

2023 IN REVIEW



FBC HALLSVILLE

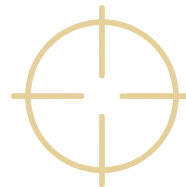
OUR MISSION

LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS,
AND MAKE FULLY DEVOTED
FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST

GREAT COMMANDMENT CHURCH

“Love God, Love Others...”

- **ADJUST THE SCOPE OF MEMBERSHIP**
(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



8

FIRST STEPS
NEW MEMBERSHIP
CLASSES

7

COVENANT
MEMBER
GATHERINGS
(*Business Meetings*)

1

SERMON SERIES
OVER THE CHURCH
(*7 LETTERS IN REVELATION*)

- **SERVICE | EVERYONE PADDLES**
(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



45+

PRESCHOOL & CHILDREN
VOLUNTEERS SERVING
EVERY SUNDAY

35+

PRESCHOOL, CHILDREN, &
YOUTH VOLUNTEERS SERVING
EVERY WEDNESDAY

111 +

VOLUNTEERS SERVING
EVERY SUNDAY

113

VBS
Workers

106

Signed up to Serve
at the Ministry Fair

61

Front Line
Ministry Volunteers
(Greeters, Security, Set-Up)

-Volunteer Appreciation Sunday

• **WELCOMING CHURCH**

(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



- New sign and paint on Youth Building (Fillin' Station)
- Demolition of abandoned house on corner of Elm St.
- Church Work Day
- New Church App & Website
- Front Line Ministry

• **WORSHIP**

- Added a 3rd service
- New Stage Lighting on the ceiling of the Family Life Center
- Significant Increase of Average Worship Attendance

GREAT COMMISSION CHURCH

“And make...followers of Jesus Christ”

• **DISCIPLESHIP | HUDDLE UP**

(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



2

NEW SUNDAY
CLASSES

1

SUPPORT GROUP
(MOM'S SPECIAL BLESSINGS)

2

NEW WED.
NIGHT CLASSES

-Sunday School Training, Increase in Sunday School Attendance

• EVANGELISM | FISHERS OF MEN

(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



2

Mission Trips
(Domestic & International)

3

Church Members
Supported On Mission

4

Missionaries
Supported

3

Christ's Closet
Events

23

Kingdom Builder
Projects

6

Community
Ministries
Supported

\$35,286

Global Mission
Offering

(Most Ever Given)

13%

Percentage of Budget
Toward Missions

203

Operation
Christmas Child
Boxes

• NEXT GEN | CULTIVATE THE NEXT GENERATION

(2022 MOVING FORWARD VISION GOAL)



- Pre-Teen Ministry moved to the upstairs of the Fillin' Station due to growth
- 9 Parent & Child Dedications
- 10 Bible Presentations to Kindergarteners
- 226 kids at Vacation Bible School
- 60 kids and adults to Kids Summer Camp
- 44 boys and adults to RA Camp
- Preschool & Children Training
- Children leading worship on the last Sunday of every month
- Christmas Children's Program
- Kids Day Out Ministry averaged 48 kids in the spring and fall with 14 daily staff workers. KDO had 45 kids in the summer.

ACTS 2 CHURCH

“Fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ”

- **GOD’S WORD**

- Expository preaching (verse by verse) all year
- Completed 3 Books of the Bible (Ruth, Haggai, & Philemon)
- Preached through chapters and passages in the books of Deuteronomy, Proverbs, Malachi, Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts, Hebrews, & Revelation

- **FELLOWSHIP & BREAKING OF BREAD**

- July 4th Freedom Celebration, Covenant Membership Gathering fellowships, Wednesday Night Fellowship, Park Service, & Lord’s Supper
- Women’s Ministry Relaunched with several fellowships

- **PRAYER**

- Prayer Nights, Prayer Walks, Prayer Meetings, 30 Day Prayer Guide in January & February, Prayer Ministry

- **UNITY**

- The church approved a conceptual master plan of our church campus
- The church unanimously approved an updated personnel policy to help expedite hires of great candidates if desired by the church
- The church approved the hire of Casey DeLay as our Associate Pastor and approved unanimously the modification of his responsibilities and job title to “Worship & Community Pastor” in the fall
- The church unanimously approved the hire of Caleb Dorsey as our Student Pastor
- The church approved a campaign firm, Impact Stewardship
- The church unanimously approved the formation of the Capital Campaign Task Force
- The church unanimously approved a new architect to help bring costs down and bring different renderings
- The church unanimously approved the modification of Vince’s job title to “Connections & Worship Pastor” in the fall
- The church unanimously approved the hire of Ashly Quintanilla as Summer Children Minister Interim
- The church approved unanimously to hire Bri DeLay as Interim Preschool Coordinator
- The church unanimously approved to hire Ryan Jonse as a Church Associate
- The church unanimously approved to transition Iris from Office Assistant to Financial Secretary
- The church unanimously approved the formation of a Building Task Force

- **GENEROSITY**

817 Bibles provided by our church to Gideon Ministry

50% Online Giving Estimated

100% Budget Giving Received

MOST Tithe Giving In Our Church History

7 Record Giving Months

1st million dollar budget in our church history

- **MULTIPLICATION**

24 baptisms (*MOST SINCE 2007*)

96 new covenant members this year (*MOST EVER IN A YEAR*)

NEW COVENANT MEMBER QUOTES

“When moving to the area, our number one priority in finding a church home was where the Bible is taught faithfully each Sunday. That’s exactly what we’ve found at FBC Hallsville! We were also blown away by how welcomed we felt, not only by the pastors, but by every single person we met. FBC Hallsville truly embodies what it means to be a church family and to serve Christ faithfully, together.” -Daniel & Karen Bryant

“David and I decided to join FBC Hallsville because we immediately felt welcomed and could see ourselves raising a family in this church. Since joining, we have made many friends, grown in our relationship with Christ, and have watched our son Thomas get excited every time he comes to church. This church family is truly a blessing to us and we are so thankful to be a part of it.” -David & Lexie Dodson

“During the pandemic, we felt as though we had become stagnant in our faith, and felt led afterwards to attend a new church in our community. From our first visit to FBC we knew in our hearts this is where God has led us to grow in our walk. We are encouraged and excited to start this chapter in our lives with FBC Hallsville.” -Nick & Stephanie Emerine

“When we first walked in the door we were greeted by many old friends and friends we have made since we came. Then the second time we came, Pastor Mark remembered our name and we loved how the songs were picked. The sermons were good and brought us closer to the Lord. We love this church, the people in it, and invite all Christians to come. Thankful for Pastor Mark being our pastor.” -Doug & Kathi Ford

“Our family was drawn to FBC because of the welcoming spirit and hospitality. We also love that our girls immediately felt at home and we were able to jump right in serve and feel connected before we were even officially members. We feel grateful and blessed to be apart of this church family!” -Chance & Kimberly Hendrix

“My family has been praying and searching for a church community for a few years. We knew we found it the first time we visited. A similar Bible study we were learning at home was being taught Sunday morning at church. Our kids were engaged wanting to discuss and learn more. We knew that God was showing our family we were exactly where He wanted us to be.” -Kyle & Kaylan Laird

“The FBC Church has made Terri and I feel like we’ve been a part of the family from the very first Sunday we visited. We attended several Sunday School classes and observed the energy with which all members were engaged in the lesson and in God’s Word. Pastor Mark delivers a very clear and purposeful message with every sermon. We go home with the excitement of sharing God’s Word with others and we look forward to coming back to FBC each week to worship, learn and share God and the Gospel. We are fortunate to be able to worship God with the First Baptist Church Family.”
-Gary & Terri Monteau

“I believe from the time we are born, we crave connectedness; in fact, it is the only way to thrive. For example, even when a family of origin is filled with brokenness and turmoil, the inner desire to be connected never goes away. God calls us His Family; and He teaches us how to love one another and I can testify that’s what I’ve noted by being a member of FBC Hallsville. I’ve been attending since March and became a member in August. I’ve had nothing but good vibes from the members and enjoy the Bible study.”
-Sandra Satterwhite

“My wife and I visited FBC Hallsville in November of 2022 and instantly felt a connection. We felt like this was a place that we could really plug into with a church family that sought to further God’s kingdom. Our time since joining FBC has only affirmed our decision, we are blessed to be a part of a body of believers that seeks to make fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.” -Michael & Graceyn Suddeth

2023 Recap Video



Link: <https://bit.ly/48vMnzk>

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