

ENGAGED IN THE MINISTRY OF RECONCILIATION

De Soto Baptist Church

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In Deuteronomy 1, recounting the history of his people, Moses speaks of sending the twelve spies into the land of Canaan forty years earlier. He states:

"Then they took some of the fruit of the land in their hands and brought it down to us; and they brought us back a report and said, 'It is a good land which the LORD our God is about to give us.'"

"But for all this, you did not trust the LORD your God..." (Dt 1:25, 32)

They knew the land was good, but they saw obstacles and people in that land that "...made our hearts melt..."

It is a very human thing to get discouraged when we look around ourselves at what we are faced with considering our limited strength.

Our strength seems limited physically as we age in place....

Our strength seems limited numerically as we watch the church struggle...

But our strength need not be limited spiritually as we trust in the LORD our God to accomplish His plan in us and through us.

Let's remind ourselves in WHOM we hope!

Let's remind ourselves in WHOM we have placed our faith!

Faith is believing in God and stepping out on the pathway of action.

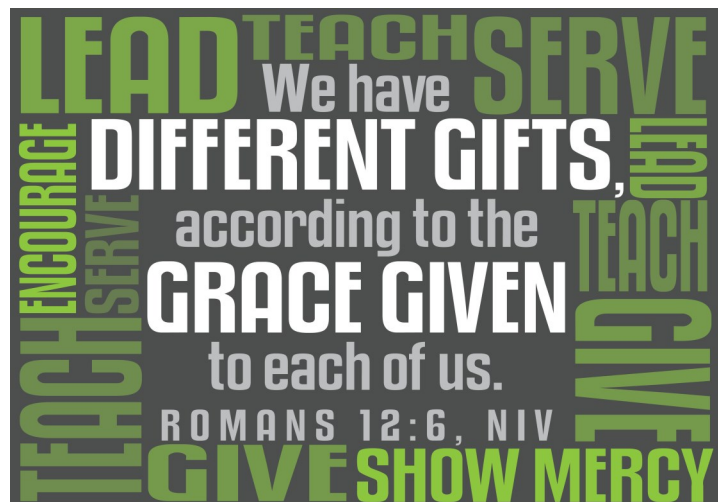
I am very proud of the group of volunteers who recently traveled to Murrow to serve the Lord by serving His children. This is the way ministry happens. An idea laid on a believer's heart, that idea shared, and others who come along side to serve the Lord.

There is a list of opportunities to serve posted on the bulletin board just outside the sanctuary. I hope you will pray for God's leading and find one to help with or lead. God will give you wisdom and strength to do His work.

If God has placed something on your heart, share it with the church. Bring it to a Deacon or the Pastor or the Christian Board of Education. God may be waiting on your boldness to move us to the next thing.

Have a safe 4th of July.

Pastor Matt



ONLINE WORSHIP—LIVE SUNDAYS AT 10:30AM

Link to weekly worship services and all past worship services

can be found on our church website:

www.desotobaptistchurch.org



FIND US ON

FACEBOOK De Soto Kansas Baptist Church



July 10th

Deacon's Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Trustees Meeting 6:30 p.m.

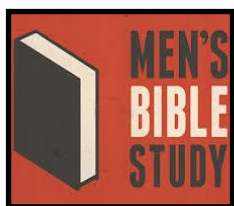
Business Meeting 7:00 p.m.



DOERS OF THE WORD - Women's Bible Study

Join our Women's Bible Study to learn how to access God's richest blessings .

2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 1:00 p.m.



Men's Bible Study

2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting in the Copeland Center



ABW Meeting

July 15 @ 6:30 p.m.

Fellowship Hall in Lower Level ~ Please join us!



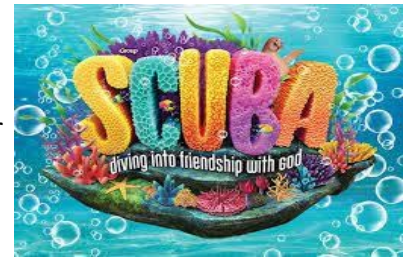
Hillside Village Bingo

July 25 at 1:30 p.m.



2024 Vacation Bible School Mission Outreach

THANK YOU seems like such a small thing to say after seeing how everyone came together to share God's love with the children and families of De Soto. So many of you from our church family gave so generously of your money, time, and energy this year at De Soto Baptist Church VBS and for that we are so GRATEFUL. An outreach program like this is not possible without the help of everyone. Knowing we were covered in prayer during the week also made such a difference.



Having the resources available to provide materials for all the children was such a BLESSING. That could not have happened without your generous donations. THANK YOU to all who took on a leadership role as a Crew Leader or a Station Leader. We know you put in extra time to prepare for your activities with your stations and crews.



We are also THANKFUL for those who took care of registration, the audio & video portion of the day, taking photos, and helping with the program & cook-out. THANK YOU also to all who helped with decorations and set up/clean up. Every detail made our week at SCUBA a blessing to so many. All the adult helpers and youth helpers also made such an important impact. Seeing the smiles on the faces of the children each day really showed us all what a difference you were making in their lives.

We would also like to THANK Karen Wall for her leadership over the past several years. She continued the work of Dorothy Nalley after she was no longer able to direct VBS. The vision and guidance provided by these two ladies really helped lead the way for us to continue this ministry.



Finally, THANK YOU for the beautiful flowers and kind words you gave us. We have experienced God's blessings and His guidance through the week at VBS and we are so grateful to have such a caring, giving church family.



Donna Gulley and Richelle Hodges, for the Board of Christian Education

VBS Offering Update

This year at VBS we participated in the Operation Kid-to-Kid project to help provide clean water for the people of Honduras. Through the week we collected \$600! We are so amazed again by such generous donations and are so happy to help provide clean water for 120 people for over a year! Thank you!



DE SOTO FOOD PANTRY

Donations Needed

Thank you so much for supporting this vital resource in our community!

MOST NEEDED ITEMS:

- Canned Fruit & Applesauce
- Dried beans
- Cereal
- Peanut butter
- Jelly
- Spaghetti sauce
- Box meals (*like Hamburger helper*)
- Tuna (*canned meat*)
- Personal items (*shampoo, razors*)
- Toilet paper

Donations bins are located at Harps & Great American Bank or can be dropped off at the Food Pantry during regular hours.

If you would like to make a monetary donation, please mail your check to: De Soto Food Pantry, 32905 W 84th, De Soto, KS 66018.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Tuesdays — 10 am to 12 pm

Thursdays — 4 pm to 6 pm

Saturdays — 9 am to 11 pm



TITHES & OFFERINGS

THANK YOU!!!

For submitting Tithes and Offerings to:

DeSoto Baptist Church

PO Box 578 - DeSoto, KS 66018

Online Tithing and
Donations are available!



<https://collectcheckout.com/r/yyw9d>



ONE DE SOTO RELIEF FUND

The De Soto Food Pantry
has created a fund called

One De Soto Relief Fund. This fund is available for community residents who are undergoing a hardship due to a current emergency, crisis, or natural disaster.

For more information, visit our website at:

www.desotoksfoodpantry.wordpress.com

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A MOMENT WITH JO

RISE UP REMNANT OF GOD

ROMANS 11:5

"EVEN SO THEN, AT THIS PRESENT TIME,

THERE IS A REMNANT ACCORDING TO THE ELECTION OF GRACE."

IN CHRISTIAN THEOLOGY, REMNANT MEANS A SMALL MINORITY OF PEOPLE WHO WILL REMAIN FAITHFUL TO GOD. RECENTLY, I LISTENED TO A POWERFUL PODCAST IN WHICH THE SPEAKER SHARED THAT FOR REVIVAL TO COME TO AMERICA, THERE MUST BE CONTINUED PRAYER AND INTERCESSION. HE ASKED, "WHAT DO YOU THINK WOULD OCCUR IN THE SPIRIT REALM OVER AMERICA, FOLLOWED BY BREAKTHROUGHS IN THE NATURAL REALM, IF EVEN HALF OF THE CHURCHES IN AMERICA OBEYED JESUS' COMMAND TO BE 'A HOUSE OF PRAYER' AS I LISTENED I HEARD MYSELF SAY, " FILL US WITH THE FIRE OF REVIVAL THAT WE SEE YOUR SPIRIT WITH SIGNS AND WONDERS AND HEALING TO FLOW ACROSS AMERICA AND THEN TO THE WHOLE WORLD THAT YOU WOULD HAVE MANY MORE SONS AND DAUGHTERS. SHOW US HOW TO PRAY EFFECTIVELY.

DEAR HEAVENLY FATHER, PLEASE FILL OUR HEARTS TO PRAY FOR REVIVAL TO COVER AMERICA. HELP US TO REMAIN FAITHFUL IN PRAYER AND WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL FOR YOUR GRACE AND EXTRAVAGANT MERCY. AMEN.



For health concerns, prayer list or Pastoral Care

Please contact Pastor Matt Burns ~

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Sign-up for our News Blast Emails

To be added to the email list...

Please send email to: desotoks baptist church@gmail.com






Luther Rice ABW Ministries

Summer Rally

06:00 P.M.

July 23, 2024

Elm Grove Baptist Church
15375 W 247th St, Paola

- * Taco dinner
 - * Spouses welcome
 - * Melissa Newberry will share about
the Central Region Project
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The 23rd Annual Open Golf Tournament

Sponsorship Information

Bethel Neighborhood Center has served the Kansas City, Kansas community since 1911.

The Bethel Open Golf Tournament is an annual fundraiser for the Bethel Neighborhood Center in Kansas City, Kansas. The funds raised will directly benefit at-risk children and youth in the Bethel neighborhood who participate in the Bethel after-school and summer programs.

This year's fundraiser is particularly important because it comes right after the COVID pandemic, and our children and youth need more help than ever before. For more information about the work we do, please visit our website at www.bethelcenter.org.

Registration Link:

[Bethel Golf Tournament Registration Link](#)

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED



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Bethel Neighborhood Center is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization and your donations (cash or in-kind) are tax-deductible. We will provide a letter you can use when you file your taxes.



Saturday, August 17th

Painted Hills Golf Course
7101 Parallel Pkwy • Kansas City, KS

Time: 7:30 am

4-Person Scramble @\$110/person



\$2000

- A sign at one of the 18 holes with your company's logo.
- Recognition on Bethel's social media platforms.
- Your company will get a free team (4 person) registration to the event.
- Opportunity to include promotional items in the tournament gift bags.



\$1000

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- Recognition on Bethel's social media platforms.
- Your company will get a free team (4 person) registration to the event.

If your business provides an item for the silent auction, a placard with your logo will appear on the bid list for that item. Additionally, you will have the chance to include discounts or marketing materials in the tournament gift bags, such as branded golf balls or pens with your company's logo.

SILENT AUCTION
ITEMS

NEEDED

De Soto Baptist Church Calendar

July 2024

SunMonTueWedThuFriSat

	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Communion Deacon's Fund		Women's Bible Study 1:00 pm Men's Bible 6:30 pm	Deacons Meeting 6pm Trustees Meeting 6:30 Business Meeting 7pm			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	ABW Meeting 6:30					
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Women's Bible Study 1:00 pm Men's Bible 6:30 pm		Hillside Bingo 1:30		
28	29	30	31			



Birthdays & Anniversaries

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

	1	2	3	4	5 Larry Towner <i>Jerry & Linda Nalley</i> <i>Dennis & Crissy Allen</i>	6 Rebekah Cosby
7 <i>Alex & Tari Thompson</i>	8 Fred Jones	9	10 Monica Walker- Rylie McDaniel Hank Kramer Allen Stone	11 Rick Miller	12	13
14	15	16	17 Sharon Brashears <i>John & Darlene Hackworth</i>	18	19 Devin Haynes Tom Huang	20 Candy Sipe
21	22	23	24	25 Jon Copeland Tamara Sipe	26	27 Larry Gulley, Sr. Amelia Hufford <i>Jim & Kim Ingalls</i>
28 Graycee Reeves	29	30 Larry West	31			

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