



First Baptist Church of Kingston

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November 12, 2025

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Hands of Mercy Food Drive

Our church is hosting a Food Drive for Hands of Mercy! Please see the atriums for a list of food items. You can drop off items in the upper or lower atrium bins during church office hours or when you're here at the church for worship. Thank you for helping us love on our neighbors in need!

Operation Christmas Child Collection Week

We will dedicate the OCC shoeboxes this Sunday, November 16 during AM Worship. Anyone who has made shoeboxes, but not yet turned them in, should bring them Sunday morning and place them at the altar. We will be collecting shoeboxes from all of Roane County from Monday, November 17 through Monday, November 24. To get the schedule, you can go to the Samaritan's Purse website or ask the church office.

Operation Christmas Child Processing Center Trip

We are taking a group from our church to work at the Boone, North Carolina processing center for Operation Christmas Child on Tuesday, December 2. We will be taking the church van and we have two places still available. If anyone is interested, please contact Don Davis. It will be an all day event. We will be working a 4 hour shift from 3-7 PM, then returning home that night. It is about a 3 1/2 hour drive.

Memorial Christmas Tree

We will establish a new Christmas tree this year, and we are asking our parishioners past and present to donate a picture no larger than 3 x 5 of their loved one for a memorial tree. These pictures will not be returned. They will be saved and used for future Christmases once they have been turned into us. They will be placed in a frame with their name on it and it will be hung on our new tree, which will be in the upper atrium. These pictures can be turned into the Church Office.

Adopt a Poinsettia

For \$10 you can adopt a poinsettia in memory, or in honor of, a family or individual this Christmas season! Poinsettias will arrive before the start of Advent to complete our church Christmas decorating. Please let the church office know whom you would like to memorialize or honor and we will make a slide with a list of these names.

Surviving The Holidays GriefShare

GriefShare's Surviving the Holidays is a specially designed event that helps individuals navigate the emotional challenges of the holiday season after the loss of a loved one. This program typically lasts two hours and includes a video presentation, group discussions, and a Survival Guide for participants to take home. There are two chances to attend: Monday, November 17 from 10 AM-12 PM with lunch provided or Tuesday, November 18 from 6 PM-8 PM with snacks provided. This program will be held here in room 204. Please sign-up in the Upper Atrium. There is no cost to attend.

Feed My Sheep Wednesday Night Meals

Our Wednesday Night Family Meal will resume in January.

Christmas Time Is Here

Join us for "Christmas Time Is Here" on December 14 at 11 AM and 6 PM in our Worship Center. This program consists of choir, ensemble, dancers, church and RCHC kids choir, and narration from Bro. Edsel West! It will be an amazing gathering as we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ! There will be a Churchwide Dessert Fellowship in our Family Life Center following the 6 PM program.

Calendar :

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

9:00 AM Women's Exercise (FLC)
5:45 PM Youth Bible Study (309)
6:00 PM Kids Praise/Iron Arrows (118)
6:00 PM Prayer & Bible Study (WC)
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (CS)

Thursday, November 13, 2025

10:00 AM Young Families Recreation (FLC)
5:00 PM Prayer Gathering (WC)

Friday, November 14, 2025

9:00 AM Women's Exercise (FLC)

Saturday, November 15, 2025

Sunday, November 16, 2025

9:45 AM Core Groups
11:00 AM Children's Worship (118)
11:00 AM Morning Worship (WC)
12:00 PM Thanksgiving Banquet (FLC)
6:00 PM D-Nights
6:00 PM Iron Arrows (118)
6:00 PM Youth Bible Study (309)
7:00 PM Christmas Choir Rehearsal (CS)

Monday, November 17, 2025

9:00 AM Women's Exercise (FLC)
10:00 AM Holidays GriefShare (204)
1:30 PM Alzheimer's Support (208)

Tuesday, November 18, 2025

5:30 PM Celebrate Recovery (137)
6:00 PM Holidays GriefShare (204)

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

9:00 AM Women's Exercise (FLC)
5:00 PM Library Book Club (LIB)
5:45 PM Youth Bible Study (309)
6:00 PM Kids Praise/Iron Arrows (118)
6:00 PM Prayer & Bible Study (WC)
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (CS)

WC—Worship Center / CS—Choir Suite

LA—Lower Atrium / UA—Upper Atrium

OS—Off Site / FLC—Family Life Center

LIB—Library / PL—FBC Parking Lot

Members/Groups

Jimmy Bell
Joy Billings
Ron & Karen Bleeker
Louise Brabham
Lisa Bryant
Jerry & Judy Duncan
Jimmy Dutton
Olive Gaines
Carolyn Granger
Shirley Keith
Carol Nall**
Walt & Norma Patterson
George & Shari Pickel
Paul Rogers
Gary & Nancy Scalf
Sue Scherf
Lee & Lennie Stansbury
Jerry Stephens
Heather Trzos
George Wadlington

* New Member

** Sympathy

Loved Ones

November 2025

Bob Brodbeck

Carol Ann Kendrick's sister, Marci Howard

John Reynold's mother

Active Military

Allen Barnett
Kellen Blythe
Brian Gureck
William "Bill" Gureck
Chris Harmon
Evan McCroskey
Lauren McCroskey
Justin McCroskey
Laina McCroskey
Seth Pace
Austin Patterson
Steve Stansbury
Jason Tapp

Extended Care

Jamestowne

Ruth Byrd
Amelia Chambers
Janet Harp
Nancy Parrish
Harold Underwood

Sycamore Trace

Patsy Calloway
Carol Ferguson
John Patton

Signature Health Care

Charlie & Edna Thurman

The Kempton - Hermitage, TN

Janie DeBord

Spring City Care and Rehabilitation

Marguerite Money

Missionaries

Nicholas Buford
JB, MP, BC, VS
KC, AR, MW, DL, LS
Kevin Darnell
Larry Clement
Ann Lopez
Edwin Pinkston
Larry Pumpelly
Rose Mary Register
Margaret Waldrop
Jean Paul Murwanashyaka
Bingwa Alimasi
Aslam Masih
Jhorman Rivera
Bradley Balfour
Sarah Howard
Hellen Jenkins
*Winters Family

*Church members or family/friends
affiliated with FBC Kingston