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Fern Creek Baptist Church
5920 Bardstown Road
Louisville, Kentucky 40291
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239-8952

Rev. Linda Barnes Popham
Pastor
239-6628

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Supply Minister of Music
777-3695

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Organist

Joy Stelly
Office Coordinator, ext. 100

Jodie Towles
Bookkeeper, ext. 102

Leonard Westmorland
Director of Facilities, ext. 104

LINDA'S LINES

Four of our members will be heading to South Dakota on **May 20** with Gospel Lights Missions to minister with missionary Matt Hedden who works with the Lakota Sioux Tribe on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. The team will lead in Vacation Bible School for the children of the reservation, as well as work with the adults in Bible Study. They will also provide an optical clinic. The team will return to us on **May 28**. Please pray for these team members from FCBC: Miles Bickers, Sam and Becky Frizzell, and Nancy McCune. Please pray that many people will come to know Jesus during this week. Please pray for safety for the team. Thanks to these team members for following the Great Commission call!

Please join us on **June 4, 6:00 p.m.**, in a Prayer Service as we commission our Vacation Bible School teachers/workers/helpers. (We could still use a few more helpers; if you are willing, please contact Terri Bosemer, Jodie Towles, or me.) We will also observe the Lord's Supper during this time of commissioning.

On a similar subject, please continue to give generously to the Fred Tucker Offering for Associational Missions. Please pray for God's people to answer the call to action in spreading the good news of Jesus Christ through the Louisville Regional Baptist Association. And as always, continue to pray, "Lord, Send a Great Revival!"



SUNDAY SCHOOL
114
MORNING WORSHIP
141

MAY 7, 2017

OUR STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 9,440.00
Budget Received	\$ 9,503.74
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$339,840.00
Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$309,895.18
BUILDING FUND	
Weekly Total	\$ 225.00
Year-to-Date Balance	\$ 7,894.05

Wonderful Wednesday

Theme – "God's Wonderful World"
Bible Stories, Music, & Crafts
May 31 – August 9
6:30 p.m. – 7:20 p.m.

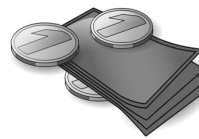
Preschoolers – Directed by Terri Bosemer
Grades 1-5 – Directed by Kristin Jones

Please let Terri or Kristin know if you would like to assist in either of these classes.

FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

It's that time of year! Budget time!
Budget requests are due on **Sunday, June 25**.
Return the forms to the Church Office.
Forms are available in the conference room and foyer areas.
Please be as detailed as possible.

BUDGET



WEEK OF MAY 21

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Holland Kendall 640-2227

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Gary Kistner 419-5505

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Jamie Houston

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Pam Reid, Valerie Montgomery & Judy Couch-Hughes

EXTENDED SESSION

Jeannie Kern, Susie Elleman, Martha Blansette, Kaelee Herbst, & Holly Blansette

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Alex Gibbs

Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Chris Towles

WEEK OF MAY 28

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Jim Sallee 239-7083

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Chad Popham 759-2013

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Terri Bosemer

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Terri Bosemer & Sandy Hall

EXTENDED SESSION

Michele Crider, Terry Schult, Nancy Bickers, & Martha Radford

SOUND TECHNICIAN

Sunday - Alex Gibbs

Wednesday - Sam Frizzell

AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN

Chris Towles

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2017

10:30 a.m. CDC Spring Program
6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Reserved

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 2017

CDC Picnic
7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

Gospel Lights Mission Team Leaves for South Dakota
1:00 p.m. CLC Reserved

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2017

VBS National Day of Prayer
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service
1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Children's Choirs Program
7:00 p.m. New Members' Reception

MONDAY, MAY 22, 2017

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 2017

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

FRIDAY, MAY 26, 2017

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2017

Gospel Lights Mission Team Returns from South Dakota

8:30 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service
12:15 p.m. Memorial Day Celebration / Pot Luck Luncheon
1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

MONDAY, MAY 29, 2017

MEMORIAL DAY - Church Office Closed

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 2017

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 2017

7:00 p.m. VBS Meeting

FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 2017

7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2017

9:00 a.m. Glasses Clinic
10:00 a.m. Women on Mission

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2017

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service / Graduates' Sunday
12:15 p.m. Memorial Day Celebration / Pot Luck Luncheon
1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Mission Friends
Girls in Action
Royal Ambassadors
Acteens & Challengers
VBS Commissioning Service
7:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

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, June 20
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...



Our sympathy is extended to:

- Laura Been and family at the death of her brother, Steven Teixeira (uncle of Scott Been).



Please pray for members / attendees in the hospital / rehab as of May 14, 2017:

- Lorys Edwards - The Palms of Sebring, Sebring, FL - room 103B



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 17

Pork Chops Macaroni & Cheese Brussels Sprouts Bread Dessert

May 24

Beef Vegetable Soup Salad Cornbread Dessert

May 31

SURPRISE!!!

YARD WORK TEAMS

Team 2 (Joseph Montgomery's team) is in charge for **May 18-20.**

Team 3 (Gary Kistner's team) is in charge for **May 25-27.**

Team 4 (Chad Popham's team) is in charge for **June 1-3.**

We could still use a few more people on our Yard Work Teams. Each team works every seven weeks. You may join a team by calling Joy in the church office. Thanks for your help!



CHILDREN'S CHOIR PROGRAM

Sunday, May 21, 6:00 p.m.

Please support our children by your presence. Thanks!!
 The Children's Choir parties will be on May 24, 6:30 p.m.



NEW MEMBERS' RECEPTION

Sunday, May 21

Please join us after the evening Children's Choir Program as we welcome the newest members of our church family. Please bring a snack food. Thanks for joining us in this time of fellowship!



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 present 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:

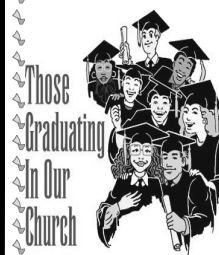
Edith Briscoe	Danny Hass	Joy Stelly
Renee Bryant	Holland Kendall	Neal Tingle
Michele Crider	George Popham	Chris Towles
Becky Frizzell	Jim Sallee	Jerry Walker
Sam Frizzell	Carolyn Simpson	

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

My Nominations: _____

My Name: _____

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 **May 26** and give us the name of your school, degree, etc. We will recognize graduates on **June 4** during the morning worship service. A luncheon for the graduates and their families will be held after the service in our Christian Life Center.

ATTENTION: INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE



May 28 is Instrumental Ensemble Sunday. Please let Jim Cordell know if you are interested in participating. Please meet in the sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. on May 28.

MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

May 28, 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!

Patriotic Music by Kristin Jones
A Time of Remembrance by Neal Tingle



WOMEN ON MISSION

Group I, AGAPE Group, will meet on **June 3 at 10:00 a.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 WORSHIP

Each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is a great time to get together with God's people for prayer, singing, and Bible study. Dr. Terry Wilder is leading us in Bible Study through the book of Exodus (while Pastor Linda is with our youth at this time). The Wednesday Worship Ensemble is also a blessing!

CDC HAPPENINGS

Terri Bosemer - CDC Director

It is so hard to believe that our preschool year is drawing to a close. It seems like just yesterday we welcomed brand new students and their families at Open House. This time of year is filled with so many mixed emotions. We are so excited for the summer time, but we are sad to see many of our families move on. Many of our children have been with us since they were two-year-olds and now they are going off to kindergarten. I feel confident that we have given the students a strong spiritual and academic foundation. My prayer, even more importantly than academics, is that we have prepared their hearts to one day accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

SUMMER FUN PROGRAM

Just a reminder, if you are interested in enrolling your 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 have turned two by October 1, 2016).

"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.

SEEKING:

**Part-Time Ministerial Staff in the following areas:
 Music, Youth, & Children.**

According to the applicant's gifts and skills, two of these areas could be combined for a full-time position. 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 music position must be an excellent musician, worship leader, and educator. 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 26**. Questions? Call 239-0316 ext. 103 (Linda Barnes Popham).



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 5-9, 2017

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Children: (age 3 – grade 8 completed)
(must be age 3 by October 1, 2017)

6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Youth (grades 9 – 12 completed)

Thank you for your willingness to teach or help in Vacation Bible School, June 5-9. More workers are still needed. Please contact:

- Terri Bosemer if you are willing to help with preschoolers;
- Jodie Towles if you are willing to help with grades 1-5;
- Linda Popham if you are willing to help with grades 6-12.

Our next meeting for teachers/workers/helpers is Thursday, June 1, 7:00 p.m.

YOU ARE ALL INVITED!

BRIDAL SHOWER / RECEPTION

IN HONOR OF JAMIE HOUSTON AND ALEX GIBBS

Saturday, June 10, 11:00 a.m.

Christian Life Center

Sponsored by the Adult II Sunday School Class
Questions? Contact Lyndsey Popham, 759-2014.

“YOUNG AT HEART” EVENT

Thursday, June 15, 10:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

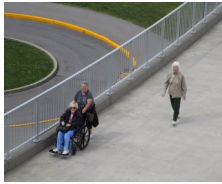
Walking the Big Four Bridge / Picnic Lunch on the Indiana Side

Cost - \$5 for the Bus Transportation

(Please pay on the day of the trip. If you have to cancel, you are expected to pay unless you cancel a week in advance.)

Bring a picnic lunch and drink.

Questions? Contact Geraldine Grigsby or Linda Popham.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

DEACON-SPONSORED DINNER FOR WIDOWS/WIDOWERS

June 29, 6:30 p.m.

Wildwood Country Club

Details will be available soon.

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).



Kendall Optometry Ministry, Inc.
Announcing a Free Glasses Clinic



A free Glasses clinic will be provided from 9AM until 12 Noon (later if needed) on June 3rd, 2017 at Fern Creek Baptist Church. The sole service provided will be fitting the patients eyes with glasses out of an inventory of nearly 4500 pairs in an effort to improve their vision. No optometrists will be available.



Measure their eyes



Find the right pair



out of 4500 pairs



Fit the glasses



And watch for the smiles

To sign up: Talk to your local Social service agency.

Clinic Location:

Fern Creek Baptist Church,
5920 Bardstown Road, Fern Creek, Ky 40291

4-21-2017

For further information: Call: 502-640-2227
Or E-Mail: hollandkendall@kendalloptoministry.org

JUNE BIRTHDAYS



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| 1 - Bev Crittenden | 15 - Chad Popham | 25 - Steven Glenn |
| 2 - Rhiannon Kendall | 16 - Elly Crittenden | Sam Satterly |
| Teresa Pierson | Martha Watson | 26 - Caden Seraphine |
| 3 - Jessica Dickerson | 17 - Ken Naylor | 27 - Walter Hughes |
| Carter Murphy | 18 - Christy Miller | Matthew Karnes |
| Michael Robinson | 19 - Chris Binda | David Magruder |
| 5 - Hannah Hall | Joey Lanham | Lori Spires |
| 7 - Miles Bickers | 20 - Emery Hobbs | Nancy Willis |
| Shirley Sallee | 21 - Sonya Davis | 28 - Sharon Thompson |
| 8 - Adam Grimes | Michele Richardson | 29 - Nate Blansette |
| 10 - Phil Lucas | 22 - Lucy Bickers | 30 - Melissa Logsdon- |
| Phyllis Moore | Sandra Rivera | Young |
| Steven Smith | 23 - Alisha Bruce | Carolyn Simpson |
| 11 - Brian Fenwick | Lori Colvin | Jerry Walker |
| Linda Lindsey | Lisa Frizzell | |
| 13 - Patricia Samson | Jay Hill | |
| 14 - Brent Crittenden | 24 - Kylene Wright | |
| Gary Kistner | | |



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
June 2017				1 7:00 pm VBS Meeting	2	3 9:00 am Glasses Clinic 10:00 am Women on Mission (AGAPE Group)
4 Graduate Sunday 6:00 pm Prayer Service 7:00 pm Deacons' Meeting	5 7:00 pm GROW (G Teams)	6 10:00 am GROW (G Team)	7 4:30 pm Staff Meeting 7:30 pm GROW (G Team)	8	9	10 10:00 am Wedding Shower Houston / Gibbs
Vacation Bible School						
11 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service 7:00 pm Business Meeting	12 7:00 pm GROW (R Teams)	13 9:00 am Summer Fun Terrific Tuesday 6:45 pm All Committees 7:00 pm Administrative / Ministry Committees 8:00 pm Church Council	14	15 9:00 am Summer Fun 10:00 am "Young at Heart" Big Four Bridge and Picnic	16 6:30 pm Wedding Rehearsal	17 4:30 pm Wedding - Jamie Houston & Alex Gibbs
Mission Adventure for Kentucky Kids (Parkland Baptist Church)						
18 FATHER'S DAY Jeff St. #1 6:00 p.m. Prayer Service	19 7:00 pm GROW (O Teams)	20 9:00 am Summer Fun Terrific Tuesday 9:30 am Sisterhood Youth Camp	21	22 9:00 am Summer Fun	23	24 8:00 am Optical Training
25 8:30 am Instrumental Ensemble 6:00 pm Missions Recognition Service	26 7:00 pm GROW (W Teams)	27 9:00 am Summer Fun Terrific Tuesday	28	29 9:00 am Summer Fun 6:30 pm Widow / Widower Dinner	30	