

Touching Lives With Scripture

December 24, 2023
Communion

"And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to Him the throne of His father David, and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of His kingdom there will be no end."
Luke 1:31-33

Prelude

Hymns *Joy to the World*
Adoration

Prayer

Hymns *Go, Tell It on the Mountain*
Angels From the Realms of Glory
Worthy, You Are Worthy

Vocal Solo *Mary Did You Know?*
Josiah Johnston

Offering Hymn *Child in a Manger*

Message "Prince of Peace"
Isaiah 9:6

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Closing Prayer

If you need a copy of God's Word or a hymnal for use during our services, they are available on the carts in the foyer.

PROJECT NEHEMIAH II
\$1,590,188
GIVEN TO DATE



Kearneysville Bible Church—11 a.m.
Pastor Van Marsceau
December 17, 2023
Attendance: 32 Offering: \$921

Bakerton Bible Church—11 a.m.
Pastor Adam Johnson
December 17, 2023
Attendance: 43 Offering: \$4,290



Missionaries of the Month

Yohanne Kaphesi & Sean Patrick
Finish Line Ministries—Malawi

Please drop a card of encouragement for our missionaries in the brown box in the foyer annex by the missions map.

Record of Faithfulness December 17, 2023

Attendance:		Sunday Giving:	
1 st Worship Service:	175	General:	\$17,466
2 nd Worship Service:	228	Missions:	\$ 2,000
3 rd Worship Service:	261	Missions Designated:	\$ 301
Wednesday Evening:	No service	Building Fund:	\$18,104
		Total:	\$37,871

The \$500,000 Year-End Challenge: \$172, 619
2023 General Fund & Missions Budget YTD= \$1,374,943
2023 General Fund & Missions Giving YTD= \$1,400,649
2023 Weekly General Fund & Missions Budget=\$29,400

Announcements

Welcome!—We extend a warm welcome to all of our guests. Please complete a yellow guest information card, located in the chair pocket, and drop it in the offering basket. Thank You!

Office Closed—The office will be closed December 25-January 1, in observance of Christmas and New Year's Day. If you need immediate assistance during this time, contact Michelle Palmer at 304-671-1993.

Wednesday Night Ministries—We will not have Wednesday night ministries December 27.

Modular Classroom Completed—We praise the Lord for the placement and completion of another 24'X60' modular classroom. Our maintenance team has done a beautiful job with this task. Next Sunday, December 31, we want to invite the church to take a few minutes to walk out and see this added space any time following the 8:30 a.m. service. Also, at 10:45 a.m., Pastor Mark will be leading a prayer of dedication for any who would like to be present at that time.

New Small Group—Starting Tuesday, January 16, Penny Beales will be hosting a small group at her home (Harpers Ferry) on the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 6:30-8 p.m. Adam Jossierand will be leading the small group and discussing I John. Childcare is available. To join, please text JOHN to 304-728-3700.

Intercessory Prayer—Join us Sunday, January 14, at 6 p.m. in room 106 for a time of intercessory prayer. All are welcome.

Red Cross Blood Drive—FBC will be hosting a Red Cross blood drive on Monday, January 15, in the auditorium from 11:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Appointments are required and can be made at redcrossblood.org. Questions? Contact Linda Eccard at 301-988-2367.

Wild Beast Feast—The Wild Beast Feast scheduled for January 2024 has been canceled.

Deacon Of The Week: John Perkins 330-242-9092
If you need help, please call the deacon of the week listed above.



"Merry Christmas" to all of our sisters at FBC. As we celebrate the birth of Jesus, may you know just how much He loves you!

Praying for you,
-The Sister to Sister Ministry Team

"And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth." (John 1:14)

FBC Sister to Sister  

Dear FBC Congregation,

Thank you so much for all the gifts, cards, and love expressed to us during this Christmas season. You are a loving and encouraging flock, and we are humbled to be your pastors. May the Lord bless each of you with a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year!

—FBC Pastors

Senior High Winter Retreat
January 12-14, 2024
at New Life Bible Camp

Guest Speaker: Nate Dunham

Cost:
1st Teen- \$80
2nd Teen- \$70
3rd+ Teen- \$60
(# of teens from same family)

Register by texting RETREAT to 304-728-3700!

Questions? Contact Pastor Tim at 304-268-0505



Calendar of Events

December 24 Christmas Candlelight Services—6 & 8 p.m.
 December 25 Merry Christmas!
 December 26-Jan 1 Office Closed
 December 27 Prayer Time—10 a.m.
 December 27 No Wednesday Night Ministries
 December 31 Modular Dedication & Prayer
 January 3 Wednesday Family Night & Supper @ 6
 January 6 Men & Boys Breakfast—8 a.m.
 January 14 Intercessory Prayer—6 p.m.

Wednesday Family Night Ministries

Supper @ 6 in the Auditorium		Menu
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Serving line open from 6-6:35 p.m. Suggested donation of \$2 per person. Children 6 and under free. 		No Wednesday Night Ministries December 27.
Nursery	Gopher Buddies	Olympians
Ages Newborn-3 years Room 101-105 Renee Hinebaugh	Ages 4-Kindergarten Room 106 Check-In Jo Ellen Toothman	1st-6th Grades Room 106 Check-In Jessica Porter
Junior High (Grades 7-8) Modular E Dave & Renee Hinebaugh	Senior High (Grades 9-12) Modular I Pastor Tim LeMaster	

Adults—7 p.m.

BASIC Young Adults (Ages 18-29) Modular D-2 Pastor Van <i>"Think, Know, Live: Confident Christianity"</i>	Mixed Adult Class Auditorium Jim Schuppe <i>"Isaiah 40"</i>
Men's Bible Study Modular B-2 Pastor Mark <i>"The Measure of a Man"</i>	Foundation Class Modular A-1 Bob Lee
Ladies' Bible Study 6:45 p.m. Modular D-1 Erin Rickards <i>"Seeing Jesus in the Prophets"</i>	Navigators 2:7 Class Modular A-2 Willie Palmer
	Choir Modular C Samantha Spitzer

Candlelight Services

Join us this evening!
Sunday, Dec. 24 at 6 & 8 p.m.

Come enjoy a beautiful Christmas program presented by the FBC Choir and Orchestra. Join us as we celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus.



Men & Boys

New Year's Breakfast

JOIN US FOR FOOD, FELLOWSHIP AND FAITHFUL ENCOURAGEMENT!

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 2024
 8AM IN THE AUDITORIUM

Register by texting BREAKFAST to 304-728-3700



Van Marsceau, Senior Pastor
 Mark Henson, Associate Pastor of Adult Ministries
 Tim LeMaster, Associate Pastor of Youth Ministries
 Dan Beasley, Associate Pastor of Children's Ministries
 Michelle Palmer, Office Manager
 Rich Beddow, Property Supervisor
 Avery Lipsit, IT Director
 Clint Cavender, Custodian

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Welcome!

Sunday Services

First Worship Service - 8:00 a.m.
 Second Worship Service & Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
 Third Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.