

GOD'S PEOPLE IN WORSHIP

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024 – 9:30 a.m.

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Gathering: The people come together in the Lord's name. Gathering indicates that we have been called from the world, from our homes, from our families, to be a worshiping people of God. Gathering means that we are one people, a people united in a common worship of God.

***Please stand if able.**

Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

The Gospel Procession

Words of Welcome

Announcements

***Passing of the Peace**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

***Opening Song of Praise:** "Your Grace Is Enough"

***Song of Praise:** "I Have a Hope"

Hymn of Praise #500: "Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Children's Sermon

Jordan Fritz

*Nursery and toddler care is provided just inside the west door of Elliott Hall

*K - 5th grade are dismissed to attend children's church in Elliott Hall

First Reading: Acts 4:5-12

Jan Lee

New Testament Reading: I John 3:16-24

Song of Reflection:

Meghan Forster

Gospel Reading: John 10:11-18

Sermon: "I Want to Know What Love Is"

Pastor Tiger

***Song of Response:** "Jesus Draw Me Close"

***Benediction**

Postlude



PRAYER TIME: Wednesdays at 12:30 in EH. If you have a prayer request for Wednesday let Pastor Tiger know or call or e-mail the church office.

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

Bob Lovett (Kim Randel's father); Norma Coble (Dana Coble's mother); Glenda Schmidt; Nathan Ball; Shelly Frank; Tom Lantis (Kelli Ball's father); Mattie Willhite; Mason Sweeney; Angela Audiss; Janet Wolken; Diane Caryl; Bill Kern

Shut-Ins: Betty Bloomer; Dana Coble; Doris Grogan; Sylvia Starky; Bev Hughes; Golden Peterson; Gloria Terrill; Carol Allen

Military Service People: Sgt. Nate Plaschka-Fort Hood Texas; Brad Davis-Kuwait (Bill & Janice Kern's grandson); PFC Aaron Bigge-Fort Meade, Maryland (Sandy Holbert's grandson); Lt Matt Ashwill in Kuwait (Melissa Ashwill's son)

We make every effort to keep this list updated. Please inform us when there are changes.



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Hope House Needs

Spaghetti noodles, pasta noodles, instant oatmeal, canned vegetables, dessert mixes, pancake syrup, sugar, ramen noodles

*No longer needing plastic containers

Reach for the Stars snacks

We will be collecting snacks for Reach for the Stars, which is a summer program for elementary students. We will be collecting items for breakfasts and snacks. Please bring these items

April 21, 28 or May 5th

Ideas: Nutrigrain bars, Go-Gurt, Little Bites mini muffins



First Baptist Church Branson Trip

Please join us for our bus trip to Branson! Registration forms and information are available in the office and have been emailed to you.

Depart FBC 8am June 21st Return June 22nd

Deposit due 4/28/2024

Final payment due 5/26/2024

Write Branson Trip on the memo line of your check.

For more information contact Cathy Duderstadt 785-418-7050

Quarterly Business meeting is today after church

You are invited to **OU Friday April 26, at 7pm in the Fredrikson Chapel** on campus for an evening supporting their music students.

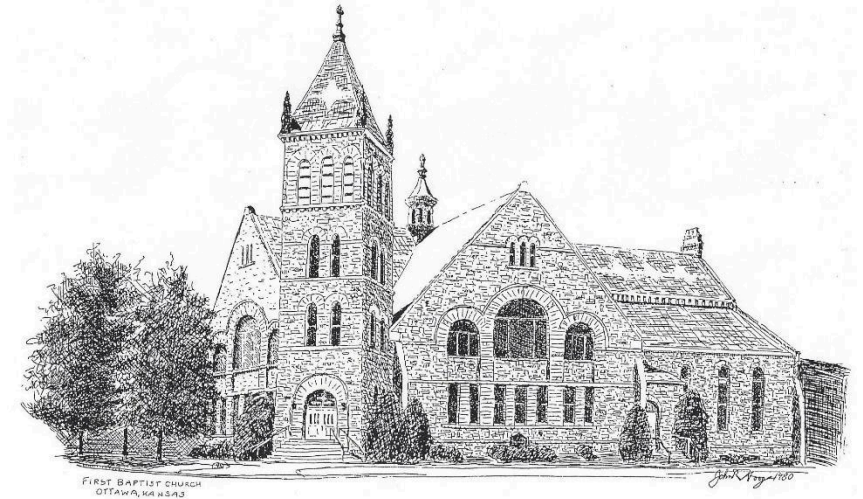
Performing: Wind Ensemble, Concert Choir, and Jazz Studies groups.

Luther Rice ABW Ministries Spring Rally

Tuesday April 23rd at 9:30am at First Baptist Church Olathe

Speaker is Ann Anderson

Contact Lilly Coultis with questions 785-312-4461



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