# Welcome

January 1, 2017 Happy New Year! 10:00am

Welcome

Singing

"Cry of My Heart"
"Step by Step"

Unison Call To Worship (NIV)

Jeremiah 6:16

"Stand at the crossroads and look;
ask for the ancient paths,
ask where the good way is,
and walk in it,
and you will find rest for your souls."

Invocation

Receiving of His Tithes, Gifts, and Offerings
Special Music Rachel Bisbee

Children's Sermon 190 "The Lord is My Shepherd"

Family Schedule & Family Concerns Pastoral & Congregational Prayer

Congregational Singing #344
Communion

"Ancient Words"

"New Year, Ancient Path"

Jeremiah 6:16 (Page 539 or 754 in the pew Bibles)

**Reflective Song** 

"Creed"

Anyone being led to take a step of faith, or who wants to be prayed for, is encouraged to come forward during the closing song.

# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

### SUNDAY, Jan. 1, 2017, Happy New Year

10:00 am Worship Service, Communion

2:00 - 9:00 pm Upward Practices

5:00 pm Radio Broadcast on KGFW

5:00 pm Prayer at FBC East

#### MONDAY, Jan. 2, 2017

Offices Closed

4-9 pm Upward Practices

#### TUESDAY, Jan. 3, 2017

4 - 9 pm Upward Practices

5:30 pm ELL Class

7:00 pm Praise Band Practice

#### WEDNESDAY, Jan. 4, 2017

9:00 am Senior Adult Walk

5:45 pm Church Night Meal

6:30 pm Church Night, All Ages

8:00 pm Brotherhood

#### THURSDAY, Jan. 5, 2017

9:30 am Women's Bible Study

4-9 pm Upward Practices

6:30 pm All Boards, Committees & Officers Reorganization Meeting

#### FRIDAY, Jan. 6, 2017

9:00 am Senior Adult Walk

12:00 pm Men's Basketball

12:00 pm Christian Business Men's Lunch

4-9 pm Upward Practices

#### SATURDAY, Jan. 7, 2017

8:00 am - 2:00 pm Upward Games FBC

2:30 - 5:30 pm Upward Games Horizon MS

#### NEXT SUNDAY, Jan. 8, 2017

8 & 11 am Worship Services

9:30 am Sunday School

10:00 am Spanish Bible Study

2:00 pm Couples Shower for Ryan & Misty Lingle

2:00 - 9:00 pm Upward Practices

5:00 pm Radio Broadcast on KGFW

5:00 pm Prayer at FBC East

You are invited to a Couple's Baby Shower for Ryan, Misty and Christian Lingle on January 8 at 2:00 pm Quad Room

Since 2016 ends on a weekend, please mark checks given on Jan. 1 either 2016 or 2017 giving. Thanks

# God in the Background the Study of Esther

beginning
January 10 at 6:30 AM
and
January 11 at 6:30 PM
This 10 week study will be led
by Pastor Sean.

Everyone is Welcome!

#### Family Concerns and Praises for Jan. 1, 2017

Eleanor Karg Caleb Bisbee Beth Petersen **Hunter Thayer** Karen Vogt Illene Drake Isaiah Bauer Terri Lind Norma Slaughter Ona Mae Wenig Phyllis Duncan Marco Morales Cliff Blythe Dennis LaFollette Ron Goad Doug & Jan Peterson Carol Baetz Robvn Reed

#### Jan. Memory Verse: Joshua 24:15

"Choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, ... but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD."

<u>Notice:</u> Parents need to provide the guardian receipt when picking up children from the nursery.

It is <u>Church Directory Update</u> time again. Please mark Registration sheets with any changes to your address, phone #, or emails and birthdates, if I don't' already have them. THANKS!

Boards, Committees, and Ministries – Your <u>annual reports</u> are due **today** Please email them to <u>secretary@kearneyfb.org</u>

Membership Class for all ages will begin on January 22, 2017 at 9:30 am in the Choir Room.

This class will be taught by Pastor Stan and Pastor Sean.



| Needed in Dec.     | \$61,569   |
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| Rec'd thru Dec. 25 | \$72,416   |
| Balance Needed     | Thank You! |

# Today's Greeters are:

Velda Harrison and Elaine Fox Brian, Sarah, Joseph & Nalani Danielson

<u>The Flowers are provided by</u> Bill & Marcy Stevens in celebration of 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Molly and Andrew Couto and Kelsey Jezbera in celebration of Addison's 9<sup>th</sup> Birthday & Aaron & Kara Estes family in honor of Barb and Kent's Anniversary.

## <u>The Radio Broadcast</u> is sponsored by an anonymous donor.

More sponsors are needed for the Radio Broadcast – please consider a gift

Sermon Notes - "New Year, Ancient Path" 1/1/2017

We have a "blended" worship service because God is the God of all ages. This is reflected in the various parts of our worship service, and the variety of music.

## 'Cry of My Heart' - by Terry Butler

Terry Butler is the Associate Pastor at Vineyard Community Church, Pomona/Claremont. Terry is a well-known worship leader, songwriter, and equipper within the Vineyard movement. He has composed such popular songs as "Psalm19," "At the Cross," and "Cry of My Heart." Terry is committed to helping raise up the next generation of worship leaders from within their local contexts to express and celebrate worship in ways that embrace and edify the cultures in which they serve.

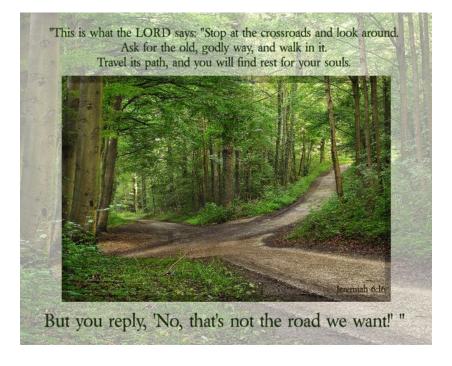
"Step by Step" – written by Michael W. Smith. He became a devout Christian at age 10; but after high school turned to alcohol, drugs and wild times. In 1979 he recommitted his life to Christ after a sort of emotional mental breakdown. His mission & love for music is to 'get the message out to a wider audience and to help young people'.

"Ancient Words"- performed by Michael W. Smith and written by Lynn DeShazo. She has been involved in ministry for over 30 years as a worship leader, song writer and teacher. She has written many praise songs that we sing today.

"Creed" written by Richard Mullins based on the Apostle's Creed that explains what we believe. The chorus tells of the fact that the Bible was not invented by men but inspired by the Holy Spirit. It is the Truth of God.

Dear Church Family, Thank you for my blanket with dogs on it. I love it.

**Audrey Applegate** 



# First Baptist Church

Pastor Stan Murdoch
Pastor Sean Dougherty
Pastor Kevin Holloway - Youth
Pastor Zach Ondrak — UNK/RWF
Angie McDermott — Counselor