# **FBPNEWS**

"...a Gospel-centered community that loves God and others."



### HIGHLIGHT OF THE WEEK

### **Lottie Moon Christmas Offering**

We are over 80% of the way to our \$100,000 goal for the annual Lottie Moon Christmas Offering in support of international missions! All of these funds directly support the spread of the Gospel through the International Mission Board. Help us reach our goal by making a donation today at **fbcpowell.org/lottie**.

Current Total Raised: \$82,775





### **Membership Matters**

Join us for our next six-week session of Membership Matters beginning this Sunday, January 28th-March 3rd. If you are interested in becoming a member, this is a great opportunity to learn more about our beliefs and ministry. Sign up at

fbcpowell.org/membership.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**



#### **Men's Winter Retreat**

The Men's Winter Retreat will take place this weekend! Pray with us for this intentional time of fellowship and worship for the men of First Baptist Powell. Learn more about our Men's ministry at **fbcpowell.org/men**.

#### **Chili/Dessert Cook-Off**

Don't miss our annual Chili/Dessert
Cook-Off this Sunday, January 28th at
6pm in the Family Life Center! If you
would like to enter an item for
judging, it must be brought in by
5:30pm. We will also honor longtime
staff member Pat Orr during this time,
who is retiring after 47 years of
service at First Baptist Powell.



### "Souper" Bowl Sunday Collection

Join the Women on Mission in their annual "Souper" Bowl Sunday collection this Sunday, January 28th-February 11th. Bring your donations of soup, crackers, peanut butter, and tuna to the blue barrels in The Point for Western Heights Baptist Center.

**CLICK HERE FOR A FULL CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS** 

### **CHECK IT OUT**

### Welcome DeAnna Gibson

Join us in welcoming DeAnna Gibson as our new Administrative Assistant to the Senior Pastor! DeAnna will also continue as the FBA Homeschool Administrator for the time being (job description <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>), and Alys Grissom, Pastor Perry's former Administrative Assistant, will continue serving as the Disciple-Making Director for Women.



DeAnna Gibson



Alys Grissom



### **FBP Students Winter Retreat**

Our FBP Students will host their annual Winter Retreat February 16th-19th at Lake Frances Retreat Center. Learn more about the Winter Retreat at **fbcpowell.org/students**, and sign up by February 9th. For questions, contact hunterlong@fbcpowell.org.

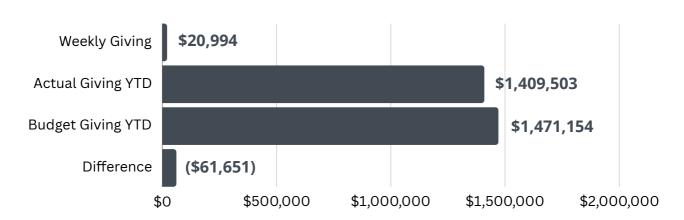
### Southeast Asia Date Change

Our March Southeast Asia GO Team trip has been rescheduled for June 19th-30th. Team members will participate in evangelism, prayer walking, and tourism ministry. To learn more and apply for this trip, go to **fbcpowell.org/go-teams**.



### **SUPPORT**

### **Weekly Giving**

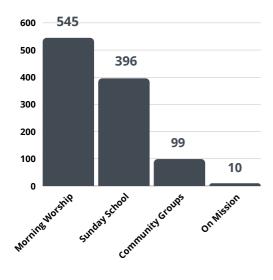


#### **Prayer**

Please let us know how we can partner in prayer with you by going to **fbcpowell.org/prayer**. These requests can remain confidential or be shared with our prayer ministry. We consider it a great privilege to intercede on your behalf.



#### **Attendance 1/7/24**



### Verse of the Week

"See that no one repays anyone evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to everyone. Rejoice always, pray without ceasing"

- 1 Thessalonians 5:15-17

Download the OT Reading Plan at fbcpowell.org/oldtestament.