

Weekly Calendar	
November 16, Sunday	
Early Morning (Main Bldg.)	8:30 a.m.
Morning Worship at NorthPoint (FLC)	9:30 a.m.
Bible Study (Main Bldg.)	9:45 a.m.
Bible Study at NorthPoint (FLC)	10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship (Main Bldg.)	11:00 a.m.
55+ Thanksgiving Carry-in Lunch (FH)	Noon
Business Meeting (Main Bldg.)	6:00 p.m.
Discipleship Pathway Groups (Main Bldg.).....	6:30 p.m.
November 17, Monday	
Shoebox Collection Week (November 17-24)	
Senior Adult Exercise Class (FLC)	9:00 a.m.
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
November 18, Tuesday	
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Celebrate Recovery (FLC-Loft/5:45 – 6:30 p.m. Fellowship Time).....	6:30 p.m.
November 19, Wednesday	
Senior Adult Exercise Class (FLC)	9:00 a.m.
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Discipleship Pathway Group	1:00 p.m.
Community Thanksgiving Service (Main Bldg.) Fellowship Following	6:30 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal	7:30 p.m.
Thursday 20, Thursday	
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
November 21, Friday	
Senior Adult Exercise Class (FLC)	9:00 a.m.
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
November 22, Saturday	
Shoebox Collection (FH)	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

FBC Leadership Team	
James Weaver, Pastor jweaver@fbccassville.org	Rebecca White, Children rwhite@fbccassville.org
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Carry-in Mission Brunch

Saturday, November 15
9:30 – 11:00 a.m.
Fellowship Hall

Special Guest: Penny Harding with
Operation Christmas Child

Penny will be sharing her experiences and stories working with OCC.

This brunch is open to the entire congregation.

Business Meeting
Sunday, November 16, 6:00 p.m.

Upward Cheer Coaches Needed

Contact Jeff or Haley at the Family Life Center if you are interested (417-846-0003.)

Community Thanksgiving Service at FBC

Wednesday, November 19
6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Following

Holiday Schedule

Wednesday, November 26 – No Evening Activities
Thursday, November 27 – Church Office & FLC Closed
Friday, November 28 – Church Office & FLC Closed

Nursery Help Needed

More helpers are needed in the nursery at 8:30 on Sundays. This would be a once-a-month commitment.

Thanksgiving for the Homebound

On Thanksgiving Day, volunteers of First Baptist Church Cassville will deliver hot meals to homebound individuals. If you are homebound, or if you would like to submit the name of a homebound individual to receive a Thanksgiving meal, call the First Baptist Church office (417-847-2965) by Thursday, November 20.



Volunteers will be needed to help assemble and deliver meals. A sign-up sheet is available on the mission table in the church foyer (Downtown) or at the welcome table (NorthPoint).

55+ Trip to Hughes Brothers Christmas Show

Branson, MO

Friday, December 5

Leave: 10:30 a.m. Return: 5:30 p.m.

Cost: \$50 per person (includes meal at Grand Country Buffet)

Sign up and pay in the church office no later than November 21.



Upward Prayer

November 9-15

Pray for children and families.

Hospital Update

(as of 11-10-2025)

Greg Chadd – Cox South, Springfield

A Note from the Pastor

Sometimes it is hard to see. Sometimes you just can't miss it. In case you have not noticed, God is quietly "doing things" around FBC Cassville! Back at the end of September we baptized 20 people and six of those were adults. Shortly after that we ordained three new deacons. The Personnel Committee has just hired a new full-time receptionist, Dayna Knight, who grew up in our church, and she will be starting the first of December.

In addition, our Missions Committee has changed our Women's Mission brunches to church-wide missions' brunches. The next one is coming up this Saturday, November 15, from 9:30-11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Our Discipleship Pathway program is nearing the end of its second term, and it is going great! We have more people involved and more people completing their studies than ever before. Our next term will begin on Wednesday, January 7, 2026. In addition, all our regular Wednesday evening activities will resume on that night as well, including the Wednesday night fellowship meal.

By the time you read this, Matt will be preparing to kick off his 2025 DNow (DiscipleNow) weekend. It is probably not too late to squeeze in a teenager or two; but DO NOT wait, call Matt now! We had a good Chili Cook-Off weekend even though it was rainy and cold. We served breakfast to many of the folks who came to the Square to check out the festivities. Another area of God's movement in our church is our Operation Christmas Child shoebox ministry. We have already exceeded our goal for this year by 45% and I am confident we will go over much more in the days remaining until collection week. NorthPoint is also collecting Kritters for Kids again this year. These are small stuffed animals that are donated to babies and children with developmental issues.

Finally, my Advent series for this year will be called "**Arrival**," a fitting name for a season where we celebrate the **anticipation** of Jesus' first coming into our world. God is at work all around. Keep your eyes peeled for what He is doing as we continue to be obedient and focus on that which He has called us to do! "**They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.**" Acts 2:42

Don't miss out on all that God is doing.

James



Shoebox Ministry NATIONAL COLLECTION WEEK

November 17-24

Will YOU be part of this effort to share Jesus with the world? There are many ways to be involved:

- **Give financially toward the packing of 500 shoeboxes.** (Envelopes available in the main foyer)
- **Pick up a shoebox (or boxes) and pack on your own.** (Boxes available in the main foyer) Return filled boxes to FBC Fellowship Hall during collection week, November 18-25.

DROP OFF LOCATION HOURS:

Mon, 11/17 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Tue, 11/18 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Wed, 11/19 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Thu, 11/20 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Fri, 11/21 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Sat, 11/22 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Sun, 11/23 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Mon, 11/24 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

- **Participate in the church-wide packing party on Sunday, November 23, at 6:30 p.m. at the FLC.**

