



May 18, 2025
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome

Recognition of and Prayer for Graduates

Congregational Songs of Praise

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

*"The Solid Rock"

"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Scripture Reading and Prayer

John 12:36b-43

Message

Pastor Chris Taylor

"The Sad Reality of Unbelief"

John 12:36b-43

(page 899 in the blue pew Bible)

Closing Song

"The Solid Rock"

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



Sermon Notes

Series Title: Behold and Believe

Text: John 12:36b-43

Title: The Sad Reality of Unbelief

Big Idea: The grace of God is the unbeliever's only hope.

1. Separation - the _____ of unbelief (vv. 36b-37)

2. Judgement - the _____ of unbelief (vv. 38-41)

3. Misplaced glory - the _____ for unbelief (vv. 42-43)

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)



www.9marks.org

**2025 Keltys
High School Graduates**



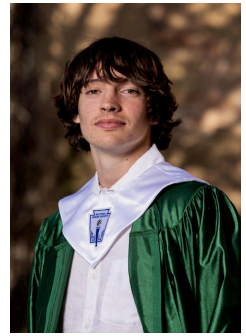
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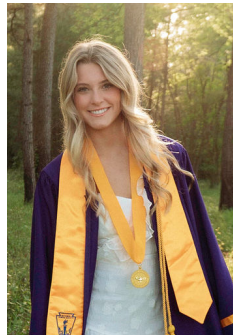
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Johnson**



**Clara
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**David
Lara**



**Alexis
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**Brittney
Rojas**



**Dalton
Shackelford**



**Law
Shaver**

KELTYS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bridal Shower for Anna Wilson

Please join us for a bridal shower honoring Anna Wilson, bride-elect of Will Fannin today at 3:00 p.m. in the home of Beverly Drake, 420 North Raguet Street.

You can find their wedding registry by scanning the QR code.

If you wish, in lieu of cards, please include one of your family's favorite recipes for Anna!



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**BIBLICAL GREEK
8 WEEK INTRO CLASS**
TAUGHT BY PASTOR CHRIS

SIGN UP AT THE MEMBER INFO DESK
FOR MORE INFORMATION

Greek Class

Do you want to learn Greek? Pastor Chris will be teaching an introductory Greek class this summer. If you are interested, please sign the list at the Member Information Desk or see Pastor Chris.

Man Camp

Our next Man Camp will be on Friday, June 6 @ 6pm. Evangelism will be the theme. We will meet on Friday night only for this Man Camp. Register @ keltys.org/men or scan the QR code.

**MAN
CAMP**
EVANGELISM

June 6 @ 6PM
Friday Night Only
SCAN CODE TO REGISTER

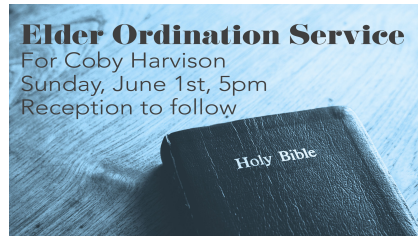
Awana Clubs
AWARDS CEREMONY
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21 @ 6:30PM
IN THE AUDITORIUM

Awana Awards Ceremony

Please join us this Wednesday, May 21 at 6:30pm for our Awana Awards Ceremony. Celebrate with us as our students will be quoting Scripture and receiving rewards. All other ministries will be dismissed.

Coby Harvison Ordination Service

There will be an ordination service for Coby Harvison on Sunday night, June 1. The private presbytery will assemble at 3pm. The public service will be at 5pm. There will be a fellowship following the service. Make plans to join us for this special service.



Register Now: Carolina Creek Camp

Students grade 3-6 are welcome to join us at Carolina Creek Camp this June 22-25 (Sun-Wed). The cost is \$275 per child. Scholarships are available. Deadline for registration & deposit is Sunday, June 1. Register now @ Keltys.org/camp. Contact Pastor Aaron with questions!



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.



Wednesday Schedule

Our summer Wednesday schedule will begin soon. Here is our schedule for the next few weeks:

- May 21: Awana Awards Ceremony (All other ministries dismissed)
- May 28: All Wednesday Services Dismissed
- June 4: Summer Midweek Services Begin
- June 11: Summer Midweek Services
- June 18: Summer Midweek Services (Youth at FUGE Camp)
- June 25: Summer Midweek Services

Mission Partner Prayer Profile The Texas Baptist Home for Children



We are honored that you find TBHC a valuable ministry for which you can partner through prayer. We sure appreciate you! Here are some prayer requests:

- Seeking families to attend an introduction meeting to learn how they can serve in the foster care arena. Would love to host a meeting at Keltys with anyone prospective families.
- For other churches in our area to truly see foster care as a ministry opportunity for which seeds of faith and growth in Christ can be realized. We need more church partners.
- Adoption celebration in Waxahachie in early June for our families who have adopted. For our families to experience the joy, encouragement, celebration, and love we have for them.
- Foster parent conference in August happening in Waxahachie. The planning and preparing and for our families to truly benefit and feel our support for them.
- Foster families in our area to be supported, encouraged, and equipped for this difficult job....not just by TBHC but our churches and community as a whole.

CONTACT INFO:

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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!

Dee Bailey

Ethel Bailey

Mike & Pat Baird

Carl & Kelli Beall; Cason, Camdyn & Corbyn

Jamie & Stephanie Beard; Toby

Lance & Katie Beaudion; Genevieve, Josephine, Christine & William

Judy Becket

Brandon & Haylee Belt; Greyson & Augie

We send love and condolences to Wil & Peggy Huckabay in the passing of his mother.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 18 (Graduate Sunday)

- 8:30am Sound Check for Band
- 9:00am Sunday School
- 10:00am Fellowship Time
- 10:30am Worship Service
- 3:00pm Anna Wilson Bridal Shower (Drake Home)
- 5:00pm Graduate Banquet

Monday, May 19

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

Tuesday, May 20

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

Wednesday, May 21

- 6:30pm AWANA Awards Ceremony
(All other ministries dismissed)

Sunday, May 25

- 8:30am Sound Check for Band
- 9:00am Sunday School
- 10:00am Fellowship Time
- 10:30am Worship Service

Monday, May 26 Office Closed for Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 27

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

Wednesday, May 28 All Wednesday Services Dismissed

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 - 4/30/25)

Budget Offering Received Year to Date: \$522,914.27

Budget Offering Required Year to Date: \$455,660.45

April 2025 Giving: \$56,893.11

Lock-Up/Security Crew week of 5/18/2025

Kevin Gee (936) 635-4927

Lock-Up/Security Crew week of 5/25/2025

Jimmy Nunn (936) 465-1828



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: _____