

Worship @ FBC Strafford

Sunday, December 21, 2025 | 10:45 a.m.

Prayer & Altar Time
Advent Candle #4 (Love) Youth Sunday School Class
Congregational Song—O Come, All Ye Faithful #199
Welcome, Announcements, & Prayer Jesse Dengel
Lottie Moon Offering Emphasis Shannon Peelor
Worship through His Tithes & Our Offerings

“Nine Lessons & Carols” featuring the FBC Orchestra
Wyatt Peelor & Lydia Erisman, readers
Of the Father’s Love Begotten Barb Coble &
Debbie Cordova, flute
Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus #176
It Came Upon the Midnight Clear #188
O Little Town of Bethlehem David Curtman, cello
He Who Is Mighty
O Holy Night #194
The First Noel Dana Crisp, tuba &
Ashley French, trumpet
What Child Is This? #198
Advent Candle #5 (Christ) Rick & Maria Smith
Behold the Lamb of God Josh Erisman
Message from God’s Word Pastor Orvin
Carols & Candlelight—*Silent Night* #206

Faithful Servants

If you would be interested in serving, let Josh Erisman know.

	TODAY (12/21)	NEXT SUNDAY (12/28)
Nursery	Melody B./Renee B.	Colleen A./Aroara F.
Greeters	Dennis & Wenda N.	Sandy Strecker
Info Desk	Joann Briggs	Connie Walker
Audio	Wayne Scrivener	Jeremy French
Video	Sandy Strecker	Lane Crisp
Security	Jameson E./Kenny W.	Randy C./Ray S.
Children’s Ch.	Family Worship Day	Jenny Christian
Ushers	Tom A./Dan B.	Jameson E./Ryan F.
Counters	Jameson E./Ryan F.	Colleen A./Shannon P.

Notes

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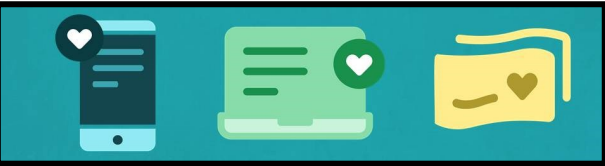
Welcome, Guests!

- **Thanks for worshiping with us today!**  We would love to stay in touch with you. Please take a few moments to complete the **Communication Card** in the pew racks or **scan the QR code**. If you're a first-time guest, stop by the Information Desk in the lobby to **receive a gift** from our church to thank you for being here today.
- First Baptist Church provides loving and educational **childcare** for children from **birth through 3 years old** during our services. The check-in desk is located in the south corridor of the worship center.
- Shortly before today's message, **4 to 2nd grade** (past the 11:00 a.m. service) will have a special Bible study, **activities designed just for them!**

FAMILY WORSHIP DAY
No children's church today

Giving Options & Statistics

Besides the **offering plate**, FBC offers multiple ways to give: (1) Place a check or cash in the **offering box** at the back of the worship center, (2) visit **fbctrastford.org** or scan **QR code**, (2) download the **"Tithe.ly"** app, (4) mail to **PO Box 367**, or (5) use your bank's **online bill pay**.



Totals for week ending	DEC. 14	DEC. 7
Worship/SS Attendance	120 70	102 69
Undesignated Giving	\$4,890.57	\$5,921.57
Weekly Budget Goal	\$5,769.23 (\$300,000 budget)	
Q4 Undesignated Giving	\$63,362.35 (99.8%/11 Sundays)	
YTD Undesignated Giving	\$275,542.25 (95.5%/50 Sun.)	
NOW (Wed.) Attendance	56 (Dec. 10)	71 (Dec. 3)

Life @ First Baptist Church of Strafford

THE WEEK AHEAD: December 21-27, 2025
SUN 8:45 a.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service (Carols & Candlelight)
MON-FRI Church Office Closed
WED Christmas Eve (No NOW)
THUR Christmas Day

 **MERRY CHRISTMAS** 
from the FBC Strafford Staff
Pastor Orvin, Josh, Jesse, Maude, Alicia, & Emily



CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
Dec. 22 to Jan. 2
Staff will be in and out of the office
Call/email the office if you have a need

SUNDAY, JANUARY 4
2026
3:30 p.m. | Spring Choir Rehearsals Begin
5:00 p.m. | Leadership Team Meeting



SUNDAY JANUARY 11
-Choir Rehearsal @ 3:30 p.m.
-Christmas Decor Teardown @ 4:45 p.m.
-QUARTERLY FELLOWSHIP DINNER & BUSINESS MEETING @ 6:00 p.m.
Carry-In Theme: SOUPS & SALADS