

# Re-Discovering

# GOD



SEEKING TO KNOW HIM BETTER

FBC Ramsey



Newsletter, February 2021

## Important Dates February

- 3 All activities 7pm
- 7 Deacons' Mtg. 5pm  
SNF Soup Supper 6pm
- 10 Business Mtg. 7pm
- 14 Valentine Dinner 6pm  
sponsored by Youth
- 15 Office Closed  
Presidents Day  
Sweet Monday 10am
- 17 All activities 7pm
- 24 All activities 7pm

*"Oh, the depth of the riches and the wisdom  
and the knowledge of God! How unsearchable  
are His judgments and untraceable His ways!"*

*Romans 11:33*

**This is our verse for this year at FBC Ramsey!  
Join us on Sunday mornings as Pastor Jeff  
shares a new sermon series entitled, "Re-  
Discovering God". We will rediscover His  
essence, His power and His wisdom. Looking  
forward to seeing what God will do this year!  
Whatever we face, God is in control!**



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# From Pastor Jeff

*"I am the good Shepherd. I know my sheep and they know me..."*  
*John 10:14*

We are spending this year Rediscovering God. Our mission statement states, "To KNOW Christ and make HIM known". The more I reflect on that, the more I realize this statement is cyclical and progressive.

It is cyclical in that it shows us that the more we get to know Him, the more we want to make Him known. The more we make Him known the more we get to know Him. This cycle just continues and continues over the many years of worship and service to Him.

But there is a real sense in which it is progressive. I must first know something about Him before I can make Him known. Knowing Him is the starting place in the life of the believer. Without we are lost and hopeless and are prone to wander through life without a sense of direction.

But conversely, if we spend time and intentionally seek to know Him more and more, we encounter some things so unexpected. We will gather a deeper sense of contentment, security, peace, love, joy, etc. But even greater than that, we peer within the deepest recesses of life and start becoming encompassed and overwhelmed by the presence and knowledge of the Lord.

What a journey! What a treasure! Let's do it together.

Following Him,

Pastor Jeff



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## Reading Through the Bible Together

Feb. 1	John 21	Feb.15	Rev 3
2	1 John 1	16	Rev 4
3	1 John 2	17	Rev 5
4	1 John 3	18	Rev 6
5	1 John 4	19	Rev 7
6	Gen 4	20	Isa 6
8	1 John 5	22	Rev 8
9	2 John 1	23	Rev 9
10	3 John 1	24	Rev 10
11	Rev 1	25	Rev 11
12	Rev 2	26	Rev 12
13	Psa 139	27	Zech 4

**Deacons  
Meeting  
Sunday,  
Feb. 7th  
@ 5pm**

Copies of the reading plan are on visitor's table in foyer.

### **SWEET MONDAY**

**Feb. 15 @ 10 am  
at church**

**Devotion, refreshments  
& Love notes  
All ladies are invited to  
join us!**

### **SUNDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP**

**February 7 @ 6pm**



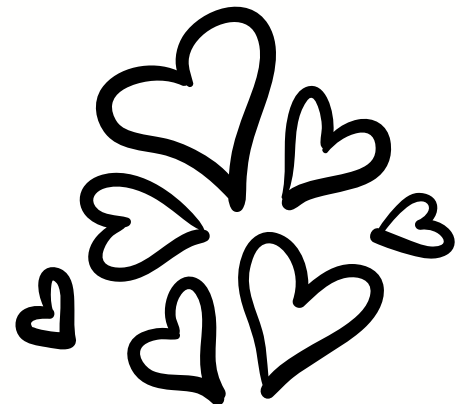
**SOUP PROVIDED--BRING  
SANDWICHES, FINGER FOOD  
& DESSERT.  
COME FELLOWSHIP WITH US!**

### *Valentine Dinner*

The Youth are hosting a Valentine dinner for all the adults on

**Sunday, February 14th at 6 pm.**

Get your FREE ticket from a youth or Andrew. This will be a time of food, fun, and fellowship!



# From Pastor Andrew

## 1 Corinthians 9:24-27

***"Don't you know that the runners in a stadium all race, but only one receives the prize? Run in such a way to win the prize. Now everyone who competes exercises self-control in everything. They do it to receive a perishable crown, but we an imperishable crown. So, I do not run like one who runs aimlessly or box like one beating the air. Instead, I discipline my body and bring it under strict control, so that after preaching to others, I myself will not be disqualified."***

**January was the start of a new year while last year my focus was on "Knowing Christ". 2021 will be a push to "Make Him Known". I include 1 Corinthians 9:24-27 as it reminds me to be purposeful in both my walk with Christ and the ministry I have been entrusted. With that purposeful mindedness I will be using this year to develop spiritual habits in our youth and kids so that they will grow closer to Christ and have great self-control. These self-control and habits will be what equips them to make Christ known. In addition, a theme of evangelism will be common in both ministries this year as the students learn and gain confidence in sharing their faith. I will be looking and making opportunities for our students to share their faith, while meeting the physical and spiritual needs of our community. I hope many of you join me this coming year in prayer and discipleship as we go out to share the good news. If you feel God laying on your heart to help with the youth or children's ministry this year, please reach out to me for opportunities to serve as we are on mission this year in a time people desperately need the hope and love of Christ.**



## FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

2 Jimmie Brewer	17 Betty Wollerman
3 Grant Eddy	20 Kelvin Worker
6 Shannon Sapp	21 Johnnie Warner
7 Travis & Sharle Elliott	21 Mike & Janie Steel
9 Addilyn Friesland	21 Quentin Carter
13 Mathew Roberts	24 Becky Casey
13 Mike Steele	26 Clint & Laura Benhoff
14 Mike Hayes	29 Hunter Willis
15 Pam McFarland	29 Mistie Adermann
16 Jeff Shouse	



### **FEBRUARY FOOD PANTRY**

1 or 2 lbs. Dry Beans/Rice  
Instant Potatoes (all kinds)  
Gravy Mix  
Cornbread Mix

Soda crackers  
Mustard & Ketchup  
Canned Soups  
Chili Beans

## **Worship Together!**

### **Sunday Worship Service @ 10am**

and Streaming LIVE on Facebook & YouTube

### **Wednesdays @ 7pm**

Mission Kids/Youth Ignite/Adult Bible Study  
(Adult Bible Study also streaming live on Facebook)

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