



# THANKSGIVING REPORT

**COMPASS**  
SOUTHSIDE

**Happy Thanksgiving Week,**

**It is good to take time and look back over the year and count our blessings. Julie and I would like to say how thankful we are for the last two years in Southside. As we enter our third year together, we are excited about so many things. The land where our church home will be located will soon be selected. We are thankful for the candidates for the office of deacon who we are about to present to the church. Two churches have been planted in 2 years and now we are praying about partnering with Compass View to plant a 3rd church. The church is growing in so many ways.**

**Let's take a moment and thank the Lord,  
Pastor Chad**

***Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely, and may your entire spirit, soul, and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The One who calls you is faithful, and He will do it.***

**1 Thessalonians 5:24**



**He Is Faithful**







Andy Sherrill



Wesley Brooks



Tim Fairchild



Chris Stark



Aaron Elms



Jody Smotherman



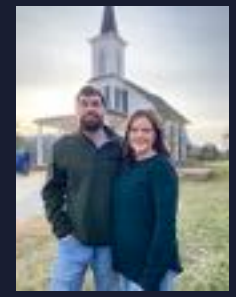
Noah Davidson



Chuck Barker



Tyler Godush



Rachael Williams



Chad Graves



Janelle Shell



Jordan Shane

# Our Elders and Staff



This year our church grew in prayer.

# 100 Prayer Meetings

**PRAYER IS A PRIMARY  
INDICATOR OF SPIRITUAL  
MATURITY**

- AN APPETITE FOR PRAYER
- A NEED FOR PRAYER
- A PRACTICE OF PRAYER
- A PRIORITY ON PRAYER
- A HISTORY OF PRAYER
- A FELLOWSHIP IN PRAYER
- A CHANGE THROUGH PRAYER
- AN AWARENESS IN PRAYER
- A DISCERNMENT THROUGH PRAYER

**JESUS SAID SOME THINGS  
ONLY COME THROUGH  
PRAYER**

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**This year our church grew in teaching and studying God's Word through Sunday morning messages, lessons, discipleship classes, and other Bible studies and small groups.**

# 197

**Bible Lessons,  
Bible Studies, &  
Messages,  
Discipleship  
Classes Taught**

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**Baptisms**

**78**

**24 Celebrate Recovery**

**24 Compass View**

**30 Compass South**

**9**

**Received  
Christ at  
Celebrate  
Recovery**

**10**

**Received  
Christ in  
Mtn View**

**20**

**Received  
Christ in  
Southside**

**40**

**Received  
Christ  
through  
Chaplaincy**



# Compass View

**354**

People in our  
database

**237**

High  
Attendance



**103**

People in  
Home Groups

**10**

People  
received Christ

**9**

Families were blessed and served on  
our Serve Sundays



2023 Church Planting



# 1731

Total 2023 Easter Attendance at  
Compass Batesville, Southside, & Mtn. View

**We believe God uses  
church planting  
to heal brokenness.**





# Celebrate Recovery



9

People  
Accepted Christ

55

People in  
Small Groups

\$22,800

Offerings Given  
to Support CR

120

Average  
Attendance on  
Monday Nights

7500

Estimated Meals  
Served on  
Monday Nights

24

Baptisms

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**He makes  
the whole body  
fit together  
perfectly.  
As each part  
does its own  
special work,  
it helps the other  
parts grow, so that  
the whole body is  
healthy and growing  
and full of love.**

**Ephesians 4:16**





# 30+

Serve Teams

# 300+

Volunteered to serve on a team or at an event in 2023



[www.CompassSouth.org/volunteer](http://www.CompassSouth.org/volunteer)

# Compass Teams



A black and white photograph of a woman smiling and looking down at a baby in a hospital bed. The woman is on the right side of the frame, and the baby is on the left. The background is blurred, showing other people in the room.

# 70

Ladies serving on  
Compass CARES  
Teams

# 15

Babies born in our church  
family this year

# Compass CARES





# 76

Kids at Mid-Week

# 363

Kids checked Into  
CompassKids

# 103

CompassKids  
Volunteers

# 343

Shoe Boxes Packed  
and Shipped Out

# 300

Back to School  
Backpacks  
Given Out

# 150

Easter Weekend Served  
as Volunteers

# CompassKIDS





**Interns Served  
This Summer**



This year our student ministry grew in salvations,  
baptisms, numbers, and in many decisions for Christ.



79

Sr High Students  
Involved this year



86

Number of students  
who came to Fall Night

5

Number of adults on  
Compass Student  
Ministry Team

Sr High  
Student Ministry







Friendsgiving 2023

37

5



103

JHigh  
Students  
Visited Our  
Church

JHigh  
Students  
Received  
Christ

9

Leaders

40

Students High  
Attendance

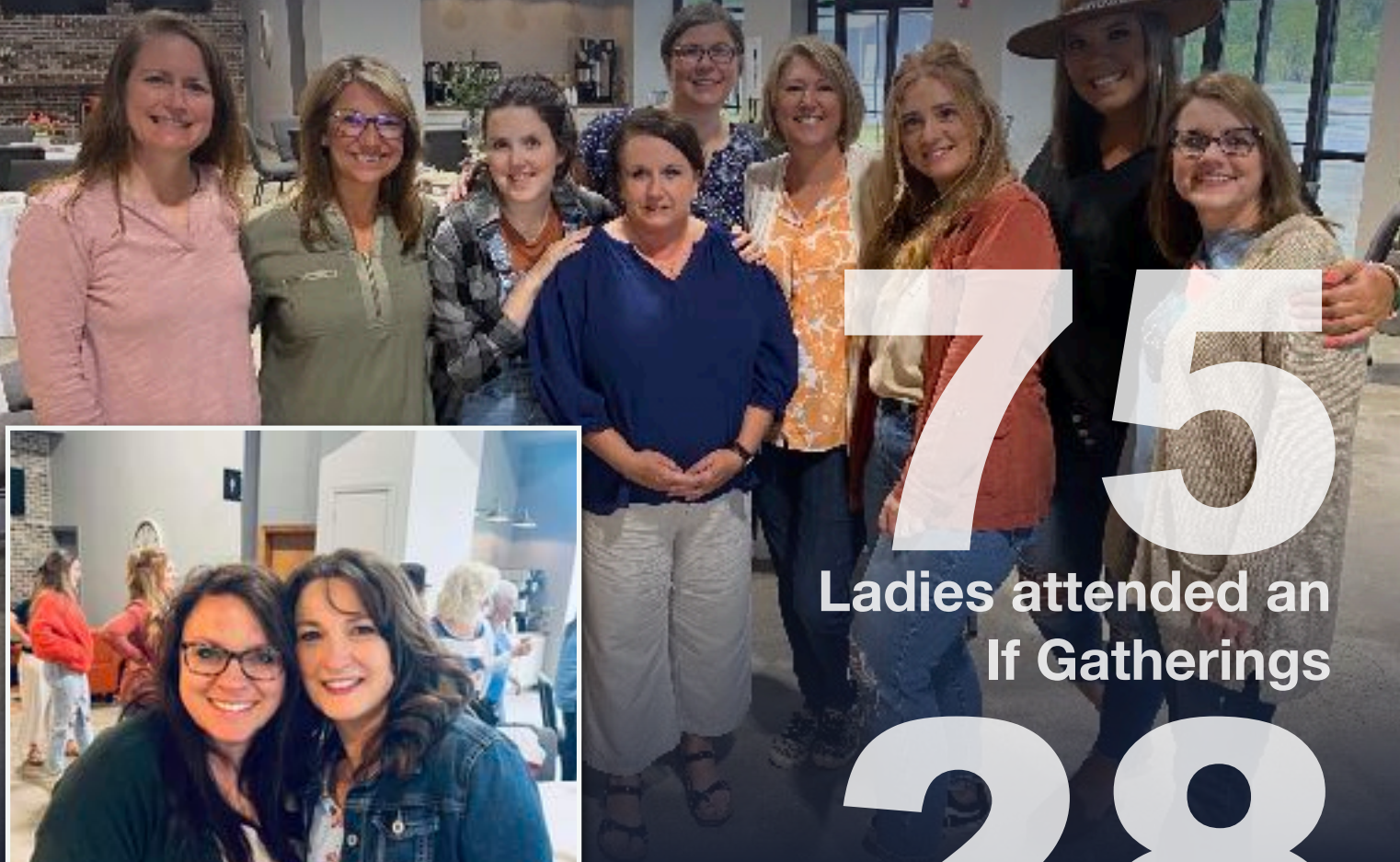


JHigh  
Student Ministry

Friendsgiving 2022



This year our ladies grew in intergenerational discipleship relationships.



75

Ladies attended an  
If Gatherings

28

Went to the  
Sisterhood Retreat

The  
Sisterhood

2

Weekly Prayer &  
Bible Studies



This year our men grew  
in prayer and Bible Study and relationships.

100+

Men Participated  
In Our Prayer  
Meetings

52

High  
Attendance  
on Thursday

3

We have  
prayed  
through 1 & 2  
Timothy and  
Titus



The  
Brotherhood



Go and make disciples  
of all nations, baptizing  
them in the name of the  
Father and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit,  
and teaching them to  
obey everything  
I have commanded  
you. And surely  
I am with you  
always, to the very  
end of the age.

Matthew 28:19

**22,000**

Mission Miles  
Traveled

**3**

Mission  
Trips

**7**

Missionaries  
Directly  
Supported

**170**

2023 Mission  
Conference Attendance

**\$183,000**

Given to Missions

**Compass Missions**





**1300**

People in our  
database

**637**

High  
Attendance

**350**

Attended a  
Group

**1500**

Attended Our  
Easter Events

**363**

Checked in to  
CompassKids

**12**

Missional  
Communities



# 2022-2023 Budget

Income

**\$736,724.36**

Total

**\$55,354**

Compass View

**\$22,800**

Celebrate Recovery

**\$166,000**

Building and Land Fund

**34**

Have set  
up recurring  
giving

**252**

Donors Gave 2,896 Donations

Expenses

**\$133,627.57**

22% Missions

**\$184,424.28**

31% Ministries

**\$223,449.71**

37% Personnel

**\$62,972.68**

10% Operations

**\$100,000.00**

Overflow  
Transferred to  
Building and  
Land Fund

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**This year our staff and leadership grew as we responded to the demands of new ministries and more people.**

## **Added Staff**

**We added Janelle Shell to our staff to help us equip/lead our women's ministry.**

**We added Tyler Godush to our staff to help us equip/lead our student ministry.**

**We added Chris Stark to our staff to help us equip/lead our Celebrate Recovery.**

**We added Aaron Elms to our staff to help us equip/lead our worship teams.**

**We added Andy Sherrill to our staff to help us shepherd and equip our church family.**

**We added Shy Hooper to our staff to help us equip/lead our communications team.**



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# As We Plan For The Future



Pray about your personal growth and commit to join the church and plug in.



Pray about giving a tithe to support the growing ministries of the church.



Pray about our church's future and commit to help us buy land and build.



Pray about kingdom growth as we launch new churches and ministries.

## Thanksgiving Offering

[compasssouth.churchcenter.com/giving](https://compasssouth.churchcenter.com/giving)



[CompassSouth.org](https://CompassSouth.org)