



## KETTERING BAPTIST CHURCH LEGACY CENTER

SENIOR PASTOR BUCAS STERLING, III

*"Pursuing Righteous Living!" Romans 10:1-13*

**UPCOMING EVENTS - APRIL 26, 2026**

**TITHES & OFFERING:** [giving solution - Kettering Ministries](#)

### 2026 Memory Verse Initiative

- ♦ Let us encourage one another to hide God's Word in our hearts as we faithfully commit to the memorization of Scripture.

#### ♦ April's Memory Verse is Romans 5:20-21 (NKJV):

"Moreover the law entered that the offense might abound. But where sin abounded, grace abounded much more, so that as sin reigned in death, even so grace might reign through righteousness to eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

### Thank You!

- ♦ **The Administrative Staff would like to take a moment to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who reached out, gave gifts, and offered warm hugs and prayers during Administrative Appreciation.** Your generosity truly overwhelmed us! It is such a blessing to witness the love of God in action through the kindness and thoughtfulness of our church family. Thank you for being such a wonderful source of love and encouragement. We are deeply grateful!

### New Service Times

- ♦ **Beginning next Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will offer two Sunday Worship Services at 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.** Sunday School will begin at 9:45 a.m. Mission Friends and Nursery will not be available during the 8:00 a.m. Service.

### Quarterly Business Meeting

- ♦ We encourage all members to attend the 2026 First Quarterly Business Meeting on **Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** Don't miss this opportunity to stay informed. This meeting will be conducted in a hybrid format. You may register [here](#) **TODAY by 5:00 p.m.**

### Vacation Bible School

- ♦ **VBS Training:** The Final VBS Training is taking place on **Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon.** This year's theme is, **"Illumination Station: Shining A Light On Who JESUS Really Is."** All volunteers, whether new or experienced, are encouraged to attend as information, instructions, and protocols will be provided along with the curriculum. If you plan on attending, please contact Pastor Williams [here](#) or Minister Ryan [here](#).
- ♦ **VBS:** This year's theme is, **"Illumination Station: Shining a Light on Who Jesus Really Is."** Daytime VBS will be from **7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., June 22-26 & June 29 - July 2 for 1st thru 8th grade.** The cost is **\$210** per child per week. Evening VBS will be **June 29<sup>th</sup>- July 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** for Kindergarten through Adults and is **FREE** of charge. Registrations continues through **Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>.** Dinner will be served nightly. Volunteers are heavily needed. Click [here](#) to register for Daytime VBS and [here](#) for Evening VBS.

### Missions Outreach

- ♦ Kettering...we need your help on **Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** to bless the staff at Arrowhead Elementary School as we make over their teacher's lounge just in time for Teacher Appreciation Week. We will refresh their space and create a relaxing environment for staff to decompress. Help us put together furniture and install fixtures to make this space the place to be! [Email here](#) to join us!

### Scholarship Ministry

- ♦ Did your child make the honor roll for the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter? If so, the Scholarship Ministry would like to recognize their achievement and ask that you email a copy of their report card to or fax it to the administrative office no later than **5:00 p.m. Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

### DTM Classes

- ♦ Attention Everyone! Registration for DTM classes is available **TODAY** through **Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup>.** Class descriptions and schedule are on the [website](#). There are women's classes, a men's class, and Co-Ed classes.

### Mother's Day Comedy Night

- ♦ Kettering Baptist Church is partnering with 105.1 WAVA FM to host **For The Joy**, a comedy night for women on **Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.!** Comedienne **Tanya Lewis** will leave you in stitches with her humor and lively personality. Join her and WAVA for dinner, fellowship, giveaways, and laughter. Get your tickets [here](#) and use code **'Kettering'** for half off tickets!

### Men's Ministry

- ♦ **Men's Day:** Men of Kettering, come join the Men's Choir for rehearsals on **Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 p.m.,** as we prepare to lift our voices in praise for our Men's Day Services on **Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>** in our shades of **blue.**
- ♦ **Church Beautification:** Join us back at the Legacy Center on **Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.,** for our Church Beautification Day. We will assist with beautification projects at our very own place of worship. Hope to see you there!

### Youth Lock-in

- ♦ Attention Youth Ages **12-17!** You and your friends are invited to join the Youth Ministry on **Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 p.m. until 8:00 a.m. Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>** for the KBC Youth Lock-in. Yes, you heard that right! We will be staying up all night with games, fun, food, discussions, prizes, giveaways and so much more. The registration cost is **\$15.00**, please register [here](#) by **Monday May 11<sup>th</sup>.** For more information contact Minister Ryan Richardson [here](#).

### Evangelism Workshop & Walk

- ♦ Are you ready to answer the call to reach the world for Christ? Join the Missions Ministry on **Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.** for an interactive Evangelism Workshop and Evangelism Walk. This session is designed to equip you with practical tips and effective tools to confidently share the Gospel with your community and beyond. Click [here](#) to sign up or if there are any questions.

### Newsletter Ministry Volunteers Needed

- ♦ We are excited to relaunch our Newsletter Ministry and are seeking Kettering members who are interested in serving in this area. **Opportunities are available for photographers, writers/journalists, editors, and others with a passion for communication and storytelling.** If you are interested in using your gifts to help share what God is doing in and through our church, we would love to hear from you. Please leave your name and contact number with the church office. We look forward to connecting with you!

### Scholarship Opportunities

- ♦ Are you interested in resources and tools to help pay for college? Kettering's Scholarship Ministry offers a free, online database of local and national scholarships, college readiness resources, fairs, and other helpful tools. The database also includes several Historically Black Colleges and University scholarships and resources, like Morgan State's upcoming Alumni Scholarship and others. To access the database visit the [Scholarship Ministry's](#) page.

## CONNECT WITH US!

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**Wi-Fi Access:** Kettering Guest

**Weekly Radio Broadcast Sunday:**

[Podcast - Kettering Baptist Church | 105.1 FM WAVA - Washington D.C., VA](#)

10:30am on WAVA 105.1FM; 9:30am on Family Talk Sirius XM 131

**e-Giving:** [giving solution - Kettering Ministries](#); **e-Texting:** 301-246-8018

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