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**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 Towles. Forms are located in the foyer area.

LINDA'S LINES

Vacation Bible School has been around for over 100 years, but it is still relevant! I am happy that our church realizes the importance of this tremendous ministry. VBS has touched the lives of millions of people, many of whom are in our own church. VBS is not just for children and youth. It is for all of us. Vacation Bible School works best when each person in our church family is involved. We still need workers to help in some of the classes. Please contact Chris McWhorter, Terri Bosemer, or me if you are willing to help. This is one week out of the year that I hope you will all use to invest in leading children and youth to Jesus or to a closer relationship with Him. Can we count on you? Obviously, many of you are at work during VBS time; however, you can do your part by praying fervently for the children, youth, and workers. Thanks, church family, for loving the children and youth!

On another note, many of you know Daniel Davis, my nephew and our former Minister of Youth and Recreation. Daniel has been called as full-time Pastor of the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Waddy, Kentucky. He begins his ministry on April 24. Please pray for Daniel and his wife, Jennifer, as they begin this new venture in their lives.

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

	SUNDAY SCHOOL 147	MARCH 27, 2016
	MORNING WORSHIP 287	OUR STEWARDSHIP
	Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 8,991.00
	Budget Received	\$ 8,261.70
	Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$ 269,730.00
	Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$ 256,156.45
	BUILDING FUND	
	Weekly Total	\$ 40.00
Annie Armstrong	\$981.52	Year-to-Date \$ 1,730.03

DINNER AND AUCTION FUNDRAISER

Friday, April 15, 2016

Doors open at **6:00 p.m.** / Dinner served at **6:30 p.m.**
 All proceeds go to Honduras / Nicaragua Mission Trips.
 \$25 ticket includes dinner and admission to auction.

Entertainment - Phil Kelley and Troy Young

Menu - Stuffed Pork Loin, Grilled Vegetables, Wild Rice, Salad, Rolls, Drinks (Tea, Lemonade, Coffee), and Cheesecake



Free Childcare and Children's Party for children of ticket purchasing adults (5th grade and under) Games, Pizza, and Fun!

Tickets are on sale after worship on Sundays or in the church office.

**WEEK OF APRIL 10
 DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Becky Frizzell 690-2716

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Jerry Walker 270-589-1510

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Brenda Pennington

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Renee Bryant and Neal Tingle

EXTENDED SESSION

Amanda Fox, Roberta Anderson, Edith Briscoe, Suyapa McWhorter, and Lindsay Emert

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Steve Bruce

Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Caleb Anderson

**WEEK OF APRIL 17
 DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Sam Frizzell 645-7792

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Joseph Montgomery 422-2208

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Terri Bosemer

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Ernie and Dana Adams

EXTENDED SESSION

Martha Blansette, Kim Been, Kathy Fraley, and Jennie Kaelin

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Scot Anderson

Wednesday - Steve Bruce

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Jeremy Roberts

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2016

"Young at Heart" Retreat

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2016

KY WMU Annual Meeting

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016

KY WMU Annual Meeting

9:00 a.m. Men on Mission

Youth Fundraiser—Yard Sale

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 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

MONDAY, APRIL 11, 2016

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 2016

10:00 a.m. Honduras Packing

2:30 p.m. Open Gym

6:30 p.m. Women on Mission - Group II

Alcoholics Anonymous

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 2016

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner

6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship

L.I.G.H.T. for Youth

Children's Choirs

Women's Support Group

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 2016

10:30 a.m. "Young at Heart" trip to

Overlook Restaurant

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2016

6:00 p.m. International Mission Trips

Fundraiser

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2016

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

10:00 a.m. Salvation Dolls Workshop

4:00 p.m. South Dakota Fish Fry

Fundraiser at Parkland

Baptist Church

SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2016

JEFF ST. #2

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

MONDAY, APRIL 18, 2016

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2016

9:30 a.m. Sisterhood

2:30 p.m. Open Gym

5:00 p.m. International Mission Trips

Fundraiser at Culver's

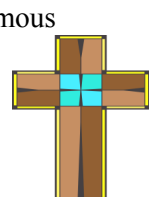
6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

FERN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Reaching Up...

Reaching In...

Reaching Out...



SPRING SUNDAY EVENING CLASSES

April 3 – 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)

YOUTH CLASSES

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

- **Youth Choir** (grades 6-12) – led by Greg Bruce (Choir Room 306) (Snack Supper – 5:45 p.m.)

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- **Acteens** (girls, grades 6-12) – taught by Becky Frizzell, Teresa Kendall, and Suyapa McWhorter (Christian Life Center – Room 414)
- **Challengers** (boys, grades 6-12) – taught by Chris McWhorter and Kevin Blansette (Christian Life Center – Room 410)

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

The classrooms are located on the second floor of the Education Building.

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- **Girls in Action** (girls, grades 1-5) – taught by Melissa Logsdon-Young, Pam Reid, Sandy Hall, and Davidetta Konneh (Room 204)
- **Royal Ambassadors** (boys, grades 1-5) – taught by Tyler Anderson, Scot Anderson, and Jim Sallee (Room 206)

PRESCHOOL CLASSES

The classrooms are located on the first floor of the Education Building / CDC.

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- **Mission Friends** (ages 2-5) – taught by Brenda Pennington, Cheri Calvert, and Amanda Fox (Room 107)

Childcare (led by Jeannie Kern and Carole Nagle) is provided for babies and toddlers who are accompanying adults attending the classes. (Room 111 – First Floor of Education Building – Child Development Center)

YOUTH "YARD SALE" FUNDRAISER

Saturday, April 9, from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

This fundraiser is to support our youth who will be attending Crossings Camp (July 4-8) at Cedarmore in Bagdad, KY. There are several ways you can participate: You can either donate items to be sold by the youth group on Friday, April 8; or you can participate by renting a booth for \$10 and selling your own items. For more information contact Chris McWhorter at (843) 312-8757.



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 will pick up where we left off. We meet in the Christian Life Center – Room 407. All men are encouraged to attend. Questions? Contact Sam Frizzell (645-7792).

HONDURAS DONATIONS AND PACKING

We are now 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 day is **Tuesday, April 12, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.** If you can help, please come to the Christian Life Center during any of this time. Lunch will be provided.



WILL YOU HELP?

Open Gym for Youth (Grades 6-12)
Tuesdays, 2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Christian Life Center



Help us as we reach youth in our community and city for Jesus Christ.

- Adults who would like to help in any way (chaperoning, refereeing, giving devotionals, etc.), please contact Chris McWhorter.
- If you would like to help provide food or serve the meals, please contact Doris Ann Sea.

WOMEN ON MISSION

Group II, Night Group, will meet on **April 12, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Christian Life Center in room 416.

Please join us for a great time of learning about missionaries and doing mission projects.



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 13
Breakfast Meats Pancakes Dessert

April 20
Taco Soup Rice / Fritos Salad Dessert

"YOUNG AT HEART" OUTING

Thursday, April 14, 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Overlook Restaurant and Stephenson's General Store
Leavenworth, Indiana

Cost – \$25 (includes the meal, gratuity, and bus transportation)

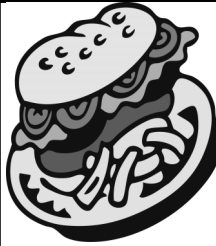
Meal: Fried Chicken, Roast Beef with Gravy, Salad, Green Beans, Corn, Mashed Potatoes, Rolls, Tea, Blackberry and Peach Cobblers

Please make checks payable to Fern Creek Baptist Church. Your money serves as your reservation and must be turned in to Mary Berridge or the church office by **April 10**. Questions? Contact Brenda Pennington.

HONDURAS FUNDRAISER - CULVER'S

Stop in at Culver's of Louisville
(4630 S. Hurstbourne Pkwy.)

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 - 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.



10% of all sales will be donated to the Fern Creek Baptist Church Honduras Mission Team in support of their Mission Trips.

LIZ CURTIS HIGGS

If you are interested in going to hear Liz Curtis Higgs at Walnut Street Baptist Church on April 21 at 7:00 p.m., please sign up with Joy by April 10. Cost is \$12. Your check, made payable to FCBC, is your reservation.

Community Choir Festival

Sponsored by the

Fern Creek / Highview Ministerial Association

April 24, 2016, 6:00 p.m.

St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church

5505 Bardstown Road

A reception will follow the festival.

Childcare is available for choir members.

VISION TEAM



The Vision Team will meet Tuesday, April 26, 7:00 p.m. in room 113 - Lower Ramp. Please make plans to attend.

HONDURAS MISSION TRIP

July 23 – 30, 2016

We hope many of you will join us on our next Honduras Mission Trip. If you 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.



WORK DAY

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

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

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.

Our sympathy is extended to:

- Terry Schult and family at the death of her uncle, Lawrence Smith;
- Jack and Edith Briscoe and family at the death of Edith's brother, Joe McGlothlin.



Please pray for members/attendees in the hospital/rehab as of April 3, 2016:

- James Apple - Audubon - room 4115;
- Kathy Smith - Baptist Health - Park Tower, room 593



Thank you notes have been placed on the bulletin board from: Ann, Valerie, and Matt Abney and Bill Montfort and family.



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.**



WAYS TO GIVE
There are three ways to give to Fern Creek Baptist Church:
 1) **Sunday's offering with your envelopes.**
 2) **Through your bank online service.**
 3) **Online via our website.**

What's accepted:
ACH-your bank account number & routing number
Debit Cards
Credit Cards



EMERGENCY MEDICAL TEAM
 Sudden cardiac arrest can happen anywhere, even in church! Giving CPR and using an automated external defibrillator (AED) can greatly increase the victim's chance of survival. We now have an AED in our church and need volunteers to serve on an emergency medical team as needed.

If you are age 21 or over and interested in training for use of the AED and CPR, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer. You do not have to be in the medical profession! With proper training, the AED is very simple to implement. Come to our first meeting (it will be posted) for an overview.

If you have any questions, please call Norma Routt at 361-7996 or email podroutt@aol.com.



CDC HAPPENINGS
 Terri Bosemer - CDC Director

Just a reminder, if anyone is interested in enrolling their child in the "Summer Fun" program, NOW is the time! We are filling up quickly. This program is 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. To enroll please call 502-239-8952 or email terri@ferncreekbaptist.org.

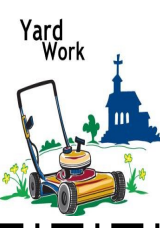


CDC REGISTRATION 2016-2017
 Registration for fall preschool is now open. We will again offer two, three, and four-year-old classes. It is important to reserve your child's spot for the upcoming year. Please contact Terri Bosmer or Alice Glenn for an enrollment form. Please make sure to fill out (front and back) and return 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.

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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 signing up at the foyer shelf in the Common Area or by calling Joy in the church office. Thanks for your help!



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.

MUSIC NOTES
 Greg Bruce - Minister of Music
 The After Easter Fog

It's after Easter! Christ has Risen! The cantata has been sung, the services attended, and now this is the time of year where people ask themselves, "What's Next?" I am here to tell you that the work is never done in the music department and your work isn't done either. Jesus gave the great commission to go and preach to the entire world. He was telling his disciples that the task is not done. The same goes here at Fern Creek Baptist Church. We have VBS coming up, Children's Music Week in July, the July concert for adult choir, mission trips, and a ton of other events coming up. Before you know it, it will be Christmas again! We need your help! Be a part of something outside your comfort zone. Join a class! Help out with Music Week! Be involved! Be bold in Christ Jesus and reach people outside of these walls. We hope to see you at the many functions we have during the summer months!

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YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
 Chris McWhorter - Minister of Youth and Children

Fern Creek Baptist Church will be conducting LifeWay's "Submerged" for Vacation Bible School this year. This year's VBS is all about finding truth below the surface. We want your children to join us for the fun and excitement! During VBS, kids will hear Bible stories and discover the truth that Jesus knows all about them and loves them unconditionally. Each day kids will explore what lies below the surface of the deep sea by creating crafts, playing fun games, enjoying tasty snacks, singing cool songs, and learning about missions. Our church is eagerly waiting to welcome your children to this free event. Please call the church office for more details!

Crosspoint@thecreek will be held on April 22 at 7:00 p.m. at Fern Creek Baptist Church. This is a free event for youth grades 6-12. Guest speaker Roger Palmer and local Christian Rock band "Hush Harbor" will help lead the evening fun. Attendees can also expect games, food, and fellowship. Don't miss it!

We are in need of some artistic, willing, and creative thinkers to join me in preparing for this year's VBS. The theme this year is "Submerged" and we are needing to turn Fern Creek Baptist Church into an underwater adventure. From under water tunnels, to exotic sea creatures, to the inside of a submarine, we need your capable hands to make it all happen. Are you good with tinkering, painting, sculpting, carving, cutting, decorating, drawing, or designing? Come join the team. Let your imagination take over as we create, plan, experiment, and prepare for one of Fern Creek Baptist Church's biggest ministry events. If you are interested, please e-mail Chris@ferncreekbaptist.org or call 843-312-8757.