

Using their Gifts to Serve in February:

Deacon of the Month of February:	Steve Fowler
February Radio Ministry Sponsor:	Bruce and Liz Brown
Opening of the Church in February:	Johnny Jenkins
Ushers for February:	Colon Ballance, Armando Torres, Charlie Aycock, and Charlie Cole
Caregiver for Feb. 15-Feb. 28:	Diane Dixon

We welcome to our pulpit today Dr. Barry Jones, Dean of the Campbell University Divinity School and the Lewis E. and Martha Barnes Tyner Chair of Bible. A native of North Carolina and a graduate of Campbell University, he joined the Divinity School faculty in 2000, teaching Biblical Hebrew and Old Testament. As an ordained minister, he has served as a pastor, interim pastor, preacher, and Bible study leader in numerous churches across NC. He and his wife Beth live in Raleigh and have two adult children.

The Food Bank of the Albemarle will be here on Tuesday, February 17. Volunteers are needed and should arrive by 1:30 p.m.

The deadline for Souper Bowl of Caring has been extended to Wednesday, February 25. Our goal is still 400 cans. As of Feb. 10, the total was 209 cans. We will place the cans of soup in the church food pantry to be distributed to those in our community.

Murfreesboro Baptist Church Financial Statement		
FOR YEAR ENDING 09/30/2026		
MONTH ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025		
BUDGET		\$66,820
TITHES & OFFERINGS & OTHER		\$62,692
OVER (UNDER) BUDGET		(\$4,128)
OPERATING EXPENSE		\$56,804
EXCESS REVENUE		\$5,888
10/01/25 BANK BALANCE		\$293,369
12/31/25 OPERATING BANK BALANCE		\$299,257



MURFREESBORO BAPTIST CHURCH

Murfreesboro, North Carolina

Love God. Follow Jesus. Serve Others.

The Lord’s Day, February 15, 2026

Transfiguration Sunday

We Gather to Worship

Prelude	<i>Praise Him! Praise Him!</i>	Allen/Turner
*Gathering Hymn No. 7	<i>Worthy of Worship</i> (verses 1 & 3)	JUDSON

Worthy of worship, worthy of praise, worthy of honor and glory;
worthy of all the glad songs we can sing, worthy of all of the offerings we bring.
You are worthy, Father, Creator. You are worthy, Savior, Sustainer.
You are worthy, worthy and wonderful; worthy of worship and praise.

Almighty Father, Master and Lord, King of all kings and Redeemer,
Wonderful Counselor, Comforter, Friend, Savior and Source of our life without end.
You are worthy, Father, Creator. You are worthy, Savior, Sustainer.
You are worthy, worthy and wonderful; worthy of worship and praise.

Words of Welcome	
The Lord be with you!	
And also with you!	
Ministry Opportunities	Mark Gaskins
Call to Worship	Psalms 99:1-5 (NRSV)
The LORD is king; let the peoples tremble!	
He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!	
The LORD is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.	
Let them praise your great and awesome name. Holy is he!	

**Please stand as you are able.*

Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob. Extol the LORD our God; worship at his footstool. Holy is he!		
Invocation	Mark Gaskins	
<i>We Hear God's Word</i>		
*Hymn of Praise No. 161	<i>See Our Lord in All His Glory</i>	CWM RHONDDA
Children's Sermon	Sarah Davis	
Epistle Lesson	2 Peter 1:16-21	Mark Gaskins
The Word of God for the People of God. Thanks be to God!		
Gospel Lesson	Matthew 17:1-9	Mark Gaskins
The Word of the Lord. Praise His Holy Name!		
*Gloria Patri No. 705	<i>Glory Be to the Father</i>	GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.		
The Church at Prayer The Call to Prayer The Prayers of the People The Lord's Prayer (<i>trespasses</i>)		
*Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 601	<i>O How I Love Jesus</i>	O HOW I LOVE JESUS
Thanksgiving with Our Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory Prayer	Kayleigh Lance	
Offertory	<i>I Surrender All</i>	Weeden/Berry
*Doxology 706	<i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	OLD 100 TH
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him, above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.		
Anthem	<i>Speak, O Lord</i>	arr. Lloyd Larson
Scripture and Sermon	1 Samuel 3:1-10 One Call for All	Barry Jones
<i>We Respond to God's Word</i>		
*Hymn of Response No. 384	<i>Speak to My Heart</i>	HOLCOMB

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Commitment		Mark Gaskins
<i>We Go Forth with God's Blessing</i>		
*Commission and Benediction	Mark Gaskins	
**Postlude	<i>Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus</i>	Webb/Payne

***Please remain seated until the conclusion of the music.*

To our guests this morning . . .
In the name of Jesus Christ, welcome to worship at Murfreesboro Baptist Church! Worshiping God together is one of the most important things we do as a church. We gather to hear and tell the good news of what God has done, is doing, and will do in Jesus Christ his Son, and respond to him in faith and obedience as he sends us out with his blessing to love and serve him in the world. We encourage active participation through responsive readings, prayers, the offering, and singing hymns.
As members of the larger body of Christ, we affirm our kinship with our fellow believers in other traditions and around the world by following the seasons of the Christian year. Today is Transfiguration Sunday, when we remember how Jesus appeared in glory to his disciples Peter, James, and John. The color for today is white, symbolizing the light and glory of God.

Dr. Mark E. Gaskins, Pastor
Mrs. Paula Pressnell, Organist & Director of Music Ministry
Ms. Kayleigh Lance, Director of Youth Ministry

This Week at Murfreesboro Baptist Church...		
Sunday:	Radio Broadcast, 98.3 FM	10:00 A.M.
	Worship	11:00 A.M.
	Youth Group	5:30 P.M.
Tuesday:	Food Bank of the Albemarle	1:30 P.M.
Wednesday:	Kids' Club	6:00 P.M.
	Choir Practice	6:15 P.M.
	Prayer & Bible Study	7:00 P.M.

<i>Please remember these friends who cannot worship with us regularly:</i>		
Phil Royce	Cheryl Whitley	Gertrude Revelle
Genevieve Broadhead	Chris Broadhead	Ed and Verlie Rainey

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