

first baptist church

Worship Christ, Walk with Christ, Work for Christ

Sunday, May 3, 2026

Guest Speaker: Evangelist Glen Shank

Please join us for Potluck Fellowship luncheon today!

Morning Music Worship

Hymn 575 *“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”*

Song *“Wonderful, Merciful Savior”*

Hymn 577 *“Be Strong in the Lord”*

Hymn 593 *“Dare to Stand”*

Hymn 581, *“Be an Example”*

Evening Music Worship

Hymn - 369 *“Living for Jesus”*

Hymn - 396 *“Lord Send Me Anywhere”*

Hymn - 401 *“Open My Eyes, That I Might See”*

Upcoming Guest Speakers

May 3rd-6th – Evangelist Glen Shank and Family

May 10th – Wes Halstead (Heritage Baptist)

May 17th, 24th, 31st – David Madsen – MBU

Upcoming Events

May 8th – MBU Graduation (Josiah and Cadence Scott)

May 11th – Music Recital – 6:30 p.m.

May 27th-July 22nd: Summer Wednesdays for Kids

July 27- 31st- VBS; Please be in prayer now for the VBS team as they prepare, and for the children God would have to come

****Special Request****

Esther's House, a nonprofit, Christian Women's organization that comes alongside single moms, needs some items. Please see Cadence Scott (who is an intern with them) for a list if interested.

Memory Verses for May 2026

One of the important commands to us in the New Testament is the Great Commission. We are to preach the Gospel. Our first memory verse for **May of 2026** is

2 Timothy 4:2 - Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine.

Although Paul is writing this to Timothy, a young preacher, I believe this “command” is for all of us. Our conversations with people, especially those that have yet to come to faith in Christ as their Savior, should be centered in and around “the word”. We need to “be ready” (be “instant”) at all times to give the Word of God to those who need it, which is everyone. If you have been following our memory verses for 2026, you might be wondering, how does this fit into our theme for this year, “Joyous Living for Christ”? Let’s see if our second memory verse for **May** clears this issue up.

Psalms 112:1 - Praise ye the Lord. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord, that delighteth greatly in his commandments.

I think “delight” and “joy” are pretty similar. If you want to show “Joyous Living for Christ”, “delight greatly in his commandments.” One of those commands is to “Preach the Word”! Let’s be busy preaching the Word of God!