

**First Baptist Church**  
**304 4<sup>th</sup> St. NW, Kasson**  
**Morning Worship Service**  
**Sun., Aug. 20, 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*

Natalie ten Hoop

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

*Message*

**"Work Out Your Salvation"**  
*Philippians 2:12-13*

Pastor John Todor

*Song of Response*

*Benediction*

*Offering*

- [Online Giving option](#) is also available, or download the Mobile Vanco Giving App

**Missionary of the Week**

ANDREW & JANAE GONNERMAN serve the Lord in Japan. They are involved in church planting, serving with Baptist Mid-missions. Our church supports this ministry for \$100 a month.

**Family of the Week**



This week we will be  
praying for the Chad  
Donner 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** – Thank you, Cameron Reidhead, for accepting this position and helping lead this event!
- **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. A.R.K. runs September 13, 2023 — March 20, 2024.
- Fri., Aug. 25, 6:30 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.
- Sat., Sept. 3, 10:30 a.m. – **Back to School Sunday! We will be praying for our kids and it's also Promotion Sunday!**
- Wed., Sept. 6, 6:30 p.m. – Mandatory **A.R.K. Leader's Mtg. @ Church**. Your attendance will help ensure a great 1st night. **We are in need of more leaders!** Pls. see Lori Jorgenson or Marsha Aarsvold for more info. [Signup is online.](#)
- Sat., Sept. 9 – **Ladies 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fall Trip! We will spend the day in St. Charles.** We'll have lots of FUN and fellowship (and don't forget...food!). Our schedule is in the foyer. Pls. see Marsha for details.
- Wed., Sept. 13, 6:30-8 p.m. – **1<sup>st</sup> night of A.R.K. (Always Reaching Kids) – Age 4 – Gr. 6**
- Wed., Sept. 13, 6:30-8 p.m. - **1<sup>st</sup> Night of Youth Group - Gr. 7-12**

## **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; fell; x-rays taken to determine the severity.
- 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
- Devastating fire in Maui

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***Pastor John Todor***

## **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.*