

<i>Last Week's Attendance Report</i>			
	Sunday School	Morning Service	Prayer Meeting
Goal	92	189	15
10/29	40	139	10

<i>Nursery Schedule</i>			
9:15 AM	C. Feiler		
10:30 AM	M. Campbell	L. Triunfo	S. Uy

Pray for God's man, in God's time, to do God's work, God's way for God's glory here at FBC.

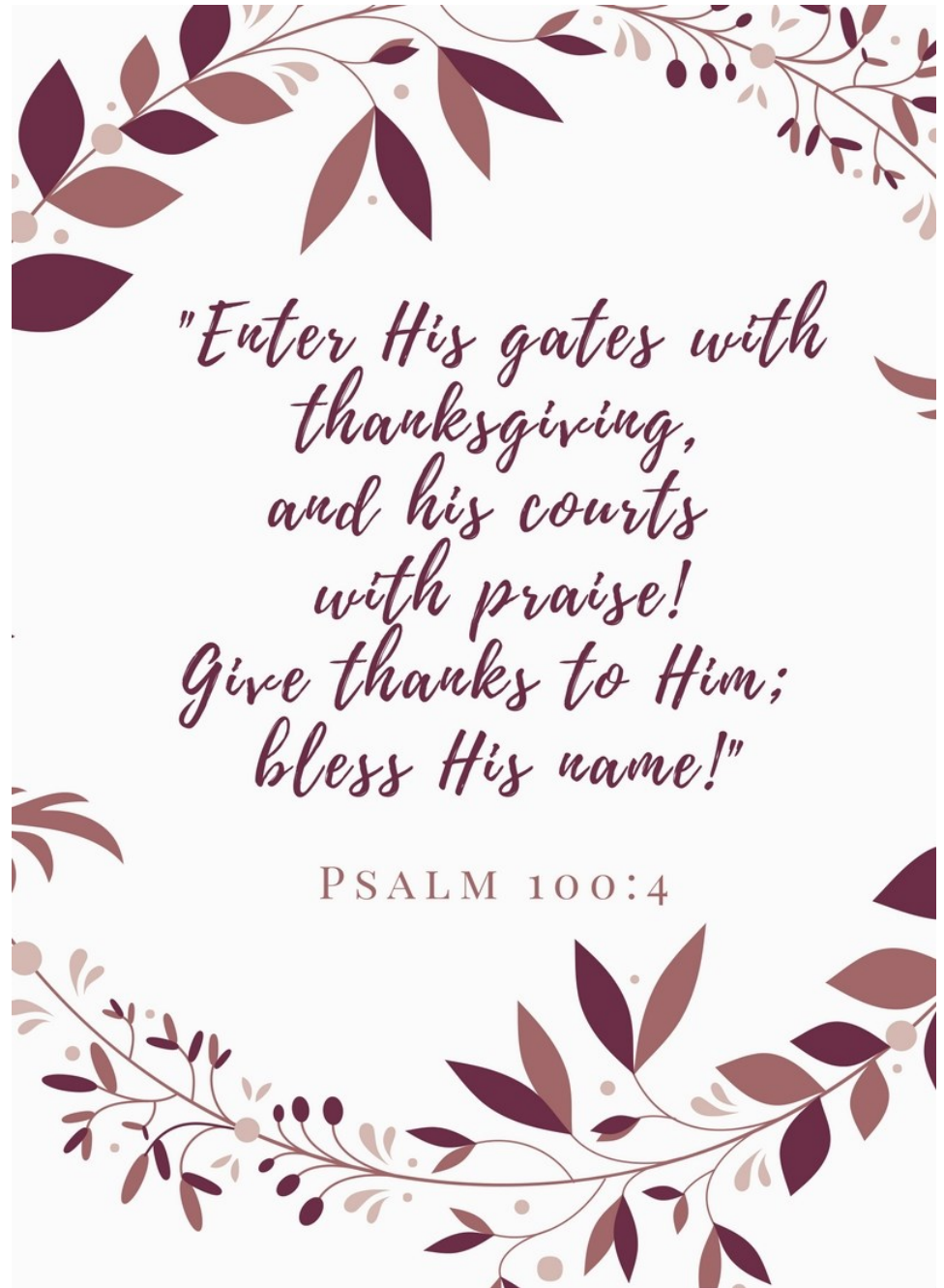
October 2017	Tithes & Offerings: \$63,284.08
	Budget: \$35,860
	Surplus: \$27,424.08
Last Week's Offering : \$21,757.44	

**Please Pray
for Bergen
County
Christian
Academy**



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Current enrollment for 2017–2018 School Year: 128



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November 5, 2017

TODAY

Sunday School Staff Prayer Meeting 8:45 AM

Sunday School 9:15 AM

Morning Worship Service 10:30 AM

Guest Speaker: Pastor Larry Ross

** No Evening Worship Service until generator is fixed **

LATER THIS WEEK

Youth Group Wed, 6:30 PM

Prayer Meetings (English & Spanish) Wed, 7 PM

BCCA Gala & Silent Auction Fri., 7 PM

For more information, visit www.MyBCCA.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Bible Study at the Ward's 10/17, 7:30 PM

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

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 **First Baptist Church of Hackensack**



Gratitude

“Whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.”

Colossians 3:17

Among the first words many of us were taught to say are *please* and *thank you*. No one gets quite as excited as a parent or grandparent when a toddler first utters those words and makes the connection between asking politely and receiving gratefully.

But I suspect that as we grow older we become more adept at saying please than thank you, especially with our heavenly Father. We focus more on pressing needs than on previous provisions; we petition more than we praise. And while God invites us to come to Him with all our needs, He also urges us to make gratitude a habit.

In Colossians 3:15, Paul instructed every follower of Jesus Christ to “let the peace of God rule in your hearts.” Then three times he reminded us to remain grateful to God: “be thankful” (v.15); sing with gratitude to the Lord (v.16); “do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him” (v.17).

Dr. Michael Avery, president of God’s Bible School in Cincinnati, Ohio, has said: “Very few things honor and glorify God more than the sweet fragrance of a thankful soul. It expels gloom and ushers in sweet peace and blessed hope. Gratitude encourages graciousness.”

It’s good to give thanks to God.

***Gratitude should be a continuous attitude,
not just an occasional incident.***

From *Our Daily Bread* by David C. McCasland