

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

OCTOBER 2022

THE CARILLON



Greetings Church Family,

I recently had lunch with a friend of our congregation, Todd Gray, the Executive Director-Treasurer of the Kentucky Baptist Convention. He shared some incredible statistics with me about our church and I wanted to pass on to you. I invite you to celebrate with me the kindness of the Lord to our church over the years!

- *From 1980 - 2021 our church has seen 302 people baptized.*
- *From 1980 - 2021 our church has seen 328 other additions to our congregation.*
- *From 1928 (the year the Cooperative Program began) through 2021 our church has given \$795,388.40 to the Cooperative Program. These dollars have gone to the work of the International Mission Board, North American Mission Board, Women's Ministry Union, seminary education, and more.*

Praise God for His work through the selfless generosity of you and so many others. May the Lord be kind to allow us to see even more done over the years to come!

*Know therefore that the Lord your God is God.
He is the faithful God,
keeping His covenant of love
to a thousand generations of those who
love Him and keep His commandments.*

DEUTERONOMY 7:9

Because He Lives!
Pastor Chance



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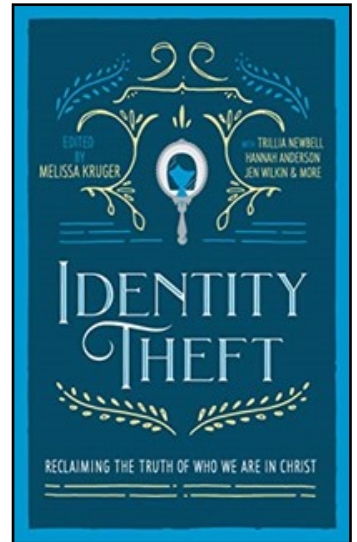


TITUS 2 WOMEN'S MINISTRY

The women of First Baptist Church have a new opportunity to worship and minister! The Titus 2 Women's Ministry is the vision of Brittany McConnell and Tessa Redmond. The name is based from scripture Titus 2:3-5. Brittany McConnell shared "Tessa and I wanted to create a Ministry environment where women could fellowship and grown in devotion to Jesus more while also getting to know each other better.... With an emphasis on the older women discipling the younger women in Christ as the scripture outlines. So while it is a Ministry with scheduled events and such occasionally, our overarching hope and goal is that women would grow deeper in relationship with one another in a mentorship context - living life together."

Titus 2 Women held their first event in September with the theme "Rooted". The night included a delicious meal and fellowship getting to know each other. Charlotte Nedros led the group in a devotion.

Titus 2 Women will be having a **Fall Bible Study** each **Thursday** from **6:30 - 7:30 PM** in the **Media Room**. This **11 week study** will focus on the book ***Identify Theft: Reclaiming the Truth of our Identity in Christ***. Please contact Brittany McConnell or Tessa Redmond for more information or to purchase a copy of the book.



Pictured Left to Right:

Janet Barnett
Charlotte Nedros
Judierle Hall
Nancy Stout
Harriett Hile
Lesta Higgins
Jane Waits
LVonne Gilbert





2022 CHRISTMAS
BACKPACKS FOR CHILDREN

Share the gift of **LOVE** and
the **GOSPEL** with a child
in need this Christmas.

ONLY 4 STATES HAVE A HIGHER PERCENTAGE of children living in poverty. For many children in Kentucky, a backpack from Kentucky Baptists may be all they get for Christmas!

Visit www.kybaptist.org/backpacks for resources and more information.

This year First Baptist will again participate in the backpack program providing toys and supplies for children in Kentucky in need of God's love. Our goal is to exceed 45 BACKPACKS! You may pick up a backpack in the back of the sanctuary to fill. You will need to have your backpack returned to the church by October 24th. The drop off area will be outside the church office.

Details and more information can be found at the Kentucky Baptist Website.

First Baptist Church Contact

Dr. Bethany Snider or Sandra Stewart

TWO FIRST BAPTIST MEMBERS GRANTED WISHES!

Michael Williams and Paul Hieb who reside in long-term health facilities recently entered contests granting wishes for residents. Congratulations are extended to both Michael and Paul who were selected to have their wishes granted! The following stories and photos were shared on social media.

LIVE A DREAM

This is from a Face Book post written by Allison Young, Michael Williams' niece who lives in Nashville and works in communications for the Southern Baptist Convention . . .

Exactly one year ago, my Uncle Michael had a major health battle. The prognosis was not good and the days were uncertain. Last fall, by God's grace and an amazing Doctor who made it her mission to find out what was going on, he began treatment and therapy that have and are restoring his health. Praise God!



In March, Michael moved to a senior living facility for his continued recovery and around the time he moved there they were having a contest, (along with others around the country) called **Live A Dream**, design for fulfilling the dream of seniors. The staff asked him, "What is your dream?" Michael's response was his whole life he had wanted to come to Nashville and visit the Grand Ole Opry. Out of all the entrance to this contest he won and this past week, his dream was fulfilled!

At a senior living industry conference, Michael was presented with an all-expense paid visit to the Grand Ole Opry and VIP treatment that included a backstage tour, his own dressing room, meeting a couple of the artists, seats on stage for part of the show, his name mentioned on the broadcast, seats on the floor for the other part, seeing hearing lots of artists including Vince Gill, Randy Travis and more. Michael said he had to keep pinching himself that all of it was happening! His sisters, my mom Connie and Aunt Brenda, even got to experience all this alongside him! What a special day for all of them!

Our family could not be more grateful for how God has worked in Michael's life over this year we have seen incredible healing physical restoration, and fulfilled dreams all of which were beyond anything we could have ever thought possible! God is so good!

"Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen."

EPHESIANS 3:20

BEYOND VAN GOGH

Congratulations to Paul Hieb for being selected to attend the "Beyond Van Gogh" art exhibit in Louisville KY. Mr. Hieb and his two sons, Dan and Court along with a few Signature Healthcare Staff members had an exciting adventure, discovering the immersive, interactive, and live display of Van Gogh masterpieces! Mr. Hieb, who is a talented artist, loved the experience so much that he had to see it twice!

After an exciting adventure at the art exhibit, Mr. Hieb chose to have dinner at one of his favorite restaurants, Dittos! When Mr. Hieb was asked if the food was good, he replied, "Well yes, it is! It was ribs after all!" Mr. Hieb shared he thought the food was even better than he had remembered!

Thank you to Signature Inspire Foundation for making this a special day for Mr. Hieb and his sons to enjoy with him!



DO YOU KNOW WHERE YOUR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS ARE?

October is National Fire Prevention Month. Do you know why October was selected as Fire Prevention Month? It is in commemoration of the Great Chicago Fire in 1871. The goal is to provide safety awareness and help ensure your home and family is protected.

We, at First Baptist Church of Taylorsville, know firsthand the importance of fire safety. It was not all that long ago, that the Sanctuary of our Church was damaged by fire. It happened during the celebration of the Christmas Advent. Somehow, the candles were left burning and the Advent wreath caught on fire. Thankfully, the sanctuary was not destroyed but there was extensive smoke damage. We learned a very valuable lesson!

It is so important for everyone to be familiar with the location of the fire extinguishers in our Sanctuary. There are actually **four (4) fire extinguishers** either in the Sanctuary or close proximity. The locations are as follows:

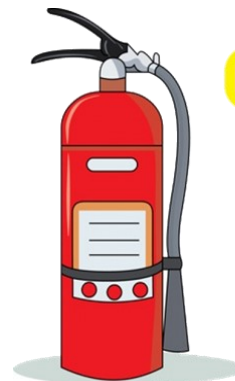
**In the vestibule of the Sanctuary on the wall
By the piano on the floor
Behind the Pulpit in the choir loft
On the wall in the hallway behind the choir loft**

The next time you are in the church, take a moment to look around and familiarize yourself with the location of the nearest fire extinguisher.

Fire safety is even important in your home. Make sure you know where your fire extinguishers are located, change those batteries in your smoke detectors and have a fire safety exit plan!

NOTE: Thank you to the Risk Management Committee for this important reminder. The committee meets regularly to ensure First Baptist is safe and prepared for any issues that may arise.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Hobert Judd, Ron Thomas, Judy Miller, Tom Willis, John Mark Snider, Sr., Larry Muench, Hoyt Higgins. If you see a safety issue or concern, please share the information with a committee member.



FIRE SAFETY



**HISTORIC SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
70 REV. CHARLES BURTON WAY
TAYLORSVILLE, KENTUCKY**

COMMUNITY VACCINATION CLINIC

Given by Walgreens Pharmacy
Saturday, October 15, 2022
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 P.M.

COVID VACCINATIONS

Moderna & Pfizer
(Primaries & Boosters)
New Covid Booster is available!
Flu Shots & Polio Shots

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Bring your Insurance Card
And
Vaccination Card to record Update

Vouchers for **FREE** Shots available
if you do not have Insurance



CALL OR TEXT

Your **Name, Address, Birthdate, and Contact Number**
You will be contacted to set up appointment time.
Mary – 502.817.9713
Diane – 502.477.8405
Toni – 270.268.1709



NOVEMBER 1, 2022

**Lifeline Screening a leading provider of
community-based preventive health screening,
is pleased to offer a preventive health event
at First Baptist Church**

Five Screenings will be offered that scan for
potential health problems related to

**BLOCKED ARTERIES
ABDOMINAL AORTIC ANEURYSMS
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BONE DENSITY SCREENING**

All five screenings take
60-90 minutes to complete

Call 1-888-653-6441

Visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle>

On Wednesday, October 19th the youth will travel to Spencer County High School to participate in the annual Fellowship of Christian Athletes "Fields of Faith". The event will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the Football Field.



Fields of Faith is a student led event. Students will be sharing their testimonies and leading worship, while they encourage their peers to follow Jesus Christ and read the Bible. With a world filled with pressures and temptations, the only Truth can be found in Jesus Christ.

Please pray for all youth in Spencer County as they face many challenges each day.

The Youth of First Baptist Taylorsville will once again sponsor the annual **Chili Cook-Off and Dessert Auction** fundraiser on **October 23rd following the morning Worship Service.**

All are encouraged to enter a pot of Chili for the Cook-off. Prizes will be awarded to the first and second place winners in the "Mild" and "Hot" categories. Voting will be done by monetary donation for your favorite pot of meaty beany goodness.

The Dessert Auction will take place during the meal. All types of sweets are welcome as entries, the sweeter the better!

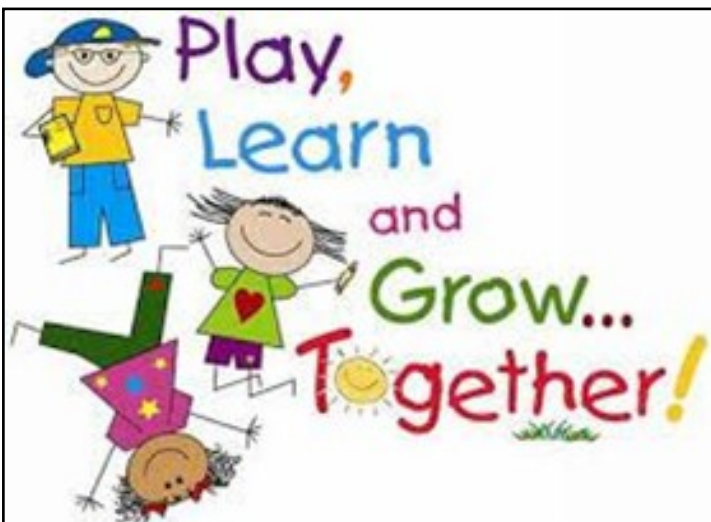


Encourage the youth and help them raise money for their summer activities by donating entries, voting, and buying yummy deserts!

If you are interested in participating in either, the sign-up sheet is located outside the secretary's office.



Dessert Auction



Wednesday
6:45 - 7:30 p.m.



Wednesday
7:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Cedar Hill

Please join First Baptist Family & Friends for food and fellowship on October 2nd at Cedar Hill located on Hickory Ridge Road. Cedar Hill is a time to relax and fellowship with the body of believers under the outdoor picnic pavilion. Bring your favorite dish! An announcement will be made on day of event if Cedar Hill is moved to "Cedar Hall" at the church due to inclement weather.

Directions to Cedar Hill

Take Hwy 44 East -Hwy. 248 (four lane). Turn left onto Hickory Ridge Road at the water tower just past Bethlehem Baptist. Cedar Hill is located about 1 mile on the left.



Cherry Pineapple Dump Cake

1 can cherry pie filling
1 20 oz. can crushed pineapple
2 T. Almond Extract
2-3 T. Maraschino Cherry Juice
1 Duncan Hines Classic Butter Golden Cake Mix
1 stick unsalted butter or margarine
Chopped Pecans for the top

Preheat oven according to the cake mix directions. Spray 9x13 pyrex dish with cooking spray. In bowl mix all ingredients except the cake mix, butter, and pecans. Pour into pan. Sprinkle the dry cake mix over the fruit. Top with pats of butter and sprinkle with pecans. Bake in oven until the top turns golden brown. Serve warm or cold with ice cream!

From The Kitchen Of
Ruth Ann Sweazy

Family Fun Fest

Monday October 31st - 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO PROVIDE . . .

Individually Wrapped Pieces of Candy To Give Away

AND

Volunteer Workers

For More Information - Contact

The Church Office 502.477.8197



OCTOBER



Spencer County Public Schools Fall Break

October 7 - 17

1
Spencer County
Homecoming
Parade 10:30 a.m.

2  Cedar Hill 6:00 p.m.	3 Trustees 8:00 a.m.	4 Men's Coffee 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup Love My Neighbor Old Fashion Christmas Choir	5 	6  Empty Spools Quilt Friends 10:00 a.m.	7	8
9  DEACON'S MEETING 4:00 P.M.	10 Trustees 8:00 a.m.	11 Men's Coffee 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup Love My Neighbor Old Fashion Christmas Choir	12 	13  Women's Bible Study	14	15 
16  6:00 p.m.	17 Trustees 8:00 a.m.	18 Men's Coffee 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup Love My Neighbor Old Fashion Christmas Choir	19 Spencer County High School Football Field 6:00 p.m. 	20  Tour Cave Hill King Fish	21	22
23  Neighborhood Outreach	24 Trustees 8:00 a.m. Christmas Backpacks	25 Men's Coffee 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup Love My Neighbor Old Fashion Christmas Choir	26 	27 	28	29
30 Community Groups Evening Service 	31 Family Fun Fest 5:00 p.m. 	WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHEDULE 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School 11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship 6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship		TITUS 2 WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY EVERY THURSDAY 6:30 - 7:30 PM MEDIA ROOM		



Family Fun Fest

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2022
5:00 – 7:30 P.M.



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