

OUR STAFF

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COMMUNION

In the Lord's Supper we believe that we receive the very body and blood of Christ- in, with, and under the bread and the wine. This is a profound and unexplainable mystery.

This Sacrament is open to baptized individuals who repent of their sins, believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior, and acknowledge His real presence in the bread and the wine. Children and adults who have not yet been confirmed are invited to come forward and cross their arms over their chest for a blessing.

THIS WEEK AT PROMISE

Sunday, January 4th

9:00a Worship

10:30a Worship

Confirmation Resumes

Tuesday, January 6th

6:30p Ladies' Christmas Party

Wednesday, January 7th

6:30p Bible Study

Thursday, January 8th

1:00p Elderberries Meet

6:30p Prayer Gathering

Sunday, January 11th

9:00a Worship

10:30a Worship

6:00p Sr High Youth Meet

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

Sunday, December 28, 2025

Attendance 9/10:30	224/81
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General Fund

Offerings Last Week	\$51,431.35
Needed Weekly	\$13,042

YTD Income	\$749,111.83
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*YTD Special

Contributions Income	\$77,156
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YTD Expenses	\$723,277.03
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New Year

Welcome to Promise!

We're glad you are here. If there's anything we can help you with this morning, feel free to approach Pastor Scott, Pastor Sean, a staff member at the Welcome desk, a greeter, an usher, or an elder.

Promise is a welcoming community living and growing in Christ while following His example in active service to others.

Children's ministry is offered for 3 year olds through 5th grade during Pastor's message time at 9:00am worship. The **nursery** is staffed with a volunteer for little ones during 9:00am worship. The nursery is open and parent supervised during 10:30am worship.

Offering: If you would like to make an offering electronically visit us at www.promisefw.org or scan the QR code. Text 'GIVE' to: 260-308-1059. Or you can place your offering in a 'joy box' (located on the wall near each door).



TODAY IN WORSHIP

January 4, 2026

Message

"The Perfect Gift"

Pastor Sean Sheppard

Scripture Reading

Matthew 2: 1-12

Songs

Today Is The Day

Broken Vessels

How Many Kings

Hallelujah

Revelation Song

Great Are You Lord

Agnus Dei



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Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities



Crucial & Immediate Need for Volunteers!

THIS WEEK we need help with tear down/set up of chairs.

Please email or call the church office
for a complete schedule and more information.



Crimson Thread at Home Bible Study

Starts back up THIS WEEK
Wednesday, January 7th 6:30 PM
Adult Bible Study
Children & Youth Welcome
(No Childcare Provided)



Save THE Date

January 18th: 4KenyasKids will be here to present.
January 25th: We will have one service with Chili Lunch &
Euchre Tournament after. More details to come!

SERMON NOTES

“The Perfect Gift”
Matthew 2: 1-12

PRAYER

For Healing Needs: Adeline, Alli, Asher A., Barb, David, Diana, Erik, Gabe, Hudson, Jason, Jeff, Jerry H., Joanne, Karen, Kathy, Kelly, Kristi, Kylie, Mona, Rick, Ryan, Sandi, Sara, Tammy, Toby, Tony, Zander B

For Those That Mourn: Pastor Bill Johnson and family at the death of his father.