

Fern Creek Baptist Church

April 28, 2024, 10:45 a.m.

To preserve an atmosphere of worship, we respectfully request that cell phones, pagers, and alarm watches be turned off and not used during the service. Also, please refrain from leaving the worship service unless it is an emergency.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WE GATHER BEFORE GOD

Welcome Linda Barnes Popham

+ Exchange of Peace

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Prelude Karen Love

“Brethren, We Have Met to Worship”

arr. Mary McDonald

+ Call to Worship Debbie Gorbandt and Congregation

“Majesty and Power”

+ Invocation Debbie Gorbandt

+ Hymn Medley STEP BY STEP

426 *“Step by Step”*

HARTFORD

“Victory in Jesus”

Pastoral Prayer Linda Barnes Popham

WE LISTEN TO GOD

Anthem Adult Choir

“And the Father Will Dance”

Mark Hayes

Scripture Reading Melissa Logsdon-Young

Psalms 51:1-12

Prayer of Confession Linda Barnes Popham

+ Hymn HIS MERCY IS MORE

“His Mercy Is More”

arr. Dan Galbraith

Children (Kindergarten and Pre-K) will be dismissed for Children’s Church during the first stanza of the hymn. Please meet Jayla Grigsby at the back of the sanctuary. If this is your child’s first time participating with this group, please have a parent/guardian leave with the child to complete an information card.

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

Anthem Men’s Choir

“Seek Ye First”

arr. Lloyd Larson

Sermon Linda Barnes Popham

“Dealing with Sin”

Ezra 10:1-17

WE RESPOND TO GOD

+ Hymn of Response 307 WOODWORTH

“Just As I Am”

+ Offertory Prayer Phil Shewmaker

Offertory Karen Love

“The Potter’s Hand”

arr. Lloyd Larson

+ Doxology 253 OLD 100th

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

+ Benediction Linda Barnes Popham

+ Postlude Joanna Wright

“March” from “The Musical Clocks”

Franz Joseph Haydn

+ Indicates where it is appropriate, if able, to stand.

THIS WEEK’S MEMORY VERSE

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Psalm 51:1

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Linda Barnes Popham, Pastor 239-0316 ext. 103
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APRIL 21, 2024

OUR STEWARDSHIP



ATTENDANCE

Sunday School - 76
Morning Worship - 131

Weekly Budget Needs	\$	10,991.00
Budget Received	\$	5,407.00
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$	373,694.00
Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$	332,467.36
Building Fund Weekly Total	\$	80.00
Building Year-to-Date Balance	\$	7,012.42

PASTOR'S PALS BOOKLETS

Pastor's Pals booklets are provided for children (and anyone else who would like) to use during the worship service. These booklets are available at each entrance to the sanctuary.

The cry room located at the back of the sanctuary is available for parents with young children who choose to use it. A nursery is provided in the preschool area for children ages birth through three years old. Children's Church is provided for age four through kindergarten. Children / youth should be accompanied by a parent or an adult if it is necessary that they leave the sanctuary during the service.

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FERN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH



MISSION STATEMENT

REACHING UP . . .

to God with an open heart and faithful obedience in response to His call

REACHING IN . . .

to our church fellowship to grow and serve together in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

REACHING OUT . . .

to the whole world by sharing the gospel through the power of the Holy Spirit

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