

September 28, 2025
8:45 AM
Traditional Worship Service

Prelude

Welcome and Prayer

Greeting

Songs

Glorify Thy Name No. 249

Jesus Is the Song No. 552

Wonderful Words of Life No. 261

Receive Tithes and Offering

Blessings with Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus,
arr. Smith/McDonald – Rena Myers

“Specific Instructions for a Saved People” 1 John 2:12-14
Pastor Jon Reed

Song

Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated No. 277

Benediction/Postlude

11:00 AM
Livestream and In-Person
Worship Service

Welcome and Prayer

Songs

This is Amazing Grace
Graves into Gardens
Lord, I Need You

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Song

Cornerstone

Communication Column

Spiritual Growth Opportunities in Student Ministry

We are now in the season of Fall. It’s a new season in the Student Ministry. School has been in session for several weeks. The leaves will start to turn. There are several spiritual growth opportunities in the Student Ministry.

Each Sunday there is Sunday School for all ages. It starts at 10 a.m. There is a 3 yr.-5 yr. old class, K-2nd grade class, 3rd-5th grade class, and youth class (middle and high school together). All of these classes meet upstairs. For several years, these classes (except for the 3 yr.-5yr. old class) went through the Answers and Genesis curriculum. We just finished it back in the summer. The last several weeks we have been testing out new curriculum. The K-2nd grade class and 3rd-5th grade class will be going through the Gospel Project. This curriculum starts with Genesis and goes through Revelation. The youth class will be going will be going through Bible Studies For Life. These are more topical studies. There is nursery during Sunday School.

There is Team Kid during the Contemporary Service on Sunday Mornings. This is for children 3 yr.old-5th grade. The children come into the service for worship and then right before the preaching, the children are dismissed to go to the gym. During this time, we start off with a game or activity. We have a bible lesson and we finish Team Kid with a craft. There is nursery during the Contemporary Service upstairs.

On Wednesday Night, the children (3yr.old-5th grade) meet upstairs across from the 3rd-5th grade room. They are going through the” Good News Curriculum.” The youth (6th-12th grade) meet in the gym. We usually start off with a game, then bible lesson, sometimes sing a worship song, and then do small groups. The girls and guys meet separately after bible lesson. During this time, the youth are given a sheet of paper with questions that pertain to the lesson. They answer those questions and each group talk through the questions and then pray.

Also, each month there is a students event calendar that has the events for the month. You can pick one up by the gym. If you haven’t connected to where you get a text message with reminders going on in student ministry, you can use the QR code in the bulletin.

Fall Festival will be Friday October 31st from 6 PM - 8 PM. There was a Fall Festival meeting this past Sunday. There will be trunk or treat, inflatables, games in the gym, gospel presentation. costume contest, pumpkin decorating contest (Bring pumpkins already decorated), and there will be a big prize giveaway. We do need help with the Fall Festival. There are signup sheets by gym. Make sure to sign up.

God Bless,

Justin Carson (Student Minister)

Nursery Helpers Today:



10 AM – Pam Stapleton, Hannah Kotynski
11 AM – Betsy Long, Eoin Kotynski

Upcoming Student Events

Sunday School (For All Ages) 10 AM.

Team Kid For children 3 yr. old - 5th grade 11:20 AM in the CFC (gym). This is each Sunday Morning.

Youth Today grades 6th-12th Youth will be going to Pizza Inn after the Contemporary Service. Afterwards, we will come back to the church and do separate guy and girl activities. We will be finished by 5 PM. Cost of Pizza will be taken care of.

Wednesday Night Youth 6th- 12th grade Meet in the Gym 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM October 1st, 15th and 22nd.

Wednesday Night Children 3 yr. old - 5th grade Meet upstairs in the room across from the 3rd- 5th grade 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM, October 1st, 15th, 22nd, and 29th.

Children and Youth Wednesday, October 8th Creamy Cup and get ice cream. We will meet at church at 6:30 PM. We will be back at church by 7:30 PM. The cost will be taken of.

Student Ministry Parent Meeting Sunday, October 19th in the gym after Contemporary Service

Fall Festival Meeting on Sunday, October 26th will be the last Fall Festival Meeting before Fall Festival. This will be after Contemporary Service in Gym

Youth Meeting Wednesday, October 29th the youth will be helping pack bags and other things that need to be done for Fall Festival. 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM.

Fall Festival Friday, October 31st 6 PM - 8 PM.



Online Giving 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 www.tusculumbaptist.org and click on GIVE button at the top right.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Calendar Week of September 28, 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 <u>www.tusculumbaptist.org</u> 12:15 PM Youth 5:30 PM Choir Practice
Monday	6:00 PM Women's Bible Study
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/Fall Bible Study Children & Youth Meetings
Thursday	11:00 AM Women's Prayer Focus Group 8:00 PM SPOT/College Ministry

Prayer for God's Leading at TBC

Yes! Our prayer gathering is continuing Sundays at 9:45 a.m. in the library (after the 1st Worship service and before SS starts). The 12:15 PM location is in the Fellowship Hall after the 11:00 AM worship service ends. Everyone is invited to join in as we gather to pray focused on God's leading in His Church at TBC.

Women on Mission (WOM):

During September each year, Tennessee Baptists focus on state missions. Golden State Missions, prayer guides and giving envelopes are on the tables in the front and back of the sanctuary. Please remember to pray for and give to support state missions' efforts including Tennessee Disaster Relief, Compassion Ministries, Collegiate Campus and Associational Ministries. We have collected \$740.00; TBC goal is \$1,000.00.

OCC Shoebox item for October: A letter and a family photo

Operation Christmas Child/Samaritan Purse Project begins October 1st and goes through Collection Week which is November 17-24. Our goal is 200 (church) and 50 (online). Begin praying that we reach our goal this year and pray for each child who will receive our shoe boxes. Remember to include your \$10 shipping fee in each box you pack and pack it full. The fee for online boxes has increased to \$30 per box. Thank you for being a part of sharing Christ with children around the world.

Choir Practice Tonight at 5:30 PM.

Women's Bible Study Monday's at 6:00 PM *"Discerning the Voice of God"* by Priscilla Shirer. All ladies are invited.

Men's Coffee Fellowship Tuesday, 8:00 AM at Starbucks inside Ingles.

Women's Coffee & Conversation Tuesday, 10:30 AM at Starbucks inside Ingles. Contact Lisa Mullins with any questions.

Prayer Meeting/Fall Bible Study Wednesdays at 6:30 PM; Join us each week for our Fall Bible Study: "Joshua - Lessons on Life, Leadership, Victory and Defeat"- Pastor Jon Reed.

Women's Prayer Focus Group continues to meet on Thursdays, 11AM - 11:45 AM. This group's purpose is specific kingdom-centered prayer for a reawakening, renewal, repentance for Christians and our country/world and for our church. This autumn season of prayer takes place September through November. Please see Rena Myers with any questions, and all ladies of the church are welcome.

Bible Study Fellowship each Thursday, 6:30 PM (enter upstairs back door) Encounter God. Build Friendships. Exile & Return - A time to build. All women are invited. For more details and to register visit: join.bsfinternational.org or call 615-663-2440.

SPOT/College Ministry Thursdays at 8 PM- CFC. Please be in prayer for our SPOT ministry.

Sweet Tuesday in October will be the **SECOND Tuesday**, October 14th at 6:30 PM. A variety of chilis will be provided. Please bring sides (think cheese, sour cream, crackers, corn bread) or desserts to share! Our theme will be: Comfort. We will discuss together our experiences with the Comfort our Father has given us. Be thinking about something you might like to contribute - we'd love to hear your hearts! Also, feel free to wear comfy cozy clothing :).

TU Women's Volleyball TBC has adopted the Women's Volleyball team at Tusculum University. All are invited to go show our support October 7th at 6 PM as they play Mars Hill.

Deacons Meeting Sunday, October 12th, 6:00 PM

Fall Festival is on Friday, October 31st from 6 PM - 8 PM. There will be trunk or treat, games, Gospel presentation, inflatables, costume contest, and pumpkin decorating contest (pumpkins already decorated). We need candy (individually wrapped) for trunk or treat. There will be a bin by the gym to put the candy in. We will need help and there are sign-up sheets on the table outside of the gym.

Offerings September 21, 2025:

Offerings Needed - \$5,766.03
Offerings Received - \$4,877.00
Weekly Average Offerings - \$6,297.29

Deacons

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.

Ways to Get Connected!

Facebook: **Tusculum Baptist Church**

Instagram: **tusculumbaptist**



Sign up for TBC Alerts

Text "updates" to 833-230-9468 or scan the QR code and send the prompted message.

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