THE FAMILY OF GOD IN WORSHIP

Building a Community of Disciples for Christ

August 24, 2025 10:55 am



WELCOME Tom Cabaniss

PRELUDE Holy, Holy, Holy
FBCK Orchestra

†HYMN 32 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven AUDA ANIMA

BABY DEDICATION

Presentation of Child, Gentry Kate Knight

Commitment of Parents

Pastor: AJ and Raya, do you affirm Gentry as an image bearer of God and receive her as a gift from God?

Parents: We do.

Pastor: Do you freely desire to dedicate Gentry to God, in the presence of these people, in thankfulness, humility, and love?

Parents: We do.

Pastor: Do you commit to provide for her physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual needs to the best of your ability, and by doing so modeling the sacrificial love of Jesus towards her?

Parents: We do.

Pastor: Do you commit to raise Gentry in the way of Jesus, to model the practices of Jesus in your home, to surround her with Christian community, to pray for her, and to pursue her transformation into Christlikeness above all else?

Parents: We do.

Commitment of Church Community

Pastor: Do you commit to pray for, encourage, and support the Knights as they seek to lead their family in the way of Jesus?

Congregation: We do.

Pastor: Do you commit to continually and lovingly welcome Gentry into the family of God and affirm her significance in the Kingdom of God, so that she will never doubt her belonging among His people?

Congregation: We do.

Prayer of Dedication
Presentation of Certificate

THYMN 595 Sei

Send the Light

McCABE

arr. Cranfill

All children may come forward to the 1st row as we sing.

Pre-K - 1st grade will leave for Children's Church after Words for Our Children.

They will be meeting in room 207 on the 2nd floor.

WORDS FOR OUR CHILDREN

Kelly Templeton

by Brad Nix

ANTHEM New Testaments of Grace

We travel lonely roads, and shoulder heavy loads. We hide our wounds, conceal our scars.

You find us in our shame, and softly speak our names.

You welcome us just as we are.

(*) Lord, through all our days, we'll give You praise.

Make us new testaments of grace.

Your Spirit enters in, and brand-new lives begin.

New lives of joy born out of faith.

Old dreams are re-arranged, as selfish hearts are changed.

We hear Your voice and we obey

Sometimes life leads us into valleys yet unknown, but You're our Shepherd, so we never walk alone.
Sometimes we're fearful of all tomorrow holds, but You've promised us a future, You've promised us hope.

A future and a hope.

We're portraits of Your heart, Your treasured works of art
We're lives restored and souls redeemed.
And as the story's told, in brush strokes true and bold,
amazing grace will be our theme.

MESSAGE Let It Be Tokyo

Tom Cabaniss

Mark 6:7-13

†HYMN 576 Take the Name of Jesus with You

PRECIOUS NAME

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, sweetest name I know; Fills my ev'ry longing; keeps me singing as I go.

POSTLUDE

BENEDICTION

†Those who are able please stand

Attention Parents:

Please encourage your children to use the restroom prior to the worship service.

Should an emergency arise, children under 12 should

be accompanied by an adult.

The safety of your child is very important to us.

The Main Street Kids Ministry Team

There will be a Church Conference on Sunday, August 31st to vote on our 2025-2026 committees and ministry teams.



The deadline to sign up for our Coats for the City mission trip to New York City has changed to Sunday, September 28th. We already have about fourteen people signed up to go. Please contact the church office to sign-up or for more information. The dates are December 4-6, 2025. There are also some opportunities to serve in North Carolina in November to prepare and organize coats for shipping to New York City to be distributed in December. Contact the church office to learn more!

THIS WEEK AT KANNAPOLIS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, August 24, 2025

9:45am -Sunday School 10:55am-Worship Service

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

5:00pm - Dinner 6:15pm - Adult Bible Study 5:45pm - Children's Music 6:15pm - Adult Handbells 5:45pm - Youth 7:00pm - Sanctuary Choir

6:15pm - Main Street Kids

Thursday, August 28, 2025

6:45am - Men's Prayer Breakfast and Bible Study

"Let It Be Tokyo" Mark 6:7-13

A ROMAN EMPEROR

In AD 304...

Maximian...

Cuba...

The Gospel going forward...

AN OVERVIEW

Jesus and His disciples have left Nazareth.

Jesus gave them authority...

WITH the Lord...

Ephesians 2:4...

To be with Christ means...

Jesus sends the disciples out in teams of two...

Marcus Warner...

If we are chasing more and more of something...

Verse 11...

Verses 12-13...

Preaching or teaching...two words...

A fifth-grader...

APPLICATIONS

What God has taught me...

The Lord may be calling you to take some steps you have been afraid to take.

Suffer rejection with grace and humility.

People need to hear the gospel TODAY...

Serve well...

Travel lightly...

A man named Alexander...



Every Wednesday Music, Bells & Chimes @ 5:45pm MSK (a) 6:15pm Midway Soccer begins Sept. 6th



August 29th-Nerf Night September 7th-Youth Sunday Nights Return @5pm September 26th-Lock-In 8pm-8am





Registration is now underway for our October 6-15, 2026 "Fathers of the Reformation" trip. If you have questions about the trip or need a brochure, speak with Tom. You can make your reservations today to join us for this study and fellowship trip to learn more about our Christian faith and values in the places where the Protestant Reformation unfolded.

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August 25 Ann Drew

August 29 Norman Negre

September 1

Nancy Barbee Virginia Joyce

September 2 Cathy Hyatt

September 3 Jenny Carroll Reid Hill

September 4 Tim Beane

September 7 Shelia Moore Caleb Smith

September 8 Doug Doby Diane Overcash

Brad Sweatt

September 9 Skylah Phillips

September 10 Hunter Pate Miller Pate Sandra Rogers Ann Wilson

September 12 Payton Currie

Jim Moore Katie Purvis Sydney Purvis



Daily Scripture for Personal Devotion

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Jeremiah 12:1-13 Friday Saturday Sunday

Psalm 10 Jeremiah 7:16-26 Jeremiah 7:27-34 Jeremiah 11:1-17

> Psalm 81:1, 10-16 Jeremiah 2:4-13 Proverbs 25:6-7

Hebrews 13:1-8 Luke 14:1, 7-14

BUDGET REPORT THROUGH August 17, 2025

\$ 590,564.80 Receipts **Budget** \$ 577,945.25 Over/(Under) \$ 12,619.55



August 27-Oven Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Lima Beans, Salad & Dessert September 3-Beef Tips, Rice, Lima Beans, Salad & Dessert September 10-Pork Tenderloin, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad & Dessert September 17-Meatloaf, Roasted Potatoes, Black Eyed Peas, Salad & Dessert

September 24-Country Style Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad & Dessert RSVP at firstbaptistkannapolis.com or on the app by Tuesday of each week. Adults-\$8, Ages 4-12-\$5, 3 and under free, family cap of \$30

GriefShare Is Beginning in August!

Do you need help dealing with grief? Sometimes when we lose someone close to us, we do not feel like anyone can possibly know what we are experiencing. But you are not alone. There are other people who do know the same pain and loneliness that loss can bring. There are others who are willing to share their struggles and experiences with you to help in your time of need. We will be offering a 13-week course on dealing with grief on Wednesdays at 6:15pm. Contact the church office if you would like to participate in GriefShare.

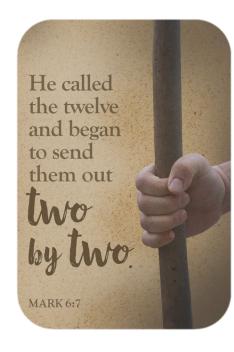
During the month of August, we are joining with other NC Baptist churches to pray for the Afghan, Dari, Turk and Persian people groups. These groups live in Central Asia. Pray that they can be reached with the gospel. And pray for immigrants from these people groups who are now calling North Carolina home. Pray that NC Baptists will catch a vision to embrace these people groups and share the gospel with them. There are an estimated 2000 Afghan and Dari people, 5500 Persian people and 1500 Turks now calling our state home. Pray for them to know God's love and grace in Jesus Christ.



Coming Soon...The NC Baptist Dental Bus is coming to our Church on October 10-11. If you know anyone who might be in need of dental care, remember these dates!



August 24, 2025



Welcome to Kannapolis First Baptist Church!

We are so grateful to God for leading you to this place of worship today. If you are a guest, be sure to sign our fellowship pads as they are shared during the worship time or our guest book in the foyer of the church as you leave so that we might have the opportunity to thank you personally for worshipping with us today.