



April 27, 2025
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome and Prayer

Baptism Service

Colton Berkley, Kieran Cruz
Jacob Lowery, Alexis Pelletier

Call to Worship

Isaiah 41:10

Congregational Songs of Praise

"Fear Not, For I Am with You (Isaiah 41:10)"
*"Jesus, Thank You"
"Agnus Dei"

Scripture Reading and Prayer

Acts 2:22-24

Message

Pastor Chris Taylor

"Get Off The Throne!"

John 12:12-19

(page 899 in the blue pew Bible)

Closing Song

"You Are My King"

*Tithes and Offering will be taken up during the 2nd song of our congregational singing.

Sermon Notes

Series Title: Behold and Believe

Title: Get Off The Throne!

Text: John 12:12-19

Big Idea: Give your allegiance to the true King, Jesus Christ.

1. Jesus is the God-_____ (vv. 12-15)!

See John 8:12; 14:16; 10:30; 14:9; 1:17, 32, 41

2. Jesus' royal mission was one of _____ (vs. 13).

3. Jesus would be exalted as King at the _____ (vs. 16).
See John 12:23-24; 7:30; 3:14-15; 12:32

4. Jesus' royal mission would be for the _____ (vs. 19).

Application Steps:

A. Get off the _____!

B. Proclaim the _____!

GUEST INFORMATION

Our Keltys family would like to thank you for joining us! After our services, please visit our Guest Information Desk located in the foyer. We'd love to meet you and provide some information about our church. We also have a gift for you when you fill our "Welcome Guest" card.



HOW CAN I JOIN THIS CHURCH? KELTYS 101



Keltys 101 is our Membership Information Class. This is a rotating, 4-week class that meets during Sunday school at 9am each week in the Adult Wing, Room 303. You can jump in at any time!

Attending Keltys 101 does not obligate you to join, but is designed to help inform your prayerful decision about church membership. We'll discuss our church's doctrine, philosophy of ministry, and meaning of church membership.

If, after attending all 4 sessions, you would like to join, you'll submit the Membership Form provided during class and will be scheduled to meet with a pastor to answer any questions you may have and to share your testimony of faith in Christ.

For more information, visit keltys.org/101 or speak with any pastor.

9 MARKS OF A HEALTHY CHURCH

We believe a healthy church can best be summarized by nine distinct marks. We seek to always pursue and maintain this health.

1. **Expository Preaching** (2 Timothy 3:16; 4:1)
2. **Biblical Theology** (Luke 24:27)
3. **Conversion** (Romans 8:5-8)
4. **Gospel** (Ephesians 2:1-10)
5. **Evangelism** (Matthew 28:18-20)
6. **Membership** (Hebrews 10:24-25)
7. **Leadership** (Hebrews 13:7; 11)
8. **Discipleship** (Colossians 1:9-11)
9. **Church Discipline** (Matthew 18:15-20)



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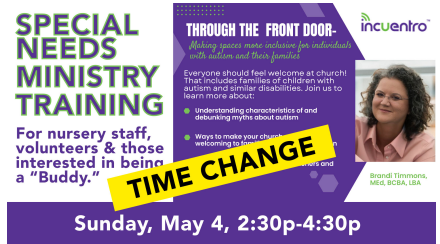
Proverbs Memorization Schedule

Jan 12, 2025 <i>Proverbs 12:19</i>	19 "truthful lips endure forever, but a lying tongue is but for a moment."
Jan 19, 2025 <i>Proverbs 12:20</i>	20 "Deceit is in the heart of those who devise evil, but those who plan peace have joy."
Jan 26, 2025 <i>Proverbs 14:25</i>	25 "A truthful witness saves lives, but one who breathes out lies is deceitful."
Feb 2, 2025 <i>Proverbs 20:17</i>	17 "Bread gained by deceit is sweet to a man, but afterward his mouth will be full of gravel."
Feb 9, 2025 <i>Proverbs 26:28</i>	28 "A lying tongue hates its victims, and a flattering mouth works ruin."
Feb 16, 2025 <i>Proverbs 11:2</i>	2 "When pride comes, then comes disgrace, but with the humble is wisdom."
Feb 23, 2025 <i>Proverbs 16:18</i>	18 "Pride goes before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall."
March 2, 2025 <i>Proverbs 3:7</i>	7 "Be not wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord, and turn away from evil."
March 9, 2025 <i>Proverbs 12:15</i>	15 "The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice."
March 16, 2025	No memory verse due to Spring Break
March 23, 2025 <i>Proverbs 26:4-5</i>	4 Answer not a fool according to his folly, lest you be like him yourself. 5 Answer a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own eyes."
March 30, 2025 <i>Proverbs 26:12</i>	12 "Do you see a man who is wise in his own eyes? There is more hope for a fool than for him."
April 6, 2025 <i>Proverbs 10:19</i>	19 "When words are many, transgression is not lacking, but whoever restrains his lips is prudent."
April 13, 2025 <i>Proverbs 12:25</i>	25 "Anxiety in a man's heart weighs him down, but a good word makes him glad."
April 20, 2025 <i>Proverbs 15:1</i>	1 "A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger."
April 27, 2025 <i>Proverbs 16:24</i>	24 "Gracious words are like a honeycomb, sweetness to the soul and health to the body."
May 4, 2025 <i>Proverbs 18:8</i>	8 "The lot puts an end to quarrels and decides between powerful contenders."
May 11, 2025 <i>Proverbs 29:20</i>	20 "Do you see a man who is hasty in his words? There is more hope for a fool than for him."

KELTYS ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPED - Special Needs Ministry Training Meeting - TIME CHANGE

If you are interested in learning more about being a "Buddy" and training for our special needs children's ministry, please attend our meeting next Sunday, May 4, 2:30pm-4:30pm in Adult Wing Room 311.



SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY TRAINING

THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR
Helping your congregation be welcoming to children and their families

Everyone should feel welcome at church! That includes families of children with autism and similar disabilities. Join us to learn more about:

- Understanding characteristics of and debunking myths about autism
- Ways to make your church welcoming to children and their families

TIME CHANGE

For nursery staff, volunteers & those interested in being a "Buddy."

Sunday, May 4, 2:30p-4:30p

Brandi Thompson, MEd, BCBA, LBA



SAVE THE DATE FOR VBS

Vacation Bible School will be July 21-25 from 6-8pm. The theme this year is Dangerous Journey, Part 2. Be sure to save the date. More information to come soon.

Register Now: Carolina Creek Camp

If your child will complete any grade 3-6, they are welcome to join us at Carolina Creek Camp this June 22-25 (Sun-Wed). The cost is \$275 per child, scholarships are available, and online registration is now open @ Keltys.org/camp. Contact Pastor Aaron with questions!




CAROLINA CREEK CHRISTIAN CAMP
JUNE 22-25

3RD-6TH GRADERS
\$275 PER CAMPER
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

REGISTRATION & DETAILS TBA

Youth Fuge Camp 2025

Sign up now for an unforgettable week at FUGE Camp, June 16-20! This is an incredible opportunity for students to grow in their faith, build lasting friendships, and have a blast. For all camp details and to sign up, visit Keltys.org/youthcamp. Thursday, May 1 is the deadline to sign up. If you have any questions, reach out to Youth Director Coby Harvison.



into the light
creating your faith

Keltys.org/youthcamp

LOCATION: Southwestern Seminary DATES: June 16-20

Member's Meeting

Our next Member's Meeting will be next Sunday night, May 4 at 5pm. We will be giving ministry updates, as well as other family matters. All members are encouraged to attend.



KYAM Meets Tuesdays @ 6:30PM

The Keltys Young Adult Ministry (KYAM) meets each Tuesday at 6:30pm in the home of Aaron & Anita Wilson. Any high school graduate, college student, or young adults in their twenties is invited to join us for fellowship & Bible study.



Awana Children's Ministry

Awana is for students 3 yrs of age through 6th grade and meets each Wednesday at 6pm. We are looking for volunteers to be listeners this year. You'll still be able to attend choir practice, Adult Bible Study, or youth group. If you're a member and would like to serve, go to keltys.org/awana.



Common Ground Youth Ministry

Our Common Ground Youth ministry is for all 7th-12th grade students. We meet every Wednesday night at 6:30pm upstairs in our SkyDeck.

Adult Choir Ministry

Are you a member that enjoys singing? Then join our choir ministry. We meet for rehearsal at 6:30pm on Wednesdays in the auditorium. The choir will be working on new music for our services.



Adult Bible Study

Our Adult Bible Study meets every Wednesday at 6:30pm in Room 311 of the Adult Wing. They are currently studying the Attributes of God.

Mission Partner Prayer Profile

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We appreciate the Keltys family!

- Our call volume has been low recently because of tax money coming out, but the volume is starting to increase again. When we're not busy it's a good thing because people are having their needs met.
- The biggest praise we have is that we were able to find a mattress to get a mother and her 2 children off the floor. We took her information and the very next call that we got was from Box Drop Mattress. They had a returned mattress that they couldn't resell it, so they either had to destroy it or donate it. It was a top-of-the-line pillow top California king-sized mattress. So, we did a pass-through donation. We have no warehouse space, so we can't normally take donations like that.
- We're looking to expand into "gap ministries." For example, First Church of the Nazarene has a diaper ministry that we use. We vet the clients, and they supply the diapers. Carpenter's Way has a medical ministry for medical supplies, etc. A couple of ideas that we have had are personal hygiene, linens, and shoes. Pray that we can identify churches to partner with us.
- And we always need volunteers! Contact us if you'd like to volunteer in our call center during the week.



HOURS

Monday - Thursday | 9am - 3pm

CONTACT

936-637-6637

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CHURCH BODY PRAYER LIST

In Paul's letter to the saints at Ephesus, he tells believers to put on the armor of God. As part of this, he encourages them to pray for one another. He says in Ephesians 6:17-18, "take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints,"

Below is a list of our church members. This will be updated each week to allow us to pray for the entire body at Keltys.
Not only can you pray for these families, but if you haven't seen them in a while, please check in on them!

Donny & Kristi Webb

Jarrold & Katie Webb

Logan & Brandy Webb; Asher, Rowan, Wren, Windsor & Nora

Joe & Connie Wells

Reid & Kayla Westbrook; Clay

Roy & Hila Westbrook

Billy & Mandi Whitworth; Amy, Callie & Emma

Ann Wilbourn

Michael Wilcox

Wayne & Martha Wilkerson

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 27

- 8:30am Sound Check for Band
- 9:00am Sunday School
- 10:00am Fellowship Time
- 10:30am Worship Service
- After service Final Home Groups
- 4:00pm Deacons Meeting (Adult Wing Room 311)

Tuesday, April 29

- 9:00am Sr. Saints Trip to Madisonville
- 6:30pm KYAM (Keltys Young Adult Ministry)

Wednesday, April 30

- 6:00pm Awana
- 6:30pm Common Ground Youth Bible Study
- 6:30pm Choir (Auditorium)
- 6:30pm Adult Bible Study (Adult Wing Room 311)

Sunday, May 4

- 8:30am Sound Check for Band
- 9:00am Sunday School
- 10:00am Fellowship Time
- 10:30am Worship Service
- 2:30pm SPED Training: Special Needs Ministry
(Adult Wing Room 311)
- 5:00pm Member's Meeting

Monday, May 5

- 9:15am MOYA (Mothers of Young Arrows)

Tuesday, May 6

- 10:00am Senior Saints Bible Study
- 6:30pm KYAM (Keltys Young Adult Ministry)

HOW TO CONTACT US

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How Can I Give My Tithes and Offerings?



As an act of worship, we collect offering during the second song of our service. Also, offering boxes are located at each back door as you exit our auditorium. In order to receive a year-end record of your tax deductible contributions, please do one of the following: 1) Use the yellow offering envelopes found in back of auditorium, 2) give online at keltys.org/give, 3) use the Keltys church app. For more information go to keltys.org/give.

(9/1/24 - 3/31/25)

Budget Offering Received Year to Date: \$466,021.16

Budget Offering Required Year to Date: \$403,584.97

March 2025 Giving: \$68,032.06

Lock-Up/Security Crew week of 4/27/2025

Mark Busbee (936) 465-0194

Lock-Up/Security Crew week of 5/4/2025

Matt Ramsey (936) 465-6794



The BOOK NOOK

Featured in The Book Nook are new selections of children's activity books that will keep them busy in the Bible! Some of the titles include:



- *Bible Numbers*
- *Bible Animals*
- *Bible Names*
- *A Bible Alphabet Busy Book*
- *Bible Detectives: Fun Bible Studies Using Puzzles and Stories* (available for: Exodus, 1 Samuel, Matthew & Mark)

1-4P Challenge

Find one unsaved person in your relational world and commit to the following:

P - Pray

Pray for this person. Pray for their salvation. Pray for opportunities and boldness to preach the gospel to them. See 1 Timothy 2:1-4; Colossians 4:2-4

P - Plan

Plan how you might engage them. This may include asking them to have coffee or inviting their family over for dinner. This may include inviting this individual to take 8 weeks to study the Bible with you. See Ephesians 5:15-16; Mark 6:7-12

P - Practice

Make sure you are practicing the gospel before them. This simply involves living a Christ-like life before them that validates the message of the gospel. Look for opportunities to serve them, encourage them, and show them kindness. See Colossians 4:5-6; Matthew 5:16

P - Proclaim

Finally, proclaim the gospel to them. This is the goal of evangelism. In fact, there is no evangelism without proclamation. Share with them the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus for sinners, and call them to repent and believe in Jesus for salvation from sin and the eternal wrath of God. See Romans 10:13-15

Person's Name: _____