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THIS WEEK: FEBRUARY 2 - FEBRUARY 8

UNDAY

Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am, 10:30am Sunday School... 9:15am, 10:30am Youth Parent Meeting... 11:45am Sarena Rennison's Baby Shower... 2:00pm Pickleball... 3:00-4:30pm

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary Chapel (Dr. Parker Preaching)... 10:00am Operation Christmas Child Crafting...3:30pm Dinner... 5:00-5:45pm Children's Choir... 5:45-6:15pm Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm Youth Group... 6:00-7:30pm AWANA... 6:15-7:30pm Women's Bible Study... 6:30-7:30pm Prayer Meeting...6:45-7:15pm Choir Rehearsal... 6:30-7:30pm

THURSDAY

UPWARD Practice... 5:00-8:00pm Men's Bible Study...6:30pm

Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 7:30pm

FRIDAY

No Scheduled Activities

SATURDAY

UPWARD Games... 8:30am-4:30pm Men's Breakfast At The Falls... 7:30am

STAFF ON CALL: MIKE FITZGERALD 205.358.2658 DEACON FOR THE WEEK: DOUG ERVIN 816.564.3062

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 FEBRUARY 2, 2025

Let The Nations Be Glad

Baptist Faith and Message

Welcome

Holy Holy Holy

How Great Is The Greatness Of God - Adult Choir

*Christ Our Hope In Life And Death

Prayer

Sermon Dr. John Marshall

Thank You Jesus For The Blood

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - Doug Ervin

*(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 . . .

February Scripture – Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.

2 Corinthians 1:3-4 (ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary Chapel. Dr. Parker will be preaching at his alma mater, Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary on February 5. Chapel begins at 10:00am and is open to anyone who would like to attend. We will be providing transportation (leaving the church parking lot at 9:15am). Please call the church office to RSVP if you would like to ride the bus.

2025 Women's Bible Study! We're thrilled to announce TWO inspiring Bible study opportunities!

1. Revelation: Eternal King, Everlasting Kingdom - Tuesdays, February 4, 9:30-10:30 AM, Room 104

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, 6:30-7:30 PM, Room 104. 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)

Men's Fall Bible Study. We are using the book titled "Be Successful (1 Samuel)- Attaining Wealth That Money Can't Buy" by Warren W. Wiersbe. We will begin January 30th at 6:30pm in room 104. Books available in the office for a suggested donation of \$10.

Winter Pickleball. TODAY 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)

Wednesday Dinner. February 5 - chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad and dessert.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast. Join us at The Falls on Saturday, February 8 at 7:30am. Come and enjoy a hearty breakfast fit for guys of all ages.

STARS 511. Ladies, please join us for our Women's Winter Event on Sunday, February 16, at 4:00 in the Activity Center. Have you ever wondered how to make sourdough bread? Want to know more about the work of the Liberty Women's Clinic? We'll learn about these from experts who are also women of our own church! We'll be taking a collection to purchase gift cards for Liberty Women's Clinic which they give to clients for gas and for necessities; if you prefer, you can bring a gift card to donate, \$10-\$25 ones please. We'll enjoy fellowship around the table too with a delicious soup supper followed by yummy pie. Sign up at the Welcome Center or on the church website if you'll be attending and to let us know if you'd like to bring a pot of your favorite soup or a pie for us to enjoy together!

Baby Shower. Please join us for Sarena Rennison's baby shower TODAY at 2:00pm in room 104. Sarena is registered at Amazon and Walmart.

Men's Tool-time & Chili Cook-off. The annual Men's Tool Time and Chili Cook-Off will take place Sunday, February 23 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.

Contribution Statements. The 2024 contribution statements have been mailed out. Watch for yours to arrive in your mailbox soon.

Basic Training. Join Pastor Ken Sunday, February 23 from 3:00pm-5:00pm. (room 104) Childcare will be provided. Whether you are a new member or just curious about what our church believes or contemplating membership, this class is for you!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's AMEN Bible Conference. Ladies!!! Have you heard? We are so excited for what will be happening here, a KFBC this March 28-29. Our first biannual Women's AMEN Bible Conference. This year's theme is By Faith, as we look at Hebrews 11 to encourage us to stay the course as we look at the Heroes of our faith. This weekend of great Bible teaching will be brought to us by Erin Davis, an incredible Bible teacher, wife, mother and blogger. A weekend of moving worship led by Christy Freeman, coming to us from Minnesota. Throw in some fellowship time, coffee, food trucks, homemade cinnamon rolls and this is sure to be a weekend you do not want to miss! Go to our website for all the details and get registered today. Don't Miss it!

Youth Camp. Super Summer Camp is June 23-27, 2025, at Southwest Baptist University in Bolivar. This is a 5-day camp for students who have completed 6-12 grades. The cost is \$259 if the student is signed up by March 1 (includes lodging, meals, recreation, all activities, and camp shirt). Cost is \$279 if the student is signed up from March 1-June 1. No signups can be taken after June 1. Refunds are not guaranteed for cancellations after June 1. An offering will be taken on YOUTH SUNDAY, May 4 to help offset the cost. If you have questions, you can contact Mike (mfitzgerald@kearneyfbc.com).

Youth Mission Trip. This year's mission trip will be July 13-18 in St. Louis. We will be working with children and their families. The cost is \$240. Signup is due by June 8. Refunds are not guaranteed for cancellations after June 8. An offering will be taken on YOUTH SUNDAY, May 4 to help offset the cost. If you would like more information, you can contact Mike (mfitzgerald@kearneyfbc.com).

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.

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

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."

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*.