

SERMON NOTES

Next week’s Message

“To Make Christ Known ” Matthew 28: 18-20

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

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MINISTRY OF PRAYER
CHURCH FAMILY

Jordan Potter Chastity O’Neal Mae Cooper Karen Lawrence
Jeff Schwinn Oscar Bronson Del Thatch Bill & Jan Bowman
Gerald Swearingen Wayne Dingman Russ Bennett
Maksim Bary Althea VanDeMark Gary Melton

EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY

Kevin Sheat, pastor @ Grace Place Baptist Church
Russ Clapper, brother of Tanya Potter
Bruce Belline, friend of Tom Main Jeannie Koehn, mother of Mike Koehn
Becky Saddler, sister of Barb Gaines Tyler Sportsman, son of Sheila & Gary Stevens
Suzanne Hill, wife of Drew Hill Irene Vancil, mother of Pam Manitz
Susan Ball, sister of Oscar Bronson & Anna Voorhees
Christina Perkins, daughter of Oscar Bronson
Ryan Danley, brother of Jimetta Thomas Karen Mosher, cousin of Stephanie Siebert
Becky Purkey, daughter of Anna & LeeRoy Voorhees
Lisa Mitchem, friend of Jolene LeeMasters
Melissa Shields niece & Bill Burkhardt, brother in law of David Thrasher
Robbie Williams, friend of Dwight Sprouls Jerry Bunn, friend of Dick & Linda Pope
Brenda McKay, sister of Chris Sheat Tina Walker, sister of Cindi Sprouls
Wanda Hudson, sister of Denzil Voorhees
Janelle Vice, daughter/in/law of Harvey Vice
Josh Blanchard, cousin of Leena Harris
Brett Campbell, friend of Belinda & Dayne Shoff

MILITARY/1st RESPONDER PERSONNEL

Bryce Greer, Air Force, Washington State, nephew of Chris & Dana Sheat
Major Thomas Rossiter, Pentagon, Washington D.C. grandson of Sue Hobson
Amanda Dunford, Navy, VA, family of Russ & Rita Bennett
Brian Jenkins, Army, Germany, nephew of Jerald Lehman
Taylor Sheat, National Guard, nephew of Chris Sheat
Rene Gamache-Army, husband of Jerica (Stahl) Gamache
Richard Jones - Army-Washington, son of Linda Jones
Mark Jones –Navy– Texas, son of Linda Jones
Nathan Davis-National Guard, husband of Sarah Davis

MISSION OUTREACH

Pastoral Staff Lamar’s Unchurched Issues in Israel / Haiti / Ukraine
(Prayer requests will be left in Bulletin for 3 weeks unless updated)

First
Baptist
Church

Connect, Grow
Serve, Go

October 26, 2025

Prelude O.C.C Video

Welcome/Announcements Chris Roth

“Saved My Soul”

Call to Worship “1 Corinthians 13:12” Bryan Robertson

Invocation Prayer Bryan Robertson

“He Keeps Me Singing”
(Hymn # 425)

Children’s Presentation Pastor Robb
(Children ages 2-8 are dismissed to Children’s Church)

“Knowing You”

Offertory Prayer Dwight Sprouls

Worship Through Giving
Offertory/Message In Song Praise Team
“All Because Of Mercy”

Message “To Know Christ” Pastor Robb
Philippians 3:7-11
(page 1163 in pew Bible)

Response to message “Cornerstone”

Closing Prayer Tanner Phipps

Upcoming Meetings

TODAY~Deacon's Meeting 4:00 pm

FBC'S

TRUNK OR TREAT

Thurs. Oct. 30th

5:30-7:30 pm-FLOC

Decorate a table or

Booth, dress up, pass

Out candy. FREE hotdogs, chips, water.

Candy Donations appreciated!



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Thank You, church family for generously donating items for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. Our youth and children packed 100+ shoeboxes at their Operation Christmas Child Packing Parties in October.

Shoeboxes are available in the Gathering Area ready to be picked up and filled with wonderful gifts of love. Don't miss out on this opportunity to bless a child and share the love of God with children all around the world. **Please return your filled shoeboxes by next Sunday, November 2.**

National Collection Week is November 17-24, and we will again be a Drop-Off location. Volunteers are needed to help pack the shoeboxes that will be dropped off; watch for a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area.

Serving God together,
Operation Christmas Child at First Baptist Church Lamar

Meals-On-Wheels

Delivery Volunteers for

Tues. Oct. 28th

Karl & Laurie Morey

Rebecca Moore & Kasha McElroy

Jerry Houghton

Men's Ministry Breakfast

Sat. Nov. 1st 8:00 am

Speaker: Jerry Marti

FBC Fellowship Hall

All men & boys are welcome.



Our Deepest Sympathy to:



Charles Stanley & family in the

Passing of Carol Stanley

Jacob & Kenna Russell in the passing

of Glenna Russell

A "THANK YOU" note is on the
Bulletin board from
Carol Hartline



Deacon's Fall Retreat

Saturday, Nov. 8th 5:00 pm

Home of Larry Reed -84 N.W. 90th Lane, Lamar

Meal provided ~Inspirational Devotion: Bill Jetton

Please bring your lawn chair

R.A.K. Laundromat QUARTER Ministry
(Random Acts of Kindness)

Will be collecting Quarters to bless the
patrons at the Laundromat this
Holiday season.

A Collection Jar is in the Gathering Area.

Volunteers for Next Week-Nov. 2

Kingdom Kids-Nursery

Coordinator: Michelle Gaines

Workers: Jeanie Leavell ./ Carol Reavley

Greeters

NW Door: Barbara Phipps

SW Door: Anthony / Trisha Mize

SE Door : Mike / Jennifer O'Sullivan

Connection Center

Gina Reed

Audio/Visual

Sound: Todd King

Lights/Video: Logan Powell

Children's Church / Littles Church

Kelli Sheat Becca Chesnut

Deacons of the Month

Alan Ray / Harold VanDeMark

YAH December Outing Stones Throw Dinner Theater

"Christmas Belles" Play & Meal

Thurs. Dec. 4th @ 6:00 pm

Carthage, Mo.

Tickets: \$30.00 per person

Deadline to sign up Nov. 16th

Call the church office to sign up.



Welcome~ Isaiah Steven Potter

Born: Tues. Oct. 14th, 2025

Proud Parents: Cameron & Blythe Potter

Grandparents: Dan & Tanya Potter

THIS WEEK AT FBC

SUNDAY, OCT. 26

8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal

9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Morning Worship Service

4:00 pm Deacon's Meeting

5:30 pm Fall Small Groups

MONDAY, TUESDAY OCT. 27 & 28

MCB Annual Meeting/ Branson

TUESDAY, OCT. 28

Meals On Wheels Delivery

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 29

5:30 pm Children's New Member Class

5:30 pm R.A.K. Evangelism Class

5:30 pm Praise Team

6:00 pm TEAM KIDS

6:30 pm Women's Fall Bible Study

6:30 pm Pastor's Prayer/ Bible Study

6:30 pm Men's Bible Study

6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir

7:00 pm Collision Youth

7:15 pm Adoration & Praise Hand Bells

THURSDAY, OCT. 30

9:00 BSF (Bible Study Fellowship for women)

1:30 pm Women's Fall Bible Study F.H.

5:30 pm Team Meal

5:30 -7:30 pm TRUNK OR TREAT- FLOC

SATURDAY, NOV. 1

8:00 am Men's Ministry Breakfast F.H.

SUNDAY, NOV. 2-Daylight Savings Time Ends

O.C.C. Shoeboxes are due back

8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal

9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Morning Worship Service

5:30 pm Fall Small Groups

Mo. Baptist Children's Home

Please return UNWRAPPED Christmas

Gifts to the church by Nov. Sun. Nov. 16th