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THIS WEEK: SEPTEMBER 9-15

TODAY

Serving at KCRM

Early Worship 8:15am

Sunday School 9:30am

Morning Worship 10:45am

MONDAY

Staff Meeting 10:00am

Lydia's Sew-ers 7:00pm

TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study 6:00pm

(Miller's Home)

Committee Meetings 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Happy Birthday Ethan Fleischer!

Wednesday Dinner 5:15-6:00pm

Preschool Choir 5:45-6:20pm

Children's Choir 5:45-6:20pm

Pastor's Bible Study 6:00pm

GriefShare 6:30pm

Uth Group 6:30-8:00pm

AWANA 6:30pm-8:00pm

Human Trafficking 101 6:40-7:50pm

(meeting at The Falls)

Men's Bible Study 8:00pm

THURSDAY

Volunteers 1:00pm

FRIDAY

Smith/Stark Rehearsal 5:00pm

SATURDAY

Smith/Stark Wedding 3:00pm

Week of September 2

Sunday School Attendance: 321

Worship Attendance: 509

Tithes/Offering Received: \$20,193.38

His Mission...Our Time: \$3,355.00

Volunteers are needed for AWANA this fall. We still have need for individuals to listen to the children recite their verses. Contact Teresa Keeler if interested (tkeeler@kearneyfbc.com)

OWLS -join us Thursday, September 20 at 7:00am to tour the Bridges of Madison County (\$10 tour fee). We will stop for breakfast on the way and a dutch treat lunch at Northside Café. Please sign up at the Welcome Center by September 9.



Baby Shower Brunch for Hannah Ryczek
Saturday, September 22 at 10:00am
in the FBC Activity Center
Baby Ryczek is registered at
Target and Buy Buy Baby
RSVP to klamanske@kc.rr.com

Dear First Baptist Family,
Thank you so much for your prayers and your donation to my summer 2018 spent in Alabama. This summer truly changed my life and my walk with Christ. I got to witness God do big things in the lives of the people around me and in my own life. I gained leadership skills, discipline in my relationship with Christ, and a heart for the world. I'm so thankful for ya'lls love and support. God is good! I'm so excited to be back on Mizzou's campus to be a light for Christ and to live with the confidence of Romans 8:28.
Love, Jennifer Cates

Staff on Call this Week: Don Hamlin 816.628.4674
Deacon for the Week: David Messersmith 816.217.2445
Wednesday Dinner Menu: Beef/Cheese Ravioli, Salad, Garlic Bread, and Dessert

September 9 Nursery Workers:
8:15am combined: Angela Beasley
10:45am service
Bed Babies: Angela Patterson, Gina Branizor, and Macy Higgins
1 Year Room: Rebekah Ryczek
2 & 3 Room: Kasey Watson, Kayley Fegan, and Avery McNutt

September 16 Nursery Workers:
8:15am combined: Angela Beasley
10:45am service
Bed Babies: Angela Patterson, Shelby Fegan, and Aggie Edwards
1 Year Room: Rebekah Ryczek
2 & 3 Room: Kasey Watson, Jennifer Kidd, and Kynera Wolpert

Our Operation Christmas Child crafting group is collecting grosgrain ribbon (5/8" wide), old colorful t-shirts and large unlabeled prescription pill bottles to be used for projects we are working on to add to our shoeboxes this year. These items can be left in the church office as well. Thank you!

Pastor's Book Club- September 17th at 6:30pm. Join Pastor Ken in the Fireside Lobby for an evening of great coffee and thoughtful conversation over the book, *Mere Hope* by Jason G. Duesing. In the book, Jason poses the question How are Christians to live in such difficult times? Rather than reflecting resigned despair or distracted indifference, the author argues our lives ought to be shaped by the gospel of Jesus- a gospel of hope. There are still a few books available at the Welcome Center for \$10.00.

Annual Fish Fry - September 16 at 5:00pm
Join us in the Activity Center for fried fish, coleslaw and all the fixins'. Bring 2 side dishes to share and our hospitality team will do the rest! Don't miss the food, fun, and fellowship!

Save the Date - Church Wide Picnic
October 7 from 4:00-6:00pm at The Falls. Details in next week's bulletin.

A warm welcome to our newest First Family member, Seth Thomas. We are so excited for his decision to follow Jesus in Believer's Baptism. If you haven't already had the opportunity, introduce yourself to our newest member.

Dr. Parker and Lori, along with the First Baptist Family, extend sincere Christian sympathy to George and Joy Stegner in the loss of their newborn grandson, Gideon Stegner.

September Scripture~
Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen. 1 Peter 5:6-11