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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 front Welcome Center.

Sisterhood

Tuesday, April 18
9:30 a.m.
Cracker Barrel in
Fern Creek

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Join us every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. for Sunday School. We have excellent classes for all ages.

**FERN CREEK
BAPTIST
CHURCH**

Reaching Up...
Reaching In...
Reaching Out...



LINDA'S LINES

What a blessing we have experienced in having Pastor Gervacio Figueroa from the Iglesia Bautista Transformacion (Transformation Baptist Church) this past week! What a powerful sermon we heard on Sunday as Pastor Gervacio preached and Translator Abel Duliep interpreted. We invite all of you to spend time in fellowship with Gervacio on **Thursday, March 23, 6:00 p.m.**, in our CLC. The church will provide the fried chicken and drinks. Please bring a dish of food and let's enjoy this special time of fellowship. Dario Mantute will be joining us to translate. If you would like to give a love offering to Gervacio's family, we will have a basket available for your donations. (If you write a check, please write it to Fern Creek Baptist Church). Gervacio will be traveling back to Honduras on Friday.

I hope that this season of Lent continues to be a season of prayer, repentance, sacrifice, soul-searching, self-denial, and service for each of you. Please continue fasting and praying during this season for God to send a great revival among us. *"Lord, Send a Great Revival!"*

HOLY WEEK



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY: April 9, 10:45 am

We remember Jesus' entry into Jerusalem and into our lives. The children will lead the Palm Sunday Processional.

PALM SUNDAY: April 9, 7:00 pm

Individual musicians (children, youth, and adults) and ensembles will present musical offerings in *"Meditations on the Cross"*, a Lenten Concert.

MAUNDY THURSDAY: April 13, 7:00 pm

The Youth Choir will lead in *"Welcome to the Table"*. The disciples sat down for one last meal, not fully understanding what Jesus had taught them. We will share in the Lord's Supper as we reflect on His teachings and the agony of what was to come.

GOOD FRIDAY: April 14, 7:00 pm

Our Adult Choir will present *"Everlasting Grace"*, a presentation reminding us of the grace that God showed us through His Son, Jesus Christ. We will walk with Jesus from the calling of His disciples to the suffering path of the cross. We will reflect on the shadows that loomed over the earth at the time of Jesus' death, while looking forward to a brighter day of morning sun and rising hopes!

EASTER SUNDAY: April 16, 10:45 am

We celebrate the glorious resurrection of Jesus Christ! God's Word will be spoken through proclamation and music. Alleluia!!

WEEK OF MARCH 26

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Jerry Walker 270-589-1510

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Joseph Montgomery 422-2208

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Terri Bosemer

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Renee Bryant and Neal Tingle

EXTENDED SESSION

Glenda Coddington, Terry Schult,
Cheri Calvert, and Edith Briscoe

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Alex Gibbs

Wednesday - Jack Briscoe

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Zack Mazat

WEEK OF APRIL 2

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Edith Briscoe 231-6468

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Gary Kistner 419-5505

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Renee Bryant

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Brenda Pennington, Chad Popham,
and Nate Blansette

EXTENDED SESSION

Pam Reid, Nancy Bickers, Terri
Bosemer, and Alice Glenn

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Steve Bruce

Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

TBA

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 2017

6:00 p.m. Pot-Luck Dinner with Pastor
Gervacio Figueroa

FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 2017

6:30 p.m. Singles' Game Night
7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 2017

9:00 a.m. Family Spring Work Day
12:00 p.m. Youth Basketball Game
5:00 p.m. Adult III Sunday School
Fellowship

SUNDAY, MARCH 26, 2017

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
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir
5:15 p.m. Esther Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Mission Friends
Girls in Action
Royal Ambassadors
Acteens & Challengers
Adult Discipleship Training

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2017

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 2017

2:30 p.m. Open Gym
7:30 p.m. Personnel Committee Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2017

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, MARCH 31, 2017

CDC Closed

KY WMU Annual Meeting in Corbin, KY

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 2017

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, APRIL 3, 2017

CDC Closed

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2017

CDC Closed

10:00 a.m. Grow (G Team)
Honduras Packing

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2017

CDC Closed

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 2017

CDC Closed

Please pray for members / attendees in the hospital / rehab as of March 19, 2017:

- Mae Lucas – Baptist Health - Room 465



A thank you note has been placed on the bulletin board from Bonnie Hicks.



Our sympathy is extended to:

- Terry Schult at the death of her uncle, Lee LeCouter.



MARCH 12, 2017

OUR STEWARDSHIP

SUNDAY SCHOOL
114
MORNING WORSHIP
174

Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 9,440.00
Budget Received	\$ 6,116.00
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$264,320.00
Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$245,109.79
BUILDING FUND	
Weekly Total	\$ 25.00
Year-to-Date Balance	\$ 7,024.93



SINGLES' NIGHT

Friday, March 24 - 6:30 p.m. - Christian Life Center
Join us for a good time of fellowship!

The Singles' Committee would like to invite you to game night. Bring your favorite appetizer and join in the fun of playing a variety of games and fellowshiping together! Sign up on the shelf in the breezeway!



CANDY DONATIONS

We are in need of donations for the Easter Egg Hunt on April 8. Pre-wrapped candy, **No chocolate please!!** Please place your donations in the bin in the collection area by Sunday, April 2. You may take eggs out of the bin and fill the eggs with candy yourself and bring them back filled, or you may just donate candy. If you have any questions, please see Greg or Alisha Bruce.



FAMILY SPRING WORK DAY

Saturday, March 25, 9:00 a.m.

Come and join us as we work in the yard and on the inside of the church. There are lots of jobs to be done. Please meet the Trustees (Jerry Walker, chairperson) or Leonard Westmorland (Director of Facilities) in the Christian Life Center to get an assignment.



ATTENTION: INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

March 26 is Instrumental Ensemble Sunday. Please let Greg Bruce know if you are interested in participating. Please meet in the sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. on March 26.



EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 8, 10:00 a.m.

This event is for all children, preschool through 5th grade. We will read the Easter Story and, of course, hunt for candy-filled Easter eggs.

Bring your basket and come join the fun!
*** (All children must have adult supervision.) ***



SUNDAY EVENING ADULT CLASSES

March 5 – April 9, 2017, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- *“Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work”* – led by Dr. Ken Hollis (Room 301/303 – Sanctuary Basement)
- *Bible Study: I Thessalonians* – taught by Linda Barnes Popham and Leon Taylor (Sanctuary)
- *“Esther: It’s Tough Being a Woman”* (continued from session one) – facilitated by Michele Crider and Renee Bryant (Room 416)

This class begins at 5:15 p.m.

WOMEN ON MISSION

Group II, Night Group, will meet on April 11 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.



STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

Tuesday, April 11, 2017
7:00 p.m.
Conference Room

OPEN GYM FOR YOUTH - Grades 6-12

If you are able to help in any way on Tuesdays, 2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m., your help is appreciated. If you are able to help, please call or email the church office and Joy will pass along the information to the appropriate people. This is a great ministry for youth!



PERSONNEL COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, March 28, 7:30 p.m.
Conference Room



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 or cancel your reservation.

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

March 29

Lasagna Salad Texas Toast Dessert

April 5

Vegetable Chicken Stew Mexican Cornbread Salad Dessert

MISSIONS FUNDRAISER - CULVER'S

Stop in at Culver's of Louisville
(4630 S. Hurstbourne Pkwy.)
Tuesday, April 18, 5-9 p.m.

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



HONDURAS MISSION TRIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A team led by Pastor Linda's brother, Dr. Marty Barnes, will be going to Monquecagua, Honduras, **July 29-August 5, 2017**. If you are interested in going, please contact Linda asap.
- If you can help with packing for the trip, join us in the Christian Life Center on **Tuesday, April 4, 10:00 a.m.**

COLLECTIONS

We are now collecting clothing, school supplies, and toiletries for the upcoming Honduras Mission Trip. Please put your items in the collection bins between the Common Area and the Christian Life Center. Thanks!

“YOUNG AT HEART” RETREAT

April 25-28, 2017

Lake Barkley State Resort Park in Cadiz, Kentucky

We have this trip planned in conjunction with the S.E.E.K. (Seniors Experiencing and Enjoying Kentucky) program sponsored by our state. The State Park personnel will lead us in several fun and educational activities during our stay. We will also enjoy Bible study and sweet fellowship.



The cost of the trip is \$230. This is based on double occupancy. If you room alone, the cost is \$280. This includes lodging, program, transportation, and most meals you will eat while we are gone. Please turn in your money to Geraldine Grigsby or Joy Stelly no later than **Sunday, April 9**, or you may mail your check to the church office (5920 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291) by that date. (Checks should be written to Fern Creek Baptist Church.) Also, please let Geraldine or Joy know who your roommate is if you are requesting double occupancy. We are going to have a great time. Don't miss it! Watch for more details!!

IMAGE BEARERS

A Conference for Young Ladies Grades 6-12
Saturday, April 29, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Baptist Campus Ministry Center - University of Louisville Campus
Sessions by Angela Wethington, Annie Corser, Jaclyn Miles

Worship by Madi Wuebben

Testimony by Gold Medalist Kelsi Worrell

Invite your friends!!

Cost \$15 (Lunch is included.)

To register, please give your money to Pastor Linda or the church office by
Palm Sunday, April 9.

Please meet at the church at 8:30 a.m. on April 29.



SALVATION DOLLS WORKSHOP

Mark your calendar for April 29, 10:00 a.m. - noon, for the next Salvation Dolls Workshop in the Christian Life Center. There is something for everyone. So, bring the whole family and help share the Gospel with others. Questions? Please see Brenda Pennington or Melissa Logsdon-Young.

RECEPTION FOR GREG BRUCE

Sunday, April 30, 7:00 p.m.

Please bring a "finger food" or snack food.

A basket will be available for cards and/or love offering for you to express your appreciation for Greg and his family.

CROSSINGS CAMP AT CEDARMORE

Bagdad, Kentucky - June 18-22, 2017 Camp Pastor – John Nix

For youth grades 6-12 (completed)

Cost - \$275 (The church will cover \$50 for each camper.)

The \$25 deposit is due NOW! Please give your checks (written to Fern Creek Baptist Church) to Linda Popham or Jodie Towles.



NEEDED: "YARD ANGELS"!!!

Yard Work



It's time for yard work teams to begin cutting grass, etc. 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 foyer or call Joy in the church office. Thanks for your help!

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

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|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 - Jennifer Adkins | 13 - Donnie Blake | 24 - Joseph Schult |
| Bettye Anderson | Sharon Kelley | 25 - Darrell Crittenden |
| Michael Middleton | 14 - Derek Anderson | Debbie Fenwick |
| 3 - Linda Robinson | B. J. Calhoun | 26 - Lynne Bell |
| 5 - Jessica Downs | Marilyn Calvert | 27 - Josh McCune |
| 6 - Lisa Payne | Sarah Packer | Tarin Norris |
| Antwon VanMeter | 15 - Sierra Fruchtenicht | 28 - Robin Berry |
| 7 - Joe Catman | 16 - Paige Bosemer | Mae Lucas |
| 8 - Margaret Clater | Judie Walker | Kenny Lynch |
| Robert Miles | 17 - Dawn Herbst | 29 - Cheri Cunningham |
| 9 - Brittney Catman | Brandon Napier | Darrell Satterly |
| Jessica Catman | 18 - George Kemp | |
| Tony Lanham | 19 - Ben Hale | |
| Keith Peavler | 21 - Amanda Fenwick | |
| 11 - Renee Bryant | Zack Mazat | |
| Becky Griffin | Melanie Morris | |
| George Nightingale | Pam Napier | |
| 12 - Jerry Lanham | 22 - Clara Arnold | |
| Bill Montfort | 23 - Linda Adkins | |
| Dave Sylva, Jr. | 24 - Courtney Fox | |



for the wedding of
Kaelee Herbst
and
Cody Keown

April 15
2017
1:00 Pm



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Reception to follow

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April 2017						1 KY WMU Annual Meeting - Corbin
2 7:00 pm Deacons' Meeting	3 7:00 pm GROW (G Teams)	4 10:00 am GROW (G Team) Honduras Packing	5 4:30 pm Staff Meeting	6	7	8 10:00 am Easter Egg Hunt
CDC Closed - Spring Break						
9 PALM SUNDAY 7:00 pm Lenten Concert	10 7:00 pm GROW (R Teams)	11 6:30 pm Women on Mission Group II 7:00 pm Stewardship Meeting	12	13 7:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service	14 Church Office and CDC Closed 7:00 pm Good Friday Service 9:15 pm Wedding Rehearsal	15 1:00 pm Herbst-Keown Wedding
16 EASTER SUNDAY No Evening Activities	17 7:00 pm GROW (O Teams)	18 9:30 am Sisterhood 5:00 pm Culver's Fundraiser	19	20	21	22
23 8:30 am Instrumental Ensemble 6:00 pm Community Choir Festival St. Gabriel Catholic Church	24 7:00 pm GROW (W Teams)	25	26	27	28	29 8:00 am Optical Training 9:30 am Image Bearers 10:00 am Salvation Dolls Workshop
30 4:30 pm Homebound Communion 7:00 pm Reception for Greg Bruce						