



KETTERING BAPTIST CHURCH LEGACY CENTER

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Upcoming Events 9-4-22

Special Prayer

- ◆ Please continue to keep Pastor and 1st Lady Sterling in your prayers for a safe, restful, and much needed Sabbatical.

Girls Fun and Fellowship Night

- ◆ Attention ladies of all ages! Come join the Women's Enrichment Ministry's Girls Fun and Fellowship Night as we "Achieve our Full Potential in Christ", with the joy and love of God, **this Friday, September 9th at 7pm**. We will have games and prizes and you are welcome to bring your own favorite game. Parents with children under 12 years old must accompany their child. Registration ends **today**. Please register [here](#). Please note... if you want to participate in the Sip and Paint, space is limited and the non-refundable fee is \$25 per person. See you there!

Legendary Sunday

- ◆ On **Sunday, September 11th** we will recognize our **2022 Living Legend!** Please join us as we recognize the ministry, work, and accomplishments of our very own "seasoned saints". Kettering Baptist Church Living Legends are:

2001 - Polly Lambert

2002 - Freddie & Edna Williams

2003 - Mildred Trent

2004 - Douglas Taylor

2005 - Florence Dove

2006 - Geneva Hall

2007 - Joseph & Barbara Brown

2008 - Lucille Thompson

2009 - Winnifred Rowe

2010 - William & Modestine Medley

2011 - Arnell & Brenda Jones

2012 - Charlene Dukes

2013 - Geraldine Thomas

2014 - Joseph Bryant

2015 - Annette Whitley

2016 - Morgan & Annie Smalls

2017 - Christine Carraway

2018 - John Young

2019 - Marian Dickson

2020 - David & Viveca Ware

2021 - Richard & Gwendolyn Nash

2022 - ???

Awana Resumes!

- ◆ Attention parents and guardians! Awana resumes in-person this year! Join us on Wednesday nights beginning **September 14th from 7pm - 8:30pm**. Awana is open to children (potty-trained) Pre-K - 12th grade from September through June. Participants will go through an exciting curriculum learning more about Jesus Christ while enjoying game time, snack time and other special events. Registration begins next week on the church website and there will be a virtual option for those who live out of state. The registration fee of \$30 per child covers the entire program including uniform and handbooks. Please register your child/children) [here](#).
- ◆ Awana is a weekly Bible program leading kids to know, love and serve Christ. We partner with parents as they seek to help their children build lives on the Word of God. Our vision is to reach boys and girls with the Gospel of Christ and train them to serve Him.
- ◆ Awana stands for "**A**pproved **W**orkmen **A**re **N**ot **A**shamed" and is taken from 2 Timothy 2:15 "Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."
- ◆ Below is a description of the different clubs:
 - Cubbies (Pre-K & Kindergarten): Cubbies learn the basic truths about God, Jesus and salvation through fun handbooks, picture teaching cards and more.
 - Sparks (1-2 Grade): Sparks ignites a child's curiosity to learn about the people and events of the Bible, building a foundation of wisdom for knowing Christ.

- *T&T (3-6 Grade): T&T teaches kids the truth of God's Word, trains them to follow Him and practice His grace.*
- *Trek (Middle School): Trek challenges students to wrestle with the three questions they are facing: "Who am I? Why am I here? Who's with me?"*
- *Journey (High School): Journey establishes students as lifelong disciples through a deep study of God's Word and mobilizes them to live with Godly perspective and evident faith.*

Awana Ministry Members Needed

- ◆ *The success of the Awana program depends upon our leaders. Acceptance of your child in Awana is dependent on us having enough leadership. Awana is a great and easy way for you to become involved in ministry as a family here at Kettering Baptist. Want to become an Awana leader? Contact Minister Ryan Richardson at rrichardson@ketteringministries.org.*

Church-wide Picnic

- ◆ **SAVE THE DATE!** *Please mark your calendars for **Saturday, September 17th from 12noon to 4pm** for the Kettering Baptist Church-wide Picnic. There will be lots of food, fellowship and fun, plus exciting activities for the kids! The event will be held "rain or shine". We look forward to seeing you there!!!*
- ◆ **Church Picnic Volunteers Needed:** *Attention Kettering Family! We need Set-up and clean-up crews, food preparers and servers, as well as monitors for kids' activities and trash collection. The sign-up sheets are on our website. Please sign up [here!](#)*

Bill Pickett Rodeo

- ◆ *Kettering family, come join the Children's Ministry on **September 24th at 1:30pm** as we attend the Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo held at The Show Place Arena, 14900 Pennsylvania Ave, Upper Marlboro, MD. Enjoy the event with your family as you watch the cowboys and girls compete in events such as Bareback/Ranch Bronc Riding, Bull Dogging (invented by Pickett), and Barrel Racing. This event plays to sold-out crowds most years SO don't wait to purchase your discounted tickets of \$23 for children and \$28 for adults. Purchase your tickets online **now through September 11th**. Children's Ministry members will be on hand to chaperone children who are not attending with their parents. To register please click [here](#) or for more information, contact Terry Williams at children@ketteringministries.org.
Fun Fact: Although African American cowboys still faced discrimination, they were able to earn more money and respect as cowboys than they could in most other jobs in the US.*

Couples Bowling Event

- ◆ *Married Couples! You are invited to attend the Couples Bowling Event on **Saturday, September 24th from 3:30pm to 5:30pm** at the Crofton Bowling Center. The cost is \$25 per couple and includes your shoe rental. Register [here](#). As you know, many people will not be wearing masks, however, you are encouraged to wear one as a precaution. Come, have fun, and bring your "A" game! POC: Pastor Williams (andre.williams@ketteringministries.org or 301 627-9500 ext. 111).*

Missions Community Outreach Event

- ◆ *The Missions Ministry is in need of Kettering Baptist Church members and ministry representatives to participate in the planning of a community outreach event. We're seeking members who will commit to attending 2-3 virtual planning meetings and help support outreach execution. The event will be held here at KBC on **Saturday, November 13th**. The first planning meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 22nd at 6:30pm**. If you are interested, please email missions@ketteringministries.org no later than **Sunday, September 18th**.*

Music Ministry's Choir Weekend

- ◆ *All singers and aspiring singers are invited to the Kettering Baptist Church Music Ministry's Choir Weekend. There will be workshops and panel discussions for adults, youth and children on **Friday, September 30th at 6pm** and **Saturday, October 1st at 10am**. The registration fee is only \$10 (children ages 6-12 are free of charge), and you don't have to be a member of a KBC choir to participate. We will culminate with a **Concert** on **Saturday, October 1st at 6pm** where the Workshop Choir will be showcased. Guest artists and panelists include Charles Butler, Roderick Giles, Jeremiah Hicks, and George Mandel Copeland. Join us for a time to learn, a time to praise, and a time to be blessed! Please [click here](#) for more information and to register!*

Office Closed

- ◆ *The church office will be closed **tomorrow** in honor of Labor Day. Have a safe and enjoyable weekend.*