



How to Reach Your Pastor

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As I write this (on November 9), I am awaiting a new phone from Verizon. I bought a Z Flip 6 this summer. It died in September and was replaced. Then the replacement died on October 27. I was originally promised a replacement within seven business days. On the seventh day, I was promised four to five calendar days. We shall see.

This experience has revealed just how much I rely on my phone, and others rely on my phone to reach me. I bought a Tracfone to carry me through. Knowing that it is temporary, I didn't distribute the number widely. But "temporary" has turned out to be a long time. So in general, I would like everyone to know how to reach me. Keep in mind that I pride myself on returning messages promptly and never missing meetings. If I do not respond to you, or if I miss a meeting, something has gone wrong.

Email: My preferred method of communication is email. I can read it on any computer and on my phone. The best way to reach me is to email jonathan.kimball@gmail.com. If this fails, you can try my work email, kimballjw@mst.edu.

Phone: In normal circumstances, I can be reached by cell phone at 217-621-1753. I no longer have a home phone (the number ending 6645 can be deleted from your contact list). I often do not answer phone calls because of circumstances around me, but I do respond to texts and voicemails.

My Tracfone number is 573-465-3091. Do not use this unless it has been a couple of days and I didn't respond. After this month, I will keep the phone but probably will not keep it active unless my next replacement also fails.

Other People: If for some reason none of these methods is working, try reaching me through someone else. You can reach Rhonda at 217-621-4586. You can reach my secretary, Katie Franks, at 573-341-4503.