

What We Believe ...

THE SCRIPTURES

We Believe...

...in the verbal inspiration of the Word of God and,
...that both the Old and New Testaments are inerrant in the original writings and are the supreme and final authority for faith and life.

THE GODHEAD

We Believe...

...that the Godhead exists in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. These three Persons are one God, having precisely the same nature and attributes.

THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

We Believe in...

...His eternal existence as God;
...His incarnation and Virgin Birth;
...His death on the cross as the substitutionary atonement for sin;
...His literal, bodily resurrection from the dead;
...His present ministry of intercession in heaven;
...His personal, future return to earth;
...His unique position as the only Savior.

THE HOLY SPIRIT

We Believe...

...that the Holy Spirit, the third Person of the Godhead, convicts men of sin and regenerates, baptizes, indwells, seals, and sets apart believers unto a holy life; Keeps and empowers believers day by day; and is the Teacher of the Word of God and the Guide for daily living.

MAN

We Believe...

...man was created innocent and pure and
...Adam fell through the sin of disobedience.
...Therefore, all men are corrupted in body, soul, and spirit; and all men need redemption.

SALVATION

We Believe...

...salvation is by grace, a free gift of God apart from works;
...salvation is through personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ;
...true salvation will be manifested by a changed life.

THE FUTURE

We Believe...

...the personal, visible, bodily return of Jesus Christ to earth;
...the bodily resurrection of the just to the eternal abode in the glory of God's presence; and
...the bodily resurrection of the unjust to judgment and everlasting punishment in the lake of fire.

Ways You Can Tithe

We are excited to be able to offer several ways that our Faith family can tithe to our church.

- In person (see box on hallway round table)
- Through your bank with "Bill Pay."
- Online: You can go to our church's webpage at faithkinston.org and click the "Give Online" link.

Visitors Scan Here



January 18, 2026

John Robert Harris, D.Min - Lead Pastor

Alan Armstrong, Ph.D - Music Minister

Jennifer Lewis - Children's & Family Pastor

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service



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Worship Service

Welcome		Alan
Call to Worship		Praise Team
Opening Prayer		Jennifer
Worship in Song		Praise Team
Special	“Down From His Glory”	Alan
Guest Preacher	Rev. Dr. Dustin Bannister	
	“In a Judas World, Be Matthias”	
	Acts 1:12-16, 20-26 (NIV)	
Response Through Song		Alan
Communion		Robbie Norville
Closing Prayer		Alan

DATE	Jan 18	Jan 25
Acolyte	Elliot Harrison	Corbin Boothe
Nursery	Betty Sutley Kennedy Harris	Shelvia Riggs Bella Heath
Preschool Church	Emily Shepherd	Emily Shepherd
Elementary Church	Ron Raines	Ron Raines
Youth Supper	Jessie & Mike Wells	Youth Dept.
Sunday Night Faith Kids	PreK-2 - Michael & Ashley 3-5 - Michael & Ashley 6-12 - Paul	Youth Movie Night 4:30 - 6:30 PM

Calendar Events

Wed. Nights	Bible Study, 6:00 PM - Matthew 6:5-13
TODAY	Youth Groups, 5:00 PM (No Adult Class) Adult Choir Practice, 6:30 PM
Jan 25	Youth Groups Movie Night, 4:30 - 6:30 PM
Jan 28	Daniel Plan Bible Study Interest Meeting, 7:00 PM
Feb 2	Leadership Team Meeting, 6:30 PM
Feb 8	Youth Super Bowl Parties, 6:00 PM
Feb 27	Winter Jam

Monthly Budget for December

<u>Contributions needed to meet budget:</u>	<u>\$26,583</u>
<u>Actual contributions for the month:</u>	<u>\$41,881</u>
<u>Actual spending for the month:</u>	<u>\$24,965</u>

<u>Contributions needed to meet YTD budget:</u>	<u>\$318,996</u>
<u>Actual contributions for YTD:</u>	<u>\$344,944</u>
<u>Actual spending for YTD:</u>	<u>\$311,601</u>
<u>Current Building Fund:</u>	<u>\$108,364.24</u>

Contribution Statements

All 2025 contribution statements have been sent to your email address on record. If you do not have an email on file, a physical copy will be mailed to you. If you encounter any issues, please reach out to Bobbie Murphy at (919) 344-6748 for assistance.

Bible Reading

As the new year gets started, if you are interested in beginning a Bible reading plan there are copies available on the information table in the Grand Hall. You can choose from the one book at a time, four books at a time, or the New Testament 5x5x5.



Daniel Plan Bible Study Meeting

Ready to grow deeper in your faith while also caring for your body and soul? Join us for an interest meeting for *The Daniel Plan* on Wednesday, January 28, 2026, at 6:00 PM in the Student Room!

The Daniel Plan is a faith-based Bible study that focuses on honoring God with our whole lives—spirit, body, and soul—through Scripture, prayer, healthy habits, and supportive community. It’s not about perfection, but about growing together and making lasting, life-giving changes.

At this meeting, we’ll talk about what the study will look like, decide when we will meet, and how often we’ll gather. Come ask questions, learn more, and see if this is the next step God is inviting you to take!

Interment Ceremony

A brief Interment Ceremony for Eugene Brown will be held on January 25th at 3:00 PM. The service will take place at the columbarium situated at the rear of our property.

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That's right—4:30 PM, so we can finish both movies!

- Students will be watching *The Forge*
- Children will be watching *Light of the World*



Come enjoy a fun night of fellowship, popcorn eating, and dinner to follow. We can't wait to see you there!

Super Bowl Party Night!

Get ready for an exciting Super Bowl night full of fun, food, and fellowship!

Children's Super Bowl Party

February 8, 2026

6:00 PM – Halftime

Student Room

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