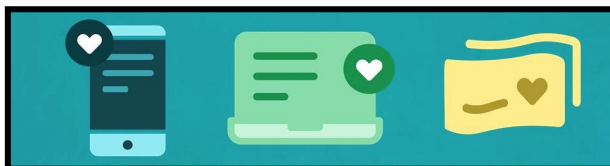


Welcome, Guests!

- **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, **all kids, age 4 to 2nd grade**, will be dismissed to the south corridor (past the nursery) for **Children's Church**—a time of Bible study, music, and fun activities designed just for them!

Giving Options & Statistics

Besides the **offering plate**, FBC offers multiple ways to give: (1) **offering box** at back of worship center, (2) visit **fbctrastford.org** or scan **QR code**, (3) download the **"Tithe.ly"** app, (4) **text "Give"** to (855) 449-9271, (5) mail to **PO Box 367**, or (6) use bank's **online bill pay**.



Totals for week ending	SEPT. 6	AUG. 30
Worship/SS Attendance	85 59	122 65
Undesignated Giving	\$6,116.00	\$15,889.00
Weekly Budget Goal	\$5,769.23 (\$300,000 budget)	
Q3 Undesignated Giving	\$62,159.72 (107.7%/10 Sundays)	
YTD Undesignated Giving	\$204,533.00 (98.4%/36 Sun.)	
NOW (Wed.) Attendance	88 (Sept. 2)	72 (Aug. 26)

Life @ First Baptist Church of Strafford

THE WEEK AHEAD: September 13-19, 2026

		Week of Prayer for State Missions & Rheubin L. South Missouri Missions Offering
SUN	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:45 a.m.	Worship Service
	12:30 p.m.	Pastor Support Team Meeting
	1:30 p.m.	Strafford Care Center Service
	3:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
WED	6:00 p.m.	NOW Free Dinner
	6:20 p.m.	Awana (Kids)/M-power Youth/ Adult Bible Studies
	7:30 p.m.	Orchestra Rehearsal
THUR	10:00 a.m.	Painting & Craft Class
SAT	11:00 a.m.	Food Pantry OPEN (until 1:00 p.m.)



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
OF STRAFFORD, MISSOURI

WE EXIST TO:



MAGNIFY
the Lord

We worship God with our
lives and gather regularly
with His people.
Am I loving God?



MATURE
Believers

We help followers of Jesus
grow into spiritual maturity.
*Am I becoming more
like Christ?*



MINISTER
to Others

We demonstrate Christ's
love through serving the
church and our community.
*Am I serving others in
Jesus' name?*



MULTIPLY
Disciples

We share the gospel and
help others become
followers of Jesus.
*Am I helping others
follow Jesus?*



OUR MISSION

Every member a *disciple*. Every disciple on *mission*.

See prayer
guide for
more info

2026
MMO
MISSOURI MISSIONS OFFERING

MMO
envelopes in
pew racks

because of your

**PARTNERSHIP
IN THE GOSPEL**

from the first day until now.

— Philippians 1:5 (CSB) —

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150 YEARS
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\$15
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Sign up at the Information Desk

Upcoming Senior Adult Activities

Chat with Friends
The Coffee Commons
Thursday, September 24 @ 9:00 a.m.

**Laura Ingalls Wilder
Home & Museum**
Mansfield, MO
Saturday, October 24 - meet at church at 8:30 a.m.
Tickets are \$18

GREENE COUNTY
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

2026 ANNUAL MEETING & CELEBRATION

**Worthy
OF IT ALL** Rev 5:12

South Gate Baptist Church
OCT | 1ST 2026

4 PM | Business Session

5 PM | Missions Fair and Refreshments

6 PM | Worship Celebration

featuring annual preacher:
WESLEY VANCE
Executive Pastor:
Crossway Baptist Church
President:
Missouri Baptist Convention

Childcare available for the Worship Celebration:
Contact the office to register your child by August 31