

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Gertrude Revelle in honor of Mark and JoAnn Gaskins.

### Using their Gifts to Serve in November:

Deacon of the Month of November:	Bruce Brown
November Radio Ministry Sponsor	Linda Hassell
Opening and Closing the Church:	Bruce Brown
Ushers for November:	Steve Fowler, T.K. Warren, and Mike Alston
Caregivers for November 17-November 30:	Mary Etta Flowers

This afternoon at 5:00 p.m. the First Baptist Church of Murfreesboro will host the Community Thanksgiving Service. The sermon will be by Pastor Sandy Outlaw of New Vision Ministries.

Thank you to all who participated in Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. MBC members were able to fill 46 boxes.

There will be no Kids' Club or choir practice on Wed, Nov 27.

MBC has returned to live streaming the service. We are streaming on our YouTube page. The page is [youtube.com/@murfreesborobaptistchurch27855](https://youtube.com/@murfreesborobaptistchurch27855). The dome logo is the profile picture. Please subscribe to our page. You can watch the service live when you are not here or watch the broadcast at your convenience.

Hanging of the Greens will be Saturday, November 30 from 2-5 p.m. Volunteers are needed to decorate the sanctuary and church grounds for the seasons of Advent and Christmas.

The Annual Christmas Angel Tree is located in the foyer near the elevator. If you would like to be "A Christmas Angel" to a local child this Christmas, please take an Angel off the tree and sign the sign-in sheet on the lectern by the number you have chosen. Wrap all gifts, place in large bag and attach the Angel tag to the bag.

Please help us ensure that families in our area have a wonderful Christmas Dinner. White Christmas Box donations are now being accepted. Donations of foods and/or funds enable us to continue this important ministry. Food items needed are one-pound blocks of cheese, canned green beans, corn, peas, collards, cranberry sauce, candied yams, rice, fruit, gravy, stuffing mix, brownie mix, cake mix, and frosting. You may also contribute by adopting a box for \$25.00. Mark your donations "White Christmas Box". We will be providing for at least 12 families. The deadline is Monday, December 16.

Please join us on Sunday December 15 at 3:00 p.m. for our Christmas Cantata, "Love Came Down at Christmas" by Marty Parks. The Murfreesboro Baptist & Middle Swamp Baptist Choirs will be performing. Light refreshments will be served in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.

#### In Memory of Janet Gibbs Vincent:

Wayne and Shirley Brown

#### In Memory of Charles Dudney (JoAnn Gaskins' brother):

Sarah Davis, Judy Clark, and Garth and Erin Faile



# MURFREESBORO BAPTIST CHURCH

Murfreesboro, North Carolina

*Love God. Follow Jesus. Serve Others.*

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## The Lord's Day, November 24, 2024 Christ the King Sunday

### *We Gather to Worship*

Prelude *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*  
*with All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* arr. James Bastien  
Winslow Gallop

\*Gathering Hymn No. 346 *Majesty* MAJESTY  
Majesty, worship His majesty. Unto Jesus be all glory, honor and praise.  
Majesty, kingdom authority flow from His throne, unto His own; His anthem raise.  
So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King.  
Majesty, worship His majesty; Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all kings.

#### Words of Welcome

The Lord be with you!  
**And also with you!**

#### Ministry Opportunities

Mark Gaskins

#### Call to Worship

Psalm 93 (NRSV)

The LORD is king, he is robed in majesty; the LORD is robed, he is girded with strength.

**He has established the world; it shall never be moved;  
your throne is established from of old; you are from everlasting.**

The floods have lifted up, O LORD,  
the floods have lifted up their voice; the floods lift up their roaring.

**More majestic than the thunders of mighty waters,  
more majestic than the waves of the sea, majestic on high is the LORD!**

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*\*Please stand as you are able.*

## *We Go Forth with God's Blessing*

Your decrees are very sure;

**holiness befits your house, O LORD, forevermore.**

Invocation Mark Gaskins

### *We Hear God's Word*

\*Hymn of Praise No. 158 *Jesus Shall Reign* DUKE STREET

Children's Sermon Sarah Davis

Old Testament Lesson Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Mark Gaskins  
The Word of God, for the People of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Lesson John 18:33-37 Mark Gaskins  
The Word of the Lord.  
**Praise His Holy Name!**

The Church at Prayer  
Call to Prayer  
The Prayers of the People  
The Lord's Prayer (*trespasses*)

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 372 *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Thanksgiving with Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer Mark Gaskins  
Offertory *Blessed Be the Name of the Lord with Give Thanks* arr. Randall Faber  
Mary Welch Gallop

\*Doxology 706 *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>

Anthem *Sing to the Lord of Harvest* Lloyd Larson

Scripture and Sermon Mark Gaskins  
Revelation 1:4-8; 22:12-13  
King Jesus: Who and What?

### *We Respond to God's Word*

\*Hymn of Response No. 379 *Let All Things Now Living* ASH GROVE

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Commitment Mark Gaskins

\*Commission and Benediction

\*\*Postlude *Praise to the Lord on High* Rachel Sawyer

*\*\*Please remain seated until the conclusion of the music.*

**To our guests . . .**

In the name of Jesus Christ, welcome to worship at Murfreesboro Baptist Church! Worshiping God together is one of the most important things we do as a church. We gather to hear and tell the good news of what God has done, is doing, and will do in Jesus Christ his Son, and respond to him in faith and obedience as he sends us out with his blessing to love and serve him in the world. We encourage active participation through responsive readings, the prayers, the offering, and singing hymns together.

As members of the larger body of Christ, we affirm our kinship with our fellow believers in other traditions and around the world by following the seasons of the Christian year. Today is Christ the King Sunday, the last Sunday of the Christian Year, when we remember, affirm, and celebrate that Jesus Christ is "King of kings and Lord of lords." The color for today is white, symbolizing the purity, joy, and glory of the reign of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Dr. Mark E. Gaskins, Pastor  
Mrs. Paula Pressnell, Organist & Choir Director  
Rev. Thomas Caulkins, Pastor Emeritus

## **This Week at Murfreesboro Baptist Church . . .**

<b>Sunday: Radio Broadcast, 98.3 FM</b> 10:00 A.M. <b>Sunday School</b> 10:00 A.M. <b>Worship</b> 11:00 A.M.	<b>Sunday: Community Thanksgiving</b> <b>Service Located at First Baptist</b> <b>Church of Murfreesboro</b> 5:00 P.M. <b>Saturday: Hanging of the Greens</b> 2:00 P.M.
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*Please remember these friends who cannot worship with us regularly:*

Phil Royce   Tom & Ann Caulkins   Randy & Cheryl Whitley

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