



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 2025 ANNUAL REPORT



A Message from Tim

To my family,

As we look back on 2025, two words come to mind: “new” and “same”. Lots of new faces. Lots of the same places. New sermons. Same scripture. New ministries were started. The same heart was behind them. Several new opportunities to serve. Same spirit in those who serve. New challenges emerged. Same dependence on God. New people reached for Christ. Same mission to reach everyone in our community.

God is a God of “new”, which means He is a God who brings change. He created the seasons and every sunset seems to be painted slightly differently.

Marriage and parenting, all of which are major life changes, are His idea. And yet, God is the same. He is holy. He is good. He is love. He keeps His promises. He sustains. The sun rises and sets. There is stability in knowing God is the same, and yet at the same time, great excitement in that He wants to do new things.

I am so proud of the impact, love, commitment, sacrifice, excellence, and growth we experienced last year. Every invite, every hour served, every person greeted, every child taught, every group gathering, every song sung, every preparation made, and every prayer prayed. They were new things and still the same powerful things.

I am reminded of Paul’s prayer for the church as it directs them toward the future in Ephesians 3:16-21—



"I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to the power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."

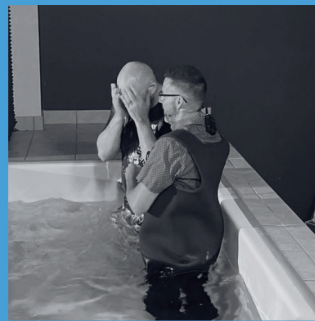
God is doing a new thing and God is still the same. May this be a year where we reach people no one is reaching and may it be with the same gospel. May we grow deeper in love and not further removed from the people we are called to reach. May we grow not just larger but healthier.

Even though we had an incredible year, there still exists the same problem.

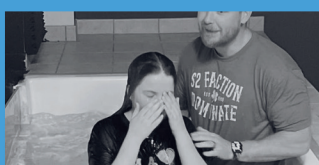
Everyone needs Jesus. Loved ones, friends, and neighbors who are struggling without hope, looking for something new to help, heal, and free them. And you have it. What is it? The same gospel that doesn't need our help or alteration to be powerful, just our willingness to be bold in doing and asking for something new from the same powerful God who can do more than we ask or imagine. The same Jesus has been making new individuals, families, communities, and nations for years. So then, our mission is not new—"To make followers of Jesus today". But it will mean a deepening of faith in each of us that brings new depths, new disciplines, new commitments, new creativity, new ministries, new conversations, and new risks for God. We are simply doing the same thing every year that every generation of the church has done, proclaiming Jesus as the only hope our world so desperately needs. May He do something *new*.

With love,

Tim Flives



39
BAPTISMS





326

VOLUNTEERS
SERVED

369

PEOPLE IN GROUPS

Couples



Womens



Mens



Seniors




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NEW

SEVERAL MEMBERS CHOSE TO STEP INTO LEADERSHIP BY LAUNCHING SUPPORT GROUPS, GATHERINGS AND CLASSES:



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OUR **YOUNG ADULT GROUP** PROVIDES A SPECIFIC PLACE FOR 18-24 YEAR OLDS TO GROW IN COMMUNITY, DEEPEN THEIR FAITH, AND BE CHALLENGED TO LIVE IT OUT BOLDLY.



YA young adults

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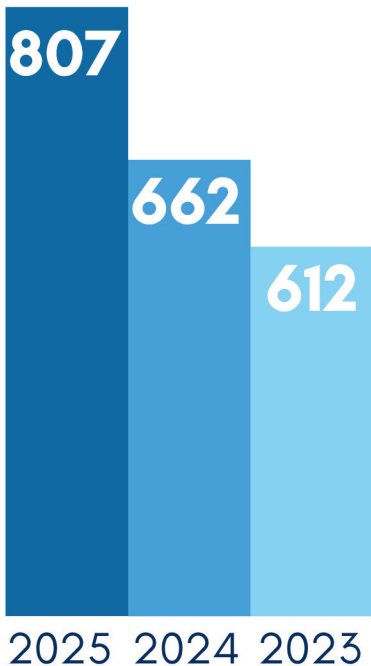
AXIS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP IS A MEN'S GATHERING WHERE GUYS CONNECT CASUALLY IN FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER.



FLOURISH IS A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP THAT MEETS REGULARLY TO STUDY AND CONNECT.

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AVERAGE WEEKLY ATTENDANCE



glorious day



53

AVG. TEENS
WEEKLY



90

AVG.
ELEMENTARY/PRETEEN
WEEKLY



58

AVG.
PRESCHOOL
WEEKLY



128

KIDS AT CAMPS



16

TEENS CHOSE A FUTURE IN MINISTRY VOCATIONS





A GREAT YEAR OF **FUN** AND **IMPACTFUL** EVENTS

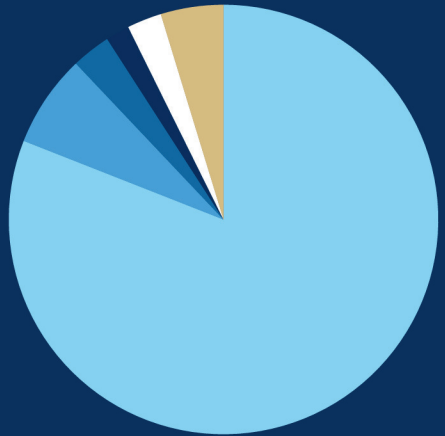


2025

TOTAL GIVING

\$1,695,267

NOT ONLY DID YOUR GENEROSITY EXCEED 2024 ACROSS THE BOARD, YOUR COMMITMENT TO WORSHIPFULLY GIVING HELPED SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND MINISTRIES THAT MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR US TO MEET OUR MISSION TO "MAKE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS TODAY"!
THANK YOU FOR GIVING!



GENERAL \$1,372,615

MISSIONS \$118,175

BUILDING DEBT \$50,000

BENEVOLENCE \$30,477

SALT & LIGHT \$44,000

SPECIAL GIFTS \$80,000



THANK YOU FOR A
GREAT YEAR OF
GENEROSITY &
MINISTRY! WE LOOK
FORWARD TO
CONTINUING TO
CREATE A COMPELLING
CHURCH AS WE

**MAKE FOLLOWERS
OF JESUS TODAY**



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