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THIS WEEK: SEPTEMBER 15 – SEPTEMBER 21

SUNDAY

Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am,10:30am
Sunday School... 9:15am,10:30am
Annual Fish Fry... 5:00pm

MONDAY

Staff Meeting... 1:15pm

TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study... 9:30-11:30am

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

Men's Bible Study... 6:30pm

FRIDAY

No Scheduled Activities

SATURDAY

Operation Christmas Child (OCC)
Crafting...10:00am

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Dr. Juston Gates has been married to his wife Amanda for 26 years. They are the proud parents of three children: Elizabeth, Caleb, and Leah Madelyn. Juston has been a pastor of churches in Mississippi, Tennessee, and Missouri, since May of 2000. Prior to entering vocational ministry, Juston was employed as a law enforcement officer with police departments in Memphis, TN, Tupelo, MS, and Allen, TX, while also serving as a Federal Agent with the United States Border Patrol. Juston earned his Master of Divinity (M.Div.) from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and his Doctor of Ministry (D.Min.) from Luther Rice Seminary. He is an adjunct online instructor for Itawamba Community College, as a part of the Philosophy and Religion Department, while having also served as an Associate Professor for College of Ozarks as part of the Criminal Justice program. While as Senior Pastor of FBC Forsyth for 12 years, Juston served as an Executive Board member of the Missouri Baptist Convention, fulfilling a seven-year term.

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

First Baptist Church

MORNING WORSHIP
SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

Let The Nations Be Glad

Baptist Faith and Message

Welcome

Come Thou Fount

Say Amen - Adult Choir

Believer's Baptism (10:30am)

**Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me*

Prayer

Sermon

Dr. Juston Gates, Guest Speaker

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - Wayne Riley

**(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 . . .

September Scripture - Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

1 Peter 1:3-5 (ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday Dinner. September 18 - beef enchiladas, refried beans, rice, queso & chips, salad, and dessert.

Church Picnic. Join us at The Falls for our church wide picnic. We will enjoy grilled hotdogs and hamburgers, desserts, and drinks. Picnic starts at 4:00pm and ends at 7:00pm, with *fellowship, bounce houses, games, a bonfire, hayrides, and more!* Travelin' Tom's Coffee Truck will be on site from 5:00-7:00pm to purchase hot chocolate, hot cider and more. (Average cost is \$5-\$7) We will eat at 5:30pm. Bring your lawn chairs and join your First Family for a fun evening!

WOMEN'S FALL BIBLE STUDY! Colossians by Lydia Brownback. It's not too late to join us on Tuesdays at 9:30am or Wednesdays at 6:30pm. 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. 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 is leading a section by section, verse by verse study of the book of Revelation. 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.

Senior Adult (OWLS).

October 10-12 to Branson. The deadline to sign up for Branson is September 15. Trip details to come. If you want to sign up with your \$100 deposit, please do so in the church office.

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)

Shelter KC (October 13). 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)

Welcome. A warm welcome to our newest First Baptist Family members: Paul & Kathy LaVine, and Jerry & Trish Mumme. If you haven't already had the opportunity, introduce yourself and welcome them to our FBC family.

Men's Fall Bible Study. We are using the book titled "Colossians" by Warren Wiersbe. We will begin September 19th in room 104 from 6:30-7:30pm. Books available for \$10 at the first session.

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Our 12th annual Joyful Giveaway will be held December 7th from 10:00am-Noon in the Activity Center. Watch for volunteer sign-up sheets, beginning October 6th in the Fireside Lobby.

Children's Ministry. Are you looking for a way to serve your church family? Are you interested in helping support the next generation? Great! We could use your help in children's ministry. If you are interested, please contact the church office at kfbcoffice@kearneyfbc.com

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 items from our September list of requested shoebox donation items: sunglasses, jewelry (boys' and girls'), bandanas, solar-powered calculators, and protractors. All school supplies are also still needed 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](https://www.facebook.com/KFBCmembershelpingmembers).

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