

## WE'RE GIVEN TO GIVE

### Matthew 9:10-19

It is our pursuit of the \_\_\_\_\_ that transforms us into the likeness of God's Son.

God wants sons and daughters who will live out his \_\_\_\_\_ and embody His \_\_\_\_\_.

#### THE EMBODIMENT OF HIS NATURE...

We are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to embody His nature.

What have we been \_\_\_\_\_ by God to \_\_\_\_\_ to others?

Serving Jesus as our Lord & Savior is our \_\_\_\_\_ and our \_\_\_\_\_.

#### AN IMPERFECT IMAGE...

One day we will see Jesus, face to face, and when we do, then we will \_\_\_\_\_ Him perfectly.

#### GIVE AND IT WILL BE GIVEN TO YOU...

Meaning that generous giving brings abundant \_\_\_\_\_.

#### WITH THE MEASURE YOU GIVE...

Jesus said, "For with the judgment you \_\_\_\_\_ you will be judged, and with the \_\_\_\_\_ you use it will be measured to you". (Matt. 7:2)

#### REQUESTS FOR MERCY, FORGIVENESS & SALVATION...

Jesus says, "All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me, I will \_\_\_\_\_ cast out."

The will of God is that everyone who looks faith upon His Son in faith and believes in Him, will be forgiven and given \_\_\_\_\_.



# Welcome to First Baptist Church of Lakewood

## January 25, 2026

Welcome & Prayer

Pastor Walt Kelly

Scripture Reading

Matthew 9:10-19

Congregational Songs

Sermon

Pastor Walt Kelly

“We’re Given To Give”

Invitation

Offering & Announcements

Closing Prayer

### 2025 Contribution Statements Available

The 2025 contribution statements are now available for pickup in the lobby (& the church office during the week). If you have any questions or concerns regarding your statement, contact Sara Sacapanio at the church office (sara@fbclakewood.org; 253-582-1000).

### VBS Volunteer Interest Meeting—February 1

It may seem a little early, but... Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be here before we know it (2026 VBS Dates: June 22-26, 9 AM-12:30 PM daily)! There's a number of ways that you can be a part of VBS this year—and not only during VBS Week itself! So come see what it's all about & how you can be a part of the fun at a VBS Interest Meeting next Sunday, February 1 at 12:30 PM in Room 134.

### Salvation Prayer List

Can we pray with you for your loved ones who don't know Jesus yet? Simply share with us **the first names of friends & loved ones** you would like us to pray for—that they would come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. We will add those names to the “Salvation” section of the Sunday Evening Prayer sheet. *Please use a Connect Card to share those names with us.*

### First Touch Ministry—February 7

First Touch is a ministry of FBCL and is made up of people who enjoy crocheting, knitting & sewing. Throughout the year, they often make items that are given out as an extension of FBCL to share the love of Jesus with those who receive them. First Touch meets at FBCL on the first Saturday of the month. Time: 10 AM-4 PM

First Touch also partners with “Quilts of Valor” to make lap quilts for veterans. At their February 7<sup>th</sup> meeting, specific quilt blocks will be made for a Quilt of Valor. For more info, contact Alice Brooks (alicebrooks1953@gmail.com).

### Online Giving Available!

Our online giving platform allows you to give from your smartphone or your computer, & it's easy to give a one-time gift or recurring gifts. Scan the QR code to be directed to our online giving page or go to [fbclakewood.org/give](http://fbclakewood.org/give).



### Deacon of the Week

Alan Sloan

### Sunday Evening Prayer

Join us for a time of prayer every Sunday at 5 PM. For directions & for info about becoming a Prayer Host, contact Pastor Phil Roy ([phil@fbclakewood.org](mailto:phil@fbclakewood.org); 253-582-1000).

Frances Jones

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