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## New to FBCJC?

If you are a first-time guest or new to FBCJC, we're glad you chose to visit. Please take a few seconds to scan the **CONNECT QR** above or complete a card in the seat in front of you. You can place the card in the offering box or bring it to the Welcome Desk.

Ready to join this congregation? See the pastor or deacon during the response time, after service, or contact us.



**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**  
MON - THUR | 8 AM to 5 PM

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**December 8, 2024**

9:00 am Worship

10:15 am Bible Teaching

## TODAY'S ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude: <i>Listen for His Coming</i>	Sharman Banks, piano
Welcome and Prayer Advent Candle of Love	Rev. Melissa Hatfield
Songs: <i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> * <i>Way Maker</i>	Praise Team, Congregation
Children's Time	Ken Enloe
Video: Offering for Global Missions	
Scripture Reading: <i>Luke 3:1-6</i>	Doug Fees
Presenting Our Gifts Song: <i>O Little Town of Bethlehem</i>	Congregation, Praise Team, Orchestra
Song: <i>Prepare the Way</i>	Choir, Orchestra
Sermon: <i>Boundless Love</i>	Rev. Melissa Hatfield
Song of Response: <i>Way Maker</i>	Praise Team and Congregation
Parting words and Benediction	Rev. Melissa Hatfield

**\*Children are invited to come to the front during this song for Children's Time.**

### ADVENT HAPPENINGS

**CHRISTMAS MAILBOX** | Bring Christmas cards to members, donate postage money to our Offering for Global Missions

**ADVENT DEVOTIONS** | Pick up a booklet in the lobby or sign up for daily emails at [fbcjc.org/connect](http://fbcjc.org/connect).

**OFFERING FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS** | Goal is \$3,500.

**A NOEL CELEBRATION** | **December 15, 9 am Worship service**  
Choir, Orchestra, and readers present Christmas cantata.

**CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT LORD'S SUPPER** | **December 24, 6 pm**

**SABBATH SUNDAY** | **December 29** | No services.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### TODAY AT FBC

**PRESENTING OUR GIFTS** | All food and toy items donated today will go to FCI and The Samaritan Center. If you did not bring an item, you may present a monetary donation which will go to our Offering for Global Missions.

### SOUPS, SWEATERS & SONGS | 11:30 am, FBC Fellowship Hall

Lunch and entertainment by FBC Youth to raise money for their summer mission trip.

### DEACON ORDINATION | TODAY, 4:00 pm, Sanctuary

We will be ordaining six new deacons to serve at FBC. Reception following in Fellowship Hall.

### THIS WEDNESDAY AT FBCJC | REGULAR SCHEDULE

Visit [fbcjc.org/midweek](http://fbcjc.org/midweek) for details.

### WEDNESDAY BOOK STUDY | December 4-18, 5:45-7 pm, Room 326.

Sondra Allen is leading our Advent study of *Awaiting the Already* by author Magrey R. deVega. Take a tour through the four Gospel narratives that announce Christ's birth or make way for his ministry.

### SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING | December 15, 11:30 am, Sanctuary

AGENDA: Approve the FBC JC 2025 budget, the FCI 2025 budget, and the 2025 Housing Allowance for licensed ministers.

**GIVING** | You can give by cash, check, or give online. Scan the QR code on the back of this program or drop your offering in the offering boxes as you exit the sanctuary. We thank you for your faithful support and generosity.

**OUR MISSION: LEADING PEOPLE INTO LIFE-GIVING RELATIONSHIPS WITH CHRIST AND EACH OTHER.**