

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP

8:45 AM Bible Study/Sunday School
10:00 AM Morning Worship/
Praise Team Rehearsal
5:00 PM Discipleship Training
Bible Buddies/Bible Drill
6:00 PM Evening Worship

MIDWEEK WORSHIP SERVICE

5:00-6:00 PM Wednesday Night Supper
6:30 PM Prayer Meeting/Bible Study
RA's/GA's/Mission Friends
7:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal



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Views from the Youth Min. for February

Have you gotten over what Jesus did for you? Do you still possess the joy of your salvation? In John chapter 3 we find a familiar passage that all of us probably have memorized. Verse 16 reads, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." It's easy for us to blow through this verse because of its familiarity and miss what is taught through it. God loved you, sinful and broken you, so much that He was willing to sacrifice His Son in order to have a relationship with you. That's the agape love of God.

In the month of February where we have a day dedicated specifically for love, I pray you're reminded of the love God has for you. It's easy to forget how much He loves us, but oh, how He loves us! Be reminded today that the agape love of God is real and it's never ending! I hope you never get over what His love allowed Jesus to do. He was pieced for our transgressions and crushed for our sins, but by his wounds we are healed! Thank you Jesus for the blood! May you find the joy of your salvation through the agape love of God!

By His Grace,
Bro. Ben Hudspeth

Flowood Chimes

About a month ago, Bro. Jon began teaching a Men's Discipleship Training Class. He is using Dr. Tony Evans' Book "Kingdom Man," and it has been a blessing, for me, to gather with men of all ages and study the Word together. I don't know about the others in the class, but it sure has done my soul good to be in there with them. One of the lessons, about two weeks ago, really stuck with me. I would like to share the theme of the lesson with you in hopes that it will encourage you like it did me

If you know the history of Flowood Baptist Church, there have been some great pastors, who have led this flock of believers. For that, I am grateful. However, there comes a time that we must look to the future and not focus on the past. In the Book of Joshua, it begins with Joshua taking the "torch" from Moses (since he had died) and leading the people into the Promised Land. Joshua was commissioned to lead the new generation into a new challenge: entering and conquering the Promised Land. It was God who had chosen Joshua, and everybody in Israel knew that he was their new leader. We may not agree with the leader all of the time, but we must be willing to submit to the one God has chosen. Joshua, as I have tried to do, did not abandon the past but built on it as he moved forward to the future. God's gift for you and for me is our future not our past.

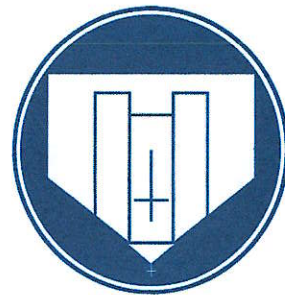
We are entering into our second month of 2025, and by now most of you have heard how great 2024 was for our church. It was a year that I think we will remember for a long, long time. However, we must be willing to focus on the future. Many of us would agree that we desire to see Flowood Baptist Church continue to grow! The issue for many of us is being willing to do our part. We must be willing to take the first step to follow the Lord's will and direction for our lives. Just like in Joshua's time, before God could fulfill His promises, Joshua had to exercise faith. **Josh 1:6, "Be strong and of good courage..."** Divine sovereignty is not a substitute for human responsibility. God's sovereign Word is an encouragement to God's servants to believe God and obey His commands. I like the way that Spurgeon said it, "Joshua was not to use the promise as a couch upon which his indolence might luxuriate, but as a girdle wherewith to gird up his loins for future society." In short, God's promises are prods, not pillows. Let that sink in for just a moment. The promises of God are to motivate us. The promises should guide and direct us in our everyday life, for His glory and His honor. So many times, we like to "Rest" in the promises of God, and let me be clear, that is not wrong. However, sometimes the promises of God are to motivate us to continue to move toward our future.

The point? I pray that we as Flowood Baptist Church are thanking God for yesterday's blessing but are continuing to look forward to tomorrow's future. I believe the Lord will provide all that we need in regard to building a new building and an additional parking lot. However, I believe that we must be willing to do our part. The Bible commissioned us to "Go" just like it commissioned Joshua to lead. Are you willing to go? Are you willing to share the Good News of Jesus Christ? May I challenge you to accept the promises of God as a prod, not just a pillow. Step out in faith, seek His will, and allow your faith to become alive and real!

In His Grip,
Bro. Bobby

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February 2025

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Ladies Prayer Group
 Tuesday, February 4th
 10:00 am Adult Wing

Flowood Baptist Church
Ladies Spring Fling



April 26th 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm



Keynote Speaker Barbie Basset
 Worship By: Grace Mercer

Tickets are \$40.00 and are on sale now!
 Dinner will be provided

We will be opening up Spring Fling tickets to the public, February 19th.

Please purchase your tickets by the scanning the QR code above.

You will receive a separate QR code and printable ticket to your provided email at a later date.

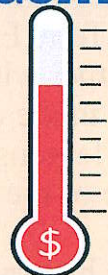
for any questions, please contact Lindsey Wilkins 601-622-5896

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Our Goal: \$7,000
Current: \$5,429.77

GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP

Fundraising



Actual: \$10,341

Goal: \$15,000

Blessings Bags!

Will be packed each Wednesday night at 6:00 PM
 in the Adult wing.

Brotherhood Breakfast
 Sunday, February 23rd at 7:00 AM
 Fellowship hall



The Bible likens Satan to five different animals. In Genesis 3, he's a serpent trying to deceive God's people; in Matthew 13, a bird trying to steal God's harvest. In John 10, Jesus considers him a wolf attacking God's flock. He's a lion trying to devour God's children in 1 Peter 5; and in Revelation 12, he's a dragon wanting to destroy God's Son.

The blood of Jesus Christ forgives our sins and resolves our guilt. His resurrection frees us from the fear of death, and it satisfies our need for eternal significance and happiness. The presence of the Lord surrounds us, while the promises of the Bible sustain us. His grace heals our whip wounds. Jesus said, "Therefore if the Son makes you free, you shall be free indeed: (John 8:36).

Satan tries to trap you in difficulty, to entangle you in trouble, to corner you in impossible situations, to lure you into temptation. If you're in a tough situation right now, suffering, pain, anguish or illness, the devil is undoubtedly behind it to a greater or lesser degree.

Every time we resist the slightest temptation, we honor God. Every time we overcome even the smallest problem by trusting and obeying our Lord Jesus, God is glorified in our lives. Whenever we choose character over convenience, faithfulness over ease, or honesty over deceit, we bring honor to the Lord Himself. When we serve Him with watertight obedience even in small things, God is glorified.

Some people call February, the month of love. Be reminded, God loves you so much that He gave His only Son for you and it last for an eternity. That's love.

For His Glory,
 Jon Vanlandingham

Welcome New Members

Madison Irby
Connor Foy
Keeton Richards
Nick Payne & Grace Booker

Galentine's Night Charcuterie Party

February 13, 2025
 6:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Bring an item for the boards-enough for 5 people.
 Bring your favorite dip to share.
 Please use sign-up list.

TEAM MEMBERS/VOLUNTEERS RESPONSIBLE FOR FEBRUARY

COUNTING TEAM

2/2 Earl Smith/ Julia Welch/Kathy Pollard
 2/9 Nancy Barfoot/Kellie Rogers/Ann Collier
 2/16 Jalane Hall/Nancy Barfoot/Katan Holder
 2/23 Mike Pollard/Kozy Gammill/Patricia Gammill

EXTENDED SESSION

Kimberly Hickman

CHILDREN'S CHECK-IN

2/2 Cameron & Michelle Vincent (AM)/
 Kathy Pollard (PM)
 2/9 Todd & Lindsey Stringer (AM)/Matt Lemly (PM)
 2/16 Kathy Pollard/Missy Hudspeth (AM)/
 Brigg Abercrombie (PM)
 2/23 Sam & Heather Silverii (AM)/
 Christie Abercrombie (PM)

NURSERY/WALKERS VOLUNTEER

2/2 Rebecca Barnes/Kimberly Hickman
 2/9 Beki Routh/Huntley Abercrombie
 2/16 Rhonda Gunter/Jillian Bennett
 2/23 Betsy Fortson/Lydia Busby

WELCOME HOSTESSES

2/2 Terry Bouchard/Betty Chesteen
 2/9 Ann Collier/Jan Davidson
 2/16 Larry Edwards/Linda Evans
 2/23 Joyce Fulton/Bev Gray

SUNDAY SCHOOL/PARKING LOT HOSTS

2/2 Michael Brown
 2/9 Larry Fulton
 2/16 Ashley Gammill
 2/23 Michael Gammill

AUDIO/STREAM TEAM

2/2 Jonathan Wilkins/Mike McCusker
 2/9 Mike Arthur/Steven Jones
 2/16 Jason Randall/Mike Arthur
 2/23 Mike McCusker/Jonathan Wilkins

VISUAL COMPUTER TEAM

2/2 Isaiah Austin
 2/9 Mike McCusker/Robbie McCarty
 2/16 Jonathan Wilkins/Cole Mangum
 2/23 Josh Broome

DEACONS ON CALL FOR FEBRUARY

Ken Barfoot and Jerry Turner

SERVICE HOSTS FOR FEBRUARY

Bob Collier, Cory Edwards, Peter Glover, Jimmy Hall, Steven Jones, Larry McFarland, Seth Richards, Chris Ryan, Richard Sims, Doug Strait, Drew Weir

Please Join us for a

BRIDAL SHOWER

HONORING

Hayley Vineyard

February 16th, 2025
 3:00 pm

Flowood Baptist Church
 Fellowship Hall

The happy couple is registered at Best, Amazon, and Etsy

LADIES, JOIN US AT 6:00PM ON FEBRUARY 18TH FOR A NIGHT OF FELLOWSHIP

214 ERLICH RD FLORENCE MS 39073



February

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Have A Happy Day!!!



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| Claire Gammill | 01 |
| Bill Pollock | |
| Russell Strait | |
| Andy Moore | 02 |
| Les & Rachel Neal-Anniversary | |
| Becky Arthur | 04 |
| Jando Bruce | 05 |
| Lillian Green | 06 |
| Mavis Cole | 07 |
| Sam Moore | |
| Ray Avery | 08 |
| Shellie Mahaffey | 10 |
| Curtis Cullom | 11 |
| Bev Gray | |
| Brenda Bouchard | 12 |
| Pat Smith | 14 |
| Alexis Daniels | 15 |
| Michael Wood | |
| Vivian Bankston | 16 |
| Hilton Winstead | |
| Andrew Coleman | 17 |
| Kate Gammill | 18 |
| Jason Randall | |
| Noah Routh | |
| Rebecca Barnes | 19 |
| Dave Comans | |
| Becky Pitts | 22 |
| Teresa Holbrook | 23 |
| Clyde Needham | 27 |
| Stela Moore | 28 |