

Belleville First United Methodist Church
 4th Sunday after Epiphany Feb. 1, 2026 10:45 Service

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy Liturgist: John Surber
 Café: Jewelda Scofield Children's Message: Donna Farmer
 (*Please stand if you are able) Communion Servers: Katy & Carson Struebing, Lana Novak

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

Welcome/Announcements Denise Dove

*Praise Song "Here I Am to Worship" A/V

*Congregational Hymn "I Am Thine, O Lord" UMH #419

*Call to Worship Denise Dove

Come, all who are weary from casting your nets and wondering if anything will change.

We come with tired hands and hopeful hearts.

Come, all who feel worthy, uncertain, or afraid.

We come trusting that Jesus still calls ordinary people.

Jesus says, "Do not be afraid. From now on you will be catching people."

We leave our nets behind and follow where He leads.

Come and worship the One who calls us by grace.

We come to follow Jesus. Amen

Time of Prayer

Joys & Concerns John Surber

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Amos

Song of Prayer "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70

Collection of Fish Money & Children's Message Donna Farmer

Offertory

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

Scripture Luke 5:1-11 John Surber

The Chosen clip

Message "Cost of Discipleship: " Pastor Amos

God Calls One for Transformation

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Communion

Communion Hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy" A/V

Confession & Pardon UMH #12

Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

Receiving Bread & Wine

*Closing Song
 Dismissal/Blessings

"I Will Follow" A/V
 Pastor Amos

WORSHIP MINISISTERS
2-8-2026

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy
 Liturgist: Kim VanNortwick
 Children's Message: Kim VanNortwick
 Cafe: Tandy Rundus

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 2/1 Andy Walker
- 2/3 Linda Melton
- 2/5 Addisyn Couture, Carolyn Rauch
- 2/8 Dawn Surber
- 2/9 Kelby Couture
- 2/10 Peyton Splichal
- 2/14 Juniper Rae Anderson

2025 Giving Statements are available on long table in foyer.



Carolyn Rauch 90th Birthday
February 5th

Her family would like to honor her with a card shower. Please mail cards to Carolyn Rauch 640 2300th Rd Jennings, KS 67643

First United Methodist Church
 M-Th 8:30am-12:30, 2013 M Street, 785-527-5608
 Kim VanNortwick
 adminoffice@bellevillefumc.com 785-614-0624 (c)
 Pastor Amos McCarthy
 pastor@bellevillefumc.com
 Cell: 937-270-3996
 Office Hours: Belleville T-W-Th 9-1
 Food Bank Hours: Mon-Thurs 9-11:30
 785-955-0086 Lana Novak

New National Suicide Prevention and Crisis Lifeline: 988

Congratulations! Laura & Justin Thomas
 Baby Boy: Cameron Harold Thomas
 Sunday, Jan. 11th 7lbs. 9oz. 21"
 Grandmother: Carol Monsanto
 Big Sister: Sidney



Congratulations Haley Lewis & Corey Joyner
 Baby Boy: Myles Alan Joyner
 Wednesday, Jan. 21st 4lb 8oz 16.5"
 Great-Great-Grandmother
 Ila Marie VanNortwick
 Grandparents: Brandi & James Lewis
 Big Brother: Asher Joyner



PRAYER LIST

Mike Knedlik, Carolyn Rauch, Christine Strutt, Wilma Mulch, Neva Demanett, Doug Hofman (Emma's niece's husband), JoAnn Parrack (Kaye Ray's sister), Vance Wendelburg (Susie Arbuthnot's cousin), Vanessa Grover (Joan's daughter-in-law), Mona Svoboda, Tranda Strnad, Jay Kallman, Solly Vanouhlden, Linda Whittaker (Jerry Melton's friend), Cindy Frye (Kaye Ray's daughter), Nancy Naysmith

Pew cards available for guests / prayers & information requests. Place in the offering plate or turn in to the office

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

Luke 5:1-11 Jesus Calls His First Disciples

5 One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret, the people were crowding around him and listening to the word of God. ²He saw at the water's edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. ³He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat.

⁴When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch."

⁵Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all night and haven't caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets."

⁶When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. ⁷So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink.

⁸When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" ⁹For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had taken, ¹⁰and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will fish for people." ¹¹ So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

Sermon Series for the Epiphany- Based on the movie, "The Chosen."

Purpose of the series: Title: "Experiencing the Historical Jesus"

Week 1: An Invitation to Follow Jesus

Text: John 1:35-39; 43-46.

Theme: Spirit of Inquiry versus Commitment (Jesus meets us where we are). It is important to know that the faith journey begins with availability before understanding the mission or the call.

Scene: Jesus' early encounter with Peter, James, and Andrew.

Week 2: Grace Leads to Effectiveness in Christ

Text: Luke 8:1-3

Theme: Brokenness is not a prerequisite to the Call of God. Jesus restores one from shame to greatness.

Scene: The Deliverance of Mary Magdalene (Season 1)

Week 3: The Essence of One's Calling

Text: Luke 5:1-11

Theme: The Cost of Discipleship. God calls one for Transformation.

Scene: Peter's Calling

Week 4: God's Kingdom Is Built on Total Surrender

Text: Matthew 5:1-12

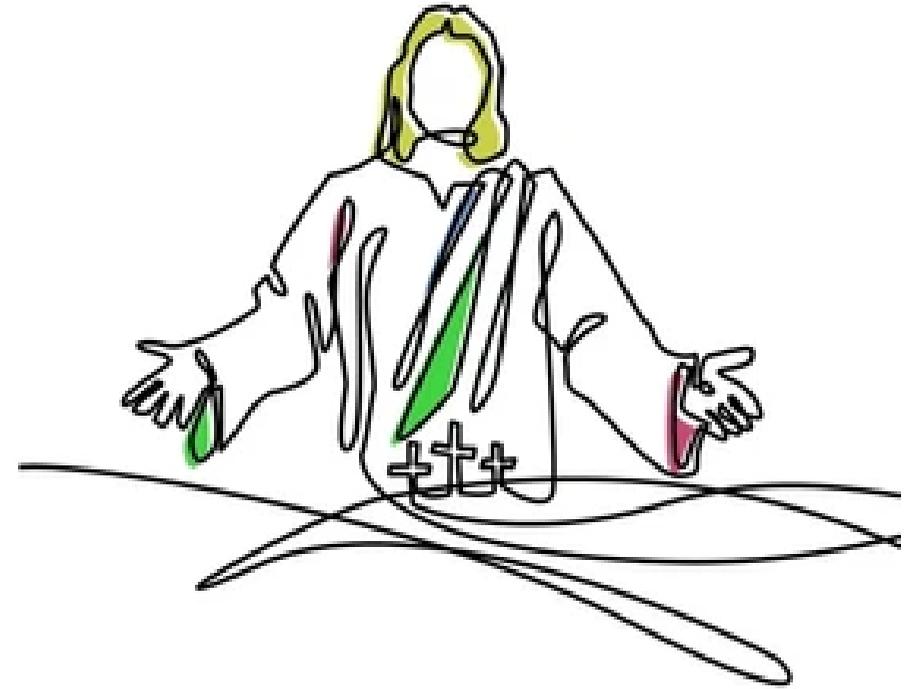
Theme: Kingdom value triumphs over cultural value.

Scene: Preparation for the Sermon on the Mount.

Bishop David Wilson-Great Plains Conference

DS Karen Rice Ratzlaff-Hutchinson-Salina District

Pastor Amos McCarthy--Belleville FUMC & Agenda UMC



First United Methodist Church

2013 M Street - Belleville, KS

February 1, 2026

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Communion Sunday



Our Mission is to prayerfully:

SEEK God GROW in faith LOVE and SERVE others

For the transformation of lives!

Sunday, Feb. 1st Communion Sunday

9:30 Sunday School
10:15 Cafe
10:45 Worship

**EDUCATION MEETING
FOLLOWING WORSHIP**

Wednesday, Feb. 4th

9:00a.m. Bible Study in Parlor
6:30p.m. Energize
7:00p.m. SPPRC meeting in parlor

Thursday, Feb 5th

10:00a.m. Tiny Tots Playgroup
(Nursery)

Saturday, Feb 7th

**ALL CHURCH VISION PLANNING
BRUNCH**

10:00a.m. Fellowship Hall (All
committees & leaders)

Sunday, Feb. 8th

9:30 Sunday School
10:15 Cafe
10:45 Worship

Wednesday, Feb. 11th

9:00a.m. Bible Study in Parlor
12:00p.m. Ladies Luncheon
6:30p.m. Energize



Tiny Tot Playgroup
1st Thursday of the month
10:00-11:30a.m.
in Nursery
Feb. 5th



Non-denominal
Bible Study
9:00a.m. Wednesdays
Belleville FUMC Parlor
Open to ALL

Heaven

by Jennifer Rothschild
Lead by Joan Grover

Meal sign up sheet available in foyer!

Wed.
6:30-7:45
Jan. 28th
Grades 6-12



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long table in foyer.**

Did you know.. Ash Wednesday is February 18th, 2026; First Sunday of Lent is February, 22; Palm Sunday is March 29th; Good Friday is April 3rd, and Easter Sunday is April 5th

(Holy Week is March 30-April 3, watch for upcoming activities)

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)

Jan-Mar Fish Money: Resource Counsel
\$ Sunday - Church People Concerned



Liturgists for Feb.

2/1 John Surber
2/8 Kim VanNortwick
2/15
2/22 Tandy Rundus

Café for Feb.

2/1 Jewelda Scofield
2/8 Tandy Rundus
2/15 Jewelda Scofield
2/22 Pam Scofield

Head Usher-John Surber

Feb: Russ Piroutek
Chad Ritchie

Audio Visual

Bob Arbuthnot
Kelly Struebing,
Tandy Rundus
Mike Hadachek

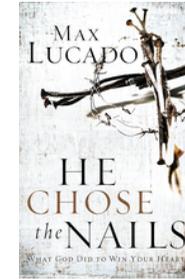
Praise Singers

Megan Ritchie, John Surber,
Tandy Rundus, Stacia Piroutek

Children's Moments

2/1 Donna Farmer
2/8 Kim VanNortwick
2/15 Kathy Aeillo
2/22

Sign up sheet available in
foyer!



Book available.
Video series also
available
on Study Gateway

"He Chose the Nails:
What God Did to Win Your Heart"
by Max Lucado
zoom link:
<https://zoom.us/j/96723275316>

ERT Training, February 28, 8:30am – 4pm at
Dodge City, KS FUMC. The registration link is
here: [https://gp-reg.brtapp.com/
ERTDodgeCity022826](https://gp-reg.brtapp.com/ERTDodgeCity022826) TBA – 2 ERT
trainings at Resurrection, watch for dates and
registration link.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE
Feb. 18th 7:00p.m.
Belleville FUMC



**All Church Leaders/Volunteers
& Committee members
Vision / Planning Brunch**

February 7th-10:00a.m. Fellowship Hall
Please RSVP to Church office by
Thursday, Feb. 5th

The aim of this meeting is to have people gather
together to discuss freely and to look at the ways we
can improve on our ministries and missions for
2026.

Church Committee Chairmen/Leaders please share
with your committees about this important meeting.

Community Prayer Team
Please join every Monday
morning at 8:00a.m. from
your home to pray for Our
Country during the month
of Feb. Set your alarms as
a reminder. Each month
may have a different prayer
request.

**Lent Sermon Series Disordered Loves:
A Lenten Journey Naming What Distort the Soul.”
Feb. 22-Mar.22**

Purpose: A Look at the seven deadly sins. These sins are not “Bad Habits” but disordered loves: ways our god-given desires turn inward. Let us not be ashamed because Lent is not about shame, but about grace that reorders the heart.

1st Sunday: "The Landmine of Pride: When the Self takes God's Place."

Text: Luke 18:19-14; Genesis 3:107; Proverbs 16:18
Spiritual Exercise: Confession (silent and corporate)

2nd Sunday: "Envy: When Comparison Steals our Joy." Text: Genesis 4:1-10

Spiritual Exercise: Name gifts without comparison.

3rd Sunday: "Anger: Taming the Lion Within."

Text: Jonah 4:1-11; Ephesians 4:25-32

Spiritual Exercise: Practicing deep breathing and calming our minds; Seek to understand other perspectives to foster empathy; Considering forgiveness as a path to release your anger; Engage in deep prayer and meditation to find inner peace.

4th Sunday: "Slothfulness: Resisting the Life God has Given."

Text: Matthew 25:14-30; Hebrews 6:11-12

Spiritual Exercise: Intentional Commitment (Focus on one concrete act of faithfulness).

5th Sunday: "Beyond Enough: The Danger of Self Craving."

Text: Luke 12:13-21

Spiritual Exercise: Giving Alms; Generosity,

6th Sunday: "Gluttony: When Appetite Becomes Identity."

Text: Exodus 16:1-21; Philippians 3:18-19

Spiritual Exercise: Fasting from food or another form of excess.

7th Sunday: "Lust: The Deception of Desire."

Text: 2 Samuel 11; Matthew 5:27-30

Spiritual Exercise: Pray the Prayer of Surrender and Renewal