

Belleville First United Methodist Church  
Epiphany Sunday 1-12-2025 10:45 service

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy  
Children’s Message: Liturgist: Stacia Piroutek  
Communion Servers: Denise Dove, Lana Novak, Stacia Piroutek, Tandy Rundus  
Café: Kim VanNortwick

\*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**

**\*Praise Song** “Manger Throne” A/V  
**\*Opening Hymn:** “Angels We Have Heard on High” UMH #404  
**\*Call to Worship** Stacia Piroutek

Come, let us gather in the house of the Lord.  
**Where wisdom dwells and understanding grows.**  
Like the young Jesus in the temple.  
**We come seeking knowledge of holy things.**  
Let us listen with eager hearts  
**And ask questions that deepen our faith.**  
In this sacred space, we find our true family.  
**All who seek God's face are sisters and brothers.**  
Christ grew in wisdom and in years.  
**May we also grow in grace and understanding.**  
Let us worship the One who teaches us  
**And makes His home in our midst. Amen.**

**Time of Prayer**  
**Joys & Concerns** (the mic will be passed for those wishing to add) Stacia Piroutek  
**Pastoral Prayer** Pastor Amos McCarthy  
**Song of Prayer** “Glory Be to the Father” UMH #70

**Children’s Message**  
**\*Offertory/Doxology**  
**Scripture** Matthew 2:1-12 Stacia Piroutek  
**Message** “Trusting in God’s Providential Care” Pastor Amos  
**Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

**Communion Hymn** “This is the Day of New Beginnings” UMH #383  
**Confession & Pardon** UMH #12  
**Great Thanksgiving**  
**Lord’s Prayer**  
**Receiving of the Bread & Wine**  
**\*Closing Song** “Remembrance” A/V  
**Dismissal/Blessings**

**WORSHIP MINISISTERS 1-19-2025**  
**Message:** Pastor Amos McCarthy  
**Liturgist:** John Surber  
**Children’s Message:** Kathy Aeillo  
**Café:** Jeanette Sheets

**First United Methodist Church**  
**M-Th 8:30am-12:30,** 2013 M Street,  
**785-527-5608**  
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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

**BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

1/13 Karen Clark, Alan Lawson, Hudson Coons  
1/15 Janell Hadachek  
1/16 Gary Boman  
1/17 Tim Hiatt, Mikel Hadachek  
1/19 Larry Frydendall  
1/20 Jay Surber  
1/21 Brady Alexander  
1/22 Jay Surber  
1/24 Betty Mohr  
1/25 Paul Rundus



**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



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

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

**Matthew 2:1-12 NIV**

**The Magi Visit the Messiah**

**2** After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem <sup>2</sup> and asked, “Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.”

<sup>3</sup> When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. <sup>4</sup> When he had called together all the people’s chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born. <sup>5</sup> “In Bethlehem in Judea,” they replied, “for this is what the prophet has written:

<sup>6</sup> ““But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,  
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;  
for out of you will come a ruler  
who will shepherd my people Israel.””

<sup>7</sup> Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. <sup>8</sup> He sent them to Bethlehem and said, “Go and search carefully for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him.”

<sup>9</sup> After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen when it rose went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. <sup>10</sup> When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. <sup>11</sup> On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. <sup>12</sup> And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.



**First United Methodist Church**  
**2013 M Street - Belleville, KS**  
**January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025**  
**Epiphany Sunday**

**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, Jan. 12**  
Café 10:15-10:40  
Worship 10:45  
Boxing of the Greens  
Confirmation Class 4:00p.m.

**Wednesday, Jan. 15**  
Bible Study 9:00a.m.  
Kids Club 3:45-5:30p.m.  
Energize 6:30p.m.

**Thursday, Jan. 16th**  
**CHAMBER COFFEE 8:00a.m.**  
**In Overflow!!**

**Sunday, Jan. 19th**  
Children’s Bell Choir 9:45  
Café 10:15-10:40  
Worship 10:45

**Monday, Jan 20th**  
P.E.O. 7:00p.m.

**Wednesday, Jan. 22nd**  
Commodities  
Bible Study 9:00a.m.  
Kids Club 3:45-5:30p.m.  
Energize 6:30p.m.



**Kids Club**  
**Begins**  
**Jan. 15th**  
**“The Great Kingdom**



**Jan. 15th**  
**6:30-8:00p.m.**

**Up Coming....**  
**CHAMBER COFFEE Thursday, Jan 16th!**  
**OVERFLOW**  
**Adult Bell Choir, Tuesday, Jan. 14th**  
**Children’s Bell Choir begins Jan. 19th!**



Guess when the snow pile on the southeast corner of the parking lot will totally melt. Give your date guess to Kim for a special prize! (Prize will be given when it is totally gone.



**SIGN UP SHEETS FOR** *(table in Foyer by east door)*  
**Children’s Moments**-Sundays during worship  
**ALSO ENERGIZE MEALS SIGN UP AVAILABLE!**

**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)

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**Liturgists for Jan**  
**1/12 Stacia Piroutek**  
**1/19 John Surber**  
**1/26 Kim VanNortwick**

**Café for Jan**  
**1/12 Kim VanNortwick**  
**1/19 Jeanette Sheets**  
**1/26 Tandy Rundus**

**Head Usher-John Surber**  
**Jan: Blake Hoffman & Mikel Hadachek**  
**Children’s Message**  
**1/12**  
**1/19 Kathy Aeillo**  
**1/26**

**Praise Singers**  
Megan Ritchie, John Surber,  
Tandy Rundus

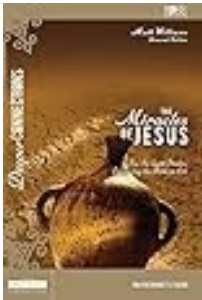
**Audio Visual**  
Bob Arbuthnot,  
Kelly Struebing,  
Tandy Rundus,  
Mike Hadachek

**Communion Set-Up**  
Lela Knedlik  
Linda Melton

**Food Bank**  
**Items Needed**  
Jello Pudding  
Saltines  
Evaporated milk  
Mixed veggies  
Canned potatoes  
Vegetable beef soup  
Peaches  
Pears  
Mixed fruit  
Pineapple  
Cake mixes  
Preserves/jelly

**Wednesday Morning**  
**Bible Study**  
**“The Miracles of Jesus”**  
**January 15th, 9:00a.m.**

**The Miracles of Jesus**  
This study is a unique, in depth look at the miracles of Jesus that will open your eyes to their impact on the lives he touched, what they reveal about God’s heart, and their significance for us today.



**Congratulations Great Grandma Joan!**  
**Sione Grover 12/30/2024**  
**(Say-oh-nay, John in English)**  
**Erin & Marie Grover**

**BABY**  
**BOY**

**BABY**  
**GIRL**

**Kaydence Rae Kasl 1/7/2025**  
**Courtney & Tyler Kasl**

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turn them in at the church  
(table in foyer)



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