

**Worshiping Together**  
***Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany***  
**February 8, 2026 – 9:30 a.m.**

**GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME**

**Gathering:** We have come together in the Lord's name, from our homes, from our families, to be a worshipping 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**

**\*Time of Greeting**

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

Many: **And also with you.**

**\*Opening Song of Praise:** "Shout to the Lord"

**\*Song of Praise:** "God, You're So Good"

**Old Testament Reading:** Psalm 112:1-9 Lilly Coultis

**Hymn of Praise #502:** "Be Thou My Vision"

\*Tithes and offerings collected during this song

**Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer**

*Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come  
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven,  
give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us  
and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever and ever.  
Amen.*

**Children's Sermon**

Jen Kane

\*Nursery and toddler care is provided in the choir room, next to the Parlor.

\*K - 2nd grade are dismissed to attend children's church in the Education Bldg.

**New Testament Reading:** 1 Corinthians 2:1-12

Lilly Coultis

**Song of Reflection:** "Goodness of God"

**Gospel Reading:** Matthew 5:13-20

**Sermon:** "The Basics"

Pastor Joy

**\*Song of Response #348:** "Softly & Tenderly"

**\*Benediction**  
**Postlude**



**PRAYER TIME: Wednesdays at 12:30 in the library. If you have a prayer request for Wednesday, call or e-mail the church office.**

**PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER**

Bob Lovett (Kim Randel's father); Norma Coble (Dana Coble's mother); Nathan Ball; Shelly Frank; Tom Lantis (Kelli Ball's father); Janet Wolken; Bill Kern; Jenna Johnson; Angela Audiss; Warren Smith

**Shut-Ins:** Dana Coble; Sylvia Starky; Golden Peterson; Gloria Terrill; Carol Allen; Marsha Hermreck; Gene Bromert; Jeannie Randel; Bob & Judi Becker; Lex & Dee Gislar; Ron & Linda Walker

**Military Service People:** PFC Aaron Bigge-Fort Meade, Maryland (Sandy Holbert's grandson); Lt Matt Ashwill, Germany (Melissa Ashwill's son)

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



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**First Baptist Church Ottawa is a Welcoming and Affirming Congregation**

*The radically inclusive love of Jesus inspires us to be a fully welcoming and affirming congregation. All are loved here. All are safe here. All are invited to full participation in our life together.*

*Based upon calling, gifting, talent, experience and maturity, we celebrate baptism, communion, marriage, leadership, teaching and ordination with any gender, race, nationality, sexual orientation or identity.*



Feel free to bring items anytime but we will be emphasizing  
Hope House giving the **first Sunday of each month.**

Spaghetti sauce, Corn, Peas, Mixed veggies, Mac & cheese  
Toilet Paper, Kleenex, Paper Towels always needed

\*No longer needing plastic containers

Our youth will be making and delivering cookies to our shut-in members today.

Everyone is invited to worship alongside Bethany Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 131 S. Poplar, today at 11 am after our service. Pastor Joy will be preaching. Pastor Roberson has invited us to all wear our football team gear.

You are all invited to attend Ricky & Alex Norval's baby shower during fellowship time, Sunday February 22nd. We are asking everyone to help with diapers (any size) and wipes. Come enjoy cake and punch with us.

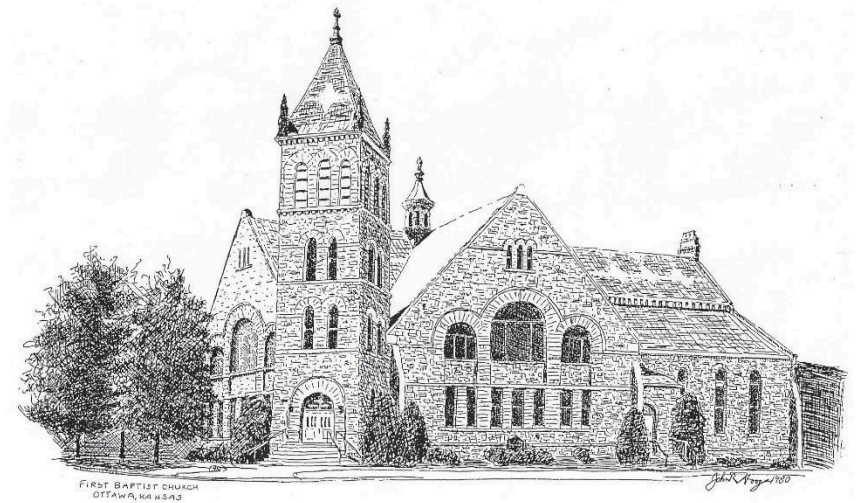
Outreach is collecting red/valentine theme items for care packages for OU students. Donation baskets are in the back of the sanctuary.

Our men's bible study group will meet Saturday, February 14 at 9am in the Homebuilder's room.

The Visitation for Jane Smith will be in Elliott Hall on Thursday, February 12 from 6-8pm. A Celebration of Life will be held in the Sanctuary Friday, February 13 at 10am.

The visitation for Beverly Hughes will be held on February 10, 2026, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Dengel & Son Mortuary. The funeral service will follow on February 11, 2026, beginning at 10:00 AM, also at Dengel & Son Mortuary. Beverly will be laid to rest in interment at Highland Cemetery, Ottawa, KS, at 11:00 AM after the service.

The Celebration of Life for Dylce Dietz, Cara Gatlin's grandfather will be held on February 28th 2026 at 2pm at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 401 West 13th Street, Ottawa, KS with a reception to follow.



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