

September 14, 2025

# Offering

At FBC Griffin, we recognize that offerings come in many shapes and sizes. We believe that God has entrusted each of us with resources that are to be used for God’s glory and the bringing of God’s kingdom “on earth as it is in heaven.” Therefore, we encourage you to be good stewards of those resources.

Feel free to use the space below to share offerings that you would like to present back to God during worship through our online giving feature or by mail. *These gifts may include time, talents, presence, service, prayer, or resources.*

**Giving Envelopes**  
Envelopes are available in the back of Morgan Hall for tithes and offerings. We invite you to pick one up or ask an usher for help if you need a giving envelope.

Text “fbcgriffin” to  
833-245-5264 (OR)  
Scan the QR Code to Give



What does an offering of service look like?  
Every Sunday, a team of individuals monitor sounds and images behind the scenes during our worship services to ensure that you can see and hear everything AND that folks watching online or on television can see and hear, too. They can always use more help, so if you are curious about this ministry, then please contact Bob Long.



# Sermon Notes

*Colossians: Held Together in Christ:  
Knowing Your Adversary*  
Steven Norris preaching

*Colossians:*  
Held Together in Christ



# Connexion Worship

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Walk with Me  
The Christ and Cornerstone  
Graves into Gardens  
Christ Is Enough  
Build My Life

Leigh Ann Williams  
Ryan Williams  
Adam Pugh  
Kristin Jones  
Kristin Jones

Prayer for Illumination

**O Lord, your Word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. As we read it together, give us wisdom to understand your Truth, grace to receive your abundant Life, and courage to follow Jesus on the Way. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.**

Scripture Reading

*Colossians 2:16-23*

Eli Simpson

The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Childcare

Childcare for babies through age 3 is available on the preschool hall. Children in preschool through 5th grade are invited to come forward during the Time for Children. Following this part of the service, children may follow the Children's Leader to Education Room 207 for a time of Children's Worship, featuring activities tailored to their age. Parents should pick their children up from Room 207 immediately following

## What's Happening @ FBC

### NEWS AND EVENTS

#### First Steps Program for Children

Our Children's Ministry is offering a First Steps program in Sunday school to help children understand the basics of the Christian faith and lifestyle. If you would like more information, please contact Lori Welborn.

#### FBC Family Day at Kiwanis Fair

We invite you to come out to the Kiwanis Spalding County Fair **today** to watch the Ukulele Ensemble perform (5-7pm) and to enjoy the fair festivities, including their famous Korndawgs and inflatables for the children!

#### Interest Survey

We invite you to fill out the Nominating Committee's Interest Survey before October 6 (online with the QR code to the right, or on paper with the insert in your bulletin). This survey lets us know the ministry areas in which you would be willing to serve in our church in the upcoming year. Once we receive your survey, the Nominating Committee will inform the ministry teams of your interest, and those team leaders will reach out to you in the upcoming year. We hope you will take this opportunity to align your gifts and talents with our ministry work in the coming year.



#### Wednesday Night Activities

We hope you will join us at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday for a chicken pot pie meal in Morgan Hall. For more information about our small group offerings and music groups, and to RSVP for the meal, please visit us online at [fbcgriffin.org/wednesday-nights](http://fbcgriffin.org/wednesday-nights).

#### September is for State Missions

September is the month during which we emphasize state missions. Our church's support of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Georgia helps this collaborative make an impact in the lives of Georgians living in areas of persistent poverty. State Mission Offerings will benefit partner ministries like the Together for Hope Initiative and the Fuller Center for Housing. Learn more throughout the month at our website ([fbcgriffin.org/state-missions-offering](http://fbcgriffin.org/state-missions-offering)) or by visiting CBFGA.org

#### Breezeway / Richardson Gallery

We are excited to share the news that on September 21 Richardson Gallery will be available for use. We will hold a formal dedication of this space later this fall. With the reopening of this space, foot traffic will resume according to our safety protocols in the Weekday Education building. Only Children's Ministry workers, FBC staff, and children with their parents should be in the Weekday hall as of September 21.

#### Floral Arrangements

The flowers in the Sanctuary and Morgan Hall are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of David Godfrey Newton by his family. If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary or Morgan Hall in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact Brenda Goolsby or call the church office.

## Welcome

If you are a guest, please fill out the information below and drop it in the offering basket.

Name

How can we contact you? (email or phone)

## Prayer Request

How can we pray for you?

Would you like for us to share this request with the congregation?

Yes No



Seth Brown, Minister of Students  
& Community Engagement  
Erin Clarke, Minister of Music  
Ellee Hilley, Minister of Worship Arts  
Ron Murray, Minister of Pastoral Care  
Steven Norris, Senior Pastor  
Lori Welborn, Minister to Children & Families