

# First Faith Apostolic Church

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Overland Park, KS 66085

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## Service Times:

*Sunday Prayer Time: 9:30 AM*

*Sunday Bible Study: 10 AM*

*Sunday Worship Services: 11 AM*

*Wednesday Prayer Time: 7:00 PM*

*Wednesday Service: 7:30 PM*

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> week of the month: Men's  
Prayer Vigil; 3<sup>rd</sup> week: Family Prayer



## The Word for the Month:

2 Timothy 2:15

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

## From: Pastor Jonathan Hanney:

Welcome to First Faith Apostolic Church.

To you our Friends and Neighbors:

We extend this hearty invitation for you to attend our church services. When you come, we believe you will especially enjoy the wholesome Christian fellowship and spiritual services. We believe you will have an opportunity to encounter the presence of God!

At First Faith Apostolic Church we are striving to uphold true Biblical Salvation. We believe that in order to be saved one must obey the Gospel!

We are a growing multicultural Church and would love to have you join us in worship. Please come as you are.

We are part of the Oneness United Pentecostal Church International which is one of the fastest growing religious groups in the World.

## Statement of Faith:

### 1. The Bible

- a. The Bible is the inspired Word of God. It gives a true history of the creation of heaven, earth, and humanity.
- b. The Bible contains correct prophecy of the ages to come regarding heaven, earth, and the destiny of humanity.
- c. The Bible is True and Authoritative and it teaches us how to be saved and lead a Godly life.

### 2. Plan of Salvation:

- a. Through Sin, Humans have separated themselves from God. Though we like to think ourselves as basically good, we're deceiving ourselves if we claimed we haven't sinned (Romans 3:23, 1 John: 8-10)
- b. Only through the blood of Christ we receive deliverance from all sin and unrighteousness.
- c. We believe only through a PERSONAL relationship with Jesus Christ is the only way back to God (John 14:6).
- d. To be forgiven, we must admit we are going the wrong way and ask God to forgive us of our sins, and see the need for him in our lives.
- e. We must be baptized in the name of Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of sins. This is a necessary part of New Testament Salvation as the apostles and other followers did (Acts 2:36-41; 8:16; and 19:5).
- f. We must receive spiritual baptism available for all believers today, and the Bible describes it as a spiritual birth. The prophet Joel (Acts 2:16-18) and Apostle Peter (Acts 2:39). The evidence of receiving the Holy Ghost is speaking in other tongues (other languages) as the Spirit of God gives utterance (Acts 2:4).

### 3. Divine Healing

- a. The Apostles prayed for the sick as prophesized by Jesus in Mark 16:18: "They shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover." We are promised divine healing in James 5:14-15: "Is any sick among you? Let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord shall raise him up."

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 "The Search for Truth" Bible Study 7:30 PM	2	3 Youth Home Missions Lawrence, KS	4 Youth Home Missions Lawrence, KS
5 Morning Prayer 9:30 AM Sunday School Bible Study 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM Pie Auction	6	7	8 "The Search for Truth" Bible Study 7:30 PM	9	10	11 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8:00 AM – 9:30 AM.
12 Morning Prayer 9:30 AM; Mother's Day Sunday School Bible Study 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	13	14	15 "The Search for Truth" Bible Study 7:30 PM	16	17	18 Family Prayer 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM Junior Quiz Event
19 Morning Prayer 9:30 AM Sunday School Bible Study 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM Music Program 2:30 PM	20	21	22 "The Search for Truth" Bible Study 7:30 PM	23	24	25
26 Morning Prayer 9:30 AM Sunday School Bible Study 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	27 Memorial Day	28	29 "The Search for Truth" Bible Study 7:30 PM	30	31	Notes:



Bishop Ron Hanney:

Founder of First Faith Apostolic Church 1989

Bible Study Leader and Bishop

Be sure to Check out the First Faith Webpage for our past sermons and information on our Church at:

<http://www.firstfaith.org/>

We are also on Facebook at the following link:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/First-Faith-Church-a-United-Pentecostal-Church/205407719477052>

Driving Directions:

<http://www.mapquest.com/maps?2a=8633+W+167th+St&2c=Overland+Park&2s=KS&2z=66085-8813&form=directions>

## The Seven Pillars of Wisdom

“Wisdom hath builded her house, she hath hewn out of her seven pillars” (Proverbs 9:1)

It is a great compliment when someone remarks, “She is a very wise person.” We interpret this to mean that the person is intelligent, careful, farsighted, and has good judgment. All are very desirable traits to possess. A definition of wisdom from Vine’s Expository Dictionary says the Hebrew word “wise” means “A Mastery of the Art of Living in accordance with God’s Expectations.” This definition goes beyond society’s definition. Wisdom is a trait, we should value and desire in our lives.

What is the source of wisdom? The Bible clearly provides the answer to this question:

“From where then does wisdom come? And where is the place of understanding.... God understands its way, and he knows its place...And to man He said, “Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom, And to depart from evil is understanding.” (Job 28:20, 23, 28, NKJV).

“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the holy is understanding.” (Proverbs 9:10). Within this context: “Fear of the Lord” refers to awe, reverence, honor, and respect.

The book of Proverbs provides numerous contrasts between a person who is wise and one who is foolish. From the various passages we soon discover that wisdom is essential for a successful life, especially a successful life in serving God. Proverbs 4:7 – Wisdom is the principal thing. Therefore get wisdom; and with all thy getting, get understanding.”

In reading Proverbs 9, what are some of the differences we see between wisdom and foolishness?

### Wisdom

Accepts correction.  
Careful how to live.  
Chaste, faithful, pure  
Modest  
Avoids foolish people

### Foolishness

Rebukes correction.  
Scorner corrects others.  
Clamorous, simple, knoweth nothing  
Glamorous, temptress  
Stays with foolish people

James 3 tells us there are two kinds of wisdom: the wisdom of this world (“earthly, sensual, and devilish”) and the wisdom that comes from above. Proverbs 9:17 states “But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be interested, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy.” That is the wisdom you want!