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The Voice

July 15, 2025



I praise God for each of you and the day of worship we had together this past Sunday. What a joy and privilege it has been to study and prepare weekly for each of the "I Am" statements made by our Lord. Jesus, in making the statement "I Am the Light of the World" gave a command or call to "follow." To "follow" means to believe on Him - to trust Him. The results for those who trust and follow Him are life and light. To those who reject, those who are walking in spiritual darkness, may we pray that God might open their blind eyes to see the gloriousness of His love and grace.

This Sunday, we will continue our journey through the Gospel of John as we will be in the 10th chapter looking at Jesus' self-revelation through two "I AM" statements. The two statements are very closely related. The first being, I Am the Door in verses 1-10 followed immediately by I Am the Good Shepherd in verses 11-21. Let's pray that as we study these passages in the coming weeks, we too listen carefully

and follow the voice of our Shepherd.

Sunday will also be a special day in that we will be conducting a Parent-Child Dedication service as part of our worship time together. What a special day in the life of these families as well as our church family. This special time of commitment is a time whereby we acknowledge that our children are a gift from God and that we are responsible to God for their Christian nurture. I know you will be praying for these families as they make these commitments and as we endeavor to come alongside each of them in love, support and encouragement.

Lastly, even now as I am writing these words, children and adult leaders are arriving here at FBC Benton in preparation to depart for Centri-Kid camp in Linden, TN. Church family, thank you for your ongoing prayers and support of our kids going to camp. Please continue to lift them in prayer throughout the week. Pray for safety in travel and activities. Pray for hearts to be soft and attentive to worship. Pray for God's Word to penetrate their hearts and minds. Pray for salvation and surrender. Pray for God's will to be accomplished in camp this week!

I am so looking forward to our time together Sunday!

In Christ,
Bro. Todd

MUSIC MINISTRY



“Well of course! I’ll join the choir!”

Celebrate God!
Sing together.....everyone!
All you hearts, raise the roof!
Psalm 32:11

Join us for Choir!
Wednesdays / 6:15pm

Hope you have a great week!
Stuart





UPCOMING EVENTS:

July 14th - 18th - CentriKid Camp

July 20th - Parent & Child Dedication

July 24th - Water Games - ages 3 years old - 5th grade - 6:30 @ the pavilion.

Have a great week!

Margaret Siress



*Bible study and fellowship
in the activities building 6:00 - 7:30 PM
July 28th*





NURSERY SCHEDULE

July 20th - Renea Locker, Dara Smith,
Wendy Rose (**Worship**), Patsy Doom (**SS**)

July 27th - Lori McGregor, Kim Sharp, Heather Yates
(**Worship**), Elizabeth Garrett (**SS**)

Aug. 3rd - Kathy McCurry, Karen McKean,
Amy Northcott (**Worship**), Wendy Goheen (**SS**)



CAMERA ROOM MONITORS

SUNDAYS 9:00 - 10:00 AM

July 20th - Clayton Crouse

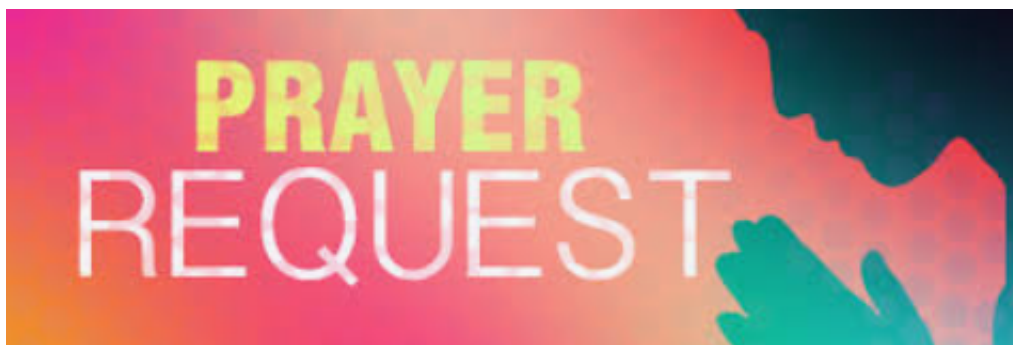
July 27th - Paul & Karen McKean

Aug. 3rd - Andy Lepisto



<u>DATE</u>	<u>AUDIO & VIDEO</u>
July 20 th	Paul Kornbacher/Miranda Mathis
July 27 th	Jeff Siress/Keagan Owens
Aug. 3 rd	Billy & Terri Thorpe

<u>WELCOME CENTER MONITOR</u>		
	<u>Worship</u>	<u>Sunday School</u>
July 20 th	Ron Welch	David Puckett
July 27 th	Tim Yates	Gabe Bryant
Aug. 3 rd	Gary Brown	Kent Rudd



CHURCH FAMILY

Don Frizzell
Dusty Kornbacher
Margie Greer
David Borders
Ann Riley
Dale Southerd
Margie Greer
Kia Crouse
Ronnie Powell
Grayson Watkins (Kevin & Meagan's son)
Wendy Rose
Tristen Prange
Tommy & Brooks Meyer
Stafford Bryant
Doug Galyen
Edna Riley
Cheryl McCuiston
Teddy & Barbara Kinsey
Barb Travis
Karen Brown

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Dustin Babb (Marisa's nephew, battling cancer)
Sandra Rowley (Margaret Siress' Aunt)
Dennis Southerd (Dale & Judys grandson)
Mitch Mathis (family friend of Joe Jackson, from
Gilbertsville, has stage 4 liver cancer)
Duward Johnson (Pam Terry's father)
Tony Hercula (Dana Marsteller's father)
Faylynn Siress (Jeff Siress's mother)
Jane Willie (Kevin Willie's mother)
Aaron & Nathaniel Peters

(Shayna Johnson's father & grandfather)
John Tapp (Margaret Siress' father)
Eddy Wild (Friend of Sherry Adams)
Shelby Hega (Mother of Awana child)
Ed & Jane Alton (Kim Henry's mother & father)
Mark Smith (Brandi & Bridget's father)
Dorothy Ryba (Karen Brown's mother)

If you have requested a **"Friend or Family"** be listed on the prayer request list, **please call the church office to give us an update on your individual request.**

DEAF MINISTRY

Kevin, Jessica Cartwright & Family
15213 W. 121st Terrace, Olathe, KS 66062

IMB MISSIONARIES, SE ASIA

Maggie & Trevor Grant
(Martha Lewis's granddaughter & husband)
3806 Monument Ave., Richmond, VA 23230

NORTH AMERICAN MISSION BOARD

Eric & Brittany Gibbs (Kaitlin Penn's brother)
767 N. Castledale Ave., Casa Grande, AZ 85194

****All our Missionaries that are in the States and abroad****

If you have a "Prayer Request" that you would like added to **The Voice** please call the church office (270-527-7575)
or email fbc@bentonfbc.org



CHURCH NEWS

Business meeting and church-wide fellowship.

July 27th at 6:00pm we will have our business meeting. Following will be ice cream & cookies for a time of fellowship.



PARENT & CHILD DEDICATION

July 20th - Contact the church office, or Margaret if you would like your child to participate.





*To our First Baptist family,
Thank you so much for the love and support
in the passing of Tim's mother and our sweet nana.
We rest easy knowing her mind and body is healed,
and she is with our heavenly Father. We will miss
her dearly, but comforted by what we know and
that she is in Heaven.*

Thanks again, Tim Yates family



*Thank you so much for the food you brought to the
funeral home and for all your calls, texts, cards, and
prayers during the passing of our mother. She had a
wonderful church family and loved each of you very
much. She was so sad when her health declined to the
point where she couldn't come to church. She missed
her Sunday school class especially. Please continue to
remember us in your prayers.*

Teff & Karen Jones



JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Chase Hill, Bro. Todd Henson, Miranda Mathis
- 2 Linda Tolbert
- 4 Teresa English
- 7 Sherri Riley
- 8 Debbie Beck
- 9 Paul Robinson, Dara Smith, Donnie Young
- 11 Saylor Bryant
- 12 Maryde Fullington, Betty Patterson, Mark Allen
- 13 David Maddox
- 14 Mary Jo Sprouse, Paxton Gipson, Payton Gipson
- 17 Hope Cartwright, Sheila Crowley, Vicki Wynn,
Judy York
- 18 Grayson Jackson
- 19 Edna Riley, Macey Goins, Kevin Jackson,
Mark Peel, Kelly Lane, Owen Mathis
- 20 Doug Wynn
- 21 Joe Dodd, Kelsey Sallee
- 22 Gary Travis
- 24 Ann Riley, Jon Noles, Kaitlin Penn

25 Carolyn Borders, Dixie Mecke
 27 Debbie Heuer, Finley Owens, Bridget Smith
 28 Shelby Spencer, Kinleigh Greer, Ellie Prince
 29 Chase Cary, Coye McCurry
 31 Brock Etheridge, Steve Mathis

JULY ANNIVERSARIES

5 Kevin & Tammy Willie
 6 Ted & Barbara Kinsey, Mark & Kim Peel
 17 Brian & Darla Doss
 19 Jarrett & Stacey Malone
 23 Dale & Judy Southerd
 31 Jody & Wendy Rose, Jim & Karen Postma



Check your calendar weekly for updates and cancellations.

Available to print

July 2025						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	2	3 OFFICE CLOSED	4 HAPPY 4 TH OF JULY 	5
6 WORSHIP 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM	7	8 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	9 Kids & Youth swim night Benton City Pool 5:30-7:30pm Choir practice 6:15 PM	10	11	12
13 WORSHIP 9:00 AM Camp send off SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM	14 CENTRIKID CAMP All week FINANCE MTG. 6:00pm	15 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	16 Choir practice 6:15 PM	17 LIFEWISE MTG. IN CLASSROOM 12:2:00PM	18	19
20 WORSHIP 9:00 AM BABY DEDICATION SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM DEACONS MTG. 6:00PM	21	22 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	23 Choir practice 6:15 PM	24	25	26
27 WORSHIP 9:00 AM LORDS SUPPER SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM BUSINESS MTG. & FELLOWSHIP 6:00PM	28 LADIES FELLOWSHIP 6:00pm	29 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	30 Choir practice 6:15 PM	31		



August 2025						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 WORSHIP 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM	4 SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER MEETING 6:00PM PIZZA & DRINKS	5 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	6 Choir practice 6:15 PM	7	8	9
10 PROMOTION SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:00 AM BACK TO SCHOOL BLESSING - PRE-COLLEGE SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM	11 FINANCE MTG. 6:00PM	12 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	13 Choir practice 6:15 PM	14	15	16
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24 WORSHIP 9:00 AM LORDS SUPPER SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM	25	26 Mens Prayer time 6:00pm	27 Choir practice 6:15 PM	28	29	30
31 WORSHIP 9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:15 AM						

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

07/13/25 9:00 AM = 217



Budget Offering 07/13/2025	\$14,996.00
Given to Date	\$331,821.11
Budget needs to Date	\$335,552.54
Designated Offering	\$1,307.00

Building Fund 07/13/2025	\$290.00
Building Fund This Year	\$2,315.00
Lottie Moon	\$6,838.00
Raymond James/Endowment Fund	\$67,173.75

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will come out to you (270) 527-7575.



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