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## THIS WEEK: JANUARY 12 - JANUARY 18

SUNDAY Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am,10:30am Sunday School... 9:15am,10:30am Pickleball... 3:00-4:30pm Deacon's Meeting... 5:00pm

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

TUESDAY UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm Committee Meetings... 7:00pm

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

> THURSDAY UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm

> > **FRIDAY** Youth Winter Jam Concert

STAFF ON CALL: MIKE FITZGERALD 205.358.2658 DEACON FOR THE WEEK: DUANE GOSS 816.628.4751 **SATURDAY** Multigenerational (9:15) Class Party (at the Falls)... 12:00pm

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** 







MORNING WORSHIP JANUARY 12, 2025

You've Already Won

Baptist Faith and Message

Welcome

When We All Get To Heaven

Behold Him - Adult Choir

\*Glorious Day

Prayer

Sermon Dr. Ken Parker, Senior Pastor

The Lord Is My Salvation

Scripture Reading

**Closing Prayer - Duane Goss** 

\*(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 – And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules. Ezekiel 36:26-27 (ESV)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**2025 Bible Reading Plan.** Your 2025 Bible Reading Plan is here! Join the church family as we read through the entire Bible in one year. Enjoy daily readings from Psalms, Proverbs, and both the Old and New Testaments. We look forward to growing in our faith and understanding of God through His word in 2025. Get your copy at the Welcome Center.

#### Wednesday Evening January 15, 2025.

Dinner...5:00-5:45pm (beef ravioli with marinara, broccoli, garlic bread, salad, and dessert) Preschool/Children's Choir...5:45-6:15pm Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm Youth Group... 6:00-7:30pm AWANA... 6:15-7:30pm Prayer Meeting...6:35-7:15pm Choir Rehearsal... 6:30-7:30pm Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 7:30pm

**Winter Pickleball.** January 12th from 3:00-4:30pm in the Activity Center. All are invited. Bring your own pickleball paddle. Contact Richard Cawthon if you have questions. (816.805.4782)

**Winter Bible Study.** A church-wide Winter Bible Study will be held February 1-2. 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.

2025 Women's Bible Study! We're thrilled to announce TWO inspiring Bible study opportunities!
1. Revelation: Eternal King, Everlasting Kingdom - *Tuesdays, February 3, 9:30-10:30 AM*, Room 104 Dive deep into the powerful message of Revelation for 10 weeks and explore the majesty of Christ as the Eternal King and His everlasting Kingdom. This study will open your eyes to the hope and victory promised in Scripture. Books available for \$20. BONUS: prepare to study Revelation with a daily scripture reading plan handout available at the Welcome Center and Facebook @Kearney-FBCWomen's Bible Study.
2. Navigating Gospel Truths - Wednesdays, starting January 29, 6:30-7:30 PM, Room 104 This 8-week evening study is perfect for women seeking to grow in understanding of the Gospel and its life-transforming truths. Books available for \$15. Sign up and purchase your book in the KFBC Fireside Lobby Sundays between services. If you have questions contact Connie Seuell. (816.536.1185)

**STARS 511.** Save the Date: Ladies, you are all invited to our STARS 511 Winter Event on Sunday, February 16 at 4:00 pm in the Activity Center. More details coming soon!

**Baby Shower.** Please join us for Sarena Rennison's baby shower on February 2, at 2:00pm in room 104. Sarena is registered at Amazon and Walmart. Please RSVP to Marissa Tubbs. (816.379.9169)

Welcome. A warm welcome to our newest First Baptist Family members: Gracie Parks and Landry Parks. If you haven't already had the opportunity, introduce yourself and welcome them to our FBC family.

**Operation Christmas Child.** *Our shoeboxes are going to the country of Georgia this year!!* We have received \$4903 towards the processing/shipping/gospel materials costs for our 584 church-packed shoeboxes. Thank you for your contributions! We are continuing to collect for this through January 12. \$10 per box needed. Please note that your donation is for "OCC."

**Our Condolences.** Dr. Parker and Lori, along with the First Family, extend sincere Christian sympathy to Derek and Kalie Dickson in the loss of his dad, Felton and Tracy Fields in the loss of her husband, Larry.

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 and also on local KMBC Channel 9 news.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

We would like to thank our church family for all of the gifts, cards, goodies, and Christmas bonuses. We appreciate so much the thoughtfulness and generosity behind all of the gifts. We look forward to serving you and serving with you in 2025. Happy New Year! Pastor Ken, Jon, Travis, Diane, Dee Dee, Laura, Carlene, and Carter.

**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. https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/KearneyFBC

**New Ministry Opportunity at Kearney Elementary.** God has provided an awesome opportunity to share His good news within the school system here in Kearney. Beginning January 9th our church will be hosting an after school Bible club called a Good News Club. The club will take place every Thursday from 3:30-4:30pm. This ministry is through Child Evangelism Fellowship. We need volunteers who enjoy working with kids. CEF trains all of the volunteers on how to share the gospel and run a Good News Club. If you would like more info on signing up to volunteer, or if you have a child that attends Kearney Elementary and you would like to sign your kids up, contact Chloe Brownlee at chloebella34@gmail.com or at 405.432.8900.



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