

SEPTEMBER 15-21, 2024

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:15-10:15 am
 Worship Service 10:30 am
 Sister in Faith @ Donnah J's Home after church
 High School Youth Group | Open Door :6:00-8:00 pm

MONDAY

Christian Education Committee Meeting | Library 6:30 pm
 Karate | Gym :6:30-8:00 pm

TUESDAY

Ladies Bible Study 2 Timothy @ Jill Alflen's Home . . . 6:30-8 pm
 Men's Basketball | Open Gym :6:30-8:30 pm

WEDNESDAY

Pins & Needles Sewing Group | Library :9:30 am-12:00 pm
 Bible Study & Prayer | Auditorium :6:30 pm
 Kids' Connection :6:30-8:00 pm
 Connect 6 (6th Grade) | Upper Room 6:30-8:00 pm
 7th & 8th Grade Youth Group | Open Door :6:30-8:00 pm

THURSDAY

Worship Team Rehearsal | Auditorium :7:00 pm

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Men's Breakfast | Room 1 8:00 am

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

21 Rick Volosky ABF Potluck | Open Door following the service
 24 Deacons Meeting | Room 1



Men's Retreat 2024
 Sept. 27-28
 Speaker: Pastor Jon Jenks

Quest
 Men's Retreat @ Lincoln
 Lake Baptist Camp
 15113 Lincoln Lake Ave
 Gowen, MI 49326

Cost:
 \$ 100 (Overnight Guests)
 \$85 (Commuter Guests)
 Register online @
 www.lincolnlake.com

Order of Worship


Welcome and Announcements
 Church Officers and Administrative Nominations
 Prayer
 Congregational Song *Immortal, Invisible*
 Child Dedication
 Congregational Song *Only A Holy God*
 Congregational Song *I Surrender All*
 Children's Church (K-4th Grade) Dismissal to Room 1
 Message: "Choose the Narrow Gate" Matthew 7:13-14 & 21-23
 Congregational Song *Be Thou My Vision*

Contact Us

Church Website: hastingsbaptist.com
Church Directory: hbc.breezechms.com
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Pastor Matt Moser's Email: pastormoser@outlook.com

Church WiFi Connection

Go to HBC_Guest
 Pull up web browser to enter password: HBCChurch



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Hastings Baptist Church

September 15, 2024



We believe that your child is not only yours, but truly a gift from God. We are earthly stewards of the life God has placed in our home. ³"Behold, children are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward. ⁴Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the children of one's youth. ⁵Blessed is the man who fills his quiver with them! He shall not be put to shame when he speaks with his enemies in the gate" (Psalm 127:3-5).

Some of the responsibilities the Lord has entrusted to parents include continuously praying for their children (Deuteronomy 6:4-9); instructing them in the way of the Lord (Proverbs 22:6); setting a godly example (Deuteronomy 11:19); and disciplining them as the Lord would discipline us (Proverbs 29:15, 17; 13:24). As parents, you are only able to do these things through Christ's strength (Philippians 4:13).

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

Church Officers and Administrative Nominations

Today as part of the morning worship service, we will accept nominations for church officers and elected administrative positions of elders, deacons, church clerk, and church treasurer. A list of active members who are over the age of 18 is available on the tall tables in the foyer. An overview of some of the qualification and duties for each position is listed in our church constitution; constitutions are available in the church office. Please prayerfully consider who you will nominate and if God might be leading you to serve in one of these areas.

BAPTISM If you have trusted in Jesus as your personal Savior but were not baptized by immersion after your salvation, we would love to help you take your next step in your walk of faith. See Pastor Matt

Ladies Bible Study time in 2 Timothy on Tuesday evenings 6:30-8:00 pm @ Jill Alflen's home. Come study the Word, share what you know, help others grow.



Kick-Off Meeting on Sunday October 6th for those that would like to be involved with helping in our **Wild Game Dinner**, which will be on March 22, 2025.

WE NEED YOUR HELP: For our Halloween Carnival Outreach on October 31st, we will need individually wrapped candy or small prizes by Sunday October 27th. There will be a bin in the foyer of the church to put your items in. This is a wonderful way to serve our community.

You are welcome to come in the church and pray in the auditorium or coatroom sitting area anytime during normal office hours.
Monday-Thursday 9:00am-4:30pm and Friday 9:00am-1:00pm



Mark Your Calendar:
Jonathan DeCou Family Christmas Concert
Sunday December 22 @ 6:00 pm at HBC.

MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT

Our featured missionaries for the month of September are Andy & Lea Ferrier. They serve the Jewish people through the Midwest Messianic Center. Encourage them through email at: aferrier@sbcglobal.net



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

7th & 8th Grade Youth Group Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm Open Door

Connect 6 Youth Group Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm Upper Room

"Book Bingo: Reminder to turn in your Book Bingo Cards by today. You can drop them off in the library or church office."

Help the church be good stewards of what God has given to us by remembering these things after your ministry or event:

- turn off all the lights
- be sure windows are closed and locked
- be sure the door(s) are locked and secure
- pick up after yourself
- clean off any surfaces that you used like tables or counters
- take any stinky garbage out to the dumpster
- do not leave anything in the refrigerator that is not marked or dated
- leave things better than when you came

Morning Children's Ministry September 22, 2024

Nursery Sunday School

Julie Frith
Jeanne Newton

Nursery Church Service

Jill Alflen
Linda Sarver
Winter Pirtle

2's & 3's — 4's-PreK meet in Room 6 (combined until October 27)

Sunday School

Amanda Hoxie-Sheldon

Junior Church

Jade Schultz
Linda Sarver
Sophie Volosky

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:

\$6,116.00 (-\$2,196.00)

weekly budget \$8,312

Offering YTD: \$272,913.38

Expenses YTD: \$288,795.17

YTD Under Budget: \$25,838.62