



Faith Baptist Newsletter – Jan 4, 2026

Start the Year Right! There's no better way to begin a new year than by putting God first. As we gather the first Sunday of the year, we encourage you to make faithful church attendance a priority and take the next step by getting involved in a Faith Group—because growth happens best in community. Commit now to reading God's Word and praying every day, allowing the Lord to shape your heart, guide your decisions, and strengthen your faith. And don't forget—if you read the Bible through in 2025 as part of our *Route 66: Journey Through the Bible*, be sure to fill out a slip so you can receive your **free commemorative Route 66 T-shirt**. Let's begin this year united, focused, and walking forward in faith together. *- Pastor Greg Burdine*

Prayer Requests / Praises

Linda Harper's mother – cancer

Rick Arquette – kidney biopsy Jan 6

Marlies Bishop – baby Luke sees specialist Jan 5; grandmother passed away

Sandy Buhrer – mother-in-law passed away

Ed & Rita Bednark – Ed (healing, pain), Rita (back surgery in Feb/Mar)



Sunday, December 28 Stats

Sunday School – 79 Sunday Worship – 213/74* (287 total)

General Fund - \$7,074** Missions – \$644** Building – \$284**

*In-church attendance / adjusted online attendance

** 1 week online giving; 1 week offering

Sunday, January 4 Sermons

10:30 a.m. – Jesus, the Final Word (**Hebrews 1:1-3**)

6:00 p.m. – Job & Science

Jan 11 AM – Christ Above all (**Hebrews 1:4-14**)

January 4-10 Events:

Sunday School @ 9:30 am

Sunday Worship @ 10:30 am (Vision Sunday)

Thrive Student Ministries @ 5:45 pm

No AWANA

Sunday Evening Service @ 6:00 pm

Bible Publishing on Tuesday @ 11:00 am

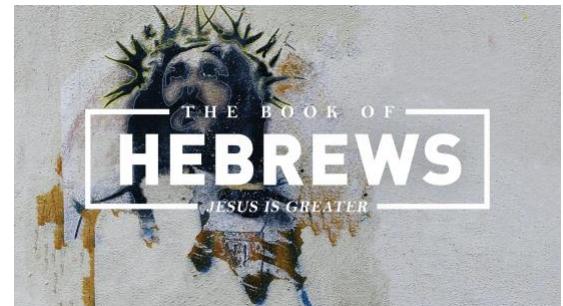
Wednesday Night Bible Study/Prayer @ 7:00 pm

Moms & Kids @ 10:00 am on Thursday

Men's Group @ 7:00 pm on Thursday

Worship Team Practice @ 7:00 pm on Thursday

Men's Breakfast – Saturday, January 10 @ 9:30 AM



Finished reading the Bible in 2025? Make sure you fill out a slip by Jan 11 in lobby for a tshirt.

Annual Special Offering – December & January we will receive money to reduce our Building loan.

Jesus is Greater (Sunday morning sermon series in Hebrews begins in January)

Youth Bowling – Saturday, January 17 (see Jamie or Emlie Beach for details)

Right Now Media: Free access: <https://bit.ly/FBCADRIAN>

Daily Devotion: Pastor Greg's daily devotion at 8 am on our church's Facebook & YouTube channel.

Mobile App: Download our mobile app. Visit our website for instructions: www.faithbaptistweb.com

Join WINTER FAITH groups

FAITH Groups & Sunday School attendance last week: 120

Sunday School @ 9:30am

Numbers & Deuteronomy

Colossians

Proverbs

1 & 2 Thessalonians (3 Facets of Faith)

Sunday @ 5:45pm

Thrive Student Ministries

Sunday @ 6:00pm

In the Face of Suffering (Job)

Monday @ 5:00pm

Knit, Crochet & Pray (last Monday of month)

Tuesday @ 11:00am

Bible Publishing

Wednesday @ 7:00pm

Psalms & Prayer

Thursday @ 10:00am

Moms & Kids

Thursday @ 7:00pm

Men's Group

Worship Team

Saturday @ 9:00am

Men's Breakfast (second Saturday of month)



Missionary Note: Charles & Mary Joyce (Burkina Faso)

We continue to wait for our visas, and we hear that the ministry continues to flourish. We ask that you would pray for Burkina Faso and the ministries there. As the new government seems to be trying to eliminate religious organizations, and asking for more development organizations, we may have to become more creative in our endeavors to share the gospel in Burkina Faso. Unfortunately, we hear that the current U.S. administration has just banned Burkinabe from entering the United States starting January 1, 2026. We pray that the country of Burkina Faso will not reciprocate. We are hearing that this is happening all over Africa. This is very difficult for those who rely on visas to enter their countries where they minister.



Volunteers: Week of January 4

S.S. Nursery: Jennifer Eglinsdoerfer

Worship Nursery: Shanon Vallejo, Tina

Keathley

2 & 3 yrs.: Kara Bleecker, Allie Cherfan

4 & 5 yrs.: Emilie Beach, Brenda Ramirez

1st-3rd gr.: Judy Burdine

Parking Lot Greeter: Cisco

Café Connection Greeter: Rex Corbin

Hallway Greeter: Randy & Jennie Carlisle

Sanctuary Greeter: Hawkins, Karch

Welcome Center: Brown, Dail

Safety: AM- Amador, Huchins / PM- Carlisle

Offering Counters: Kim / Rick

Volunteers: Week of January 11

S.S. Nursery: Jennifer Eglinsdoerfer

Worship Nursery: Jennifer Eglinsdoerfer, Julie Duncan

2 & 3 yrs.: Vicki Kegerreis, Emily Ulrich

4 & 5 yrs.: Stacie Walkden, Becky Hutchins

1st-3rd gr.: Dennis & Cheryl Lee

Parking Lot Greeter: Cisco

Café Connection Greeter: Rex Corbin

Hallway Greeter: Randy & Jennie Carlisle

Sanctuary Greeter: Hawkins, Karch

Welcome Center: Brown, Dail

Safety: AM- Cherfan, Walker / PM- Ransom

Offering Counters: Jamie / Victor

