August 17, 2025 8:45 AM Traditional Worship Service

Prelude

Welcome and Prayer

Greeting

Songs

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

No. 42

Be Thou My Vision

No. 60

Choir Special: Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Fairest Lord Jesus

No. 176

Receive Tithes and Offering

I Love You, Lord, arr. Hayes - Rena Myers

Guard What Has Been Entrusted to You (1 Tim 6:20)

Dr. Scott Hummel

Song

Living for Jesus

No. 282

Benediction/Postlude

11:00 AM Livestream and In-Person Worship Service

Welcome and Prayer

Songs

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Song

Build My Life

Communication Column

I have been greatly honored to be your interim pastor this past year. Starr and I have been proud members of Tusculum BC for years because the church has been such a wonderful place to worship, has sweet fellowship, works hard to minister to Tusculum University students, and is engaged in serving our community. Now we are even more proud of our church. It is a privilege to be a part of a church that is actively fulfilling the great commission and making disciples. While some churches lose momentum during an interim period, that has not been the case with you.

Over the past year, we have strengthened our friendships in both services. Before we primarily knew members in the later service, but only few in the early service. We now have a much better appreciation for what all the church does and how many wonderful people we have. We are grateful for the church staff, deacons, search committee, and others who have worked so hard over this past year.

If someone is a new visitor or has been attending for a while, I would encourage you to join the church and become more fully involved. Starr and I have received far more than we have given over this past year, and I trust you will as well. Tusculum is a strong church, but it will be strengthened by others joining us and partnering with us to reach our community.

Starr and I are excited for Pastor Jon Reed's ministry and leadership. The Reed's will be a wonderful addition to our church. I look forward to seeing what all God is going to do through Pastor Jon and our church.

Dr. Scott Hummel

Nursery Helpers Today:



10 AM – Lana Brown, Denise Brumback 11 AM – Ashley & Haylee Johnson

Upcoming Student Events

Sunday School (For All Ages)- 10 a.m.

<u>Team Kid</u>. For children 3 yr.old-5th grade 11:20 AM in the CFC(gym). This is each Sunday Morning. No Team on the 31st-5th Sunday

Youth Wednesday Night 6th-12th grade, meet in the Gym 6:30 PM.-7:30 PM.

<u>Children Wednesday Night</u> 3 yr. old-5th grade. Meet upstairs in the 3rd-5th grade room 6:30 PM.-7:30 PM.

<u>Children & Youth Putt-Putt</u> Wednesday, August 27th at Pioneer Mini Golf- Meet there @ 6:30 PM. We will be finished by 8 PM. Cost will be taken care of.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Calendar Week of August 17, 2025

Sunday 8:45 AM Traditional Worship Service

10:00 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service

(Live Stream or anytime after Go to

www.tusculumbaptist.org)

Tuesday 8:00 AM Men's Coffee

9:30 AM Ladies 2 Sunday School Class 10:30 AM Women's Coffee & Conversation

Wednesday 6:30 PM Prayer Meeting

Children & Youth Meeting

Prayer for TBC and New Pastor/Family

Please join us each Sunday for our prayer gatherings focused on God's leading in our church as we look forward to TBC's next pastor and his family. The 9:45 AM location is in the library (after the first worship service and before Sunday School starts); The 12:15 PM location is in the Fellowship Hall after the 11:00 AM worship service ends.

Women on Mission (WOM):

In August Women on Mission will be collecting for the Food Bank. There will be bins in the front and back foyers. Please leave your non-perishable food donations in the bins by the end of August. Some high demand items are peanut butter, crackers, soup, macaroni-N-cheese, instant potatoes, rice, fruit cups, and canned meat. Greeneville/ Greene County Community Ministries operates the food bank.

OCC Shoebox item for August: School Supplies

Pray for what your class could collect to help fill our shoe boxes. School supplies (much needed items), toys, sewing kits, tool kits, clothing, etc. Items not allowed: Soap, lotions, liquids, toothpaste. Our shoe box ministry begins October 1st. Collection week is 3rd week of November. More details are to be announced. - Rosalie Brooks

<u>Men's Coffee Fellowship</u> Tuesday 8:00 AM at Starbucks inside Ingles.

<u>Women's Coffee & Conversation</u> Tuesday mornings 10:30 AM at Starbucks inside Ingles. Contact Lisa Mullins with any questions.

<u>Prayer Meeting</u> Wednesday 6:30 PM. We encourage you to come hear Ronnie Hensley August 20th.

<u>Summer Garden Tea Party</u> Saturday, August 23rd. Sign-up sheet in Sanctuary Overflow. For more info contact Robin Carr 423-552-6149.

Reception for Zachary Foropoulos and his Family: The TBC Choir invites the church family to a reception for Zachary, Anna and their family on Sunday evening, August 24th from 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM in our CFC. Please come and wish this family well as they leave TBC and look forward to ministry opportunities God has for them in the future.

<u>Fall Bible Study</u> Begins Wednesday, August 27th 6:30 PM; "Joshua – Lessons on Life, Leadership, Victory and Defeat"- Pastor Jon Reed.

<u>Nursery Volunteers Needed</u> to serve with our Nursery Ministry during Sunday morning Worship Services. Please contact Denise Brumback (719-650-2846) for more details and to sign up.

<u>Tusculum University Nettie Day</u> Friday, September 26th additional details to be announced!

Women of Joy Conference April 10–12, 2026 Pigeon Forge Ladies, join us for the Women of Joy Conference in Pigeon Forge! The <u>estimated</u> cost is \$250 per person, including your conference ticket and lodging. Final details will depend on how many ladies sign up. Please sign up in the sanctuary overflow by <u>September 14th</u>. Questions? See Charity Wright, Jennifer Chambless or Robin Carr.

<u>Online Giving</u> In case you didn't know, we offer online giving through Tithe.ly. You can scan the QR code that takes you directly to our Tithe.ly page, or you can go to our website <u>www.tusculumbaptist.org</u> and click on GIVE button at the top right.



Offerings August 10, 2025:

Offerings Needed - \$5559.59 Offerings Received - \$2997.00 Weekly Average Offerings - \$6,221.08

DEACON'S FOR 2025

Craig Ogle – Chairman

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As the people of God, we rejoice in your presence. If you are a first-time visitor, please fill out a communication card (in back of pews or on clipboard in overflow) and place it in the offering plate. Let us know if we can answer any questions. Also, we have a small gift we would like to give you. Please see one of the ladies in the church entry following the worship service.

Dr. Scott Hummel, Interim Pastor Zachary Foropoulos, Minister of Music Justin Carson, Minister of Students Susie Bennett, Ministry Assistant