

First Baptist Church
304 4th St. NW, Kasson
Morning Worship Service
Sun., Aug. 6, 2023

Welcome to First Baptist's Worship Service!
We're expecting God's presence and wonderful
working in our lives this morning.

Scripture

Songs

Announcements & Prayer

Song

Special Music

Children's Church Dismissed (Age 2 - Gr. 3)

Message

"Our Identity in Christ - Part 2"
"We are ADOPTED"
Ephesians 1:3-14

Pastor John Todor

Communion

Song of Response

Benediction

Offering

- [Online Giving option](#) is also available, or download the Mobile Vanco Giving App
- Benevolent Offering taken (1st Sun. of the month)

Missionary of the Week

CHARITY SHAMBAUGH serves the Lord through Baptist Mid-Missions and is looking to train area churches in the areas of church music and worship in France. Our church supports this ministry for \$100 a month.

Family of the Week



Emily, Peg

This week we will be
praying for the Kevin
Chidester family.

Announcements

- **Greeters** – See [2023 Signup Genius](#) to be a greeter at First Baptist Kasson on Sundays! 9:10-9:35 a.m. and 10:10-10:35 a.m.
- **Church Services are LIVE streamed -[YouTube channel \(First Baptist Church of Kasson, MN\)](#).**
- **Discipleship Signup is in the foyer!** See David Fessenden for info.
- **Lawn Mowing Signup** is ready – Click on [Signup Genius link](#) if you can assist (Sept. – Oct.).
- **ARKwood Derby Coordinator Needed** – See Lori for more details. **Duties:** Contact Rick Jorgenson to help bring derby track to church (coordinate others to assist in setup), test the track/equipment to ensure everything works properly, weigh-in participant cars on Derby Night (5:30-6:30), run and emcee the derby, coordinate volunteers to track cars at the finish line, put Derby decorations up. The 2024 ARKwood Derby is Jan. 17.
- **NEW! Fellowship Groups are starting!** Each group is in charge of helping with church events in their “designated months (incl. funerals). Channels for Christ Ladies Circle will plan the mid-high level detail of the event and then Marsha will alert each **Fellowship Group Lead** when there is an upcoming event. Your **Fellowship Group Lead** will then contact you and ask if you can assist. There will be opportunities to do physical work (setting up/taking down chairs), decorating tables, making/serving food for the event and praying for the event. Kids can help too! There's something for everyone to do! Fellowship Group lists are available in the foyer.
- **Primary (Gr. 1-3) Sunday School Teachers are needed!** If you enjoy working with kids and would love an opportunity to serve by teaching, please see Bettie Fiscus (507-208-8361). Two teachers would be ideal to switch off with each other. Requirement: Must be a member.
- **[A.R.K. Child Registration and Volunteer Registration](#)** are now available online. A.R.K. starts up 9/13 for Age 4 through Grade 6! Please see Lori or Marsha for more info.
- Sun., Aug. 6 – **Communion**; Benevolent Offering will be taken.
- Sun., Aug. 13, 10:05-10:30 a.m. – **Coffee Fellowship**
- Sun., Aug. 13, 4 p.m. – **Channels for Christ Ladies Circle @ Marsha Aarsvold's home** (23401 616th St., Mantorville)
- Fri., Aug. 11, 7 p.m. – **Men's Fellowship at Jon Witzel's place** (65099 250th Ave, Kasson). There will be target practice and shooting clay pigeons. If our launcher works? Bring your pistols, shot guns and other guns that you want to shoot and of course ammo. If you have hearing protection, bring that as well.

Praise and Prayer

- Pray for the widows and widowers in our church.
- All the men and women who serve in the military.
- All the church ministries and their leaders/volunteers.
- Pray for our EMS, First Responders and health care workers
- Pastor John, Mythyl and the kids - God's wisdom, protection and strength as they minister and see people on a daily basis.
- Gene Westphal – At Fairview Nursing Home, Dodge Center
- Dale Witzel – At Fairview Nursing Home, Dodge Center; recovering from laparoscopic repair of a hiatal hernia.
- Prayer for our nation and people - President, Vice President, senators, governors, mayors, law enforcement agencies, & all in need of God's healing both spiritually and physically
- Carole Rewald – On a chemo maintenance schedule. The chemo has affected her vision (blurry).
- Christina (Nigel Lim's wife)–Guillain-Barré syndrome. Please continue to pray for movement of her fingers and the rest of her body. Pray for her 2 teenage children, Sam and Ruthy.
- Please keep Ukraine, Romania and other surrounding European countries in your prayers.
- Larry King (brother of Loah Nelson) – The doctors have given him just a few weeks to live.
- Harry Naatz – Recovering at home.
- Sara Peters (mom of Shaun Smith) has had many small strokes, has an enlarged aorta (prob. will require open heart surgery) and gut bacteria in her urinary tract.
- Joanne Bentley (sister of Jan Westphal) has a blockage in her stomach and will have surgery yet this summer.
- Japheth Morris – Stationed in Guam
- Jordan Kern – Stationed in Australia
- LeeAnn Howard (David Klickman's girlfriend) – Recovering from severe infection - @ St. Mary's. They continue to pack her wound. She is able to stand for about 17 sec. at a time.
- Kay's nephew, Paul Wagner, continues his struggle with stage 4 cancer in both stomach and lungs. The numerous tumors have not shrunk as hoped with treatment. He is again wearing a chemo drip bag in his upper chest area.
- Becky Ibach - Cancer, a heart issue & must be on dialysis 4X/wk
- Bereavement for the family of Milo Bjergum, who passed away on 7/22.
- Bereavement for the family of Jill Hanson (daughter of Glen and Mary Lou Hanson), who passed away on 7/19.
- Jane Hill – Pray for her recovery from surgery
- Mike Larson's nephew, Justin, passed away very (7/27) due to a seizure. He was 33 years old. Parents of Justin are Mike's sister Carolyn and husband Mark).

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Our Mission

To glorify God by making Christlike disciples through salvation, sanctification, and service

Our Vision

We are a fellowship of believers, committed to being a hub of discipleship that witnesses the transforming power of the Holy Spirit by conforming people to Christ's likeness.