

Dear Church Family,

¹⁸ Where there is no word from God, people are uncontrolled,
but those who obey what they have been taught are happy.

As we approach a new year, many of us make plans and goals which are important to us. Unfortunately, we often make goals that are unreachable or unattainable. Instead of failing in this endeavor, may I suggest to you three goals we all can do in 2019.

Catch a vision for who God wants you to **become**.
Develop **plans** and **strategies** that help you get there.
Take action, repeatedly and intentionally.

Brandon Cox, a noted church leader, shares with us that often too many of our goals focus on what we want to **have** someday, but they are often determined by factors beyond our control. Our focus should be on what we can control. What are some actions you can begin to do that will aid you in growing in your faith and your life? Paul wrote it like this: "Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God." (1 Cor. 10:31)

Events coming up:

Deacon's Meeting/breakfast at Jamestown Café at 8am on Jan. 13th

Small group Bible study begins Jan. 13th at 5pm in the Fellowship Hall. We will continue with the book of James.

Youth Sunday Jan. 27th morning worship

Looking forward to 2019!

Scott

Hey Jamestown family!

Thank you all so much for any and all the prayers toward the youth. I ask that we continue to do that because we need it, we want to grow, and want to do what's best going to honor and glorify our God. This last month of December was full of the holiday spirit, we went to the nursing home to even share that with the residence there. This month of January is really exciting. Especially since January 27th is the first youth Sunday of the year! I will be preaching then and the youth will be helping run the service for that day in song, and in offering, etc. I hope you can make it, it will be a wonderful time of worship and you all get to see a glimpse of the heart for Christ these students have. Please continue to be in prayer for the youth ministry as a whole and the church because we all want to honor and glorify the Lord better. Thank you all very much!

Andrew Anderson, Youth Pastor

JAMESTOWN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

JANUARY

FAIR OAKS

There will be Singing at Fair Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, January 13th at 2:00 pm

YOUNG AT HEART

There will be No Young at Heart for the month of January. They will resume meeting in the month of February.

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY

We will have the Small Group Bible Study on "James" at the Church on Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm, beginning January 13th. Everyone is welcome!

YOUTH

The Youth Group will meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. for Sunday School and 10:30 a.m. for Worship Service.

The Youth will meet on Wednesday nights at 6:00 p.m. during the school year.

Youth Sunday will be on January 27th at 10:30 a.m.

DEACONS BREAKFAST MEETING

There will be a Deacons Breakfast Meeting on Sunday, January 13th at 8:00 a.m. at the Jamestown Cafe.

BUSINESS MEETING

There will be a Business Meeting on Sunday, January 13th at 6:00 p.m.

YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING

There will be a Youth Council Meeting on Sunday, January 6th, right after the morning worship service.

"FRIENDS" MINISTRY

Our "Friends" Children's Program will meet at the church on Wednesday, January 9th from 6:00-7:40p.m. They will continue meeting on Wednesday's at 6:00p.m. throughout the month of January.

As a reminder, if there is no school that Wednesday or that whole week, "Friends" will not meet.

CHRISTMAS BREAK FOR SCHOOLS

The students will return to school on Thursday, January 3rd, 2019.

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY

Martin Luther King Day is on Monday, January 21st. There will be no school on this day.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Cleta Hadley	03	Glenna Bertram	26
Clay Giles	06	Susan Peck	26
Carol Richards	07	Marisa Popplewell	29
Tracey Antle	09	Dwight Richards	29
Justin McClure	12	Grace Hall	30
Riley Harris	14		
Terry Stapp	16		
Bill Bertram	17		



UPCOMING EVENTS

Singing at Fair Oaks Nursing Home—Sunday, February 10th at 2:00pm

Young at Heart—Tuesday, February 12th at 12:00pm

Valentines Day—Thursday, February 14th

Presidents Day—Monday, February 18th

Sunday morning Bible Study or Sunday School Classes start at 9:30 A.M.
Sunday morning Worship Service is at 10:30 A.M.

New Year's Day~Tuesday, January 1st



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