

# November 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 <i>Reminder: Set Clocks back an hour at bedtime</i> 6PM Youth Trivia Night
3 <i>See below for Sunday schedule</i> 2PM Kaitlyn/Cory Brussell Clothing & Diaper Shower 4pm Planning Team	4	5 Election Day	6 <i>See below for Wednesday schedule</i>	7	8	9
10 <i>See below for Sunday schedule</i> 4PM GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays	11	12 KBC Annual Meeting 10AM WINGS 6:30PM Deacons Mtg	13 <i>See below for Wednesday schedule</i>	14	15	16 6PM Off the Grid SS Class Fellowship
17 <i>See below for Sunday schedule</i> 5PM SS Teacher Meeting	18	19	20 <i>See below for Wednesday schedule</i>	21 5PM Free Community Meal	22	23
24 <i>See below for Sunday schedule</i> 11AM Camp sponsored Thanksgiving Lunch	25	26 10AM WINGS	27 BreakWeek No evening activities	28 Happy Thanksgiving  CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	29	30

**Sunday Schedule:**

9:45AM Worship  
8:30AM & 11:00AM Sunday School

**Wednesday Schedule:**

5:00PM Bring Your Own Dinner (Gym)      5:30PM Prayer Meeting (Gym)  
6:00PM RD Groups; Youth, Preschool, Children’s Activities  
7:00PM Adult Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

## BIRTHDAYS *for the* MONTH

1	Timothy Clark	4	Zach Persinger	12	Lee Ann Buchanan	22	Darius Powell
	Marcus Dunn		Kathy Pope		JC Johnson	25	Joey Kosier
	Tom Price	6	Jena Booker		Wayne Keisling	26	Crystal Hodges
	Joyce Stansbury		Phyllis Murphy	14	Naja McKenzie		Erica Gabbard
2	Vicki Montgomery	9	Debby Machan		Francena Greenwood		Gaby Buchanan
3	Harold Butler	10	Michael McCubbins	16	Dallas Sullivan	28	Bev Risley
	Joyce Williams	11	Mary O’Banion	17	Jaclyn Brumfield	29	Bea McDowell
			Rick Pinkley	21	Cookie Jones		Amy Sneed
							Kathleen Spatz



**November 2024 Edition**

**Parkland Staff:**

- Chris Heading**  
*Lead Pastor*
- Jason Sneed**  
*Music and Children’s Pastor*
- Anthony D’Avello**  
*Discipleship Pastor*
- Beth Turpin**  
*Student Minister*
- Lisa Salyer**  
*Church Ministry Assistant*
- Rhonda Grider**  
*Educ. Ministry Assistant*
- Terry Foley**  
*Pianist*
- Susann Althaus**  
*Food Services Coordinator*

**A Note From Our Lead Pastor**

November during an election year is a blessing and a curse. On Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup>, the months long campaigns will be over, the commercials won’t grace our tv screens, mailers won’t flood our mailboxes, the votes will be tallied, and winners declared. Especially in a hotly contested election year, like this one, I have more conversations with Christians who are afraid of what the future holds. There has been hyperbolic rhetoric in this election. Both sides are claiming the other will be the end of democracy as we know it. Rather than appealing to our sense of common good, they’re appealing to something even more basic, stoking the fire of our fears. But I’m reminded of something Jesus said to Pontius Pilate, “My kingdom is not of this world,” said Jesus. “If my kingdom were of this world, my servants would fight, so that I wouldn’t be handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.”

Though our vote feels like life and death, and there are certainly consequences to the outcome of every election, I want to remind you that the political process has very little to do with how God is saving the world. The Kingdom has come near not because of a great display of political power, but a great display of self-sacrificial love. So, we cast our vote, and do our best to do so biblically, voting not for our own interest, but the interest of others. We vote for the dignity of all human life, the ethical treatment of the poor, outcast, and destitute, and for both people and policies that will seek justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God. But brothers and sisters, we do not fear the future, for we know who holds tomorrow. We are citizens of another Kingdom. So, while we live in this earthly kingdom, let us do our best to honor the Lord, recognizing that one day, we will live in God’s perfect Kingdom forevermore, regardless of who wins in 2024.

*Pastor Chris*

A Note from our Music & Children's Pastor

Children's Ministry

We had a great Kid's Basketball season this year and I want to say a huge thanks to everyone who helped make it a success. Please pray for the families that played that we would be able to build upon the relationships that we have built over the last six weeks.

Our next big ministry opportunity will be our annual Unexpected ADVENTure on Friday, December 6 from 6:00-8:00PM. The evening will be filled with Bible study, crafts, music, missions, and snacks. If you would be interested in helping, please see me ASAP.

Worship Ministry

The Worship Ministry is hard at work preparing music for the upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas season. We have worship services and ministry opportunities for the next several weeks.

- November 24: Thanksgiving Service
- December 1: Parkland Family Christmas
- December 8: A Christmas Worship Celebration
- December 24: Parkland Christmas Eve Service

Now would be a great time to join the worship ministry if you sing, play a musical instrument, or like to be behind the scenes with the audio/visual.

Pastor Jason

Parkland Desert Trip

Many have expressed interest in our Middle East Mission Trip for November 2025. For this trip we will only be taking 7-10 individuals.

The first step for this trip is to fill out the pre-application form that the International Mission Board (IMB) requires (which will also include a background check). If you are interested in going on the trip, please scan the QR Code to start the process.



In the coming months there will be an information meeting scheduled that will share which country we will be traveling to, cost, trip details, etc. We will be working with our IMB Missionary (K) and her team.

If you have any further questions about this process, please contact me, 623-606-3211.

Pastor Anthony

Happy Thanksgiving  
NOV 27 No evening activities  
NOV 28 & 29 Church Office Closed

KIDS UNEXPECTED ADVENTURE  
The evening will be filled with Bible Study, crafts, music, missions and snacks.  
December 6 ▪ 6:00-8:00PM  
Pre-Kindergarten thru 5th grade  
REGISTRATION LIVE November 4  
www.parklandbaptist.org

UNETE A LA GRAN BÚSQUDA HOY MISMO CON TU OFRENDA GENEROSA  
100% OF YOUR GIFT TO THE LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING\* SUPPORTS MISSIONARY PRESENCE.  
今天就透過你慷慨的奉獻邁向偉大目標  
You are here  
INTERNATIONAL MISSION BOARD  
JOIN THE GREAT PURSUIT THROUGH YOUR GENEROUS GIFT TODAY  
November thru January Offering  
OUR CHURCH GIVING GOAL \$ 25,000

September 2024 Financials:  
September Income: \$67,625  
September Expenses: \$66,874

It's a CLOTHES & DIAPER SHOWER  
to celebrate KATLYN & CORY becoming PARENTS of a baby girl  
SUNDAY 11-03-2024 2:00 PM  
Parkland Baptist Church Gym 7206 Shepherdsville Rd Louisville KY 40219  
Bring a package of diapers for a chance to win a Door Prize  
RSVP to Deanna at 502-424-3094

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS Survival Guide  
Sunday, Nov. 10 4:00PM | Rm 207  
GRIEF SHARE

NOV 24 11AM GYM  
KIDS/YOUTH CAMP FUNDRAISER THANKSGIVING LUNCH  
TURKEY With FIXINGS PIG With RICE & BEANS

FAMILY CHRISTMAS SERVICE  
DECEMBER 1 ▪ 9:45AM  
Bring your family Christmas ornament to adorn Parkland's Family Christmas Tree

Seeking The King  
A Christmas Worship Celebration  
presented by adults, children & instrumentalist  
December 8 ▪ 6:00PM ▪ Sanctuary

NOVEMBER 17 ▪ 5PM ▪ GYM  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
TEACHERS MEETING ONLY

Free Community Meal  
DONATION NEEDED:  
DISH DETERGENT  
Drop off at Donation Station before November 21

2024 Bible Reading Plan for November

Reading Week starts on Thursdays

Week 45 – November 7

- Day 1: Mark 13
- Day 2: Revelation 18
- Day 3: Revelation 19-20
- Day 4: Revelation 21-22
- Day 5: Mark 13

Week 46 – November 14

- Day 1: Mark 14:1-11
- Day 2: Exodus 12
- Day 3: Psalm 72
- Day 4: Deuteronomy 15
- Day 5: Mark 14:1-11

Week 47 – November 21

- Day 1: Mark 14:12-31
- Day 2: Zechariah 13
- Day 3: Isaiah 52
- Day 4: Isaiah 53
- Day 5: Mark 14:12-31

Week 48 – November 28

- Day 1: Mark 14:32-52
- Day 2: Lamentations 4
- Day 3: Psalm 51
- Day 4: John 17
- Day 5: Mark 14:32-52