

**December 20-26, 2020**

**SUNDAY**

Sunday School . . . . . 9:15-10:15 am  
Morning Worship Service . . . . . 10:30 am  
*Special Business Meeting following the Morning Service*  
Grace Notes (Orchestra Practice) | Auditorium . . . . 4:45 pm  
Young Adults | Open Door . . . . . 7:00 pm

**MONDAY**

K4T Meeting & Cookie Exchange | Room 1 . . 6:15-7:30 pm  
Karate | Gym . . . . . 6:30-8:00 pm

**TUESDAY**

Deacon Board Meeting | Room 1 . . . . . 7:00 pm

**WEDNESDAY**

Men's Prayer Group | Library . . . . . 7:00 am  
No Wednesday Events until January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**THURSDAY**

Christmas Eve Service | Auditorium . . . . . 6:00 pm

**FRIDAY**

**Merry Christmas!**

**SATURDAY**

Saturday Morning Bible Study | Family Center . . . . 9:00 am

**UPCOMING EVENTS 2021**

January 6 Kids 4 Truth resumes  
January 6 Middle School Youth Group resumes  
January 6 Wednesday Night Bible Study & Prayer  
January 7-16 Guyana Construction Mission Trip  
January 17 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday  
January 17 Guest Speaker, Dann Austin | Morning Service  
January 18 Christian Education Committee Meeting  
January 20 Pins & Needles Sewing Group  
January 26 Deacon Board Meeting  
January 31 Annual Business Meeting



**We are still observing personal distancing.**

**Help Us Reach Our Goal for a New Church Van**

You can continue to give a love offering toward a church van.  
We estimate the cost to be \$20,000-\$25,000.

**Love Offering to date: \$12,643**

**Order of Worship**

Prelude — *Rise Up, Shepherd, and Follow*  
Announcements  
Orchestra — *Christmas Medley*  
Congregational Song . . . . . *Hark the Herald Angels Sing*  
Congregational Song . . . . . *O Come, O Come Emmanuel*  
Special Music, Volosky Girls  
Christmas Message  
Congregational Song . . . . . *O Holy Night*  
Congregational Song . . . . . *He Who is Mighty*  
Dismissal  
Postlude, Orchestra — *This Night*

\*\*Please dismiss starting in the back of the auditorium and working toward the front. Please move to the lawn or parking lot to fellowship, while social distancing; do not stay in the auditorium or foyer to fellowship.

**Contact Us**

Church Website: [hastingsbaptist.com](http://hastingsbaptist.com)  
Church Directory: [hbc.breezechms.com](http://hbc.breezechms.com)  
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**Church WiFi Connection**

Go to HBC\_Guest  
Pull up web browser to enter password: HBChurch

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**HASTINGS BAPTIST CHURCH**

FOR UNTO US

**A CHILD IS BORN**



to us a Son is Given and the Government will be upon His shoulder, and His name will be called **Wonderful**

**Counselor**

**MIGHTY GOD**

**Everlasting Father**

**Prince of Peace**

Isaiah 9:6

**Dr. Matt Moser**  
*Lead Pastor*

**DECEMBER 20, 2020**

If you're visiting with us today, we're glad you're here! We would love to get to know you better and help you connect with our church family.



**How to connect...**

1. Fill out a **communication card** in the seatback in the auditorium, drop the completed card in the offering plate or hand it to Pastor after the service.
2. Attend at least **three Sunday Morning Worship services**. Attending more than one Sunday gives you a much better feel for the church.
3. Get involved in the **Adult Bible Fellowship/Sunday School** hour or ask about joining a **Growth Group**. These are great opportunities to interact, grow spiritually, and make new friends who care about you and your relationship with God.
4. **Build relationships** and get to know others. As you open up and share your interests and needs with others, you will probably find someone who can readily identify with you.
5. Stop by the **Welcome Center** located in the foyer. It would be our pleasure to give you a book with additional information about the church and answer any questions you have.

**We are so glad you're here!**



*Thank you for visiting with us today here at Hastings Baptist Church. It is our desire to make you feel at home and be welcomed as a part of our family. If you are seeking a church home where the Bible is preached and God is loved, please consider getting to know more about Hastings Baptist Church. If there is any way we can pray for you or in some other way touch your life, please let us know. May the Lord bless you greatly.*

**Pastor Matt Moser**

**Special Church Business Meeting** Immediately following the morning worship service. We will vote on the 2021 budget.

**ATTENTION MINISTRY LEADERS:** Please turn in your year-end ministry reports to Joshua Haywood (jrh.haywood@gmail.com) as soon as possible. If you are not familiar with the format we have used in recent years, you can talk to Joshua or stop by the church office to see an example. Let's give God the glory He alone is due and encourage one another with all God has been doing!

**Christmas Eve Service 2020 | 6:00 pm**

This year's Christmas Eve service will combine traditional music and reflective scripture readings. Join us for an evening of celebrating Jesus' birth. If you cannot make it, we will live stream on Facebook @ Hastings Baptist Church.

**Kids 4 Truth** is cancelled for December. Our tentative plan will be to meet again on January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Have a fun, relaxing and safe Christmas season. We look forward to seeing the clubbers again in the New Year!

**2021 Committees**

Sign up for the 2021 HBC Committees on the table in the foyer.

**Growth Groups – Time to sign-up!!** Growth Groups are for 8 to 16 men and women to build relationships, study God's Word, pray, & serve together. Groups will begin meeting in homes in January for 12 weeks. We have 5 facilitators or 5 groups open for sign up. See the 'Get Involved' bulletin board for sign up sheets and put your name in today.

**The Barry County Right to Life** is collecting signatures from pro-life individuals to appear in an ad in the Reminder in January. If you are interested in your name appearing in the ad, please stop by the Get Involved board and sign a form. Any questions can be directed to Derek or Rachel Chandler.

**2021 OFFERING ENVELOPES** The 2021 Offering Envelopes are on the table in the foyer. If you would like to use offering envelopes and are NOT assigned a number, please put your name by the number you would like and take that numbered box.

**The Church Office will be Closed December 22-25.**

**OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

**We will be hosting Family Promise @ Hope United Methodist December 27<sup>th</sup>-January 3<sup>rd</sup>.** If you are willing to serve contact Julie Frith.

**THANK YOU**

Dear Church Family,  
Thank you for making our Christmas brighter. The youth group and their singing was such a blessing. The fruit basket was very good. We thank the Lord for the blessings He has given each of us. Rejoice in the Lord. Psalm 33:1

Don & Nadine Keech

Thank you to the carolers for stopping by.

Dale & Eloise Berry

What an awesome surprise to open our door Tuesday evening to carolers! THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH to each of you who came...you did a great job!! You were such an amazing blessing for us at the end of what had been a difficult day. God's timing is always perfect! And thank you all so much for the goodies you brought...yummy! We look forward to the day when we can be back together with all of you in worship. We wish each of you a very Merry Christmas! God bless!

Love, Norm & Vanessa Nash



**No High School Youth Group until January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021**  
**Have a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!**  
**No Middle School Youth Group until January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**Sunday Schedule— December 27, 2020**

**Sunday School 2 & 3's**

Teacher: Meg Terrell

Helper: Kim Moser

**Church Service**

**2 & 3's Department**

Teacher: Monica Brew

Helper: Linda Frasier

**Church Service**

**4 & 5's Department**

Teacher: Rob Shafer

Helpers: Hannah Rodd

Abigail Byykkonen

**Ways to Give**

**Your Tithes & Offerings**

- ✓ Put in the gray boxes in the foyer
- ✓ Mail them to the church
- ✓ Online at:  
<https://hbc.breezechms.com/give/online>

**GIVING SUMMARY**

**Last Week \$7,467.11 (-\$350.89)**

**Offering YTD: \$374,608.33**

**Expenditures YTD: \$353,653.87**

**General Fund \$59,142.78**