#### First Baptist Church 304 4th St. NW, Kasson Morning Worship Service Sun., Nov. 17, 2024

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

Scripture & Prayer

Songs

Announcements & Prayer

Song

Special Music

Jami Morris

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

Message Pastor John Todor
"Hope Away from Home" Sermon Series
"Clothed with Humility"
I Peter 5:5-7

Song of Response

**Benediction** 

**Offering** 

- <u>Online Giving option</u> is also available, or download the Mobile Vanco Giving App
- Bldg. Fund Sunday (3<sup>rd</sup> Sun. of the month; you may use special offering envelopes in the pews)

# Missionary of the Week

**NICKI CARR** has been called to serve the Lord in Romania through Baptist Mid-Missions. Our church supports this ministry for \$100 a month.

## Family of the Week



This week we will be praying for the Jim Whitmarsh family.

Crystal, Micah, Isaiah, Jim

# **Announcements**

- Greeters See the 2024 SignupGenius link to be a greeter at First Baptist Kasson on Sundays! 9:10-9:35 a.m. & 10:10-10:35 a.m.
- Church Services are LIVE streamed YouTube channel (First Baptist Church of Kasson, MN).
- Primary (Gr. 1-3) Sunday School Teachers and Children's Church leaders and helpers 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. Must be a member.
- Christmas Program practice Sun., Nov. 17: 2:00-2:30 pm CHORUS (ALL participants, including actors, in grades 1-12.) 2:30-3:30 pm ACTORS only Questions? See Heidi or Ann!
- Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child boxes are due. Please return boxes by Nov. 17.
  - o Extra "trinkets" are on the foyer table to help fill your boxes.
  - Marsha has activated the QR code on each box. Save the tracking # slip inside your box to see where your box is delivered.
- Wed., Nov. 20, 6:30-8 p.m. A.R.K. Kids Ministry (Always Reaching Kids) Age 4 – Gr. 6. Register online at kassonbaptist.org!
- Wed., Nov. 20, 6:30-8 p.m. Youth Group (Gr. 7-12) See Brian and Shelbey Lentz for more info.
- Sat., Nov. 23, 6:00 to 8:15 p.m. Youth Bowling and Pizza at Wildwoods in Byron! See Brian and Shelbey Lentz for more details.
- Sun., Nov. 24 **K-M Care & Share "Adopt a Family"** Christmas tags will be available. You may select as many items as possible. Please return new, unwrapped items with gift tag and receipt by Sun., Dec. 8.
- Mon., Nov. 25, 5:30 p.m. ? **Christmas Decorating at Church!** We will have Casey's pizza and pop for you at church to start off our evening of decorating! Please sign up in the foyer.
- Wed., Nov. 27 NO A.R.K. or Youth Group Thanksgiving Break

# 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.
- 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
- 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.
- Japheth Morris Stationed in Virginia Beach, VA
- Jordan Kern Stationed in Hawaii
- LeeAnn Howard (David Klickman's girlfriend) Pray for housing as LeeAnn looks to move closer to Kasson.
- Pray for Israel and the peace of Jerusalem.
- Donella Rossi She is now walking with a walker and wants to be able to "walk better"! (Donella -507-951-0843). She is at a rehab facility – Care Initiative, 1001 Cottonwood Road, Creston, IA 50801; rdonella6@gmail.com
- Anna Redfern Recovering radiation treatments
- Kevin Chidester's mom, Barbara, has been diagnosed with stage 3 colon cancer.
- Dan Jones He started hospice on 9/5. Please continue to pray for their family in the coming days.
- Pray for recovery efforts from Hurricanes Helene and Milton
- Rick Naatz Fell in early Sept., developed cellulitis and was in the ICU 2 days because of fluid in his lungs and chest causing pressure on his heart and low oxygen levels. He was in the hospital for a week, but we are thankful he is now home. He returned to work this week but still tires easily. Pray for his strength and stamina.
- Terri Dunn's mother passed away please pray for Terri, John and Bethany as they grieve her loss.
- Peg Chidester's son-in-law's mom, Susan Towne, has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Susan may be moving to Mankato to live with her daughter. Susan's husband has dementia and is going to a nursing home. Pray for Peg as she helps drive/assist Susan to appointments.
- Larry Reidhead stroke; Dr's removed the clot from his brain. He is recovering at home.
- Andy Schultz as he recovers from a traumatic brain injury/fall.

# First Baptist Church



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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.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR – DEC. FBC EVENTS!

- Sun., Dec. 1 Baptism during the A.M. Service. If you've trusted
  Christ as your Lord and Savior, but haven't taken the step yet to get
  baptized, we encourage you to do so. Please see Pastor John for
  more info.
- Fri., Dec. 6, 6:30 p.m. Adults Christmas Party @ Church. Bring an appetizer and sweet treat (opt.). Pop will be provided.
- Mon., Dec. 9, 6:30 p.m. Attn: All Ladies are invited to the Channels for Christ Christmas Party @ Kay Bishop's (400 13th Ave. NW, Kasson). Please bring an Appetizer, Sweet treat (opt.) and a \$7-10 grab bag gift. We will have Food, Fun, Songs, Read the Christmas Story by Candlelight and Games!
- Sun., Dec. 15, 10:30 a.m. **FBC Youth and Children present** "**Uncertain Poor Shepherds!**" Follow along as the angels and shepherds who were there on that very first Christmas night tell their story. From seeing bright lights to hearing the angels sing, this musical adventure is non-stop! On this journey to Bethlehem, you'll hear the story of Jesus' birth, discover what the shepherds may have been feeling that night, and explore what questions and emotions they might have had. As events unfold, our cast will realize that from the very beginning of time, God has always had a plan for us. The story of Jesus' birth and our salvation the Good News is too good not to tell it over and over again!

There will be light refreshments following the service. Please see food signups in the foyer. Last Name K-Z also bring sweet treats. Bring items on a serving platter/dish for quick refreshment setup.

- Sun., Dec. 15, Meet at church at 12:40 p.m. Christmas Caroling. We will go to Fairview Nursing Home Dodge Center, Prairie Meadows Kasson, Sunwood Manor and various other homes. Bring a sweet treat to share after caroling. We'll serve hot chocolate at the church.
- Mon., Dec. 16, 7 p.m. Amanda Ellison Christmas Concert
   @ FBC Kasson!
- Sat., Dec. 21, 9 a.m. 6 p.m. Salvation Army Bell Ringing @ Hardware Hank, Kasson. Signup in the foyer!
- Tues., Dec. 24, 6 p.m. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service with Communion @ FBC Kasson
- Wed., Dec. 25 and Jan. 1 NO ARK (Age 4-Gr. 6) or Youth Group (Gr. 7-12) Christmas Break