

September 24-30, 2023

SUNDAY

Sunday School9:15-10:15 am
 Morning Worship Service10:30 am
 2024 Olympics Meeting | after church by the piano
 Rick Volosky (Room 3) ABF Class Potluck | Open Door
 Orchestra (Grace Notes) Rehearsal | Auditorium|4:30-5:30 pm
 High School Youth Group | Open Door 5:45-8:00 pm

MONDAY

Karate | Gym 6:30-8:00 pm

TUESDAY

Teacher Training | Room 3 10:00 am
 Men's Basketball | Open Gym 6:00-8:00 pm
 Deacon/Elder Meeting | Room 1 6:30 pm
 Teacher Training | Room 3 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study & Prayer | Auditorium 6:30 pm
 Kids' Connection6:30-8:00 pm
 6th Graders @ Upper Room 6:30-8:00 pm
 7th & 8th Graders @ Open Door6:30-8:00 pm

THURSDAY

40 & Over Men's Basketball | Gym 6:00-8:00 pm
 Worship Team Rehearsal | Auditorium 7:00 pm

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Basketball | Open Gym 9:00-11:00 am

OCTOBER UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1 Children's Christmas Musical "Away in a Mango" Practice
Teacher Training | Room 3 after church
7th-12th Grade Multi Church Game Night | Open Door
- 2 Card Making | Library
Women Connect Lunch | Room 1
- 3 Ladies Bible Study 'Armor of God' begins | Open Door
- 7 Church Work Day (Fall Clean Up/Winter Prep)
- 8 Building & Grounds Meeting | Library
Missions Committee Meeting | Room 1
- 10 Security Meeting | Library
- 12 Outreach Committee Meeting | Library
- 15 National Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Day

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude, Bob Griffin
 Medley: Face to Face, We Shall See Him As He Is
 Welcome & Announcements
 Congregational Song *He Has Made Me Glad*
 Congregational Song *Our God Saves*
 Congregational Song *Come Though Long Expected Jesus*
 Message: "Jesus' Return Should Inspire Hope and Confidence"
 2 Thess. 2:1-15 Sermon #5 of 2 Thessalonians Series
 Congregational Song *Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)*

Contact Us

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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

September 24, 2023

STAND FIRM

LIVE READY

2 Thessalonians

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 a black box next to the table in the foyer 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.

Hastings Baptist Leadership

Fall Harvest Love Offering. This year will focus on local outreach and missions. The first portion of the love offering allow us to send oversized postcards to everyone within a 5 mile radius of the church and prepare Welcome Bags for when guests come. The remainder of the love offering will be set aside to help send people from our church family on a mission's trip.

2024 Olympics Meeting
We will have a meeting **today down by the piano after church** with anyone interested in going to the 2024 Olympics July 29- August 7.
This is an informational meeting to see who is interested.

The Christian Education Committee has planned sessions for teachers of 2 yr olds - high school to attend to see how the Scope and Sequence will fit into your teaching for your class and with your curriculum. We are offering 3 different times because we know that everyone's schedule is different. Please plan to attend one of the following times and bring your curriculum:
 Tuesday, Sept 26 at 10:00
 Tuesday, Sept 26 at 7:00
 Sunday, Oct 1 at 12 (after church- lunch will be provided).
 We anticipate the meetings to be less than an hour.



Christmas Musical "Away in a Mango"

4 years old—high school
 directed by Jennifer Gress

Rehearsals begin Sunday Oct.1st during church downstairs.
 Performance: Sunday December 10th

Ladies Bible Study starts Tuesday, October 3 6:30-8:30pm
 Studying the *Armor of God* using the DVD study by Priscilla Shirer.

Church Work Day October 7th at 8:00 am Come out to our church work day. We have things to do for all ages. Come and help make our church building look great and help us get ready for the fall and winter seasons. Thank you for your help.
 Building & Grounds

Halloween Candy is needed for our 2023 Halloween Carnival on October 31st. You can drop it off at the church office.

MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT

Our featured missionary for the month of September are Pedro & Stephanie Garcia. They are serving in Chile. Send them an encouraging note and let them know you are praying for them at: garcia2chile@gmail.com



High School Youth Group

Sunday 5:45-8pm

See You at the Pole this Wed. Sept. 27

Meet at your high/middle school flag pole @ 7:15 am

Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm:

7th & 8th Graders | Open Door **6th Graders** | Upper Room

7th –12th Grade

Multi Church Game Night

Sunday October 1st from 5-8pm at the Open Door

Come have some fun with other students playing a variety of games.
 Invite your friends.

Barry County Life Chain
 Sunday October 1st 2:15-3:30 pm
 at State & Broadway Street, Hastings
 **For more information see the flier on the 'Get Involved' bulletin board in the foyer.

Morning Children's Ministry October 1, 2023

Nursery Sunday School

Kim Moser
 Carol Christy

Nursery Church Service

Carol Christy
 Karolyn Brower
 Amber Carter

2's & 3's Sunday School

Teacher: Diana Mueller
 Helpers: Jennie Mueller
 Glenda Stevens

2's & 3's Children's Church

Teacher: Greg Randall
 Helpers: Jeanne Newton
 Caroline Randall
 Lucy Shafer

4's-preK Sunday School

Teacher: Roger Byykkonen

4's-preK Children's Church

No Jr church or children's church from Oct. 1-Dec. 10 due to the Christmas program practices.

Ways to Give Your Tithes & Offerings

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

GIVING SUMMARY

Last Week's Offering:

\$7,015.00 (-\$1,894.43)

budget \$8,909.44

Offering YTD: \$310,870.00

Expenses YTD: \$311,218.50