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Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. **Sunday Worship:** 10:45 a.m. **Wed. Evenings:** Meal-6pm (No meals June & July) **Classes:** 6:30pm

Online- Facebook Live- Sulphur Spring Baptist church page

January
2025

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Happy New Year Everyone!

2024 is now a memory as we look to all the possibilities of 2025. The gifts of this past year are being used in whatever way they can, and now we open up new ministry opportunities. There will always be changes ahead of us as we build upon the foundations the Lord has laid for us as a church. There are principles we hold to and beliefs we will not allow to be compromised. But there are also things we need to change, adjust, or let go of. What does the future look like?

What a blessing it is as we continually see new people coming through the doors of this building. It's a great honor to see how God is constantly blessing this congregation with those wanting to find a place to worship Him! But the question rises about our intentionality on outreach to those needing a place to find God. This is always challenging to any congregation. Would you make it your aim/goal in 2025 to be more intentional in reaching out to your circle of influence? We live in a community of great lostness. There's no doubt you have friends, neighbors, and family that do not attend church anywhere. Let's make it our aim to "draw the net" and fill

this house with more souls for the Kingdom of God!

We've also got to be more intentional within SSBC. There are ministries that are being marginalized or neglected. My goal this year is that we become more intentional in our youth and children's ministries. There are some great things happening, but are we just getting by with these things? Yes, there are activities already on the calendar, but is that enough? Are we doing the things that will lead our youth and children toward a better walk with Christ? We can fill the calendar, but are we filling lives with the depth of God's plan.

And what about our music ministry? We have great music at SSBC! But is what we're doing enough? Are we offering to God our best? I would love to see us become more intentional with the music ministry of SSBC. There are so many wonderful voices in this church family. We need to be using them as best we can to the honor and glory of God!

I know these thoughts are just a few of the things we must think about as we move forward in 2025. We will be forming a church council to think about these things and many more ideas for the

church. I pray for God's guidance as we explore new possibilities in the year ahead. And as always, it's a true blessing to serve as your pastor!

Blessings!!
Bro. Mike

BIBLE READING PLAN 2025

- Jan. 1- **Genesis 1-2**
- Jan. 2- **Genesis 3-5**
- Jan. 3- **Genesis 6-9**
- Jan. 4- **Genesis 10-11**
- Jan. 5- **Genesis 12-15**
- Jan. 6- **Genesis 16-19**
- Jan. 7- **Genesis 20-22**
- Jan. 8- **Genesis 23-26**
- Jan. 9- **Genesis 27-29**
- Jan. 10- **Genesis 30-32**
- Jan. 11- **Genesis 33-36**
- Jan. 12- **Genesis 37-39**
- Jan. 13- **Genesis 40-42**
- Jan. 14- **Catch-Up Day**
- Jan. 15- **Genesis 43-46**
- Jan. 16- **Genesis 47-50**
- Jan. 17- **Exodus 1-4**
- Jan. 18- **Exodus 5-7**
- Jan. 19- **Exodus 8-10**
- Jan. 20- **Exodus 11-13**
- Jan. 21- **Exodus 14-17**
- Jan. 22- **Exodus 18-20**
- Jan. 23- **Exodus 21-24**
- Jan. 24- **Exodus 25-27**
- Jan. 25- **Exodus 28-31**
- Jan. 26- **Exodus 32-34**
- Jan. 27- **Exodus 35-37**
- Jan. 28- **Catch-Up Day**
- Jan. 29- **Exodus 38-40**
- Jan. 30- **Leviticus 1-4**
- Jan. 31- **Leviticus 5-7**


MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

HAPPY JANUARY BIRTHDAY!!

Tylar Allen- 3rd
 Dorothy Stupar- 4th
 Jennifer Crafton- 5th
 Annie Jo Satterly- 9th
 Betty Ruth Hatter- 11th
 Jon Richardson- 12th
 Debbie Ferguson- 13th
 Jeremy Ross- 16th
 Jordan Shelton- 20th
 Bill Hendricks- 25th
 Makenna Cook- 25th
 Ann Mary Crafton- 27th

**RETIRMENT
CELEBRATION**

From Simpson Baptist Association



**Wilbur Powell
and
Millie Jent**

January 12 1:00PM - 3:00PM

Calvary Baptist Church
804 Church St.
Franklin, Kentucky

A card basket will be available for both at the event

Greeters:

January

Bill Hendricks
Rick Dinkens

February

Gus Wimpee
Nic Blanckenberg

Need to mail your Offering & Tithes?

Mail a check to:
Sulphur Spring
Baptist Church
P.O Box 462,
Franklin, KY 42135



“Take a box home for your 2025 offerings & tithes”

Boxes are in the foyer!

Upcoming

EVENTS

Sulphur Spring Baptist Church



Souper Bowl

Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025

Youth Ministry Fundraiser

**Men compete with their favorite soup/chili recipe!*

SULPHUR SPRING BAPTIST CHURCH



REVIVAL

MARCH 2-5, 2025

**HAPPY
JANUARY
ANNIVERSARY!!**

William & Terry
Jepson- 26th



Lord, Whether we're leaving behind a year of joy and blessing or trials and difficulties, we pause to give thanks. We thank You that You are always with us every single day of every single year.

Please remind us of Your presence in the year ahead, even when life is busy.

We are so thankful that we serve a God who makes things new and gives us the grace of fresh starts and new beginnings.

Be glorified in our lives this year.

In Jesus' name, Amen

PRAYER CONCERNS

Joe Michael & Linda Harlan
 Craig Mylor's dad-Marty
 Jonathon Cline
 Carolyn Dean
 Chris Allen- Tylar Allen's dad
 Cheryl Brannon
 Rondell Miller
 Mark Andrews
 Debbie Ford
 Wayne Birdwell- Penny's Dad
 Maecy Acrey- Courtney Perry's cousin
 Don Hopkins
 Bronwyn Peeler-Lynn Cummings SIL
 Ella Crowe- Scott Chaney's niece
 Pat Jones
 Jody Bayles
 Sandra Cornwell
 Pam Summers

Walter Thomas
 Mike Link
 Danny Ladd
 Tonda Humfeld's dad
 Steven Sexton's mom
 Chloe Gage
 Kelly Banton
 Debbie Ferguson
 Anastasia Hollowell
 Melanie Barnes
 Hester Van Zyl- Elrita's Mom
 Charles Harris
 Mason Davis
 Damont Leggs
 Ricky Hines
 Brenda Trefethen
 Steve Link
 Tammy Wesley

Tris Kington
 Cherie Moore-Dave's mom
 Baby Dutton Bandy
 Unspoken Requests

Special Care & Shut-Ins

Mary Ann McGee
 Lucille Stanley
 Betty Ruth Hatter
 Ellen White
 Euren Ellis- Helmwood Healthcare Center
 106 Diecks Dr., Elizabethtown, KY 42701
 Bill & Anita Randolph
 J.W. Randolph
 Mary Willis

Military

Major Jameson Williams-Fort Polk, LA
 Garrett Dinkens- North Carolina-Marines

NURSERY

Jan. 5th: Jerred & Mollie Ross
Jan. 12th: Elrita Blanckenberg, Hester, Makenna Cook
Jan. 19th: Jason & Kathleen Hart
Jan. 26th: Karie Dinkens, Addison Dinkens

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Jan. 5th: Kati Dinkens, Brenda Dinkens, Addison Dinkens
Jan. 12th: Jordan & Karla Shelton
Jan. 19th: Dianne Thurmond, Sydney Konow, Sadie Konow
Jan. 26th: Courtney Perry, Mollie Ross
 Ages: 3yr.-1st grade

JANUARY KID'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY EVENINGS

	K-2nd Grade	3rd-5th Grade	Van Driver	Van Monitor
Jan. 5th:	Courtney Perry	Donna Wakefield	Gus Wimpee	Donna Wakefield
Jan. 12th:	Kati Dinkens	Jacob Dyer	Bill Johnson	Laura Benton Elliott
Jan. 19th:	Anne-Hayden Satterly	Sydni Meadows	Tyler Roberts	Andrew Vincent
Jan. 26th:	Doug Bynum	Stephanie Moore	Dianne Thurmond	Doug Bynum

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

Jan. 1st: HAPPY NEW YEAR- NO MEAL OR CLASSES!

Jan. 8th:	April Perdue	Carleigh Ross	Bill Johnson	Laura Benton Elliott
Jan. 15th:	Dianne Thurmond	Doug Bynum	Dianne Thurmond	Doug Bynum
Jan. 22nd:	Stephen Scott	Abby Scott	Stephen Scott	Abby Scott
Jan. 29th:	Erica Brassell	Stephanie Wilson	Gus Wimpee	Tony Thurmond



JANUARY MEAL SCHEDULE

6:00pm- Meal/6:30pm-Classes

Jan. 1st: No Meal or Classes

Jan. 8th: Pizza Night

**Jan. 15th: Tami & Danny Hubble,
 Mary Thomas Vincent, Jennifer Crafton**

Jan. 22nd: Tony & Dianne Thurmond

**Jan. 29th: Debbie Ferguson,
 Bonnie Wimpee, Terry Jepson**

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