#### Fern Creek Baptist Church

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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**

Please join us for the remainder of our Holy Week Services as the week culminates with the celebration of the Risen Lord! I pray for each of you to have a glorious Easter as you celebrate Jesus Christ!

Vacation Bible School is one of the greatest outreach strategies to reach children and youth with the gospel of Jesus Christ. It is so exciting each year to experience boys and girls accepting Christ as Savior and growing in their relationship with Jesus. If you are willing to help in any capacity with Vacation Bible School, please contact Chris McWhorter or me as soon as possible. Please join us on **Thursday, March 31, 7:00 p.m.,** in the sanctuary for our initial VBS Training Session/Meeting.

At FCBC we are serious about spreading the gospel message. After all, it is our mandate from Jesus Himself to go into the whole world with the good news of the gospel. Not only do we have the opportunity to share right here in our own "Jerusalem", but we have many opportunities to share in other parts of the world. Thanks to those who went to Nicaragua in January and to those who will go to South Dakota, Eastern Kentucky, and Honduras later this year. We still need more help on our Honduras Team. If you are willing to go with us, please contact Renee Bryant or me as soon as possible.

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

# HOLY WEEK







# WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MAUNDY THURSDAY: March 24, 7:00 pm

The Youth Choir will lead in "Reflections of the Master", a look at Jesus' ministry on earth leading up to the Last Supper. 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: March 25, 7:00 pm

Our Adult Choir will present "A Journey to Hope", a cantata inspired by the great tradition of spirituals. 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: March 27, 10:45 am

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

#### WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

Join us on Wednesday evenings at **6:30 p.m.** in the sanctuary for Wednesday Worship as we pray, sing, and study God's Word together. Linda Barnes Popham is teaching through the book of Acts.

#### WEEK OF MARCH 27

# **DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Renee Bryant 797-3639

# TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Fred Rhea 749-3579

# CHILDREN'S SERMON

Chris McWhorter

# CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Canceled

# EXTENDED SESSION

Jeannie Kern, Terry Schult,

# Carole Nagle, and Amanda Fox

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Steve Bruce Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

#### AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Chris Towles

# WEEK OF APRIL 3

# **DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Michele Crider 724-9627

#### TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Tyler Anderson 650-4771

# CHILDREN'S SERMON

Melissa Logsdon-Young

#### <u>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</u> Brenda Pennington and David Magruder

EXTENDED SESSION

#### nday Panham Danna Grima

Lyndsey Popham, Donna Grimes, Terri Bosemer, and Alice Glenn

#### **SOUND TECHNICIAN**

Sunday - Ben Hale

# Wednesday - Sam Frizzell AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Chris Towles

# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 2016

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 2016

CHURCH OFFICE & CDC CLOSED 7:00 p.m. Good Friday Service

8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 2016

2:00 p.m. CLC Reserved

#### SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 2016 EASTER SUNDAY

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

# **MONDAY, MARCH 28, 2016**

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

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 2016

2:30 p.m. Open Gym

6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 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, MARCH 31, 2016

7:00 p.m. VBS Workers' Meeting **FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 2016** 

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

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 2016

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

10:00 a.m. Women on Mission (AGAPE)

12:30 p.m. CLC Reserved

# SUNDAY, APRIL 3, 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, APRIL 4, 2016

"Young at Heart" Retreat

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

# TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2016

"Young at Heart" Retreat

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

6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous

# WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2016

Young at Heart" Retreat
4:30 p.m. Staff Meeting - Canceled

5:30 p.m. Staff Meeting - Canceled 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner

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

Children's Choirs

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

#### 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** SCHOOL 123 **MORNING** WORSHIP

172

Annie Armstrong \$490

#### **MARCH 13, 2016**

#### **OUR STEWARDSHIP**

Weekly Budget Needs 8,991.00 **Budget Received** 5,552.00 \$251,748.00 Year-to-Date Budget Needs Year-to-Date Budget Received \$240,302.89

95.00

1,615.03

**BUILDING FUND** 

Weekly Total Year-to-Date



Congratulations to Josh and Mandy Jones at the birth of Lincoln Keith Jones (7 lbs., 9.8 oz., 19½ in.) on February 28.



The Church Office and CDC will be closed on March 25 in observance of Good Friday. Please join us at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary for our Good Friday Service. Our Adult Choir will present "A Journey to Hope", a cantata inspired by the great tradition of spirituals.



#### ATTENTION: INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

The Instrumental Ensemble will play on March 27. Please let Greg Bruce know if you are interested in participating. The ensemble will meet in the sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. that day.

#### 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.

Children and Youth..... \$4.00 Adults.....\$5.00 Family Maximum.....\$16.00 Under age 6.....Free

(.50 additional charge for carry-outs)

March 30

Chili w/Spaghetti Grilled Cheese Salad Dessert

April 6

Supper Canceled



#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 6 – 10, 2015

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 fill out the VBS form and place in the offering plate. There will be a meeting for all workers on Thursday. March 31, 7:00 p.m.

### **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 We meet in the Christian Life Center – Room 407. All men are encouraged to attend. Questions? Contact Sam Frizzell (645-7792).

#### 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

The Agape Group will meet on Saturday, April 2, at 10:00 **a.m.** in the Christian Life Center in room 416.



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

Please join one of these groups for a great time of learning about missionaries and doing mission projects.

Join us April 3 in the morning as the University of the Cumberlands Chorale will present a variety of music during our worship service. The chorale, under the direction of Dr. David Etter, is the audition group representing the university music department and is made up of people representing a variety of majors and minors. They will present music from The Messiah and other choral works from many different genres and musical periods. They will be a blessing to hear and we look forward to see you worship with us on April 3<sup>rd</sup>.

CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY CHOIR

We will have a potluck luncheon after the worship service. Please bring a dish or two food. The church will provide the fried chicken and drinks.

YARD

SALE

#### 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) in Cedarmore, KY. There are several ways you can

participate: You can either donate items to be sold by the youth group on Friday, April 1; 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.



#### **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 (5<sup>th</sup> grade and under) Games, Pizza, and Fun!

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



# **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.

#### **CROSSPOINT@THECREEK**

Friday, April 22, 7:00 p.m. Youth Grades 6-12

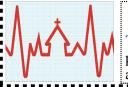
FELLOWSHIP\*WORSHIP\*COMMUNITY\*GAMES\*MESSAGE\*MUSIC

#### 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.

# 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!!

Our sympathy is extended to:

- Jim Magruder and family at the death of his brother, Earl Magruder;
- Bill Montfort and family at the death of his wife, Aggie;
- Ellie Muhich and family at the death of her grandmother, Debra Muhich;
- Josh and Joseph Schult and families at the death of their grandmother, Pat

#### 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.

### APRIL BIRTHDAYS

- Jennifer Adkins Bettye Anderson Michael Middleton
- 6 Antwon VanMeter 7 - Joe Catman
- 8 Margaret Clater Robert Miles
- Brittney Catman Jessica Catman Tony Lanham Keith Peavler
- Renee Bryant Becky Griffin
- Jerry Lanham Bill Montfort
- George Nightingale
- Dave Sylva, Jr.

- 13 Donnie Blake
- Sharon Kelley 14 - Derek Anderson B.J. Calhoun Marilyn Calvert Sarah Packer
- 15 Sierra Fruchtenicht
- 16 Paige Bosemer Judie Walker
- 17 Dawn Herbst Brandon Napier
- 18 George Kemp 19 - Ben Hale
- 21 Amanda Fenwick Zachary Mazat Melanie Morris
- 22 Clara Arnold

- 23 Linda Adkins
- 24 Courtney Fox Pam Hicks Joseph Schult
- 25 Darrell Crittenden
- Debbie Fenwick 27 - Josh McCune
- Tarin Norris 28 - Robin Berry Mae Lucas
- Kenny Lynch 29 - Cheri Cunningham Darrell Satterly
- 30 Maria Bower



#### **HONDURAS DONATIONS**



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.

#### 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 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.

### YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Chris McWhorter - Minister of Youth and Children

Some of our youth were able to attend the Creative Ministries Festival 2.0 at Rich Pond Baptist Church in Bowling Green, KY, the weekend of March 11-12. The event was hosted by the Kentucky WMU and the theme for this year was "Live it out loud!" Creative Ministries is simply sharing the Gospel through creative arts. Making the Gospel visual really helps to draw the lost and gives us the opportunity to witness to them. There are many forms of creative ministry, and the youth had opportunity to try their hand at the different forms. From balloon art, to dowel rod movements, comedy, and dance, we hope to share several of the methods learned from attending the event.



This year Fern Creek Baptist Church will be hosting a youth event called "Crosspoint@theCreek." It will be held Friday, April 22 at 7:00 pm. This event is for youth grades 6-12. There will be fellowship, worship, community, games, message, and music. Mark it on your calendar- you don't want to miss!!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April 2016					6:00 pm Adult III Sunday School Party	10:00 am Women on Mission (AGAPE Group) 12:00 pm CLC Reserved
7:00 pm Deacons' Meeting	7:00 pm GROW (G Teams)	10:00 am GROW (G Team)	6	7	8	9:00 am Youth Fundraiser / Yard Sale
	"Young at Heart" Retreat, Carter Caves State Resort Park				KY WMU Annual	Meeting - Madisonville
CDC Closed - Spring Break						
10	7:00 pm GROW (R Teams)	2:30 pm Open Gym 6:30 pm Women on Mission Group II	6:30 pm Women's Support Group	"Young at Heart" Overlook Restaurant 6:00 pm Fundraiser Set-Up	6:00 pm Honduras / Nicaragua Missions Fundraiser	4:00 pm  Northern Lights Fundraiser at Parkland Baptist Church
Jeff St. #2	7:00 pm GROW (O Teams)	9:30 am Sisterhood 2:30 pm Open Gym 5:00 pm Honduras Fundraiser at Culver's	20	21	7:00 pm CrossPoint@theCreek (Youth)	8:00 am Optical Training 1:00 pm CLC Reserved
8:30 am Instrumental Ensemble 6:00 pm Community Choir Festival St. Gabriel Catholic Church	7:00 pm GROW (W Teams)	2:30 pm Open Gym 7:00 pm Vision Team Meeting	27	7:00 pm Honduras Mission Trip Team Meeting	7:00 pm Associational Acteens Retreat	9:00 am Church Wide Work Day