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Church means a lot of different things to people. We see *church* as *family*. We often refer to ourselves as a church family. We want you to know that regardless of your background, your history, what you've been through or what you've done, you're welcome here and we're glad you're here. We believe what we focus on here is for everyone. God has shared His love and His story through His Word, what we refer to as the Bible. So, in worship, that's the centerpiece about which we speak. We believe the Bible offers answers to the questions and challenges we face each day. Most importantly, we believe the Bible shares how we can experience forgiveness and know God for all eternity.

I hope you'll fill out a Connection Card so we can stay in touch. Thanks again for being here!

Pastor Ken

THIS WEEK: FEBRUARY 1 - FEBRUARY 7

SUNDAY

Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am, 10:30am
Sunday School... 9:15am, 10:30am
Pickleball... 4:00-5:30pm
School Interest Meeting... 5:00pm

MONDAY

Staff Meeting... 8:30am
Upward Practice... 5:00-9:00pm
Celebrate Recovery... 6:00-8:00pm

TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study... 9:30-10:30am
Upward Practice... 5:00-9:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Operation Christmas Child Crafting... 3:00pm
Dinner... 4:45-5:45pm
Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm
Youth/AWANA... 6:00-7:30pm
Women's Bible Study... 6:30-7:30pm
Biblical Citizenship... 6:30-7:45pm
Choir Rehearsal... 6:30-7:30pm
Prayer Meeting... 6:35pm
Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 7:30pm

THURSDAY

Upward Practice... 5:00-9:00pm
Men's Bible Study... 6:30pm

FRIDAY

No Scheduled Activities

SATURDAY

Upward Games... 8:00am-5:00pm

KEARNEY
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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

First Baptist Church

MORNING WORSHIP
FEBRUARY 1, 2026

How Great Is The Greatness Of God

Baptist Faith and Message

Welcome

All Creatures Of Our God And King

Hymn Of Heaven - Adult Choir

***Behold Our God**

Prayer

Sermon
Dr. John Marshall

Praise To The Lord The Almighty

Scripture Reading

Closing Prayer - Larry Konneman

***(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 - *For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.*

Titus 2:11-14 (ESV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Condolences. Dr. Parker and Lori, along with the First Baptist Family, extend sincere Christian sympathy to friends and family in the loss of Trueman Ervin.

School Interest. Since our partnership with the Northland Christian School came to an end last year, some have expressed an interest in exploring the possibility of beginning a school. Obviously, we're only in the exploratory stage with this, so we would ask those of you who have an interest in this to **Join us Today from 5:00-6:00pm**. Everyone who would like to attend is welcome!

BIBLICAL CITIZENSHIP IN MODERN AMERICA CLASS. *It isn't about politics - it's about applying Biblical principles in our everyday lives.* If you're interested to learn how YOU can be a catalyst for restoring Biblical values in your community, please join us February 4 from 6:30-7:45pm in Room B10. For more information or to register visit the church website or contact Emilie Lunt. (emilieduncan@gmail.com, 417-793-1248)

Wednesday Dinner. February 4 - Chicken tenders, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, salad and dessert

Pastor's Book Club. Book Club with Dr. Parker, featuring Paula Romang book, *Thriving in the Barren Place*. Join us in the Fireside Lobby on February 9 at 6:30pm as we discuss her book. To get a book see Paula in the Fireside Lobby between services. Books are \$15.

The Direction of Kearney Kids. On February 15 directly following the third service, in the Activity Center, Kearney Kids is hosting a light lunch, and everyone is invited. Our Minister of Children, Abraham Leonard, will share his vision for our Children's Ministry, and it will be a sweet time. Make plans to join us!

STARS 511. Ladies, please join us on February 15 at 2:00 pm in the Activity Center for our STARS 511 Winter Event, Serving with Love! Learn about missionary families connected to our church, as well as some other ministries of our church, and how we can support them. Participate in easy craft projects for Operation Christmas Child. Plus enjoy tasty snacks, hot drinks, and time with friends! Please sign up to bring an appetizer/savory or sweet snack and to let us know you're coming at the Welcome Center or on church website.

New Together Fellowship. If you have been attending for the past year, a few months, or have just recently attended, we want to invite you to our *New Together Fellowship* Sunday, February 22 from 4:00-5:00pm in the Fireside Lobby. Our staff looks forward to the opportunity to get to know you a little better over dessert and coffee, as well as an opportunity for you to ask any questions that you may have. We hope to see you there!

Men's Fellowship Breakfast. Join us at The Falls on Saturday, February 14 at 7:30am. Come and enjoy a hearty breakfast fit for guys of all ages.

Winter Pickleball. Join us Sundays, until February 22 from 4:00-5:30pm in the Activity Center for some fun games of pickleball. All are invited. Bring your own pickleball paddle. Contact Richard Cawthon if you have questions. (816.805.4782)



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Contribution Statements. The 2025 contribution statements have been mailed out. Watch for yours to arrive in your mailbox soon.

2026 Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting. The SBC annual meeting is JUNE 7-10 in Orlando at the Orange County Convention Center. If you would like to serve as a messenger for First Baptist Church, please contact the church office by March 1.

Good News Club. We are looking for two volunteers to serve every Wednesday from February 18 to May 13. This is an awesome missional work of our church in one of our local Elementary Schools, and we want you to consider being a part of it. For more information or to volunteer, email our Minister of Children Abraham Leonard. (aleonard@kearneyfbc.com)

Operation Christmas Child. As our 2025 shoeboxes make their way to precious children through Samaritan's Purse, we are beginning to prepare for packing our 2026 shoeboxes! We are asking for donations of combs, washcloths and toothbrushes this month. Our goal is to pack 640 shoeboxes and we love to include each of these items in every shoebox. We would also appreciate donations of nail clippers and fingernail files for our older child boxes. Monetary donations for "OCC" are also much appreciated and will be used to purchase items needed for the shoeboxes. Donated items may be dropped off in the OCC tub in the storage room behind the elevator. Thanks for your support of this ministry!

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.

His Mission . . . Our Time. The renovation of the educational building is now 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. 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 about events at FBC and to watch Sunday sermons live on Facebook. We also have a group that is created for our church family to ask for or offer services that may be needed. We want to support our church family as much as possible. Please 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 accessing RightNow Media or have any questions about it, please 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 notify the church office. <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/KearneyFBC>.



Scan the QR code to visit our website (www.kearneyfbc.com) where you can find information about our church such as upcoming events and ministry opportunities, view past sermons and give an offering to the church. We are grateful to have you join us here at First Baptist Church Kearney.