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Friendship Baptist Church

April 12, 2026

Sunday Services

Bible Study 9:00am
 Worship 10:00am
 Children's Music 6:00pm
 Youth 6:00pm
 Discipleship Training 6:00pm

Mid-Week Services

Wednesday Dinner 6:30pm
 Youth/Adult Classes 7:00pm

Deacon of the Week

Apr 12 Mike Little
 336-877-7804

Apr 19 Mike McClure

Nursery Schedule

Apr 12 Frances Blevins
 & Bonnie Bradley

Apr 19 Cesar & Madison
 Rodriguez

Announcements

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Baptist Children's Home Food
 roundup month

Apr 12 Music Team meeting
 today at 5:00pm

Apr 15 Bible Study Parable of
 the Sower Matthew 13: 1-9

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude.....Pianist

Welcome and Announcements.....
 Pastor Ken Jones

Scripture Reading.....Psalm 16

Call to Worship.....Congregation

Invocation.....Pastor Ken Jones

Praise & Worship.....Congregation

Offertory Prayer..... Mike Little

Offertory Music.....Pianist

Choir.....,,,"Praise the Father,
 Praise the Son"

MessagePastor Ken Jones

Invitation.....Pianist

Benediction.....Pastor Jeff Cotten

April Counting Schedule: Lois Koontz, Kathy Shepherd, Alice Vannoy

“Jonah’s Prayer — God’s Answer”

Jonah 2, 3: 1

Thesis: God calls a man to deliver the message. Jonah, a prophet, refuses and goes in the opposite direction. God has more trouble getting his servant willing to be obedient than in bringing a great city to repentance. Jonah went down into a ship — into the depths. Then there came a great storm, an encounter with the sailors, and a great fish. While in the belly of the great fish Jonah prayed.

I. Where Jonah Prayed (vv. 1, 2)

- A. “Jonah prayed to the LORD his God from the belly of the fish.”
- B. “...and He answered me.”
- C. God hears us anywhere
- D. Better to pray in normal surroundings

II. Why Jonah Prayed (vv. 2, 3)

- A. “I called to the LORD in my distress,…”
- B. He had not been praying for some time
- C. He was in great distress

III. When Jonah Prayed (v. 7)

- A. When his soul fainted within him
- B. Jonah was now at the end of himself
- C. Jonah had a change of heart

Life Application: (v. 10) “Then the Lord commanded the fish, and it vomited Jonah onto dry land.” God delivered Jonah onto dry ground. He delivered him from his trouble. In the very first verse of the next chapter we read, “The Word of the Lord came to Jonah the second time.” What do you need to be delivered from in order for God’s will to be accomplished in your life?

Congratulations to those who have **Birthdays** or **Anniversaries** in April

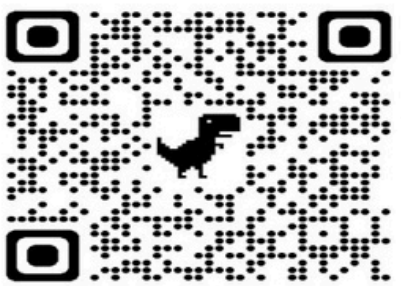


Pastor Ken Jones	Jonathan King	Karen Garner
Deacons	Roger Barker	Shelly Jones
Transition Team	Steve Johnson	Mike Cotton
Youth Group- Jeffery Cotten	Garrett Gilley	Kevin Cotton
Choir	Mike & Debbie McClure	Briggs Greenwood
Children’s Music Ministry	Jeff McClure	VBS
Lost all over the world	Andrea Sheets	Youth Camp
Sunday School Teachers	Dale Jackson	Music Ministry
Peru Mission Team (April)	Pasquel Family Construction	
Grace Tester	John Avery	
Ryan Marlow	Geneva Graybeal	
Brandon Shatley	Lessie Fink	
Brian Ridgely	Donna Harris	
Pastor Roberth	Debbie Osborne + Fred & Joan	
Allen Rice	Walters	
Marilyn & Orville Miller	Joe Cochrane	
Don & Tammy Price	John Severt (Diane Severt’s	
Jimmy Sturgill	brother)	

Offering Last Week\$4,215.00	Missions Fund.....\$ 0.00
+ Venmo\$ 610.00	Annie Armstrong.....\$ 700.00
+ Subsplash.....\$ 0.00	
Total Offering\$4,825.00	Attendance Last Week:
Budget\$5,878.83	Bible Study.....66
	Worship.....132

Vision Statement: “We exist to glorify God, love people, and make disciples of Jesus Christ.” (Helps guide everything with a desired end goal)

Mission Statement “Our mission is obedience to the Great Commandmen of loving God and others and to the Great Commission through evangelism and discipleship.” (Luke 10: 27a; Matthew 28: 19-20) (Helps us understand why we do what we do.)



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