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.





December 24, 2023

John Robert Harris, MDiv - 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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CHRISTMAS EVE

Welcome Jennifer

Call to Worship Alan

Opening Prayer Alan

Worship in Song Praise Team

Special "He's the One" Praise Team

Children's Sermon Mary & Joseph Michael Broadway

Sermon "Thrill of Hope: Week 3" John Robert

Luke 1:26-38

Communion John Robert

Closing Prayer

DATE	December 24	December 31
Acolyte	Youth Department	Youth Department
Nursery	Jenny Daughety Betty Sutley	Shelvia Riggs Amy Harris
Preschool Church	Lisa Alphin Emily Shepherd	Lisa Alphin Emily Shepherd
Elementary Church	Ron Raines	Ron Raines
Van Drivers	Steve Clayborne	James Aycock
Youth Supper	Christmas Eve No Youth Services	New Year's Eve No Youth Services
Sunday Night Faith Kids	Christmas Eve No Youth Services	New Year's Eve No Youth Services

 <u>Cookbooks Available, Get Yours Today!</u> \$15 Each - Please make checks out to Women of Faith. These make wonderful gifts!

January 2024 Resume Wednesday Night Bible Study

Tonight Christmas Eve Service 7 PM

Dec. 25-26 Church Office Closed - Merry Christmas!

January 1 Office Closed - Happy New Year!

January 7 Baptism

January 14 Elder Ordination



Dear Faith Family,

Thank you so much for the love you have shown to Norman and me over the years. We are so grateful for the cards, calls, visits, food, gifts, and prayers from our church family. They mean the world to us. I am so thankful for each and every one of you.

Love,

Dorothy Hill



BUSINESS MEETING RESULT

All items up for vote were unanimously approved at the business meeting after worship on December 17.

CHRISTMAS CARD DROP BOX

All the cards will be sorted and may be picked up on the tables in the Fellowship Hall. You may drop off cards up until tonight at our Christmas Eve service. Please take home the cards that have been given to you after the service tonight or by next Sunday.



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