

COMING UP AT FIRST BAPTIST METUCHEN



How are we using our God-entrusted resources?
November is Stewardship Month.



Praise the Lord
for all His blessing with prayer and worship.



Christmas Outreach
parade on Main St & tree lighting at Town Plaza
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welcome
FIRST BAPTIST METUCHEN

SERVE

We believe that everyone has something unique to offer. Partner with us today by scanning the QR code or go to fbcmonline.org/serve to learn how you can get involved.



GIVE

General Fund
Annual Budget: \$594,896 (as of 06/02/24)
General Fund Weekly Update:
YTD Budget Need: \$537,694
YTD Expenses: \$495,044
YTD Income: \$569,584



Scan the QR code or go to fbcmonline.org/give to give.

OUR VISION AND MISSION

We seek to be a Christ-centered, diverse community, caring for EVERY generation in EVERY situation.

We make a difference by connecting, worshipping, and growing together.



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MORNING SERVICE

Experiencing Maturity in Christ: Thanksgiving (Part 2)

Ephesians 1:18-19 (page 917 of the pew Bible) | Dr. Alfonse Javed

Ephesians 1:15-23 is a prayer for maturity for believers so they may know what they have in Christ and live their day-to-day lives accordingly.

We continue with the second of three truths about prayer as it relates to experiencing maturity in Christ:

- The **priority** of our prayers should be knowing God (v15-17)
- The **purpose** of our prayers should be knowing Christ (v18-19)
- The **proof** of our prayers should be knowing the power in Christ (v19-23)

1. The priority of our prayers should be knowing God: (v15-17)

- God's **Wisdom**: revelation and knowledge of all that we have in Jesus
- God's **Revelation**: what we have in Jesus, what was revealed in His Word
- God's **Knowledge**: intimate personal knowledge of God's person & work
- **Application**: Pray with the priority of knowing God more— the Holy Spirit illuminates God's Word.
- **Action Step**: Pray for grow our church spiritually and numerically by maturing together, mentoring each other, and multiplying.
- **Appeal**: when we know what and how much we have in Jesus, we will care more about the millions of souls that are perishing without Jesus

2. The purpose of our prayers should be knowing Christ: (v18-19)

- the _____ of Christ

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- the _____ of Christ

Application

Action Step

Appeal

Message Notes
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THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 24

- 8:30am Early Morning Worship Service | Sanctuary
- 9:45am Sunday School | children, teen, adult | Rooms & Zoom
- 11:00am Late Morning Service | Sanctuary & Online
- 1:00pm Small Group | Ed & Dina O'Connor | Room 206
- 6:00pm Evening Service | Round Table | Gym

Tuesday, November 26

- 7:30pm Small Group | Bruce & Mindy Emerson | Room 208

Wednesday, November 27

- 7:30pm Thanksgiving Eve Service | Sanctuary

Thursday, November 28

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Sunday, December 1

- 8:30am Early Morning Worship Service | Sanctuary
- 9:45am Small Group | Andy & Patricia Kobayashi | Room 206
- 9:45am Sunday School | children, teen, adult | Rooms & Zoom
- 11:00am Late Morning Service | Sanctuary & Online
- 1:00pm Small Group | Ed & Dina O'Connor | Room 206
- 4:00pm Metuchen Winter Festival Parade | Main St
- 4:30pm Metuchen Tree Lighting | Town Plaza



March in the parade on Main St

Tree lighting at Town Plaza

- Hot chocolate
- Cookies
- Face painting
- Balloon animals
- Prayer

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NEW HERE?

We are so glad that you are joining us today! We would love to connect with you and care for you in whatever situation you are in.

Nursery (infant to 3 years old) and Junior Church (3 years old to 5th grade) are available at the 11:00am Worship Service. Please visit the Welcome Desk for assistance.

We would like to invite you to stop by our Cornerstone Café and Welcome Center on your way out this morning for a free café drink and for a little gift to say thank you for joining us!

PRAY WITH US

