

**Fern Creek
Baptist Church**

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The Disciple

May 13, 2019

LINDA'S LINES

STAFF



Rev. Linda Barnes Popham
Pastor
239-6628

Dr. Rocky Hardymon
Minister of Music & Children /
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ext. 109

Kristin Jones
Associate Minister of Music,
ext. 116

Terri Bosemer
CDC Director, ext. 108

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Organist

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Office Coordinator, ext. 100

Jodie Towles
Bookkeeper, ext. 102

Leonard Westmorland
Director of Facilities, ext. 104

Thanks so much to all of you who helped with the Honduras Mission Trip preparations!! You did an amazing job! Whether you prayed, prepared pharmacy bags, put labels on bottles or bags, packed pills, sorted and packed clothes and shoes, prepared and packed the boxes, took out the garbage, ran off and sorted medical cards, cut tickets, prepared lunch, purchased supplies, donated supplies, ran errands, loaded the truck, or did other "behind the scenes" work, your hard work is greatly appreciated! As we prayed over the boxes last Friday, we trust that God will use everything in those 290 boxes to bring glory to His name and to lead people to Jesus!

Please pray for our members (Sam and Becky Frizzell, Nancy McCune, and Norma Routt) who will be going on the Gospel Lights Missions Team (led by Darrel Brooks) to work with the Lakota Sioux Tribe on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota. They will leave on **May 18** and return on **May 26**. The team will lead in Block Parties and a Health Fair, as well as personal evangelism in the neighborhoods. They will also provide an Optical Clinic which will be led by Sam. Please pray that many people will come to know Jesus during this week. Please pray for the whole team! Pray for many opportunities to share

Jesus!! Pray for the safety for the team. We look forward to hearing their report when they return.

We are still in need of Vacation Bible School workers. Please contact Chris Blair, Rocky Hardymon, or me as soon as possible. We are looking forward to a glorious week of sharing the gospel message with our community!!

Please join us on Sunday evening, **May 19, 6:00 p.m.**, for our Missions Recognition Service. I am grateful that we provide these wonderful training opportunities for our children and youth. Pray that God will raise up missionaries among our young people. A New Members' Reception will follow the service. Please stay and welcome the newest members among us. Please bring a snack food.

Join us for our Annual Potluck Luncheon celebrating Memorial Day which will be held on **Sunday, May 26**, following the morning worship service. Please bring a dish or two of food and join in on the fellowship. The church will provide the meat. Hope you will participate! We are excited that Eddie and Jackie Howell will be with us on that Sunday!

And as always, continue to pray, "Lord, Send a Great Revival!"



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 10 - 14, 2019

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

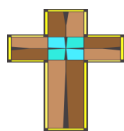
Children: (age 3 – grade 8 completed)
(must be age 3 by August 1, 2019)

6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Youth: (grades 9 – 12 completed)

We hope you will invite others to come with you to VBS. We are going to have a great time!

FERN CREEK
BAPTIST
CHURCH



Reaching Up...

Reaching In...

Reaching Out...



MAY 5, 2018

OUR STEWARDSHIP

SUNDAY SCHOOL
141
MORNING WORSHIP
181

Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 10,081.00
Budget Received	\$ 12,409.75
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$ 362,916.00
Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$ 354,845.02
<u>BUILDING FUND</u>	
Weekly Total	\$ 209.50
Year-to-Date Balance	\$ 609.84

Fred Tucker \$210.00

WEEK OF MAY 19

DEACON OF THE WEEK

George Popham 239-6628

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Joseph Montgomery 422-2208

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Kristin Jones and Norma Routt

EXTENDED SESSION

Terry Schult, Christa Blair,
Jeannie Kern, and Joy Warren

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Alex Gibbs

Wednesday - Ben Hale

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Lucy Bickers

Please pray for members / attendees in the hospital / rehab as of May 10, 2019:



- Lee Bell – Carl M. Brashear Radcliff Veterans Center – Room 203
- Dave Boam (Church guest) – Frazier Rehab – Room 1010
- Emery Hobbs – Forest Hills Commons – Memory Care Room 318
- Junie Routt – Park Terrace Rehab – Room 220

WEEK OF MAY 26

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Carolyn Simpson 493-2212

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Gary Kistner 419-5505

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Brenda Pennington and Nate Blansette

EXTENDED SESSION

Mandy Jones, Renee Bryant,
Chris Blair and Martha Falkner

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Ben Hale

Wednesday - Sam Frizzel

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Tyler Gregory

With Deepest Sympathy

Our sympathy is extended to:

- Newt and Glenda Coddington and family at the death of Glenda's nephew, Tom Lindley;
- Curt Allen (Neal Tingle's adopted son) and family at the death of his brother;
- Don and Sandy Carter and family at the death of their great-nephew, Aaron Joseph Lee;
- Karen Love and family at the death of her husband, Dave Love.

CROSSINGS CAMP AT CEDARMORE

Bagdad, Kentucky - July 2-6, 2019

- Cost - \$300 (The church will cover \$50 for each camper.)
- The \$50 deposit is due **NOW**. Please give your checks (written to Fern Creek Baptist Church) to Linda Popham or Jodie Towles. You may make payments to your account at any time.

Thank You Notes have been placed on the bulletin board from Marilyn Calvert and Shirley Sallee.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2019

- 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner
- 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship
L.I.G.H.T. for Youth
Preschool & Children's Choirs
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2019

- 10:00 a.m. Women on Mission / Quilting Group

- 6:00 p.m. "Jump Start Your Health"

- 6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Reserved

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 2019

- 6:30 p.m. CLC Reserved

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2019

Gospel Lights Missions Team Leaves for South Dakota

SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2019

Jeff St. #1

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- 12:15 p.m. Blood Pressure Checks
- 1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service
- 4:00 p.m. Instr. Ensemble Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. Missions Recognition Service
- 7:00 p.m. New Members' Reception

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2019

- 7:00 p.m. GROW (O & W Teams)
Sanctuary Reserved

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2019

CDC Closed

- 9:30 a.m. Sisterhood
- 7:00 p.m. CDC Preschool Graduation
- 8:00 p.m. "The Forge" Men's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 2019

- 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Dinner
- 6:30 p.m. Preschool & Children's Choirs Program
L.I.G.H.T. for Youth
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2019

- 10:30 a.m. CDC Preschool Program
- 6:00 p.m. Jump Start Your Health

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2019

- 11:00 a.m. CDC Picnic

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2019

Gospel Lights Missions Team Returns from South Dakota

- 8:30 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- 12:15 p.m. Memorial Day Celebration
- 1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

MONDAY, MAY 27, 2019

Memorial Day - Church Office Closed

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 2019

- 8:00 p.m. "The Forge" Men's Bible Study



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)

May 15

Hamburgers Hot Dogs Fruit Salad Dessert

May 22

Fried Chicken Salad Vegetables Rolls Dessert

May 29

Taco Bar All the Fixings Dessert



Music Tots

Two & Three Year Olds
(must be two by 8/01/18)
Room 107

Music Friends

Four & Five Year Olds
(must be four by 8/01/18)
Room 101

Music Makers / Young Musicians

First Grade - Fifth Grade
Room 204

Wednesday Evenings - 6:30 p.m. - 7:20 p.m.

For more information contact Kristin Jones, 239-0316, ext. 116.



WOMEN ON MISSION QUILTING GROUP

Thursday, May 16

10:00 a.m.

Christian Life Center

Please bring a friend or two; everyone is welcome!

JUMPSTART YOUR HEALTH

II Corinthians 6:19-20 says, "Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body."



You have an opportunity to join with others in getting healthy together. We are better together! "Jumpstart Your Health" is the name of the three-week class that will be offered on **Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**, beginning **May 16**. We will meet in the Christian Life Center. We will eat a healthy meal, hear a lesson about food and fitness, and then exercise for 30 minutes. (There will be different levels of exercise which means there will be options for all levels of mobility.) All ages are invited. There will be no childcare since the evening is open for the whole family. Contact a church staff member if you have questions. Let's get physically healthy together!

MISSIONS RECOGNITION SERVICE

May 19, 6:00 p.m.

Join us as we hear from our Acteens, Challengers, Girls in Action, Royal Ambassadors, and Mission Friends.

NEW MEMBERS' RECEPTION

Sunday, May 19

Please join us after the evening Missions Recognition Service as we welcome the newest members of our church family. Please bring a snack food. Thanks for joining us in this time of fellowship!



Sunday Mornings - 9:30 a.m.

SUNDAYSCHOOL
Growing Together In Christ

Classes for all ages!

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

May 19, 12:15 p.m.



Have you checked your blood pressure lately? Norma Routt will be doing blood pressure checks in the Common Area following the morning worship service.



THE FORGE - MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.

Proverbs 27:17

Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m., Room 113
(Lower Ramp)

We are studying the book of John.
Questions? Contact Chris Towles.

Sisterhood

Tuesday, May 21
9:30 a.m.

Cracker Barrel in
Fern Creek



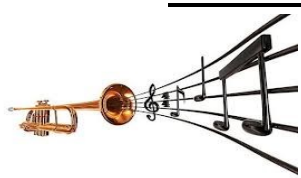
CHILDREN'S CHOIR PROGRAM

Wednesday, May 22, 6:30 p.m.

Thank you for supporting our children with your presence.

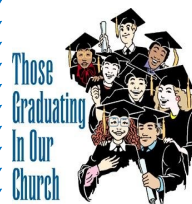
We will finish out the year with our children's choir parties on Wednesday, May 29, at 6:30 p.m.

ATTENTION:
INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE



May 26 is Instrumental Ensemble Sunday. Please meet in the sanctuary as we rehearse for our Worship Service on Sunday, May 26. Please let Rocky know if you are interested in participating.

ATTENTION: GRADUATES



If you will be graduating from high school, college, or any other institution of higher learning, please call the church office (239-0316 ext. 100) by

Friday, May 24, and give us the name of your school, degree, etc. We will recognize graduates on **June 2** during the morning worship service. A luncheon for the graduates and their families will be held after the service. Watch for more details about the luncheon.

MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

A Time of Remembering

May 26, 12:15 p.m.

Pot-Luck Dinner

The church will provide the fried chicken and drinks.

Please bring a dish or two of food and join us!



CROSSPOINT@THECREEK

Grades 6-12

Friday, May 31, 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

The Campbellsville University Outreach Team will be leading in worship.

We will have an awesome night of worship and fun!

Music, Testimonies, Door Prizes, Food, Chocolate Fountain, Games, and More!!

Invite your friends! This will be a great evening!!!



QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Tuesday, June 4

6:45 p.m. - All Committees

7:00 p.m. - Administrative & Ministry Committees

(Trustees, CDC, By-Laws, Ministry and Missions Center, Children's, Evangelism and Outreach, Preschool, Personnel, Stewardship, Social, and Youth)

8:00 p.m. - Church Council

(All Committee Chairpersons and Heads of Organizations)

Please mark your calendars and make plans to attend.

(Childcare is provided.)



VBS WORKERS

Vacation Bible School is

June 10-14. Thanks to

those of you who have

already volunteered to

work. We still need more

teachers and workers. If you can help,

please contact the following:

• **Preschool – Chris Blair**

• **Children – Rocky Hardymon**

• **Youth – Linda Popham**

Our next VBS meeting is **Thursday, June 6,**

6:30 p.m., in the sanctuary.



“Young at Heart” Trip to Northwest Alabama

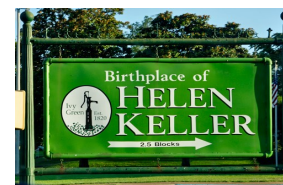
June 18 – 22, 2019

Lunch at the Loveless Café (Nashville), Amish Wagon Ride (Tennessee), Pontoon Cruise on the Tennessee River, Helen Keller Home Tour and Play, Alabama Music Hall of Fame, and much more!!!

Cost - \$415 (double occupancy) / \$615 (single occupancy)

(includes bus transportation, attractions, lodging, and some meals)

A \$50 non-refundable deposit was due last Sunday; however, we have a few spots left. Please give your check to Geraldine Grigsby or the church office this week.



MEMORY WALL

Our Memory Wall certainly enhances the beauty of our church building. The time is drawing near to put up the next panel of memory tiles. (The cross is actually already full for the third panel.) Forms are available at the Welcome Center in the Sanctuary Foyer if you would like to order a tile in memory of a loved one. The instructions are on the forms; however, if you have additional questions, please contact Jodie Towles (239-0316 ext. 102). The deadline to turn in forms for the next panel is May 29.

DEACON NOMINATION FORM

Eligibility and Qualifications

Resident members who have been active members in the church for at least one (1) year prior to the time of nomination and who are 21 years of age or older, and who support the church financially, by presence, and spiritually are eligible to serve as deacons.

Qualifications shall be found in the scriptures:

Acts 6:1-6 and I Timothy 3:8-12.

The church encourages your recommendation of deacon nominees. Please put the completed form below in the offering plate during the May worship services or send it to the church office.

The following people who are currently serving as deacon should not be nominated:

Ralph Beard	Danny Hass	Carolyn Simpson
Michele Crider	Holland Kendall	Joy Stelly
Becky Frizzell	Mary Kleber	Chris Towles
Sam Frizzell	George Popham	
Steve Hale	Jim Sallee	

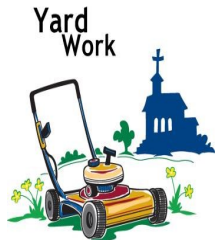
It is my belief that the following persons meet the high ideals and expectations of a deacon:

My Nominations:

My Name:

YARD TEAMS

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



G.R.O.W.
GOD REWARDS OUR WORK

GROW TEAMS

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.**
- **First Tuesday morning of the month at 10:00 a.m.**
- **First Wednesday evening of the month at 7:30 p.m.**

Please contact Linda Popham or the church office if you are willing to serve on a GROW Team. Join us as together 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?

SEEKING

Our church is seeking the following:

Part-Time Minister of Youth and Recreation: Applicants must exemplify a growing relationship with God, spiritual maturity, responsible authority, fervent evangelism, sound theology, and effective communication skills. Applicants should have experience and education in ministry. Please send resumes to: Fern Creek Baptist Church, Attention: Personnel Committee, 5920 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291, or email to linda@ferncreekbaptist.org. Resumes will be received through May 28, 2019. Questions? Call 239-0316 ext. 103 (Linda Barnes Popham).

CDC HAPPENINGS

Terri Bosemer - CDC Director

We would like to invite all church members to the CDC Graduation for the four-year-old classes on Tuesday, May 21 at 7:00 p.m. in our church sanctuary. The two and three-year-old Spring Program will be held on Thursday, May 23, at 10:30 a.m. in the sanctuary. We will have refreshments in the Christian Life Center immediately following both programs.

Summer Fun Program

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 (must be age three by August 1, 2019). "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 email terri@ferncreekbaptist.org or call 502-239-8952.

Fall Registration 2019-2020

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 see Ms. Alice or me 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 email terri@ferncreekbaptist.org. (Must be age 2 by August 1, 2019)

KENDALL OPTOMETRY MINISTRY NEEDS

YOUR HELP!



Can you help clean or measure glasses? Kendall Optometry has 1,000s of pairs of glasses needing to be cleaned or measured to ship to missionaries all over the world. Training will be provided. There is a room at FCBC for measuring or we can set you up in your own home.

Questions? Contact Holland Kendall, 640-2227.

ROCKY'S BEAT

Rocky Hardymon - Minister of Music and Children

The Children's Choirs are continuing their preparation for the Spring Program. It is Wednesday, May 22, 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. All the children should be in the sanctuary by 6:00 p.m. for rehearsal and sound check.

The Royal Ambassadors and Girls in Action are continuing their mission studies of Cleveland, Ohio. Their Scripture verse for this month is Acts 1:8: "*But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.*" They are learning about City Church where Nate Friedrichsen is one of the pastors.

We are getting ready for all the summer activities here at FCBC! This year during Terrific Tuesdays, we will be studying Biblical creation. We will be answering questions such as: Is the universe billions of years old? Did man and dinosaurs live at the same time? We have a variety of activities and field trips planned to make this a special time for all! Terrific Tuesdays will begin June 25th from 9:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m. for children who have completed kindergarten through fifth grade. The cost is \$10 each week per child.

The VBS theme for this year is "*In the Wild: Amazing Encounters with Jesus.*" The theme verse is John 20:31, "*But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.*" VBS is June 10 - 14, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Be in prayer for all the children and workers as they share the message of the gospel.

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

FERN CREEK / HIGHVIEW UNITED MINISTRIES NEEDS



The ministry is needing the following: bar soap, toilet paper, toothpaste, toothbrushes, dish liquid, laundry detergent, deodorant, razors, and shampoo. They are also needing paper and plastic grocery bags. Please place your donations in the bin in the collection area between the CLC and the Common Area.

FOOD CLOSET NEEDS

Our church's Food Closet currently has the following needs:

- Canned Goods / • Peanut Butter / Jelly
- Beans / Rice • Personal Items
- Spaghetti / Pasta • Macaroni and Cheese
- Tuna Helper

Please put these items in the appropriate bin between the Common Area Foyer and the Christian Life Center. Thanks for your help. If you have questions, please contact a member of the Ministry and Missions Center Committee (Chairperson Katrina Binda, Norma Routt, Terry Schult, Doris Ann Sea, Sharon Thompson, or Gary White).



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

Please mark your calendar for our 65th Anniversary Homecoming Celebration which will be held on **Sunday, October 27, 2019**. If you would like to serve on the Homecoming Committee, please contact Linda Popham in the near future.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7:30 pm GROW (G-4 Team)	2 10:00 am Women on Mission (Quilting Group)	3 CDC Closed	4 10:00 am Women on Mission (AGAPE Group)
5 7:00 pm Deacons' Meeting	6 7:00 pm GROW (G Teams)	7 10:00 am GROW (G-3 Team) 6:30 pm VBS Meeting	8	9 "Young at Heart" Amish Country – Montgomery, IN	10 6:30 pm Sanctuary & CLC Reserved	11 6:30 pm FC / HUM Gala
12 MOTHER'S DAY Evening Activities Canceled	13 7:00 pm GROW (R Teams) 7:00 pm Sanctuary Reserved / Valor Academy	14 6:30 p.m. WMU Associational Meeting - Westport Rd. Baptist Church 7:00 pm Stewardship Committee Meeting	15	16 10:00 am Women on Mission (Quilting Group) 6:00 pm Jump Start Your Health 6:30 pm Carrithers Concert	17 6:30 pm CLC Reserved / FCHS Band	18 Gospel Lights Missions Trip to Pine Ridge, SD
19 Jeff St. #1 12:15 pm B/P Checks 4:00 pm Ensemble Rehearsal 6:00 pm Missions Recognition Ser. 7:00 pm New Members' Reception	20 7:00 pm GROW (O & W Teams) 7:00 pm Sanctuary Reserved / Valor Academy	21 9:30 am Sisterhood 7:00 pm Preschool Graduation CDC Closed	22 6:30 pm Children's Choirs Program	23 10:30 pm CDC Program 6:00 pm Jump Start Your Health	24 11:30 am CDC Picnic	25
Gospel Lights Missions Trip to Pine Ridge, SD						
26 8:30 am Instrumental Ensemble 12:15 pm Memorial Day Celebration Gospel Lights Missions Trip to Pine Ridge, SD	27 MEMORIAL DAY Church Office Closed	28	29 6:30 pm Children's Choir Parties	30 6:00 pm Jump Start Your Health	31 7:00 pm Crosspoint@thecreek	