

## What's Happening At FBC

### Radio & TV Ministry

Take advantage of our message every Sunday morning from 9:20 am to 10:00 am on KNZA 103.9.

You may also watch The Family Life Center on Rainbow channel 68. Please check their website for listing times.

The Radio Ministry is not funded through the church budget. If you would like to keep this ministry on the air make your donation to the Radio

Ministry. Your support to these ministries provides another way to reach our community for Christ.

### Business Meeting Reports

1st Quarter Business Meeting will be April 8th. Officers please have your reports to the office by Thursday, April 5th. We will have a covered dish lunch directly following worship service. Please bring your covered dish to share and enjoy this fellowship time, business meeting to follow.

### FBC Scholarship

FBC is offering a scholarship to students enrolling in a recognized post secondary education institution. If you are interested please pick up a application and eligibility requirements at the welcome center. Deadline is May 6th by 12 pm to the church office.

### Care Center Ministry

You're invited to be a part of our worship with the residents of Maple Heights. This month we will be ministering on **April 15th**. Contact any Deacon for more information.

#### Awana:

4/4/2018 Food Pantry Night  
4/11/2018 Crazy Hat and Hair Night  
4/25/2018 Awana Store and Closing Program

### Men's Fight Club

April 14th at 7:30 a.m. at FBC

**LEAD PASTOR**  
Blake Wyatt

**YOUTH PASTOR**  
Ryan Van Peurseem

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
Sonja Ward

**TREASURER**  
Emily Chandler

**CUSTODIANS**  
Bonnie Marable  
Dexter Campbell

**SUNDAY HOURS**  
On The Grow 9:15 am  
Worship Celebration 10:30 am

**E-MAIL ADDRESS**  
admin@fbchiawtha.org

**WEB SITE**  
www.fbchiawatha.org

**WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES**  
AWANA 4:00-5:30 pm  
(Sept-May)

Middle School The Light  
5:45 pm-6:45 pm  
High School The Light  
7:00 pm-8:00 pm

**BUILDING HOURS**  
Mon-Fri  
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

**WALKING TRACK HOURS**  
Mon-Fri 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

**FOOD PANTRY HOURS**  
Tuesday 9:00 am to 12:30 pm  
Thursday 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

## Ministry Activities

### Greeters

April 1—Heather Wyatt & Melinda Oberhelman  
 April 8-Ryan & Kelle Meininger  
 April 15—Pete & Julie Rosa'  
 April 22-Jim & Diane Ward  
 April 29-Steve & Jeanette Ward

### Welcome Center

April 1-Cindy Moorhous  
 April 8-Sam Noble  
 April 15-Cindy Moorhous  
 April 22-Sam Noble  
 April 29-Cindy Moorhous

### Kidz of the Light Children's Church Kindergarten through 4th grade

April 1-Keith & Jennifer Erdley  
 April 8-Communion  
 April 15-Meryl & Staci Charles  
 April 22-Emily Chandler  
 April 29-Brenda Thonen

### Candle Lighters for April

Konner & Shayna Chandler

### Deaconess of the Month

April-Dee Winter

### Deacons of the Week

April 1-Vince Ploeger  
 April 8-Pete Rosa'  
 April 15-Jason Dvorak  
 April 22-Stan Thornton  
 April 29-Keith Erdley

### April-Shut-In Communion

Stan Thornton & Keith Erdley

### April Nursing Home Worship

Jerry Clary & Pete Rosa'

### Van Drivers

April 1-Jim Ward & Carl Reid  
 April 8-Barry Schuetz & Carl Reid  
 April 15-Eric Clary & Carl Reid  
 April 22-Sam Noble & Carl Reid  
 April 29-Chuck Olson & Carl Reid

## April Birthdays

Heather Wyatt	1
Kelle Meininger	2
Karen Greer	3
Jason Dvorak	6
Mike Williams	8
Dee Winter	8
Lexi Feldkamp	11
Roy Elliott	12
Shannon Korthanke	15
John Zimmers	16
Brenna Ward	19
Olivia Corbett	23
Diane Ward	23
Macey Ward	28
Bonnie Marble	30

## April Anniversaries

Ryan & Angie Feldkamp	3
Brandon & Ashley Lowe	28

**We want to celebrate you!**  
**If we miss a birthday or anniversary,**  
**it probably means we don't have it on**  
**record! Please submit those to the**  
**church office.**

## Opportunities For Prayer

### Health Concerns

Helen Gilfillan, Anna Tennial; Clayton & Jo Tennial's daughter, Retta Puvogel, Lee Reimer, Charles Warren, May Luster, Delia McNulty, Connie Bent & Mary Elsbury.

### Strength & Encouragement

Fonda Lafrenz, Shirley Krebs, Clair Krebs & Christians in our country & around the world to be bold in their faith.

### College Students

If your college student has a address change please contact the church office with the new information.

Jamie Asbury: living at home and going to Highland College

Brenden Bigham: 1829 College Heights Rd. Apt. 211, Manhattan, Kansas 66502

Baxter & Morgan Defore: 606 Cheyenne Hiawatha, Kansas 66434

Katie Rosa': 318 Marlatt Hall 1855 Claflin Road, Manhattan, Kansas 66506

Jada Rosa': Baylor University 1 Bear Place #83840 Waco, Texas 76798-3840

Jakob Thonen: living at home and going to Highland College

Kyle Tollefson: c/o Beta Sigma Psi 1200 Centennial Dr. Manhattan, Kansas 66502

David Vandiver: 226 W 12th Apt 2, Hays, Kansas 67601

Macey Ward: living at home going to Highland College

Anna Wyatt: 1701 E. Cotati Ave #3095 Rohnert Park, California 94928

Raven Zimmers: 606 West Main Highland, Kansas 66035

### Nursing Home Residents

**Maple Heights:** May Luster, Rm. 203  
**Vintage Park:** Jean Armstrong, Rm. 13

**Mary Circle**

Mary Circle’s meeting will be Monday, April 16th at Mary Finley’s home. Hostess: Mary Finley  
 Bible Book: Jeremiah Program: Elect Officers and plan for 2018-2019.

We are still collecting “**Best Choice**” labels. The collection box is located in the kitchen or give **Best Choice** labels to Janice Elliott. Thank you.

Mary Circle needs help with providing meals. If you can volunteer for a meal, call the church office @742-3423. Please call the church office if you need a meal or if you know of someone from our church who might need a meal.

If you are interested in receiving the prayer chain by e-mail please contact Janice Elliott at 742-2550.

**Nursery Ministry**

Sunday Morning 10:15-12:00  
 Newborn thru Preschool

**April 1**

Paige Campbell	Toddler Room
Emily Chandler	Toddler Room
Brenna Ward	Infant Room
Jeanette Ward	Infant Room

**April 8**

Ava Zimmers	Toddler Room
Austin Heiniger	Toddler Room
Karin Moorhous	Infant Room
Kendall Heiniger	Infant Room

**April 15**

Jocelyn Dvorak	Toddler Room
Jason Dvorak	Toddler Room
Taylor Dvorak	Infant Room
Nancy Dvorak	Infant Room

**April 22**

Peter Campbell	Toddler Room
Angela Compton	Toddler Room
Sheridan Jones	Infant Room
	Infant Room

**April 29**

Kyli Feldkamp	Toddler Room
Christie Coleman	Toddler Room
Lexi Feldkamp	Infant Room
Emily Chandler	Infant Room

**Kidz of the Light**

**Children’s Church is for children Kindergarten through 4th grade and they are dismissed just before Pastor speaks. This is every Sunday except for the 1st Sunday of the month, which is Communion Sunday. There are Children Bulletins and colored pencils on the welcome table Communion Sunday.**

# LIFE GROUP SCHEDULE

Wednesday

10:00 am Julie Rosa', at the Family Life Center, Women's Prayer Group

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday Schools are now in full swing for ages Preschool through High School.

Grades 1—5—Kathy Kliever

Grades 6—12— Ryan Van Peurse

## From The Desk Of Pastor B

Happy April Everyone!!

God has been up to some great things here over the last month and I wanted to make sure that all of you have a better understanding of where we are going and who we are growing to be as a church. What follows is a recap of our Mission, Vision, Process, Strategy, Values, and Beliefs. Please take the time to review these and allow them to begin to sink down into your soul as we work together to fulfill the Mission Christ has set before us. Let me start by reminding you that...

**Healthy things grow...growing things change...change challenges us...these challenges force us to trust in God...trusting God leads to obedience...obedience makes us healthy...and healthy things grow...**

Happy reading!!

In Christ,  
Blake

### OUR MISSION:

**Matthew 28:18-20**

Jesus came and told his disciples, "I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and **make disciples** of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

### OUR VISION:

...to **LOVE** people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

### OUR PROCESS:

To create environments where individuals are encouraged and equipped to continually

...**GROW** in their love for one another.

...**PURSUE** intimacy with God.

...**SERVE** one another with their resources and talents.

### OUR STRATEGY:

To provide

...Relevant and Practical **TEACHING**

...Training in Personal **DISCIPLINES**

...Areas for Individual **SERVICE**

...Opportunities for Authentic **COMMUNITY**

...Understanding for Life's **CIRCUMSTANCES**

### WHAT WE VALUE:

**Biblical Authority** — We Believe God speaks to us through the Scriptures and all scripture is useful for teaching and correction. We also believe that Jesus was given all authority, in heaven and on earth, therefore, Jesus Christ is our ultimate authority.

**Intimacy with God** — We believe God desires an intimate relationship with every person. Through prayer, meditation, worship, and Bible study, we can pursue and achieve intimacy with the Father.

**Relevant Environments** — We believe our role is to create environments that are conducive to the work of the Holy Spirit in the hearts of people. A relevant environment combined with practical teaching provides opportunities for intimacy with God and growth in individuals.

**Relational Evangelism** — We believe that all followers have the responsibility of carrying out the great commission in their sphere of influence.

**Authentic Community** — We believe a sense of belonging, personal accountability, and individual care are critical to balance and progress in our spiritual journey. These three things are best achieved within the context of a small group of relationally-connected people.

**Strategic Service** — As gifted members of the body of Christ, each individual is responsible for exercising his or her gifts in tandem with other members of the body. Maximum impact is contingent upon a coordinated, strategic exercise of gifts in the body.

**Intentional Replication** — We believe that every follower is responsible for passing along to others the knowledge, skills, and opportunities for service that God, through others, entrusted to them. This helps to ensure Followers of Christ are developing Followers of Christ.

**WHAT WE BELIEVE:**

**In Essential Beliefs — We Have Unity  
In Non-Essential Beliefs — We Have Liberty  
In All Our Beliefs — We Show Love**

**Our Essentials:**

**About the Scriptures** — We believe the entire Bible is the inspired Word of God and that individuals were moved by the Spirit of God to write the very words of Scripture. Therefore, we believe the Bible is without error.

**About God** — We believe in one God who exists in three distinct persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We believe that Jesus Christ (the Son of God) became flesh to reveal God to humanity and to become the Savior of the lost world.

**About Humanity** — We believe that all people were created in the image of God to have fellowship with Him but became alienated in that relationship through sinful disobedience. As a result, people are incapable of regaining a right relationship with God through their own efforts.

**About Salvation** — We believe that the blood of Jesus Christ, shed on the cross, provides the sole basis for the forgiveness of sin. Therefore, God freely offers salvation to those who place their faith in the death and resurrection of Christ as sufficient payment for their sin.

**About Eternity** — People were created to exist forever. We will either exist eternally separated from God by sin, or eternally with God through forgiveness and salvation. To be eternally separated from God is Hell. To be eternally in union with God is eternal life in Heaven. Heaven and Hell are real places of eternal existence.

**About Following Jesus** — We believe all followers of Jesus should live for Christ and not for themselves. By pursuing intimacy with God, growing in their love of one another, and serving one another in love, every follower will continue to grow in their obedience to Jesus' commands and in their daily surrender to the Spirit of God. Because of this, followers will, in turn, help others to follow Jesus.

**About Baptism** — We believe water baptism in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is an outward sign of an inward work and is a natural step toward a growing intimacy with God. Christ modeled this behavior and we desire to follow His example.

**About Communion** — We believe in sharing of the bread and the cup of communion is a remembrance of the Lord's death, burial, and resurrection. We celebrate an open communion for all people and encourage you to seek Christ to fully understand its importance.

**About Christ's Church** — We believe that the church is the body of Christ, of which Jesus Christ is the head. Those committed to Christ and His church have trusted by faith the finished work of Jesus' death and resurrection. The purpose of the church is to glorify God by loving Him and by making Him known to the lost world.