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*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  
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**THIS WEEK: JULY 27 – AUGUST 2**

**SUNDAY**

Worship... 8:00am, 9:15am, 10:30am  
Sunday School... 9:15am, 10:30am  
Women's Bible Study (Discussion Night)... 5:30-6:30pm

**MONDAY**

Staff Meeting... 9:00am  
Celebrate Recovery... 6:00-8:00pm  
Griefshare... 6:00-8:00pm

**TUESDAY**

No Scheduled Activities

**WEDNESDAY**

Pastor's Bible Study... 6:00pm  
Band/Praise Team Rehearsals... 6:30pm

**THURSDAY**

Overcomer's, Lifebuilder's, and  
Multigenerational Class Party... 6:00pm

**FRIDAY**

No Scheduled Activities

**SATURDAY**

No Scheduled Activities



**MORNING WORSHIP**

**JULY 27, 2025**

*Let The Nations Be Glad*

Welcome

VBS Report

*Bless The Lord O My Soul (Psalm 103)*

*\*The Blood Of Jesus Speaks For Me*

Prayer

Sermon

Dr. Ken Parker, Senior Pastor

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

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 . . .*

July Scripture – Then Peter came up and said to him, "Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?" Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you seven times, but seventy-seven times.

Matthew 18:21-22 (ESV)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SACRED MARRIAGE CONFERENCE. REGISTER TODAY** for the *Sacred Marriage Conference* with best-selling author **Gary Thomas**—coming to **First Baptist Church-Kearney** on **Saturday, November 8!** Whether you're newlyweds or celebrating golden anniversaries, this is a wonderful opportunity to learn how your marriage can be a doorway to a closer walk with God. [www.KearneyFBC.com](http://www.KearneyFBC.com)

**Awana Volunteers Needed.** Are you looking for a place to serve? We have the perfect place for you! Awana is a program that helps children uncover the wonder of God's Word and hide it in their hearts. Awana is our Wednesday night program running from September 3 to May 13. We need volunteers to help lead games, read verses, and assist with small groups. Awana training will be held on August 6, from 5:30 to 8:00pm. Email or text Chloe Brownlee for more info. (Chloebella34@gmail.com or (405)432-8900,

**Summer Women's Bible Study.** Ladies! TODAY is our last optional Discussion Night of our Feast Bible Study! We will meet in Room 104 from 5:30pm - 6:30pm and discuss Week 4 - Week 6! Details are coming out on THE FEAST next week!!

**Promotion Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>** Do you have kids entering Kindergarten through 5th grade? We invite you to celebrate the growth of these young people at 9:00 am as they venture on to their next Sunday School class with a special time of food, fellowship, and more! Maybe your kids do not attend Sunday School. This is a perfect time to start! Your children will get the opportunity to meet their teacher and classmates while you hear a little bit from First Baptist Church Kearney's Minister of Children, Abraham Leonard. We hope you will join us and invite those around you! If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, feel free to email Abraham Leonard at [aleonard@kearneyfbc.com](mailto:aleonard@kearneyfbc.com).

**Senior Adult (OWLS), August 28<sup>th</sup>** We will depart at 9:30 am from FBC. We will tour the Vaile Mansion in Independence. The Mansion boasts 31 rooms, nine marble fireplaces, and a solid black walnut grand staircase. See the gorgeous historic home built in 1881. Dutch treat lunch after at HiBoy, a classic burger joint in Independence! Sign up with your \$10 payment in the church office by August 3.

**Our Condolences.** Dr. Parker and Lori, along with the First Family, extend sincere Christian sympathy to Craig Ruechel in the loss of his mother, Zoe Ruechel.

**Operation Christmas Child.** For the month of July, we would appreciate donations of t-shirts, dresses, skirts, shorts, socks, and underwear. Any other appropriate items may also be donated. Please pick up a calendar at the Welcome Center for all the items we're collecting. You can also visit [samaritanspurse.org](http://samaritanspurse.org) to learn more about Operation Christmas Child and to explore other suitable items for shoeboxes. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated and will be used to purchase shoebox items needed. Just note that your donation is for "OCC." You can also buy the necessary shoebox items from our OCC Amazon gift list. Scan the QR code below to be directed to the website where you can get a link to the Amazon gift list and the purchased items that will be shipped directly to the church. Thank you for supporting this ministry!

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**Churchwide Dinner, August 13<sup>th</sup>** You're invited to the Activity Center. This will replace the Pastor's Bible Study and Youth Group. Our staff will serve spaghetti and meatballs, chicken alfredo, and salad. *Please bring a dessert to share.* We will eat at 6:00 pm. You won't want to miss this sweet time of fellowship.

**Kearney Kids Event. Back To School Drive-in Movie.** Join us for a special time of fellowship, movie-watching, and fun! Kearney Kids is excited to host a free Drive-in Movie at the Falls on August 30 at 7:00pm, where we will watch the movie Paddington. The gate and free concessions will be open at 6:30pm We hope to see you there!

**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."

**Shelter KC.** 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 on 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 on volunteering ([pjohnsoncpm@gmail.com](mailto:pjohnsoncpm@gmail.com)).

**Online Sermons.** You can listen to "Stand Forever," a broadcast ministry of FBC Kearney, on Wilkins Radio, 1380 AM and 96.1 FM. Programs can also be accessed through computers and laptops, as well as iPhone and Android apps, Alexa, and podcast sites, including Apple, Google, Spotify, Amazon Music, Stitcher, 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 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> .

**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 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](#).

*Scan the QR code to go to our website ([www.kearneyfbc.com](http://www.kearneyfbc.com)) for more information about upcoming events and to sign up for Vacation Bible School, Sacred Marriage Conference, Kearney Kids Book Study, Women's Summer Bible Study, and to purchase items from Amazon for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes.*

