

December 6-12, 2020

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:15-10:15 am
Morning Worship Service 10:30 am
Grace Notes (Orchestra Practice) | Auditorium . . . 4:45 pm
High School Youth Group | Open Door 6:00-8:00 pm
Young Adults | Open Door 7:00 pm

MONDAY

Karate | Gym 6:30-8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Men's Prayer Group | Library 7:00 am
Bible Study & Prayer | Auditorium 6:30 pm
Middle School Youth Group | Open Door 6:30-8:00 pm

THURSDAY

Worship Team Rehearsal 7:00 pm

FRIDAY

Volleyball | Gym 10:00 am

SATURDAY

Saturday Morning Bible Study | Family Center 9:00 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 13 Children's Christmas Program
December 13 Girls Get Together @ Donnah's Home
December 15 Safety & Security Committee Meeting
December 16 Pins & Needles Sewing Group | Room 1
December 20 Special Church Business Meeting
December 22 Deacon Board Meeting
December 24 Christmas Eve Service | Auditorium



**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: \$9,458

Order of Worship

Announcements

Offering Devotional

Congregational Song *Who Would Have Dreamed*

Trio, Bob Griffin, Lydia & Bre Chandler — *Written in Red*

Message — "*God Is Love*"

Sermon #14 in Attributes of God Series

Communion

Congregational Song . . . *How Deep The Father's Love For Us*

Congregational Song *O Holy Night*

Congregational Song *Show Us Christ*

****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

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Pull up web browser to enter password: HBChurch

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HASTINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

DECEMBER 6, 2020



GOD IS LOVE

For God so
Loved
THE
WORLD
that he gave his
One & Only Son
that whoever
Believes
in him should not perish, but have
ETERNAL LIFE
JOHN 3:16

Dr. Matt Moser
Lead Pastor

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

We will have a special church business meeting on **Sunday, December 20th** immediately following the morning worship service. We will vote on the 2021 budget.

2021 Committees

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

Girls Get Together

All girls from 7th grade through college age...we will be meeting Sunday December 13th after church at Donnah's home.



Kids Christmas Program Practice

(4 year olds-6th grade) Meet downstairs at 10:30 am. Parents, pick up your children following the morning service downstairs in the Kids' Connection.

Mark Your Calendar for the Kids Christmas Program **Hotel Noel**
Next Sunday December 13th at 10:30am



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

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.

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.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS "CARE-OLING"



In lieu of a Christmas Program for the public this year, we are going to take the music to them.

We are looking for groups of 6-10 volunteers to go caroling and deliver fruit baskets to those that have lost loved ones or are not able to get out.

We will have hot chocolate and cookies afterwards at the church for those that go out caroling.

There will be a sign-up sheet outside the church office or you can see Brenda or Donnah, if you have any questions.

Christmas Eve Service 2020 | 6:00 pm

This year's Christmas Eve service will combine traditional music and reflective scripture readings. We need individuals and/or groups/families to help out with the music, scripture readings, and lights/candles. If you would be willing to share your talent in making this service meaningful, please sign up on the 'Get Involved' bulletin board by the office or contact Tim or Carol McNally.

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



High School Youth Group — Sunday 6:00-8:00 pm

Middle School Youth Group — Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm

We are going Christmas Care-oling, dress warm & festive.
Remember your permission slip and mask for in the van.

Sunday Schedule— December 13, 2020

Sunday School 2 & 3's

Teacher: Meg Terrell
Helper: Cheyanne Roush

Church Service

2 & 3's Department
Teacher: Karolyn Brower
Helper: Denise Gibson

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 \$ 7,374 (-\$444)
Offering YTD: \$359,405.07
Expenditures YTD: \$336,466.46
General Fund \$59,980.43