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THIS WEEK: AUGUST 25 – AUGUST 31

SUNDAY

Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am,10:30am
Sunday School... 9:15am,10:30am
Student Leader Meeting... 11:45am
AWANA Meeting... 2:00pm

MONDAY

Staff Meeting... 1:15pm
Sunday School Teacher Meeting... 7:00-8:00pm

TUESDAY

No Scheduled Activities

WEDNESDAY

Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm
Youth Group... 6:00pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal...6:30-7:30pm
Band/Praise Team Rehearsals...7:30pm

THURSDAY

Senior Adult (OWLS) Lunch/Movie... 11:00am

FRIDAY

No Scheduled Activities

SATURDAY

No Scheduled Activities

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Dr. Hershael W. York is the Dean of the School of Theology of The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary as well as the Victor and Louise Lester Professor of Christian Preaching. After serving for 20 years as Senior Pastor of the Buck Run Baptist Church in Frankfort, Dr. York now devotes much time to helping churches and pastors stay focused on effective gospel communication and leadership, as well as hosting marriage seminars with his wife, Tanya. The author of two books on preaching and 40 Days in 1 Corinthians, Dr. York's most recent work is 'Pastor Well', a guide to faithfulness in Pastoral Ministry. Preaching Today has included him among North America's most effective preachers. He writes a regular column in Preaching magazine and hosts the popular PastorWell podcast. His articles and sermons have appeared in many journals, websites, and magazines, and he is a frequent conference speaker in the US, Europe, Asia, and South America.

He holds a B.A. in English and Classical Civilizations from the University of Kentucky, where he also earned a Master of Arts in Classical Languages. He received the Master of Divinity and the Doctor of Philosophy in Greek and New Testament from the Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary in Memphis, Tennessee.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday 8:00am-4:00pm,
Friday 8:00am-Noon
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WELCOME

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MORNING WORSHIP
AUGUST 25, 2024

Come Thou Almighty King

Welcome

Glorious Day

He Leadeth Me - Adult Choir

**A Mighty Fortress*

Prayer

Sermon

Dr. Hershael York, Guest Speaker

He Will Hold Me Fast

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - David Misel

**(10:30am service) K-3rd 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 . . .

August Scripture - And the ransomed of the LORD shall return and come to Zion with singing; everlasting joy shall be upon their heads; they shall obtain gladness and joy, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.
Isaiah 35:10 (ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On behalf of our First Baptist Family and the Personnel Committee, we would like to thank Chloe Brownlee for her ongoing dedication to Children's Ministry. Chloe served on our staff beginning in July of 2022 and then stepped down after she and Austin became parents. We're so grateful that she was willing to continue helping in children's ministry for a season while our search committee has been seeking a candidate for the children's ministry position. While not maintaining oversight for the overall Children's Ministry, Chloe will continue to serve in our AWANA ministry and other volunteer roles. We're thankful to have Chloe, Austin, and Blythe as part of our church family.

Wednesday Fall Activities Begin September 4.

5:00-5:45pm — Dinner in the Activity Center
(chicken tenders, mashed potatoes and gravy, seasoned green beans, salad, and dessert)
5:45-6:15pm — Preschool and Children's Choir
6:00pm — Pastor's Bible Study in the Worship Center
6:00-7:30pm — Youth Group
6:15-7:30pm — AWANA
6:30-7:30pm — Adult Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm — Band & Praise Team Rehearsals

Student Leader Meeting. TODAY after 3rd service in room 104 for returning leaders, new leaders and anyone interested in learning more about becoming involved. We will go over roles for the new school year and expectations for leaders.

AWANA. Join us Wednesday evenings beginning September 4 from 6:15-7:30pm. This is for children ages 3 through 5th grade. Sign up online starting August 5! (www.kearneyfbc.com) We also need volunteers to help in AWANA this Fall. If you can help please contact Chloe Brownlee. (cbrownlee@kearneyfbc.com)

LADIES FALL BIBLE STUDY! This Fall we will be offering Colossians by Lydia Brownback. This is a 10-week study. We will meet beginning Tuesday, September 10th at 9:30am or Wednesday, September 11th at 6:30pm. SIGN UP TODAY in the Fireside Lobby. Books will be available for purchase or you can order from Amazon. At the end of our study of the letter of Colossians we will have a night of celebration and testimony. More details to come.

Prayer Meeting. Beginning September 4, we will spend time together in prayer on Wednesday evenings from 6:45pm-7:15pm in the Prayer Room. These 30-minute prayer meetings will offer a chance for us to pause and come together in dedicated prayer, seeking God's will for us as individuals and as a church family.

REVELATION STUDY, SUNDAYS 9:30AM & 10:30 AM. Dr. Dan Stammann will lead a section by section, verse by verse study of the book of Revelation **beginning Sunday, September 8.** The historical-prophetic approach will be used to examine the meaning of this book to its original readers, to the present and to the future. The numbers, symbols, visions and types will be explained from their apocalyptic (hidden meanings) background. Both classes will be on the same lesson each week. Classes will meet downstairs, **9:15am in room B10 or 10:30am in room B14.** Enrollment is open to all adults. Enroll in either class when you attend the first session.

Senior Adult (OWLS). Upcoming Events!

August 29 to Ginger Sue's in Liberty, MO for a dutch-treat lunch followed by a showing of the Kendrick Brothers latest film, The Forge, at Liberty Cinema 12. Sign-up in the church office with payment of \$10.
September 20 to Bothwell Lodge in Sedalia, MO. Tour is limited to 8 people and includes over 200 steps. Dutch-treat lunch to follow at Kehde's BBQ. Sign up at the Welcome Center.
October 10-12 to Branson. We have pushed back the deadline to sign up for Branson. Trip details to come. If you want to sign up with your \$100 deposit before receiving full trip details, in the church office.

Welcome. A warm welcome to our newest First Baptist Family member: Scott Sportsman. If you haven't already had the opportunity, introduce yourself and welcome him to our FBC family.

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STARS 511. Ladies, please plan to join us for a lovely evening on Sunday, September 22, at 5:00pm at The Falls for our STARS 511 Annual Fireside Fellowship! We will enjoy visiting with sisters, dinner, a craft, a devotional, music and sitting around the fire! **Please bring a lawn chair.** Sign up at the Welcome Center or on the church website. (kearneyfbc.com)

Annual Fish Fry. September 15 at 5:00pm. Join us in the Activity Center for fried fish, french fries, coleslaw, hush puppies and onion straws. Please, bring a dessert to share. Don't miss the food, fun, and fellowship!

Youth Mission Project. FBC Kearney Students are doing a summerlong mission project: participating in getting the Bible translated for over 7 million people in Madagascar who currently do not have the Bible in their language. This is done at the cost of \$25 per verse. If you'd like to be involved, contact Associate Pastor Mike, a member of student ministry leadership or a member of the student ministry.

Shelter KC (September 8). Kansas City Rescue Mission is a Christ-centered community that offers freedom and hope to homeless men and women in Kansas City. A non-profit organization with more than 70 years of service, 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. Email Paul Johnson for more information. (pjohnsoncpm@gmail.com)

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."

Operation Christmas Child. Please visit our display in the foyer and choose a card (or several), purchase the needed shoebox items and bring them to church in the next few weeks. Or purchase school supplies for our boxes: crayons, pencils, pens, erasers, pencil sharpeners, children's scissors, colored pencils, and markers. You may drop off your items in the room behind the elevator in the designated box. You can also purchase needed items by using the QR code to order items from our Amazon gift list and they will be sent directly to the church! Finally, you can contribute monetarily and let us do the shopping! Please note on your contribution that it is for "OCC." Thank you for supporting this ministry for children in need around the world! To learn more about Operation Christmas Child, visit samaritanspurse.org.



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](https://www.facebook.com/FirstBaptistChurchofKearney)) and Instagram ([fbckearneymo](https://www.instagram.com/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](#).

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. <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/KearneyFBC>