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Fern Creek Baptist Church

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Sisterhood

Tuesday, August 21
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


The church staff asks all of you to join us again in 40 Days of Prayer. We as a church joined together in 2017 in this endeavor that was so meaningful in the life of our church. Will you join us again? Please join us in *Draw the Circle: The 40 Day Prayer Challenge* (by Mark Batterson) beginning **September 4, 2018**. In order to do so you will need to purchase the devotional book that goes along with the challenge. You may purchase the book for \$7 from the church office or after worship at the sanctuary welcome center. (Write checks to Fern Creek Baptist Church.) During these 40 days, as we press into God's presence in a very intentional way, our prayer is for a great revival to begin. Let it begin in you!!

You may wonder what the title *Draw the Circle* has to do with prayer. Mark Batterson adapted this title from words of the late evangelist Rodney "Gypsy" Smith. Smith, who never received a formal education, lectured at Harvard and was also invited by two U.S. presidents to the White House. He preached the gospel to millions of people in Europe and the U.S. When questioned by some revival seekers, Smith gave this advice: "Go home. Lock yourself in your room. Kneel down in the middle of the floor, and with a piece of chalk draw a circle around yourself. There, on your knees, pray fervently and brokenly that God would start revival within that chalk circle." I hope you will also accept this 40 day prayer challenge and that each day on the journey will be transformational for you!! I pray that a great revival will start in each of our lives!

I issue you the challenge again to be a part of our GROW Outreach Ministry!! We have so many people visiting our church and so many prospects from our summer activities. And, there are so many lost and unchurched people in our community. We just need more people who are willing and enthusiastic about reaching out to them!!! GROW Teams meet on **Monday evenings, 7:00 p.m.**, the **first Tuesday morning of the month at 10:00 a.m.**, and the **first Wednesday evening of the month at 7:30 p.m.** If you are not on a GROW Team, please call or email me sometime this week and let me know if you are willing to be put on a team. How wonderful it will be to have you joining us in this Great Commission endeavor!

We hope you are all planning to attend "Son-Day Fun-Day" on **Sunday, August 12, 5:30 p.m.** This is a wonderful way to reach out community with the love and grace of Jesus Christ! Please help us. Please contact Jodie, Joy, or me if you are willing to help. Or, you may sign up at the shelf in the common area to work at one of the stations.

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL		JULY 29, 2018	
119		OUR STEWARDSHIP	
MORNING WORSHIP		Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 9,657.00
150		Budget Received	\$ 10,871.01
		Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$ 463,536.00
		Year-to-Date Budget Received	\$ 427,893.56
		BUILDING FUND	
		Weekly Total	\$ 70.00
		Year-to-Date Balance	\$ 7,796.58

WEEK OF AUGUST 12
DEACON OF THE WEEK
George Popham 239-6628
TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK
Chad Popham 759-2013
CHILDREN'S CHURCH
Lindsey Emert, Chrissy Creech,
& Donna Grimes
EXTENDED SESSION
Samantha Owens, Jeannie Kern,
Kayla Beeler, and Terry Schult
SOUND TECHNICIAN
Sunday - Ben Hale
Wednesday - Sam Frizzell
AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN
Chris Towles

WEEK OF AUGUST 19
DEACON OF THE WEEK
Jim Sallee 239-7083
TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK
Joe Murphy 777-1632
CHILDREN'S CHURCH
Lindsey Emert & Brenda Pennington
EXTENDED SESSION
Donna Grimes, Susan Hudgins,
Glenda Coddington, and
Jeannie Kern
SOUND TECHNICIAN
Sunday - Scot Anderson
Wednesday - Sam Frizzell
AUDIO/VISUAL TECHNICIAN
Lucy Bickers

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2018

9:00 a.m. Basketball Camp
6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship
L.I.G.H.T. for Youth
Wonderful Wednesday

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 2018

9:00 a.m. Basketball Camp

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 2018

5:30 p.m. "Young at Heart" - Belle of
Louisville

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12, 2018

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

3:30 p.m. Set Up for "Son-Day Fun-Day"

5:30 p.m. "Son-Day Fun-Day"

MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 2018

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2018

7:00 p.m. Stewardship Comm. Mtg.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2018

6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship

L.I.G.H.T. for Youth

Children's Choirs Workers'
Training

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 2018

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

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2018

Jeff St. #2

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

12:15 p.m. "Eating Meeting" / Budget
Presentation

1:15 p.m. Filipino Worship Service

MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 2018

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2018

9:30 a.m. Sisterhood

6:30 p.m. Ministry & Missions
Committee Training

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 2018

6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship

L.I.G.H.T. for Youth

Children's Choirs Workers'
Training

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 2018

9:00 a.m. CDC Teacher Orientation

5:30 p.m. Sandwich Supper

6:30 p.m. Sunday School Leadership
Training

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 2018

7:00 p.m. Deacons' Retreat

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 2018

9:00 a.m. Deacons' Retreat

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26, 2018

8:30 a.m. Instrumental Ensemble

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

6:00 p.m. Welcome Rachel Oldham &
New Members' Reception

FREE GLASSES CLINIC
SPONSORED BY KENDALL OPTOMETRY
MINISTRY, INC.
September 1, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Christian Life Center
Questions? Contact Holland Kendall or Sam Frizzell.

Please pray for members / attendees in the hospital / rehab as of July 22, 2018:

- Jerry Lanham – Glen Ridge – Room 519
- Bill Magruder (Jenny Magruder’s husband) – Belmont Village Senior Living – Room 348
- Dennis Starks – Westminster Terrace – Room 251-1
- Jason Routt - VA Hospital
- Detra Anderson—Signature East Rehab - Room 306



Thank you notes have been placed on the bulletin board from Loren Been and Emery and Betty Hobbs.



WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY

Bible stories, games, crafts, missions, and music told through candy bars
 August 8, 2018
 6:30 - 7:20 p.m.
 Preschoolers - room 107 / grades 1 - 5 (Completed) - room 204

LIGHT (Grades 6-12)

Wednesday Evenings, 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Join us each Wednesday evening! Hope to see you! Bring your friends! Questions? Contact Rachel Oldham.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR “SON-DAY FUN-DAY”

We need your help collecting school supplies for “Son-Day Fun-Day” to be held on **August 12**. All supplies need to be turned in by **August 8**. Please put your supplies in the bins marked “school supplies” in the collection area between the common area and the gym. The following supplies are needed:

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| Pencils/Erasers | Scissors (Fiskars preferred) |
| Glue Sticks | Washable Markers |
| Colored Pencils | Folders (with brads and/or pockets) |
| Composition books | Spiral Notebooks |
| Wide Rule Notebook paper | 24 count Crayons |
| Ink Pens (black, blue, & red) | Pencil bags/boxes |

Along with supplies we will also be collecting new backpacks to distribute.

We also invite Sunday Classes to collect money for us to purchase bicycles, basketballs, soccer balls, etc. for door prizes. Please take the money to the Sunday School office with your records or bring it to the church office before August 8.

YARD WORK TEAMS



- Team 7 (Gary Kistner’s team)** is in charge for **Aug. 9 - 11.**
 - Team 1 (Chad Popham’s team)** is in charge for **Aug. 16 - 18.**
 - Team 2 (Joe Murphy’s team)** is in charge for **Aug. 23 - 25.**
- Thanks for your help!

“YOUNG AT HEART” ACTIVITY

August 10, 2018

Belle of Louisville Evening Cruise

If you signed up for this event, please remember that we will leave FCBC at **5:30 p.m.** and return around **10:00 p.m.**



ROCKY’S BEAT

Rocky Hardymon - Minister of Music

This is the last week for Wonderful Wednesdays. We have music, missions, Bible study, and crafts. This year’s theme has been Candy Bars! This week’s theme is Three Musketeers. The image on this candy is the Three Musketeers, friends who always stick together. Kids will learn through the story of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego that we are wise if we always stick with God. Hope to see you for this last Wonderful Wednesday.

Children, as we prepare for another school year, remember it is always good to do the right thing. *Galatians 6:9* says: “*And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.*” While at school, always strive to do your best. When a situation comes along that you have to make a decision to either do right or wrong, God wants you to choose His way. If you came to Children’s Music Week, remember the 4 C’s!

Don’t forget that “Son-Day Fun-Day” is August 12, starting at 5:30 p.m. Free food and school supplies!

Our sympathy is extended to:

- David and Susan Hudgins and family at the death of David’s sister-in-law, Betty Hudgins;
- The family of Jacky Garrett, wife of deceased church member, Lewis Garrett.



SUPER SUMMER SUNDAY EVENINGS IN JULY

Join us for the rest of the Sunday evenings of this summer. All events are at 6:00 p.m. unless listed otherwise.

- **August 12, 5:30 p.m.** – “Son-Day Fun-Day”
- **August 19, 12:15 p.m.** – “Eating Meeting” / Budget Presentation
- **August 26** – New Members’ Ice-Cream Reception and Welcome to Rachel Oldham

“SON-DAY FUN-DAY”

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Sunday, August 12, 5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Backyard and Christian Life Center

All are invited!! Everything is free!!

Rain or Shine!



Watch for more details in the insert on Sunday mornings of ways you can help!

EATING MEETING - Sunday, August 19, 12:15 p.m.

We hope all of you will join us! We will enjoy ritzy chicken, rice, green beans, corn, and rolls (free) and then enter into business session. The Stewardship Committee will be presenting the budget for the new church year in a creative way. Please come and rejoice with us in all that has been accomplished this past church year. Also, we will look forward to the future with great expectation in what God is going to do! Please thank the members of the Stewardship Committee (Ballard Anderson, Becky Frizzell, Lesley Hass, Ed Ward, Martha Radford, Walter Hughes, Jim Sallee, Carolyn Simpson, & Jodie Towles, ex-officio member).

MINISTRY & MISSIONS CENTER COMMITTEE TRAINING

Tuesday, August 21, 6:30 p.m.

Christian Life Center

All members of the committee are asked to be present.



SUNDAY SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TRAINING AND SANDWICH SUPPER

Thursday, August 23, 5:30 p.m.

This is for Sunday School Teachers, Workers, Class Officers, etc.

DEACONS’ RETREAT

August 24-25 (Friday evening and Saturday morning)

Fern Creek / Highview Ministerial Association Building

This is for all active deacons and ministerial staff.

USHER TRAINING

Tuesday, August 28, 7:00 p.m.

It is important for all ushers for the new church year to be present. Thanks for your willingness to serve in this ministry! Questions? Contact Doris Ann Sea or Linda Popham.

Usher Training



CDC HAPPENINGS

Terri Bosemer - CDC Director

SEEKING

Alice Glenn, our Child Development Center Administrative Assistant, will soon be retiring. Alice has done a great job over these years. We are now accepting resumes for this part-time position (approximately 15 hours a week). Applicant must be a spiritually mature Christian and active church member (preferably of FCBC), have several years of administrative experience, and have strong computer skills. The applicant should be proficient in Word, Publisher, and Excel. Interested persons should submit resumes to the CDC office or email terri@ferncreekbaptist.org. Questions? Contact Terri Bosemer.

We also need Child Development Center Three and Four-Year-Old Teachers and a Music Teacher. Applicant must be a spiritually mature Christian, an active church member, an experienced educator, an enthusiastic instructor, and a team player. Send resumes to: Fern Creek Baptist Church, Attention: Child Development Center Committee, 5920 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291, or email terri@ferncreekbaptist.org. Questions? Call Terri at 239-8952.