

# Fern Creek Baptist Church

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Supply Pianist

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Intern, ext. 125

# The Disciple

July 1, 2024

## LINDA'S LINES

We welcome Dr. Eddie Howell as he leads our music ministry during the next couple of months while Debbie is gone. Eddie is a much-loved former FCBC Minister of Music who served us for six years until 2014. Eddie and his wife, Jackie, currently live in Lapeer, Michigan where Eddie recently retired from Mott Junior College and the Lapeer County Community Choir. Eddie and Jackie moved to Michigan to be near their son (Travis), daughter-in-law (Deanna), and two grandchildren (Reagan and Charlie). We are grateful for his willingness to help us this summer. We know that you all are looking forward to the Patriotic Service that he will be leading next Sunday. Thanks Eddie and Jackie for your willingness to serve again this summer.

We are blessed with so many wonderful servants at FCBC! Thanks for all you do in the numerous ministries of our church. The Nominating Committee will soon begin their work for securing folks to serve in various capacities at our church. Please pray now and ask God where He would have you serve.

Please join us on Sunday evening, **July 14, 6:00 p.m.**, as we join with our Filipino brothers and sisters for a precious time of fellowship and good food. Join us and bring some friends.

“Son-Day Fun-Day” (July 21) provides an excellent evangelistic opportunity for our church to be on mission for Jesus. If you can help with particular tasks, please sign up at the shelf in the common area. We, also, need people who will come and participate through the ministry of presence by just walking around with the purpose of meeting people, telling them about our church, and sharing Jesus with them. Please wear a t-shirt this evening that has our church’s name on it. If you don’t have one, we can get you a Terrific Tuesday or a Teen Tuesday shirt. (See one of the following for a shirt: Jayla Grigsby, Susan Hudgins, Jodie Towles, or Donna Grimes.) This is one of those events in which the whole church can participate because there are places for all to serve.

Please join me in anticipation of a glorious Lord’s Day this Sunday. And as always, let us continue to pray, “Lord, awaken Your people and send a Great Revival!”

## TERRIFIC TUESDAY / TEEN TUESDAY

**BIBLE STUDY – MUSIC – CRAFTS**  
**RECREATION – FIELD TRIPS**

**July 2, 9, 16, 23**  
**9:00 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.**

Children Grades K – 5 / Youth Grades 6 - 8

Flyers / registration forms are available at both foyers.



## WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY

**Wednesday Evenings**  
**Now - July 24**  
**6:30 - 7:20 p.m.**



Preschool – Grade 5 (Completed)  
Those who have completed grades 1-5 will meet in Room 204.  
All younger children will meet in Room 103.

## FERN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Reaching Up...

Reaching In...

Reaching Out...



**OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:**

Renee Bryant and family at the death of her father, Bill Bryant.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**MONDAY, JULY 1, 2024**

- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. GROW - (G Team)

**TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2024**

- 9:00 a.m. Preschool Summer Fun  
Terrific & Teen Tuesday
- 6:00 p.m. Personnel Committee - Conference Room
- 6:30 p.m. Filipino Bible Study - Room 416
- 7:00 p.m. Guatemala Mission Trip Meeting

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 2024**

- 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship - LIGHT  
Wonderful Wednesday
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY, JULY 4, 2024**

**Independence Day / Church Office - Closed**

**SATURDAY, JULY 6, 2024**

- 9:00 a.m. Stewardship Meeting - Room 113
- 6:00 p.m. Congolese Prayer Service - Room 416

**SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024**

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service
- 12:15 p.m. Patriotic Picnic - CLC
- 1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service
- 3:00 p.m. Congolese Worship Service
- 4:30 p.m. Deacons' Meeting - Room 416  
No Evening Activities

**MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024**

- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 4:00 p.m. Bill Bryant Memorial Service
- 7:00 p.m. GROW - (R Team)

**TUESDAY, JULY 9, 2024**

- 9:00 a.m. Preschool Summer Fun  
Terrific & Teen Tuesday
- 6:30 p.m. Filipino Bible Study - Room 416

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2024**

- 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship & LIGHT  
Wonderful Wednesday
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024**

- 9:00 a.m. Preschool Summer Fun
- 3:30 p.m. Homeless Shower Ministry  
"Young at Heart" - Mike Linnig's

**FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024**

- 6:00 p.m. S.S. Classes (2, 3, & 4) Party - CLC

**SATURDAY, JULY 13, 2024**

- 6:00 p.m. Congolese Prayer Service - Room 416

**SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2024**

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service
- 1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service
- 3:00 p.m. Congolese Worship Service
- 6:00 p.m. Luau - FCBC and Filipino Congregation

**PLEASE PRAY FOR MEMBERS/ATTENDEES  
IN THE HOSPITAL/REHAB AS OF JUNE 28:**

- Don Carter – Baptist Health – Room 377 Park Tower
- Carol Larsen - Norton Women's and Children's Hospital

You can be a missionary right here in our own community by joining a GROW Team. GROW Teams write letters, make phone calls, and make visits on: Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. and the first Tuesday of the month at 10:00 a.m. Join us as we share the good news of Jesus Christ! He has called us to take the good news to Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria, and the ends of the earth.

**Will you help? GOD REWARDS OUR WORK**

**RESPONSIBILITIES**

**WEEK OF JULY 7**

**WEEK OF JULY 14**

**DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Lesley Hass 836-9691

**DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Dr. Mary Kleber 262-8756

**TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK**

Joe Montgomery 422-2208

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**NURSE ON CALL**

Martha Blansette 533-9666

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Lesley Hass 836-9691

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Joy Warren &  
Sherry Osburn

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Deborah Lawrence  
& Jan Miller

**EXTENDED SESSION**

Jeannie Kern &  
Eleonor Ritchie

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Joy Warren &  
Jeryl Presley

**NURSERY**

Donna Grimes &  
Jayla Grigsby

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**TECH TEAM**

Director – Jon Heinrich  
Streamer – Chris Towles  
Sound – Sam Frizzell  
AV – Lisa Payne

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**EVENING SERVICES**

Sunday - No Activities  
Wednesday - Lisa Payne

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Sunday - Luau - Sam and Lisa  
Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

**JUNE 23, 2024**

**ATTENDANCE**

Sunday School - 68      Morning Worship - 89

**OUR STEWARDSHIP**

Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 10,991.00
Budget Received	\$ 6,414.00
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$ 472,613.00
Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$ 406,013.45

**BUILDING FUND**

Weekly Total	\$ 85.00
Year-to-Date Balance	\$ 7,839.28



## “SON-DAY FUN-DAY”

Sunday, July 21  
5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Christian Life Center & Backyard



Hotdog Dinner – Popcorn – Snow Cones – Cotton Candy  
Games – Inflatables – Bubble Bug  
Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides – Petting Farm  
Door Prizes – School Supplies  
Bicycles Give-Away and More!



All are invited!!  
Everything is free!!  
Rain or Shine!!



## NOW ENROLLING

We are now enrolling children for the 2024-2025 school year for the Child Development Center (Twos, Threes, and Fours) and The Academy (Kindergarten and First Grade).

- Please call Terri at 239-8952 for CDC enrollment and more information.
- Please call Tiffany at 239-0316 ext. 100 for The Academy enrollment and more information.

## YARD WORK TEAMS

Please help us by signing up for one of the seven different yard teams. Each team works every seven weeks. The trustees are the team captains. You may join a team by signing up at the shelf in the Common Area foyer or by calling the church office. Thanks for your help!



### Team One (Nate Blansette’s Team)

is in charge of the yard work: July 4-6.

### Team Two (Joe Montgomery’s Team)

is in charge of the yard work: July 11-13.

### Team Three (Jerry Walker’s Team)

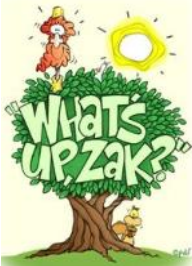
is in charge of the yard work: July 18-20.

## “SON-DAY FUN-DAY” SCHOOL SUPPLIES

The following supplies are needed for “Son-Day Fun-Day”: glue sticks, 24-count crayons, 8-count washable markers, notebooks (composition and spiral), scissors, loose leaf paper (wide-ruled), colored pencils. Please place in the bin between the gym and the common area by **Wednesday, July 17**. Thanks so much!!

## CHILDREN’S MUSIC WEEK

July 29 – August 2, 2024  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon



The week will include singing, musical activities, Bible study, and recreation. This exciting event is open to all children ages 4 (must be 4 by August 1, 2024) through those completed fifth grade. The children will present

“What’s Up, Zak?” on **Sunday evening, August 4**.

In order to participate in Children’s Music Week, children must perform with their choir on Sunday evening. Flyers / registration forms are available at both foyers. Please register by July 22.

## “CIRCLE OF HOPE”

Monday, July 15, 2:00 p.m.  
Panera - Bardstown Rd.

All widows are invited.  
Questions? Contact Karen Love.



## FCBC SEEKING THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS

Our church is seeking candidates for the following:

- **Full-time Minister of Music combined with one of following areas: Children or Education.** Applicants must exemplify a growing relationship With God, spiritual maturity, responsible authority, fervent evangelism, sound theology, and effective communication skills with all age groups. Applicants should have experience and education in ministry. Anyone seeking the position must be an excellent musician, worship leader, and educator.
- **Part-time Minister of Youth and Recreation.** Applicant must be spiritually mature, enthusiastic, and creative.

Send resumes to:

Fern Creek Baptist Church  
Attention: Personnel Committee  
5920 Bardstown Road  
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or email [linda@ferncreekbaptist.org](mailto:linda@ferncreekbaptist.org). Resumes will be received through July 1, 2024. Questions? Call 239-0316 ext. 103 (Linda Barnes Popham).

## GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP

Our next meeting is Tuesday, **July 2, 7:00 p.m.**, in the sanctuary. We will be having some packing days soon for others to help.

## PUZZLE EXCHANGE



Puzzle exchange is up and going. Martha Blansette will be in Room 411 (Christian Life Center) for approximately 20 minutes after church each Sunday morning for anyone who wants to come and pick up a puzzle, CD or DVD.

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## PATRIOTIC WORSHIP SERVICE

**Sunday, July 7, 10:45 a.m.**

Invite your family, neighbors, and friends as we thank God for the freedom that we have as a nation. We will hear God's Word, sing, pray, and recognize those who have made sacrifices to ensure freedom for our country.

## PATRIOTIC PICNIC

Following the Patriotic Worship Service on **July 7**, we will enjoy a catered meal prepared by Michelle Rhea, the daughter of Dolores Rhea and the late Fred Rhea.

- The menu will consist of: **BBQ Pork Sandwich, Green Beans, Mac & Cheese, Cucumber & Onion Salad, Chips, Dessert, and Drinks.**
- Donations are optional.

Please join us and enjoy the wonderful time of fellowship.

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## LUAU

**July 14, 6:00 p.m.**  
**Christian Life Center**

We will be joining with our Filipino brothers and sisters as we share in this delightful evening together. The menu consists of roasted pig, fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, fruit, and desserts.

Please wear Hawaiian or colorful attire as we dine together in a beautifully decorated setting with Hawaiian dinner music. Don't miss this wonderful evening!