

Belleville First United Methodist Church
Fourth Sunday of Advent 12-22-2024 10:45 service
Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy Liturgist: Tandy Rundus
Café: Karen Hiatt Children's Message: Tandy Rundus

*Please stand if you are able/hymns on screen & in hymnals

Prelude/Gathering Music

Entrance/Lighting of the Candles (10:45) Acolyte(s) enter

Welcome/Announcements

Tandy Rundus

***Praise Song** "Angels We Have Heard on High"

A/V

***Opening Hymn:** "Go Tell It on the Mountain"

UMH #251

***Call to Worship**

Tandy Rundus

As we wait anxiously for our king,

we worship with shouts of joy.

As we anticipate the King's coming,

let our celebrations begin!

Even in the midst of pain and anxiety,

we shout Alleluia!

Fill our hearts with joy in knowing this deeper truth that life contains,

that because You come, all will be well.

Let us witness not to successful lives, not to perfect health, faultless families,
highly achieving work, or new possessions,

but to the quiet inner knowing of You.

And as we gather to worship,

let our Alleluias rise from willing lips, from lives opened to Your gift, and

from hearts filled with Your love. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, and

Amen! Amen.

Lighting of the Candle of Love

Time of Prayer

Joys & Concerns *(the mic will be passed for those wishing to add)*

Tandy Rundus

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Amos McCarthy

Lord's Prayer

Song of Prayer

"Glory Be to the Father"

UMH #70

Children's Message

Tandy Rundus

***Offertory/Doxology**

Scripture

Luke 2:8-15

Tandy Rundus

Message

"The Joys of Christmas"

Pastor Amos

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

***Closing Song**

"Your Name (Christmas Version)"

A/V

Dismissal/Blessings

WORSHIP MINISISTERS 12-29-2024

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy

Liturgist: Terry Marcotte

Children's Message:

Café: Nicole Parde

PRAYER LIST Mike Knedlik, Carolyn Rauch,
Christine Strutt, Wilma Mulch, Neva Demanett,
Dan Benyshek, Lori Raccagno, Vickie Fisher,
Eric Spannenberg, Doug Hofman (Emma's
niece's husband), Vicki Kopsa, JoAnn Parrack
(Kaye Ray's sister), Solly Vanouhlden, Denise
Woodward, Evelyn Love Family, Keenan Elliott
Family, Lori Cox Family



First United Methodist Church

M-Th 8am-12, 2013 M Street,

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Office Hours: Belleville M, T, W 9-1

Agenda Tues. 2-6

Virginia Anderson vsmith.umc@gmail.com

936-641-3142 (c)

Food Bank Hours: Mon-Thurs 9-11:30

785-955-0086 Lana Novak

**New National Suicide Prevention and
Crisis Lifeline: 988**

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

12/22 Bob Arbuthnot

12/23 Spencer Lawson, Erin Stump

12/24 Russ Piroutek

12/25 Joan Grover

12/26 Keith Cook

12/27 Cory Johnson, Jean Harber, Denise

Woodward, Tom & Dianna Snapp,

Steve & Kathy Dunback

12/29 Annette Watts

12/31 Jayce Hoffman

1/1 Keith & Barbara Cook

1/2 Stephen Hobson



All Church Leaders/Volunteers

& Committee members

Visioning Brunch

January 11th-10:00a.m. Fellowship Hall

Please RSVP to Church office by

Thursday, Jan. 9th

The aim of this meeting is to have people gath-

er together to discuss freely and to look at the

ways we can improve on our ministries and

missions for 2025. Church Committee

Chairmen/Leaders please share with your

committees about this important meeting.

Pastor Amos available for visitations. Please
inform me of any Nursing Home residents or
others in need of visitations-Pastor Amos

Luke 2:8-15 NIV

⁸ And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. ⁹ An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. ¹⁰ But the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. ¹¹ Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. ¹² This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.”

¹³ Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying,

¹⁴ “Glory to God in the highest heaven,
and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests.”

¹⁵ When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, “Let’s go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about.”



**First United Methodist Church
2013 M Street - Belleville, KS
December 22nd, 2024
Fourth Sunday of Advent**

**Bishop David Wilson -Great Plains Conference
DS Karen Rice Ratzlaff, Hutchison-Salina District
Pastor Amos McCarthy, Belleville FUMC & Agenda UMC
Office Admin Kim VanNortwick, Belleville & Agenda
Dir. of Christian Education Virginia Anderson, Belleville**

Our Mission is to prayerfully:
SEEK God GROW in faith LOVE and SERVE others
For the transformation of lives!

Sunday, Dec. 22nd
9:30 Adult Bible Study Parlor
Café 10:15-10:40
Worship 10:45

Tuesday, Dec. 24th
7:00p.m. Christmas Eve Service

Wednesday, Dec. 25th
Free Christmas Dinner
11:00a.m.-12:30p.m.
Fellowship Hall in use
4:00p.m.-6:00p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 29th
9:30 Adult Bible Study Parlor
Café 10:15-10:40
Worship 10:45

Tuesday, Dec. 31-Jan. 1
Youth Lock-in 7p.m.-7:00a.m.



Giving Options
Text Giving: 844-509-2398
enter amount - follow directions
as prompted.
Link to online giving [Home | Belleville First United Methodist Church \(myvanco.com\)](https://myvanco.com)

Dec. Fish Money: Food Bank



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Apple App



Google Play Store App

Up Coming.....
Zoom Bible Study 7:00p.m. Sundays 12/1-12/22
Christmas Eve Service 7:00p.m.
Free Christmas Dinner 11:00-12:30
Youth Lock in Dec. 31-Jan1 7:00p.m.-7:00a.m.



Christmas Eve Service
Agenda 5:00p.m.
Belleville 7:00p.m.



Christmas Day Dinner
Dec. 25th
11:00-12:30p.m.
Food Sign up sheet available
by the East door.



Advent Study by ZOOM
Dec. 1 - Dec 22, 2024
7:00p.m.
Lead by Pastor Amos.



<https://zoom.us/j/96723275316>

Liturgists for Dec
12/22 Tandy Rundus
12/24 Russ Piroutek
12/29 Terry Marcotte

Praise Singers
Megan Ritchie, John Surber,
Tandy Rundus

Café for Dec
12/8 Pam Scofield
12/22 Karen Hiatt
12/29 Nicol Parde
1/5 Stacia Piroutek

Audio Visual
Bob Arbuthnot,
Kelly Struebing,
Tandy Rundus,
Mike Hadachek

Head Usher-John Surber
Dec: Kelly & Carson Struebing
Don Westphal
Children's Message
12/22 Tandy Rundus
12/29

In lieu of poinsettias this year, there will be a memory tree in the Overflow. If you would like the name of your loved one placed on the tree, please let Kim know in the church office. A list will be posted of all the ones being remembered in the Dec. 29th bulletin.

Make sure you observe the names that are on the Memory Tree in the Overflow. The names are with the bell ornaments.



Youth Lock-In
Dec. 31-Jan 1
7:00p.m.-7:00a.m.

No Wednesday
Morning
Bible Study until
January 8th

Thank you
VOLUNTEERS!!



Dec. 30-Jan. 3

Closed Jan 1 & 2

If you wish to become a volunteer, call Dianne Smith at 936-776-0480



THANK YOU to all who donated in any way the REPUBLIC COUNTY TOY BANK families that we provided for. Your generosity was greatly appreciated.

Remember to save your Best Choice labels and turn them in at the church (table in foyer)



SIGN UP SHEETS FOR (table in Foyer by east door)
Children's Moments-Sundays during worship
CHRISTMAS DAY Food List sign up
ALSO ENERGIZE MEALS SIGN UP AVAILABLE!
LOCK-IN SIGN UP AVAILABLE-ASK VIRGINIA!!