

build **UP** the body

Welcome!

We are glad that you are worshipping with us this morning and hope that you experience a meaningful time with God and a caring community of faith. Here are a few things you may need to know:

- ▶ The **offering** that is passed in the middle of the service is primarily for church members. Don't feel obligated to give anything although you are more than welcome to if you desire.
- ▶ If you need any **assistance** before, during, or after the worship service contact an usher near the rear of the room.
- ▶ **Restrooms** are located through the door to the right as you face the platform. Follow the hall to where the water cooler is located.
- ▶ **Childcare** is provided for children through pre-k. You will receive a pager to notify you if you are needed. Childcare is optional and you are more than welcome to keep your child with you, but please be considerate of others around you. The foyer is available to you should you need to step out. A **nursing mother's room** is also available in the preschool area.
- ▶ Children in kindergarten through 5th grade may participate in a **Children's Sermon** at the front stage about 10 minutes into the service.

Thanks again for worshipping with us today!

Today's Worship

Today's Message

He and Me
Bob Block
Psalm 23:2

Choir Special

Speak, O Lord

Congregational Worship

Majesty
O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing
Praise Adonai
Shout to the Lord
Your Name
'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Flowers

Flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Bobbie Howard in memory of her husband, Prentis S. Howard.

Prayer Concerns

The staff prays for all known concerns during the weekly staff meeting on Monday mornings. You can share a concern on the *Prayer Concern* card in the pew pocket and then drop it in the offering plate.

Message Recordings

Messages are available online through iTunes, at fbctampa.org, or a CD can be duplicated for you by contacting the church office.

▶ Beyond Membership Class

November 6, 13, 20, 27 @ 9:15 a.m.
Anyone interested in joining FBC Tampa, or who has already joined but not completed this membership requirement can complete this four-session course on Sunday mornings this month. Registration is required at fbctampa.org/registration. For more information, email Brian Dembowczyk at brian@fbctampa.org.

▶ Thanksgiving Banquet

November 20 @ 6 p.m.
Hold the date. A Thanksgiving dinner hosted by the deacons will be served in the Carlton Building on Sunday, November 20. Reservation cards will be available. Look for details soon.

▶ CrossTraining Fall 2 Semester

November 1 - December 21
Registration now for courses at fbctampa.org/registration.

▶ Secret Church Simulcast with David Platt

November 4 @ 7 p.m. - 1 a.m.
See David Platt, author of *Radical*, teach live via simulcast on "Family, Marriage, Sex, and the Gospel." Find out more details and register at fbctampa.org/registration or contact Brian Dembowczyk (brian@fbctampa.org).

▶ Children's Ministry

Sunday AM: *Prayer Power Plant*
Kids On Mission: *Nepal*
Kids Praise: *The Big Picture*

▶ Student Ministry

Epicenter: *Reveal Series*
Submerged: *Secret Church*

Fuel: *Reveal Series*
Submerged JV: *Genesis*

▶ College & Young Adults

Paramount: *Digging Deeper*

▶ Adults

Sunday AM: *Romans*
Sunday PM: *Ecclesiastes*

▶ Student Fall Retreat

November 4-6
The student ministry will hold their fall retreat at the Lakewood Retreat Center in Brooksville. The cost is \$100. Students must register online.

serve **IN** the church

▶ Upward Basketball & Cheerleading

We are in the process of recruiting leaders for Upward Basketball which begins in February. We need basketball coaches and referees, cheerleading coaches, prayer leaders, concession stand workers, scorekeepers, PA announcers, and more. If you are interested in helping contact Brian Dembowczyk (brian@fbctampa.org). Registration for players and cheerleaders will begin in a few weeks.

▶ Trunk-or-Treat

October 30 @ 6 p.m.
Decorate the trunk of your car or bed of your truck and join us at Stewart Middle School where we will treat the community children to prizes and individually wrapped candy. A collection barrel is in the Dining Room for candy. Contact Mike Horton (mike@fbctampa.org) for more info.

Still need more info? Stop by the Connections Desk located by the church office directly across from the dining room or visit fbctampa.org.

go **OUT** to the world

▶ Visitation Opportunity

Do you know someone who would enjoy a visit from the church? Contact Chris Haight (chris@fbctampa.org) for more information on connecting this person with our church.

▶ Operation Christmas Child

Deadline: November 6
Shoe boxes can be picked up near the Connections Desk. Instructions are included in each box. Please fill your box and return it before November 6. Thank you for supporting this ministry.

▶ Korean Evangelism Mission Trip

October 23-November 4
Continue to pray for the team presently in South Korea as they partner with local churches and share the gospel with family and friends of church members.

▶ Paramount In Motion

We need your help! We are collecting clothing to redistribute to those in our city who have fallen on hard times and could use a hand. We are looking for men's, women's, and children's clothing that will be redistributed on the night of November 6. We ask you to package and label clothing by size and gender. Items can be brought to the church office or email Nate Tyler (nate@fbctampa.org) for more information.

▶ Missional Living

In July we were encouraged to consider people we know who don't have a relationship with Christ and who God has put in our lives to impact. Over 300 names were submitted. Continue to pray for, and invest in the lives of, these individuals such as: Sandy, Annisa, Frankie, Phil, and Bailey.

Connecting to FBC Tampa

How to Join: At the close of each service the pastor will invite anyone who would like to become a member of the church to talk to him or one of the other ministers standing down front during the final musical selection. You can join FBC Tampa by baptism, letter from another church indicating your prior membership there, or statement of previous membership in a church of like-minded faith.

Sunday AM Bible Study Groups: The best way to become immersed in community at FBC Tampa is to participate in a Bible Study group. Various groups are offered for all ages. Groups meet at 9:15 a.m. Stop by the Connection Desk for more information.

Beyond Membership Course: This course is required for all new members but prospective members are also encouraged to participate. It is available on four consecutive Sunday mornings about four times a year and also on Saturday mornings two or three times a year.

Current Sunday Morning Sermon Series
"Psalm 23"
Upcoming Sunday Night Bible Study
"The Futility of Life"
Ecclesiastes 6