

Schedule of Services

Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m.

Sunday evening 6 p.m.

Wednesday evening 7 p.m.

COMING EVENTS
& ACTIVITIES

For Teens on Wed. evenings: a special class on the topic, “Body Building: why the church still matters.

Wed. night children’s ministry ages 5—11.

Sept. 29—30 Father & son camp-out at Eldorado Lake. All men invited.

Oct. 7, Sat. at 9:00 a.m. Work day at the church! Come and help!

Oct. 11th, (Wed.) Lee and Nancy Warren, will sing and preach for us. If the Warrens have been at our church, it’s been many years ago. Lee and Nancy are father and mother of Ronnie Warren who has been with us on numerous occasions.

Oct. 21st, Sat. 9:30 a.m. church wide breakfast and pass out flyers.

Oct. 29 –31 Anniversary services with Jewish evangelist, Philip Sawilosky.

Continue to pray for the Church and Day Care T.V. Commercials

Church web site coming soon.

Last Sunday Attendance	103
Gen. Fund Offerings	\$ 3,221.00
Missions Offering	691.00

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
2209 E. Pawnee, Wichita, Ks., 67211
Steve Day— Pastor 263-0269



From The
Pastor's Desk
Sept. 24, 2006

Friendship Baptist Church

Wichita location: 2209 E. Pawnee

world wide location: fbwichita.com

Our church has entered the world of “cyberspace.” Our ministry can now be found at two locations, given above. The first is the “real estate” location, where you can physically walk through the doors and attend a service. The newest location is found on your “on line” computer where you can view the church’s ministry in the privacy of your own home. This address is accessible from a computer anywhere in the world. The “fbc” is an abbreviation that will work, but if you want to type in the full name, “Friendshipbaptistchurch.com” that will work as well.

The internet has become an advertising, and marketing tool for well established businesses to the individual working out of their home. I’ve heard people say, “If you want to find anything, look it up on the internet.” Many churches have had a web site for years.

A web site can offer a “display” of the church’s ministry. It is a visual presentation of the ministry with written explanation including pictures of the building, classes, pastor, teachers, those in the music ministry, different activities, and church families. The list here could be endless. We can announce all the scheduled services, special meetings, and upcoming activities. Ministry materials such as sermons, lessons, articles about current events can also be given. A list of our missionaries and their countries is already “on site.” An “Ask the pastor” page is going to be offered for those who have a Biblical question. Other areas of the web site will be developed as time goes on.

Advantages? Those looking for a church can do so in a non-threatening way. They can learn all that we allow them to learn without having to be on the church property, or in a church service. Many questions can be answered beforehand. Pray God uses it !



World Missions

The Martin Family to Portugal

Dear churches and friends,

We praise the Lord, and give a big sigh of relief! After fifteen months of bureaucracy opposition and much time and effort, the last papers were signed and we are now owners of the storefront for our new church building. God is so good! He has worked at least three major miracles in order for us to be able to buy the building :

First—we needed \$ 216,000.00 to buy the building. From three directions the funds came: \$ 50,000 from our church people, \$ 20,000 from donating churches, and \$ 160,000 interest free loan from the John Rawlings foundation.

Second—We had to get permission from 51 % of the people living in the building. Portugal is 97 % Catholic, so we had some opposition, but God gave us 51.7 % permission.

Third— After eleven months of getting through the bureaucracy, we were able to get a sales tax exemption on the purchase of the property. This saved us \$ 17,000.

We have begun construction. Work has been done in the bathroom, kitchen, and the tile floor has been finished. We also need insulation for the walls, electricity to be wired, lighting, heating, and airconditioning. We are doing most of the work ourselves to keep the cost lower. Our “move in” date is Sept. 9th, and we’re hoping to make that date.

Prayer for three things: Needed funds to complete the project; to not be distracted from our evangelism outreach while construction is going on, and that the building will help in a great way to reach the Portuguese people.

Thank you for your support to us!

The Martin’s