

Monday | 02.03.25

After-School Program in session

Tuesday | 02.04.25 | 2 PM

Prayer Group @ the Jensen's—

Small group at the Jensen house (115 Circle Dr. in Bath).

Wednesday | 02.05.25

Awana 5:45 PM fast track 6:00 PM — Regular Fun Night!

Please see Pastor Brandon or Kevin Devine for more info.

Prayer Groups—6:30 PM

- 1-) Ladies prayer group on ZOOM. Contact Robin Cox or Verna Mullen
- 2-) Prayer meeting at church. Stop by to pray together. See Mark Eckler.
- 3-) Bath small group—A group that gathers for encouragement from God's word and to pray together at the Kepich home. See Dan or Maria Kepich.

Thursday | 02.06.25 | 3 PM

After-School Program in session.

Interested in helping with this ministry? See Kevin Devine.

YG Superbowl | 02.09.25 | 6:15 PM

Come cheer for your team, eat yummy food, critique the commercials or just join us for a fun evening together! Bring a friend! Sign up to come and to bring a dish to share. Pizza provided! See Tara Devine with questions.

Homesteaders Co-Op | 02.21.25 | 9 AM

Qs? See Tara Devine.

Baby Bottle Drive | 01.19 - 03.09

The baby bottle drive has started and we have bottles to take home and fill with loose change in the foyer. If you want to give by check through the church, please make checks payable to First Baptist Church of Avoca, with a note of Baby Bottle Drive.

Awana Grand Prix Workshop | 02.22.25 | 1-4 PM

Upcoming Workshop time for the Awana Grand Prix. Qs? See Caleb Cook.

LADIES RETREAT | 03.07-09.25 | My Story; God's Glory

Final payment is due Sunday, February 16. We still have room if you'd like to join us for a weekend of rest as we study the Bible, pray, sing, eat, chat, laugh, and get to know each other better at the Linck Hill Inn in Morris, PA. Contact Jen Mullen (607)661-5205 or jenmullen@gmail.com.

Help Needed | Children's Ministry

Help Needed—The children's ministry needs help during the services. If you are willing to help, please let Tara Devine know ASAP. Thank you!

Known needs (**updated 3.0**): currently still need 1st Sunday, SS hour Nursery and 5th Sunday Jr. Jr. Church helper

Help Needed | Community Supper

We are looking for someone to take over the Community Supper ministry. If you're interested in taking over this ministry please reach out to Heather Meade or email the church office

Firstbaptistavoca@firstbaptistavoca.org

4.11.25 | Secret Church | The Gospel of Matthew

Are you living for what matters most? And how are you evaluating where you are and where your life is headed? Secret Church is an intensive 6 hour gathering for Bible study and prayer focused on the work of extending the gospel. The pace is quick and the fellowship is deeply encouraging. Please sign up in the foyer.

Cost: \$15 (for guided Scripture journal)

ONE HEARTBEAT AT A TIME

Jan19-Feb 23. The PRC has asked if we could do Gift Cards. Any amount from anywhere "baby items" are sold: DG, Family Dollar, Tops, Walmart, etc.. These would be used as a prize or reward as a Thank you for the assignments that Mom completes. Thank you for helping out this way. ?'s see Joan Bower

Designated Gym Conceptual Drawings Line.

The Gym Committee met and/or corresponded a number of times, surveyed area churches with gyms, and submitted a report to the Leadership Council and Trustees explaining (a) what ministry areas that a gym could be useful in, as well as (b) design features that area churches have found to be desirable. While we do not have any plans (or approvals) to build a gym at this point, the Committee requested that a designated line be created to allow donations to fund conceptual drawings that show what a gym might look like on our lot, and how it would function with the rest of our space, in the event that the church did desire to build a gym in the future. The boards approved the designated line. Accordingly, if you would like to donate to help pay for conceptual drawings, you can do so by designating that you are giving for "Gym Drawings". Feel free to contact Aaron Mullen with any questions.

Note from the Church Office:

If you would like to receive email updates from the church, join our prayer chain, or receive missionary updates please email the church and let us know which email lists you would like to be a part of.

Do you no longer receive emails from the church lists? Send an email to the church office, and we will add you to the new 2025 distribution lists.

**First Baptist Church of Avoca
February 2nd 2025**

Sunday Services — 9 & 11:10 AM

Sunday School — 10:15 AM

Sunday Evening | Youth Group | MAPS Kids — 6 PM

Thank you for joining us at church today. If you have any questions about our services or events, please don't hesitate to contact us by phone (607-566-2077) or email (firstbaptistavoca@firstbaptistavoca.org).

Pastor — Brandon McAfee

Interim Director of Youth Ministries — Kevin Devine

Song List (9 AM)

Psalm 40 — It is You — The Battle Belongs to the Lord — Lord I Lift Your Name on High — I Will Trust My Savior Jesus

Song List (11:15 AM)

To God be the Glory — Calvary Covers it All — I Will Trust My Savior Jesus— Standing on the Promises — Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Adult Sunday School Class

Foundations: *Understanding our Church Constitution* – Kevin Devine Fellowship Hall

Junior Church

Jr. & Jr. Jr. Church (2's &3's) is available at the 9 AM service only