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THIS WEEK: MARCH 24 - MARCH 30

**SUNDAY** 

Worship...8:00am, 9:15am,10:30am Sunday School...9:15am,10:30am

MONDAY

Staff Meeting... 9:00am

**TUESDAY** 

Senior Adult (OWLS) Steamboat Arabia Trip... 8:45am Women's Bible Study... 9:30-10:30am

WEDNESDAY

EASTER Dinner... 6:00pm Choir Rehearsal... 7:30-8:30pm Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 8:30pm

THURSDAY

Women's Bible Study (rm 104)... 6:30pm Men's Bible Study (rm B10)... 6:30pm

FRIDAY

Office Closed Good Friday Service... 7:00pm Youth Movie in Activity Center... 8:15pm

**SATURDAY** 

No Scheduled Activities

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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

**OFFICE HOURS:** 

Monday-Thursday 8:00am-4:00pm, Friday 8:00am-Noon 816.628.5693 / www.kearneyfbc.com



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MORNING WORSHIP MARCH 24, 2024

Children's and Preschool Choirs (10:30am)

This Is The Day

Rejoice

Welcome

Victory In Jesus (8:00am and 9:15am)

The Power Of The Cross - Adult Choir

\*A Mighty Fortress

Prayer

Sermon Dr. Ken Parker, Senior Pastor

**Praise The King** 

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - Jason Ross

\*(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 . . .

March Scripture - Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

John 11:25-26 (ESV)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Easter Dinner.** Join us Wednesday, March 27 at 6:00pm for a First Family Easter dinner. Our hospitality team will provide baked ham, mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, buttered corn, dinner rolls, and salad. Please bring a dessert to share. Our Easter dinner will replace all other evening activities.

Good Friday/Easter Sunday. Good Friday service is planned for 7:00pm. As part of this service we will have the opportunity to celebrate in the Lord's Supper together. On Easter Sunday we will offer 4 services: 8:00am, 9:00am, 10:00am, and 11:00am. Sunday School will meet at 9:00am and 10:00am. Children's Church will be during the 11:00am service. Join us Easter weekend as we contemplate what Jesus did on the Cross for us and rejoice in our Risen Savior!

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. We will be collecting Annie Armstrong Easter Offering through March 31. Designated offering envelopes can be found in the pews in the Worship Center. The offering was started in 1895 by Woman's Missionary Union® (WMU) to benefit the work of the Home Mission Board (now North American Mission Board). In 1934, it was named in honor of Annie Armstrong, a bold missions advocate and WMU's first national executive leader. Because of this sacrificial giving, millions of lives have been and continue to be transformed by the power of the gospel.

Berean Class New Study. WHAT THE BIBLE HAS TO SAY ABOUT PRAISE. What is biblical praise? Is praise different than prayer or thanksgiving? When should the believer praise and in what manner? Are there different types or positions of praise? What is the value of praise? These and other questions will be answered in our Sunday School Study, BIBLICAL PRAISE. Join us on Sundays, March 24-May 5, 9:15AM in room 209, led by Dr. Dan Stammann.

Senior Adult (OWLS). Our senior adult ministry is going to tour the Steamboat Arabia Museum in the KC River Market on March 26. Admission is \$16.50 for adults or \$15.50 for seniors 60+ at the door. A Dutch-treat lunch will follow at your choice of restaurant in the River Market area. Sign-up at the Welcome Center.

**Basic Training.** Join Pastor Ken Sunday, April 7 from 4:00pm-6:00pm. (room 104) Childcare will be provided. Please call the church office to RSVP for childcare by April 2. Whether you are a new member or just curious about what our church believes or contemplating membership, this class is for you!

Clothing Exchange. Join us for our second Children/Teen clothing and toy exchange/swap. Do you find yourself holding on to your kids items they no longer need or use? This a simple way to give those items a new home! This is a great opportunity to pass them on to another family. Friday, April 19th we will be taking donations of all child/teen related items in the activity center from 5:00pm-8:00pm. We will then open the doors Saturday, April 19th from 9:00am-1:00pm for you to come fill a bag and refresh your children's wardrobes and toys. This is open to all FBC families. Want to donate and not shop, we will take it! Have nothing to donate but want to shop, come on in! Questions please reach out to Mandy Davis or Erin Hill.

**Shelter KC.** If you would be interested in leading the Kansas City Rescue Mission outreach, please contact the office, (816-628-5693). This is a Christ-centered community that offers freedom and hope to homeless men and women in Kansas City. Shelter KC empowers the poor and homeless through emergency shelter, daily meals, case management referrals, counseling sessions, educational skill training, spiritual development, recovery programs and more. Our church serves the second Sunday evening of each month helping to serve dinner and visit with the men in the shelter.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Youth Camp.** Super Summer Camp is July 22-26, 2024. This is a 5 day camp for students who have completed 6-12 grades. Cost is \$270 per person which includes lodging, meals, recreation, all activities, and camp shirt. If you have questions you can contact Mike (mfitzgerald@kearneyfbc.com), or go to our website and get signed up. (https://kearneyfbc.com/ministries/student-ministry)

*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."

Lost and Found. We have several Bibles that were in lost and found. Please stop by the church office to see if one of them belongs to you or your family. Any unclaimed Bibles will be donated March 31.

Operation Christmas Child. Suggested donations for our shoeboxes for March are Knit or Fleece Hats/Gloves, Lip Balm (solid), and Nail Clippers/Files. Please drop off your items in the room behind the elevator in the designated box. Or contribute monetarily and let us do the shopping! Please note on your contribution that it is for "OCC." Visit samaritanspurse.org to learn more about the ministry of Operation Christmas Child. Our Crafting for OCC group would love to have your old t-shirts! We are using them to make jump ropes for our shoeboxes.

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.

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.

**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*.

## **SERVING OPPORTUNITY**

**Full-Time Custodian.** We are currently searching for a full-time custodian. Responsibilities include: cleaning, basic maintenance, event setup, and general support the ministries of our church. Please contact Associate Pastor Jon for more information (joettel@kearneyfbc.com).

**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).