Fern Creek Baptist Church

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Leonard Westmorland Director of Facilities, ext. 104

MEMORIAL TILES

If you would like to purchase a Memorial Tile for our third panel, please put your form/ money in the offering plate or give to Jodie • Forms are Towles. located in the foyer area.

LINDA'S LINES

Do you sometimes look around you during worship or Sunday School and wonder where people might be whom you have not seen for a while? I urge you to contact those people and invite them back. Perhaps, they are ill or just need an encouraging call. Will you pick up your phone right now and call someone? One of the purposes of the church is to minister to each other. Thank you for helping to make that sense of community better by caring for one another!!

On another note, we have a need for more workers to help with our precious "little ones" during Sunday morning worship. If you are willing to be added to the list, please contact me as soon as possible. Caring for our children is such a vital ministry within our church.

On a similar note, the church building must always be a safe place for all people, especially our children. We have a group currently working on policies related to this; however, we ask that you please continue to abide by the following regulations which have been in place:

- Only adults are allowed to pick up children from classes/activities.
- No one should be in the preschool or children's department at any time unless they are a worker for the class/activity, a staff member, or a parent or adult family member dropping off or picking up a child.
- There are always to be two approved adults working with all classes of children or youth.

Thank you for your help.

And, as always, please pray: "Lord, Send a Great Revival!"



Annie Armstrong

SUNDAY SCHOOL 125

MORNING WORSHIP 160

\$1,106.52

APRIL 10, 2016

OUR STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Budget Needs 8,991.00 6,196.05 **Budget Received** Year-to-Date Budget Needs \$287,712.00 Year-to-Date Budget Received \$ 273,717.12

BUILDING FUND

Weekly Total Year-to-Date

70.00 2,259.03

HONDURAS DONATIONS AND PACKING

We are collecting clothing, shoes, toothbrushes, toothpaste, toiletries, and school supplies. Please put these items in the bin marked "Honduras" in the space between the Common Area and the Christian Life Center.

Your donations are greatly appreciated. Our next packing days are:

- Thursday, April 21, 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- Monday, April 25, 10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 26, 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.



If you can help, please come to the Christian Life Center during any of these times. Lunch will be provided each day.

WEEK OF APRIL 24 DEACON OF THE WEEK

Charlie Grimes 239-2522

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Gary Kistner 419-5505

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Jamie Houston

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Danny Hass & Ann Abney

EXTENDED SESSION

Marilyn Calvert, Cheri Calvert, Terri Bosemer, & Sharon Thompson

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Steve Bruce Wednesday - Steve Bruce

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Rachel Been

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Lesley Hass 231-3735

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Chad Popham 759-2013

CHILDREN'S SERMON Chris McWhorter

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Billie Faye Walker & Tracy Walters

EXTENDED SESSION

Carole Nagle, Allison Magruder, , Susan Hudgins, Nancy Bickers, & Rachel Been

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Scot Anderson Wednesday - Steve Bruce

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Chris Towles

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2016

10:00 a.m. Honduras Packing FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 2016

7:00 p.m. CrossPoint@theCreek 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2016

8:00 a.m. Optical Training

9:00 a.m. Men on Mission

1:00 p.m. CLC Reserved

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2016 8:30 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

6:00 p.m. Community Choir Festival

CLC Reserved

MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 10:00 a.m. Honduras Packing

7:00 p.m. GROW (W Teams)

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2016

10:00 a.m. Honduras Packing

2:30 p.m. Open Gym

6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2016

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner

6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship L.I.G.H.T. for Youth

Children's Choirs

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 2016

7:00 p.m. Honduras Team Meeting

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 2016

7:00 p.m. Associational Acteens Retreat 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2016

9:00 a.m. Work Day

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2016

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

5:00 p.m. Youth Choir

6:00 p.m. Mission Friends

Girls in Action

Royal Ambassadors

Acteens & Challengers Adult Discipleship Training

7:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

MONDAY, MAY 2, 2016

6:00 p.m. Churchill Downs Ministry 7:00 p.m. GROW (G Teams)

<u>ΓUESDAY, MAY 3, 2016</u>

10:00 a.m. GROW (G Team)

2:30 p.m. Open Gym

6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

7:00 p.m. Stewardship Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 2016

4:30 p.m. Staff Meeting

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship

> L.I.G.H.T. for Youth Children's Choirs

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2016

CDC CLOSED

6:00 p.m. Adult III Sunday School Class

Fellowship

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2016

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Women on Mission

SPRING SUNDAY EVENING CLASSES **NOW - May 15, 2016 ADULT CLASSES**

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- Bible Study: Isaiah (continued from last session) taught by Renee Bryant and Neal Tingle (Sanctuary)
- You Make Me Crazy: Surviving Relationships God's Way (by Rick Warren) - facilitated by Linda Popham (Room 301/303)
- Singing 101: Vocal Techniques led by Greg Bruce (Room 306 Choir Room)

CROSSPOINT@THECREEK

Friday, April 22, 7:00 p.m. Youth Grades 6-12 Guest speaker: Roger Palmer Christian rock band: "Hush Harbor"

FELLOWSHIP*WORSHIP*COMMUNITY*GAMES*MESSAGE*MUSIC

MEN ON MISSION

Join us on each Saturday, 9:00 - 10:00 a.m., as we study through the Bible from Genesis through Revelation; every week we pick up where we left We meet in the Christian Life Center – Room 407. All men are encouraged to attend. Questions? Contact Sam Frizzell (645-7792).



ATTENTION: INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

April 24 is Instrumental Ensemble Sunday. Please let Greg Bruce know if you are interested in participating. We will meet in the sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. on April 24.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER - 5:30 p.m.

Thank you for letting us know who wants to have a standing reservation for every week. Please call the church office (239-0316) by noon on Monday to make your reservation.

Adults.....\$5.00 Children and Youth..... \$4.00 Under age 6.....Free Family Maximum.....\$16.00 (.50 additional charge for carry-outs)

April 27

Hamburgers / Hot Dogs Baked Beans Chips Peach Cobbler & Ice Cream May 4

Spaghetti Texas Toast Salad Dessert

HONDURAS MISSION TRIP

July 23 – 30, 2016

We hope many of you will join us on our next Honduras Mission Trip. If you I can go with us, please attend our team meeting in the sanctuary on; Thursday, April 28, 7:00 p.m. Questions? Contact Linda Popham or Renee Bryant.

LRBA ACTEENS RETREAT

April 29, 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. Fern Creek Baptist Church Theme - "Story Line"

Guest Speaker: Denise Gardner, KY WMU Acteens Specialist Young ladies, grades 6-12, are invited to join us for an evening of fun and fellowship as we join in an interactive experience designed for students to explore how the story of their lives intersects with God's story every day. Questions? See Melissa Logsdon-Young



WORK DAY

Saturday, April 30, 9:00 a.m.

Join us and help us keep our building and grounds beautiful!!

FOOD CLOSET NEEDS

Our church's Food Closet currently has the following needs: canned meats, canned soup, jelly, crackers, peanut butter, dried beans, bar soap, shampoo, and toilet paper. Please place your items in the bin between the Common Area and the Christian Life Center. Thank you for helping stock our food closet and helping those in need!

SOFTBALL SIGN-UPS!



Youth (grades 6-12) and Adults: sign-up for co-ed softball teams in the breezeway on the shelf between the church and the Christian Life Center. Youth will play on Thursday evenings at Highland Park Baptist Church and adults will play on Friday evenings at Highland Park Baptist Church. Deadline to sign up for either team is April 30.

HURCHILL DOWNS BACKSIDE MINISTRY

May 2, 2016, 7:00 p.m.

We are in need of brownies and cookies. We need to have them by Sunday, I May 1st. We will be feeding about 100-125 people. Their worship time will be 7:00 p.m. and dinner at 8:00 p.m. We will be leaving the church between 5:15-5:30 p.m. Questions? See Brenda Pennington.

FRIENDSHIP INTERNATIONAL BREAKFAST

May 4, 2016 - Walnut Street Baptist Church

Betty & Ed Ward and Brenda Pennington will be delivering breakfast to our International Friends. We need the following items: Pastries, donuts, eggs, muffins, fruit, coffee, bagels with cream cheese, different breads, regular bread or buns, and sweets. If you are willing to donate some of these items, please let Betty or Brenda know. Items need to be in the kitchen no later than Tuesday, May 3. If you are interested in going to help, please let us know. Thank you.

Surrender · Sacrifice · Serve

You are cordially invited to attend Long Run Baptist Association's Woman's Missionary Union's **Annual Missions Celebration** Tuesday, May 10, 2016 At 7:00 p.m.

West Broadway Baptist Church (8420 Six Mile Lane) A Missions Fair and reception following the meeting will be in the Fellowship Hall. Please visit and network with these ministries to make a connection and team up to serve the Lord toaether.

Questions? Contact Cathy Mattingly, (502)267-7556.

"YOUNG AT HEART" OUTING

Thursday, May 12, 10:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Big Four Bridge and Picnic on the Indiana Side Please bring your lunch and soft drink/water.

Cost – \$5 (bus transportation) – This is due on the day of the event.

NEEDED: "YARD ANGELS"!!!

Yard Work Teams have begun cutting grass, etc., but we still need additional workers. Please help us by signing up for one of the seven different teams. Each team works every seven weeks. You may join a team by calling Joy in the church office. Thanks for your help!

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Chris McWhorter - Minister of Youth and Children



What is the elephant in the room? The elephant in the room is the battle against sexual temptation. The temptations our youth face today are everywhere and more and more youth are losing the battle to sexual temptations. How do young men survive the onslaught of lust thrown at them through movies, tv, video games, music, and the internet? Guys aren't the only ones fighting the battle for purity. The statistics on pornography are astounding: 70% of males age 18-24

visit porn sites in a typical month, while 1 in 3 porn viewers are women. The scariest part...these statistics are from 2006. Most youth don't realize the detrimental effects pornography can have on them until it is too late. Youth will learn how the sexual battle begins in their heart and mind and develop a plan to rise above today's debased, self-seeking culture by examining God's standard. Youth will learn to train their eyes and minds and clean up their thought life. We will be going through two books over the next several weeks in addition to using Scripture. Every Young Man's Battle and Every Young Woman's Battle by Stephen Arterburn. I highly recommend every youth to purchase a book whether this is an issue they struggle with or not.

Just wanted to thank everyone who helped participate in the youth fundraiser by renting a booth or donating items. We were able to raise over \$700 at the yard sale and cover several youth to attend camp. THANKS!!!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 6 – 10, 2016

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Children: (age 3 – grade 8 completed) (must be age 3 by October 1, 2016)

6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Youth (grades 9 – 12 completed)

If you are willing to work in VBS, please contact Terri Bosemer. Chris McWhorter, or Linda Popham. **Our next meeting is May 15, 7:05 p.m.**

OVERNIGHT AT CEDAR CREST

\$60 per person July 1-2, 2016 For girls in grades 1-6

Mother - Daughter Overnight for girls who have completed grades 1-3 and their mothers (or "mother substitutes").

GA Overnight for girls who have completed grades 4-6 and their leaders.

Deadline to sign up, May 22, 2016

All money is due at that time. T-shirts are an additional \$10. Questions? Contact Melissa Logsdon-Young, 643-0100.

CROSSINGS CAMP REGISTRATION

We currently have 14 youth enrolled to attend Crossings at Cedarmore, **July 4**-8, with 10 spots still available. Cost to attend is \$300 per participant. Please register ASAP as these spots will fill soon. Fundraisers will be available periodically to help cover costs.



- Zack Pickering

- 3 Shain Calvert Jesse Capps Billy Record
- 4 Loren Been
 David Hudgins
- Chase Zoeller
 5 Jackie Routt
 7 Brandon Colvin
- Holland Kendall 8 - Pat Newton

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 10 Doug Benningfield Amanda Fox Samantha Stone
- 11 Sam Pickering
- 12 Tammy Grosheider
- 13 Becky Frizzell 15 - Amanda Barr
- Gregory Stockman 16 - Scotty Anderson
- Angie Gilpin 18 - Scott Been Cara Capps
- 19 Susan Gray Steve Marion Neil Rivers Sydney Smith
- 21 Steve Hale

- 23 Davidetta Konneh Betty Meyer Nicole Seraphine
- 24 Jennifer Wrin
- 26 Lesley Hass
- George Kleber
- 27 Erin Aldridge Troy Couch
- 28 Bruce Allen
- Hannah Miller
- 29 Mary Price 30 - Samuel Dean, Jr.
- Chuck Parrish 31 - Dutch Kendall



CDC HAPPENINGS

Terri Bosemer - CDC Director

Just a reminder, if anyone is interested in enrolling their child in the "Summer Fun" program or in our Preschool Program, NOW is the time! We are filling up quickly. These programs are offered to two, three, and four-year-olds.



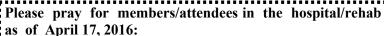
"Summer Fun" is a wonderful way to keep your child in the routine of going to school. For the two-year-old children, this program is a great introduction to fall preschool. It also helps beat those summer boredom blues. The schedule will be filled with many fun and enriching activities such as splash day, chapel, and crafts.

CDC REGISTRATION 2016-2017

It is important to reserve your child's spot for the upcoming year. Please contact Terri Bosemer or Alice Glenn for an enrollment form. Please make sure to fill out (front and back) and return the form to the office. Each application must include a \$100 non-refundable reservation fee in order for the application to be processed. No reservation will be made before the fee has been received. If you have any questions or need assistance, please call 239-8952 or e-mail terri@ferncreekbaptist.org.

Our sympathy is extended to:

- Geraldine Grigsby and family at the death of her uncle, William "Billy" Goodwin;
- Doris Ann Sea and family at the death of her greatnephew, Alan Fraipont;
- David Hudgins and family at the death of his niece, Beth Ann Hudgins;
- Saundra Segrest and family at the death of her great-nephew, Dustin Osbourne.



- Margaret Ann Durham Glen Ridge Health Room 412
- Kathy Smith Baptist Health room 593 (Park Tower)
- Caroline Stevens Audubon Room 6223

Thank you notes have been placed on the bulleting board from: Edith Briscoe and the Guelda family.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7:00 pm Deacons' Meeting	7:00 pm Churchill Downs Ministry 7:00 pm GROW (G Teams)	10:00 am GROW (G Team) 2:30 pm Open Gym 7:00 pm Stewardship Meeting	4:30 pm Staff Meeting	5	6:00 pm Adult III Sunday School Party CDC Closed	10:00 am Women on Mission (AGAPE Group)
8 MOTHER'S DAY	7:00 pm GROW (R Teams)	2:30 pm Open Gym 7:00 pm LRBA Mission Celebration, West Broadway Baptist Church	Honduras Truck Loading 6:30 pm Women's Support Group	"Young at Heart" Big Four Bridge / Picnic 7:00 pm Sanctuary Reserved	Youth Movie Night	6:30 pm FC / HUM Gala
7:05 pm VBS Meeting	7:00 pm GROW (O Teams) Sanctuary Reserved	9:30 am Sisterhood 7:00 pm CDC Program CDC Closed	18	10:30 am CDC Program	Last Day for CDC Picnic in the Backyard	10:00 am Salvation Dolls Workshop S D Mission Trip
8:30 am Instrumental Ensemble 6:00 pm Children's Choirs Program 7:00 pm New Members' Reception	7:00 pm GROW (W Teams)	24	6:30 pm Children's Choirs Parties Youth VBS Blitz	26	27	28
South Dakota Mission Trip						
12:15 pm Memorial Day Celebration No Evening Activities 2:00 pm Homebound Communion	30 MEMORIAL DAY Church Office Closed	31	May 2016			