayer Time
9:00am	Sunday School
10:00am	Morning Worship: Rev. Chris Thomas
11:00am	Soup Fellowship
	Committee Meetings
4:00pm	Choir Practice

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**CBF GLOBAL MISSIONS:** Our goal for CBF Global Missions Offering this year is \$5000 with a challenge goal of \$6000. **Today is the last day to give to this offering.**

**Received to date: \$3,370**

**ADULT GET-TOGETHER:** The Sometimers will meet at 6pm this Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup> in the CMC. Bring your favorite finger food snacks and join us for an evening of games, food, fun and fellowship.

**WEDNESDAY SUPPER:** We begin serving at 5:30pm. **Menu this week:** Chick-Fil-A. Cost of the meal will be **\$5 per person**, and **you will need to MAKE your RESERVATION with the church office BY NOON Tuesday.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** This is a special order. We will only order for the number of reservations we receive.

**IN SYMPATHY:** The church extends sincere sympathy to the family of Sarah "Granny" Thomason.

The church also extends sincere sympathy to Lynn Edwards & family at the death of his sister.

**QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING:** We will have our Quarterly Business Meeting on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> prior to our evening service. This is a review of the 2019 fourth quarter revenues and expenses.

**YOUTH COMMITTEE MEETING:** The Youth Committee will meet in the Youth Suite this afternoon at 3:00pm. **Members are** Casey Barker, Jamie Davis, Thomas Downing, Stacy Ewing, Andrew Oliver, Jessica Oliver and Patti Ponder.

**CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE MEETING:** The Children's Ministry Committee will meet in the Children's Suite this Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup> immediately following the Wednesday night activities. **Members are** Ashley Barker, Rhonda Duncan and Lauren Whitaker.

**SOUP LUNCH:** Join us next Sunday, Jan 19<sup>th</sup> following morning worship for a soup lunch and committee meetings. Bring your favorite soup or chili, cornbread, chips, sandwiches and desserts for a time of lunch fellowship. After lunch members of our committees will break out for a short meeting to select their chairpersons for 2020.

If you are not on a committee that's okay, come join us for lunch.

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## Ministry & Missions Budget

### January Needs

Budget/Operation      \$27,928.09

### Receipts

\$ 8,255.00

*Our Church is pleased to support CBF Global Missions in moments like these where bearing witness to Jesus Christ takes place through serving others.*

As a kindergartner, Dustin couldn't focus in class because of the pain in his mouth. He had been living in El Salvador with his grandmother, who hadn't paid much attention to dental hygiene. Dustin's gums were swollen, and his teeth throbbed. A local pediatric dentist, Dr. S., agreed to treat him, despite Dustin's mom's inability to pay.

Dr. S. has a way with kids. None are thrilled to be spending hours in his dental chair, but he is patient and kind, and works through an interpreter. "I'm sorry it hurts, but I want to help you," he tells them.

Dustin, Carlitos, Jonathan, and Jeycob—Salvadoran, Mexican, and Honduran—all helped by an immigrant dentist from another part of the world who looks like them, with brown skin and an accent. "Maybe I'll be a dentist one day, too," Jonathan told Dr. S.

*Lord, we thank you for specialists like Dr. S. Who are willing to donate portions of their time and expertise to help migrant children experiencing physical pain. We give thanks that these children can receive quality treatment. And we thank you especially for immigrant professionals who model care and compassion and offer hope to these children.*

*-Greg and Sue Smith, CBF field personnel serving in Fredericksburg, Virginia*

**R and R Fund Received to Date: \$14,797.27**

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Jan 12<sup>th</sup> Nursery Helper:** Jamie Davis  
**Jan 19<sup>th</sup> Nursery Helper:** Bonnie Johnson

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**Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 3 & 4-Year Old Helpers:** Abi Brock & Samantha Preston  
**Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 3 & 4-Year Old Helpers:** Hattie & Callie Ewing

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**Jan 12<sup>th</sup> Children's Church:** Kate Hamby & Rhonda Duncan  
**Jan 19<sup>th</sup> Children's Church:** Nikki Haynes

**Jan Counting Committee:** Casey Barker & Kari Haynes

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**Jan Greeters & Ushers:** Ty & Jill Green  
Jake & Courtney Green



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