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# "News to Know"

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A message from Pastor Keith:

A very happy Monday to you! A very cold Monday, I hope you are staying warm inside. I missed not having our worship service yesterday. It's always a difficult decision to cancel church because I believe we need to meet together regularly and consistently. However, I do want to err on the side of caution, and look out for the best interest of our people. We got a lot more sleet and ice than snow which makes it more of a hazard, so I wanted to be safe than sorry. Hopefully it will warm up some this week and we can thaw out a little bit and meet again next Sunday. We will be having our Deacons Valentine's Breakfast on February the 8<sup>th</sup> in the life center at 9am. I hope you will make plans to come and join the love and fellowship that morning. Then stay for our regular worship service at 10:30am. Invite a friend to come with you so we can love on them too! Thank you all for your love and support and your faithfulness to God. What a blessing it is to serve alongside with you! I love each one of you, may God Bless you this week Bro. Keith

# Happy Birthday

## JANUARY

JAN. 01 Maurica Anderson  
JAN. 10 Kim Robertson  
JAN. 11 Karen Ray  
JAN. 13 Aurora Aguilar  
Marshall Brence  
JAN. 15 Louise Searles  
JAN. 18 Joshua Crase  
JAN. 24 Jason Crase  
JAN. 26 Nora Stanley  
JAN. 27 Stacey Harrison

## Special Prayer Needs

Carol Camp  
Mary Aaron  
Janice Vice  
Libby, and Louise Searles  
Bradley Harris  
James Cowell, grandson of Joyce Woodruff  
Forrestine Collins  
Helen Finney  
Linda Floyd

### Monthly Financials

JAN. 05.....\$7,709.25  
JAN. 12.....\$3,388.00  
JAN. 19.....\$3,433.00  
JAN. 26.....\$0.00  
Designated-\$41.00  
Weekly Need-\$6,044.55  
Monthly Need-\$24,178.20  
Total Budget-\$314,316.51

## FBC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Unable to attend, Charlie & Carol Camp.  
Ladies Exercise, choir rm. M-W-F, 11am.

Clothes Closet Wednesday, 2-4pm.

NEXT SHEEP'S CROSSING, Feb. 4th, 2-4pm.

UPWARD Practice, Mon, Tues, and Thur. @6pm.

UPWARD GAMES, JAN. 31, 2026-@ 9:00am.

### \*Looking ahead this week\*

- 1/27/26 Java & Jesus, Men's Coffee, 10am.
- 1/27/26 The Oaks Ministry, 10:30am.
- 1/28/26 Wednesday Night Services. 6pm

\*February 8th @ 9:00am\*

Deacon's Valentines Breakfast

&

Combined

Life Groups/Sunday School Classes



**\*This week, welcome team\***

Joanie Ingram & Nadine Long

**\*Nursery\***

Kathleen Stephens