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*We're grateful to have all of you with us this morning in worship. If you're a guest with us, I want to extend a warm welcome on behalf of our church family. I want you to know we believe what we talk about here. Contrary to what a lot of people think, as Christians, we don't think we have it all together. In fact, we know we don't and that's why we're here. Most of us have looked for answers to life's questions in a lot of different places and we've found that Jesus really is the one with the answers, so our quest for understanding includes studying the book he's given to us . . . the Bible. We know people wrote it, but they were people that God inspired to do so. So, we believe it!*

*If you'd like to talk about anything we talk about today or anything related to your experience, one of our staff or I would love the opportunity to visit with you. I hope you'll take the time to fill out the CONNECTION CARD and drop it in the offering plate at the end of the service. We'll be in touch!*

*Thanks again for choosing to worship with us today.*

Pastor Ken

THIS WEEK: JANUARY 28 – FEBRUARY 3

**SUNDAY**  
Worship...8:00am, 9:15am,10:30am  
Sunday School...9:15am,10:30am  
Pickleball... 3:00-4:45pm

**MONDAY**  
Staff Meeting... 1:15pm  
UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm

**TUESDAY**  
Women's Bible Study... 9:30-11:30am  
UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm

**WEDNESDAY**  
Dinner... 5:00-5:45pm  
Preschool/Children's Choir... 5:45-6:15pm  
Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm  
AWANA/Youth Group... 6:15-7:30pm  
Women's Bible Study... 6:30pm  
Choir Rehearsal... 6:30-7:30pm  
Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 7:30pm

**THURSDAY**  
Women's Bible Study (rm 104)... 6:30pm  
Men's Bible Study (rm B10)... 6:30pm  
UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm

**FRIDAY**  
No Scheduled Activities

**SATURDAY**  
UPWARD Games... 8:30am-4:30pm  
Winter Bible Study Dinner... 5:30pm  
Winter Bible Study Begins at 6:00pm



**OFFICE HOURS:**  
Monday-Thursday 8:00am-4:00pm,  
Friday 8:00am-Noon  
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# WELCOME

## First Baptist Church

**MORNING WORSHIP**  
**JANUARY 28, 2024**

*Come Thou Almighty King*

Welcome

*Lift High The Name Of Jesus*

*Pass The Promise - Adult Choir*

*\*Psalm 130 (I Will Wait For You)*

Prayer

Sermon  
Dr. Ken Parker, Senior Pastor

*Jesus Is Mine - James Wynn, Tim Bovard, and Travis Black*

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - Kent Cantrell

*\*(10:30am service) K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade dismiss to Children's Church Children need to be checked in to attend.  
Pick up is after service in room 216 upstairs.*

*If you would like to speak with someone about how to become a Christian, believer's baptism, joining the church or something else related to your faith, you're invited to the front at the conclusion of worship to talk with one of our staff members or deacons or their wives. They'll be there to meet you . . .*

January Scripture - But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble. Matthew 6:33-34 (ESV)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WINTER BIBLE STUDY.** A church-wide Winter Bible Study will be held February 3-4. Dinner on that Saturday begins at 5:30pm in the Activity Center, with session 1 Bible study at 6:00pm led by Dr. John Marshall (childcare provided). On Sunday, Dr. Marshall will preach session 2 Bible study in all three worship services. Dr. Marshall is the former pastor of Second Baptist Church in Springfield and a highly regarded Bible teacher.

**Pickleball.** TODAY from 3:00-4:45pm in the Activity Center. Invite your friends. This is for the whole family. Bring your own pickleball paddle.

**Wednesday Dinner.** January 31 - breakfast for dinner.

**Women's Bible Study Starts This Week.** - MEET IN THE FIRESIDE TO SIGN-UP!!!

**Job: Trusting God When Suffering Comes** by Lydia Brownback

Tuesdays – Room 104 – 9:30am **January 30.** Childcare Provided

**Seek First The Kingdom** by Christine Hoover

Wednesdays – Room 104 – 6:30pm **January 31.** Childcare Provided

**Judges: The Path From Chaos To Kingship** by Lydia Brownback

Thursdays – Room 104 – 6:30-7:30pm **February 1.** Childcare Provided.

**\*\*Men's Bible Study on Judges at same time \*\*** Room – B10 – 6:30pm

For more details text or call Connie Seuell (816-536-1185).

**Parents' Night Out.** Parents, on Friday evening, February 9, 5:30pm-8:30pm, childcare for babies through 5th graders will be provided for you to have a date night, do some shopping, or whatever you choose while your child/children have fun with friends. The cost is \$5 per child, \$10 max per family which will include pizza, snacks, and crafts for preschoolers and up. Parents, please sign your children up on the church website. (Church family, if you won't be dropping off children for this event, we could use your help with the children that evening. Please contact the church office to let us know you're available to help.

**Men's Tool-time & Chili Cook-off.** The annual Men's Tool Time and Chili Cook-Off will take place Sunday, February 25 at 5:00pm in the Activity Center. Bring your best chili and enter the contest, or just bring a pot to share. Tables will be available to display your hobby, craft, or tools that you want to show off to the group. Any questions, please see Brian Fields, William Price, or Frank Cockrum.

**Our Condolences.** Dr. Parker and Lori, along with the First Family, extend sincere Christian sympathy to the family of Bobbie Kennedy.

**2024 Reading Plan.** In 2024 our church family will focus on reading the New Testament together. We're calling this, "Foundation 180" By spending ten minutes a day reading God's word, you can complete the entire New Testament in 180 days. The New Testament becomes more significant when you discover it's all about Jesus, the Cross, and His work to form and shape you with His character, attitude, and love. So, while we of course encourage everyone to read the whole Bible, this year, we're especially encouraging you to read the New Testament. Reading plans are available at the Welcome Center.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Contribution Statements.** The 2023 contribution statements have been mailed out. Watch for yours to arrive in your mailbox soon.

**Winter Weather Schedule.** With winter upon us, please be aware of our WINTER WEATHER SCHEDULE in the event of snow and ice. Seldom do we cancel, but if weather dictates we need to adjust, we utilize our WINTER WEATHER SCHEDULE. If we announce the WINTER WEATHER SCHEDULE it simply means we'll be having 10:30am WORSHIP ONLY; everything else would be cancelled for Sunday morning. Whether there's an adjustment for a Sunday or a Wednesday evening, we will post cancellations on the church website: [www.kearneyfbc.com](http://www.kearneyfbc.com) and also on local KMBC Channel 9 news.

**His Mission . . . Our Time.** Renovation on the educational building is complete. This included heating and cooling units, enlarging classrooms, and redoing the surfaces. We've also successfully addressed security issues that we think will be very helpful. Please give weekly, monthly or online. Simply mark your check or envelope, His Mission, Our Time. Thank you so much for your continued support of "His Mission, Our Time."

**Right Now Media.** Our church family is fortunate to have Right Now Media available to us. It contains many helpful Christian resources for our church family, and many have found its resources to be very helpful. If you need help in accessing Right Now Media, or if you have any questions concerning it, feel free to contact Jon Oettel in the church office. As with any author, book company, etc., there's always a possibility that something won't align with our doctrinal statement. If you ever find that to be the case, please be sure to inform the church office.

**Online Sermons.** You can listen to "Stand Forever" A broadcast ministry of FBC Kearney on Wilkins Radio Network 1380am and 96.1fm. Programs can also be heard through: computers and laptops, iPhone and Android apps, Alexa, and Podcast Sites: Apple, Google, Spotify, Amazon Music, Sticher and Buzzsprout.

**Social Media.** Follow us on Facebook ([\*First Baptist Church of Kearney\*](#)) and Instagram ([\*fbckearneymo\*](#)) for information regarding events about FBC and to watch Sunday sermons through Facebook livestream. We also have a group this is created for our church family to be able to ask for services or offer services that may be needed. We want to be able to support our church family as much as possible. Find us at [\*KFBC members helping members\*](#).

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### SERVING OPPORTUNITY

**Preschool Workers.** Looking for a place to serve? We have multiple volunteer positions available in our nursery and preschool classes. For more information, please contact Chloe Brownlee (405-432-8900).