Psalm 119 • Sermon Notes "Growing in Love with God's Word

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WELCOME

Keyport Bible Church - August 21, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's Ministry Kickoff, Fellowship, & Games:

Please join us for a fun evening of games and fellowship! Friday, September 16th 6:30 - 8:30 pm in the MPF.

AWANA Volunteers needed!:

Pastor Matt & Annette are excited to be jumping into AWANA leadership this year. We are looking for people to join our team for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Matt Daniells or Kevin Kirchner.

AWANA Registration:

AWANA 2022 - 2023 is coming up! AWANA will hold its Kickoff BBQ & Registration Wednesday, September 14, @ 6:22 pm. The AWANA Registration link is in the Herald and on the KBC website.

Dorothy Jones' Memorial Service:

Please join Brian & Julie Parker (former attendees of KBC) as they honor Julie's mother, Dorothy Jones, on Sunday, August 28 at 1 pm in the Sanctuary. Desserts welcome!

*Note: The MPF will already be set up for the Memorial Reception before church service on August 28. On Sunday morning, we will still livestream the service into the MPF; you are welcome to sit in there, we only ask that the tables, chairs, etc. are not moved around.

LOOKING AHEAD

August 24: All Church Mariners Game

August 28 @ 1 pm: Dorothy Jones Memorial Service

September 11: Discussion Groups begin again

September 14 @ 6:22 pm: AWANA Kickoff BBQ & Registration **September 16 @ 6:30 pm:** Women's Event: Fellowship & Games

October 7 - 9: Women's Retreat

"BECAUSE OF A PASSIONATE LOVE FOR JESUS, KBC DESIRES TO CREATE DISCIPLES WHOSE FIRE IS BURNING BRIGHT AND SPREADING TO OTHERS."

How we're doing that:

- 1.We **IGNITE** a fire for Jesus
 - ...when we hear His Word preached as a church.
- 2.We **FUEL** that fire for Jesus
 - ...when we discuss His Word in smaller groups.
- 3.We **GROW** that fire for Jesus
 - ...when we practice His Word in Discipleship relationships.
- 4.We **SHARE** that fire for Jesus
 - ...when we help to build a fire in others.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Persecution: Update on Early Rain Covenant Church in China On July 17, we prayed for the Early Rain Covenant Church (ERCC) as Chinese officials began to persecute them in May and detained an Elder in June. On August 14, the police raided the church during Sunday service, announcing the church was disbanded and the gathering illegal. The police then locked in the 60 church members, refusing to let them leave until the members supplied identification. Xing Hongwei was reluctant to give his personal information and resisted police as they forced him towards the registration. Because Hongwei resisted, he was arrested and led away with his wife, Zhao Qing. ERCC members waited for Hongwei outside the police station but found out that he had been charged with "assaulting police" and transferred elsewhere. Please pray for the ERCC, that the Lord will strengthen and embolden their faith to share and be a light to the community around them and the officials, no matter what happens.

DISCUSSION GROUPS

Our desire is that everyone would experience the blessing of joining a Sermon Discussion Group. If you'd like to join one, please let us know!

OUR PASTORS

Senior Pastor: Matt Daniells
Youth Pastor: Jonathan Morris
Support Pastor: Mike Chinn