# First Baptist Church of Knoxville Life of the Church November 6, 2013





### **FBC Knitting Club**

Thursday November 7, 12:30 pm Room 306

Join us with a pair of willing hands for this worthwhile ministry. Our mission is knitting blankets to be presented to new babies at their dedication. For more information contact Carolyn White at 865-938-3494.

### Keith and Kristyn Getty Benefit Concert for Restoration House

First Baptist Concord, November 10, 7 pm (Doors open at 6 pm)

Keith and Kristyn Getty are world-renowned recording artists who have written many of our modern church hymns. The local concert will be a benefit event to help raise additional funds needed to complete construction on The Village, a Restoration House community for low-income single mother families. One hundred percent of the net proceeds will be matched from a local donor and go toward completion of The Village! General admission tickets can be purchased at our Welcome Center for \$15.00; VIP Packages available for \$250; includes 2 tickets with preferred seating, two autographed CDs, and a VIP reception with the Gettys, held from 6 to 6:30 PM the night of the concert.



### **GA's WorldCrafts Party**

Wednesday, November 13, 6:00 - 7:15 pm

Come by the Blue Room for the GA's WorldCrafts Party. Learn about this unique ministry that shares the love of Jesus. Support the vision of a ministry which is changing lives through the development of sustainable businesses and helping impoverished people around the world earn income to provide for their families. Come shop with the GA's and most importantly make a difference in the life of a family: "Whenever you did this for one of the least of these members of my family, you did it for me." Matt 25:40 GNB

#### Youth Fall Retreat

November 15-17 at Walden Lodge in Sevierville, TN

Be on the look out for information regarding departure, arrival, and what to bring, which will be mailed to you soon. Also, please make sure all forms, payments, and insurance copies are turned in as soon as possible.



### **Safety and Security Team Meeting**

Tuesday, November 12, 6 pm

A training and informational meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 12, at 6:00 PM in the Blue Room. Those interested in assisting with our Sunday Patrol Teams, or at the Christmas Brunch are requested to attend. Please call Russ Linger at 865-384-1037 if you have any questions.



#### Women's Fellowship

Sunday November 24, after 11 am Service, Trentham Hall

There is a Women's Fellowship planned for Sunday, November 24, in Trentham Hall after the 11 am worship service. All ladies are invited to attend. Lunch will be served followed by a program. Please RSVP by November 17 to Charlotte Damewood (damewood@localnet.com) or 865-933-6121.



#### Please Welcome Dr. Don Garner November 3, 10, and 17

Dr. Garner is currently Professor of Religion at Carson-Newman University. He has a B.A., English major [Phi Beta Kappa], University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, M.Div., Ph.D. in Old Testament studies, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Sabbatical study leave at Candler School of Theology (Spring 1991), and Duke Divinity School (Spring 2009), Dr. Garner joined the Carson-Newman faculty in 1980, and teaches Old Testament Introduction, Old Testament Prophets, Proverbs, Job, and Ecclesiastes. Dr. Garner is frequently invited to speak in churches and has served as interim pastor in Kentucky and Tennessee. He is certified as an Intentional Interim Minister. He has taught at two seminaries and has published one

book and many articles about the Bible and Christian faith. Don especially enjoys "old" things like antique automobiles and archaeology in Jordan.

### Open Sanctuary Flower Date Sunday, November 24

Sunday, Nov.24<sup>th</sup>, is an open date for sanctuary flowers. Please call Sydnor Money at 865-951-1206 if you are interested in providing a floral arrangement for worship on that day.

### Hanging of the Green

Sunday, December 1, 6 pm

The Hanging of the Green on Sunday, December 1st, is a long-standing tradition at First Baptist. It is a great way to start the Christmas season, and it's fun for the whole family. Raising the decorations in the Sanctuary takes a number of volunteers as well as getting the Sanctuary ready for the Hanging of the Green. We are looking for volunteers to set up the decorations on Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>, at 9 am, and for volunteers to participate in the Hanging of the Green by raising decorations during the service. Please give Pam a call at the church office if you would like to be part of this year's Hanging of the Green.



#### Coats for the Cold

Coats for the Cold has been a Knoxville tradition for over 25 years. Knox Area Rescue Ministries, in association with WIVK-FM, WVLT-TV, and Prestige Cleaners, spearheads this valuable ministry. Donations of coats for all ages (infants to 5xl) may be made at KARM thrift stores or any Knoxville Prestige Cleaners locations. Coat distribution is set for Saturday, December 7.

#### **Items Needed for Christmas Brunch**

On Saturday, December 14, we will host the 9<sup>th</sup> annual Christmas Brunch. This is a wonderful opportunity for FBC to serve our local community as a church body. Please note that even if you have volunteered in the same area for many years and plan to serve in the same area, both old and new volunteers **MUST** fill out the Christmas Brunch volunteer form. This helps the Christmas Brunch Coordinators. Items Needed for Christmas Brunch On Saturday, December 14, we will host the 9<sup>th</sup> annual



Christmas Brunch. This year's gifts are: Yoyo's, Paddle Balls, Bubbles, Jump Ropes, Slinkys, 8x10 picture frames, travel-size shampoo, lotion, hand sanitizer and hair combs/ brushes, regular-size deodorant, bars of soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, and Chapstick. Items may be placed in the boxes in the Welcome Center and by the elevators. If you choose to give a monetary donation, please note in the memo line "Christmas Brunch."

### Thanksgiving Baskets for South Knoxville Elementary Families

Every year we provide Thanksgiving baskets for approximately 25 families at South Knoxville Elementary. You can help with this need by contributing to the South Knoxville Elementary account during the next few weeks. Please designate on your check and envelope memos, "South Knoxville Thanksgiving Baskets." We do appreciate your supporting our continued relationship with the families at our partner school.

Attendance & Givir	ıg – November
Sunday School	341
First Community	84
11:00 am	323
Deaf	27
Passage	8
Combined	435
Giving	
Weekly	43,565.5
MTD Giving	42,565.5
Monthly Need	159,004.6
YTD Giving	1,345,326.9
YTD Need	1,535,955.0

Beginning Balance

Current Balance

650,000.00

13,866.67



### Menus - November 13

### Bridae

Breakfast for Lunch

## Wednesday Supper

Salisbury Steak, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans

#### Kid's Hut Cafe

Chicken Tenders, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls

#### Sanctuary Flowers for November 10

Flowers are given as a birthday memorial in loving memory of Frank A. Wylie

by his wife, Mona Wylie.

### Minister On Call (865) 246-4650

Pam Neal, November 8 Scott Claybrook, November 15

#### In Service - Week of November 10

### First Community Hospitality

Dickie and Fred Kaserman

#### First Community Greeters

Ethel Powell, John & Lanita Rorrer

#### Welcome Center Greeters

Beth Nagel, Mary Nelle Robbins

#### Preschool Extended Care

Lisa Beeler, Arleen Malcolm Monitor: Rav Malcolm

#### TV Ministry Team

Ned Russell, Judy Cox, Sarah Bittle, Brad Bittle, Marion Carter. Reba Green. Seva Ball

### Hospital Ministry Team

Barbara Eubank

### New Member Ministry

Spencer Hudson, Greg Reed

### Outreach Deacon

Bill Evans

#### TeleCare Ministry

Arleen Malcolm



November 15-17 - Youth Retreat

December 1 - Hanging of the Green

December 8 - Sanctuary Choir Christmas Concert

December 11 - Children's Choir Christmas Concert

December 14 – Christmas Brunch

December 18 - Family Missions Banquet

December 24 - Christmas Candlelight Service

#### PRAYER LIST for THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 07, 2013

#### **MEMBERS**

#### **HOSPITAL**

Sara Sanford, UT 1007 Rusty Phillips, Ft Sanders ER

#### DISCHARGED

Pam Richardson Shirley Irwin Max Wallace

#### IN MEMORIAM

Earl Murphy Thompson, Sr. April 19, 1924 – Oct. 29, 2013 Date Joined: May 29, 1988

#### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY EXTENDS SYMPATHY TO**

- the family of Brian Daniel, upon the death of his uncle, Carson Daniel of Rutledge, on October 12.
- the family of Windie Wilson, upon the death of her brother, Tim Wilson of Knoxville, on October 28.

### NURSING HOME / RETIREMENT HOME OF THE WEEK

West Hills Health & Rehab (formerly Hillcrest West) 6801 Middlebrook Pike (37909)

Clara Turner Room 517 Sara Sanford Room 923

#### OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS

Pastor Search Committee **Pulpit Supply Committee** Jimmy & Kelly Ownby, upcoming birth of 2<sup>nd</sup> son

Jon Burnett Bill Brewer

Pat Davis Nancy Egerton-Ross Otha Winningham Martha Breazeale

Rusty Phillips Doug Wilt, health concerns

Betty Smith Carl Reischling Greg Johannsen Maxine Masingill Ann Buchanan Shirley Irwin

#### **FRIENDS AND FAMILIES**

### **HOSPITAL**

Margaret Langford, Univ of Cincinnati Med Ctr 8214 – Amy Pickle's sister

Ronnie Raiveley, UT 1114 - Food Co-op participant

#### DISCHARGED

J. E. Keaton (in-patient rehab) - Reggie Keaton's dad

#### OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS

Clark Turner (KY), health issues - Sandy Hope's brother

All military veterans, especially those dealing with spiritual, mental, and physical wounds Preston, Matt, Sheila, Kristen - Anonymous Delys Dearmon, battling cancer - cousin of Sandra Acuff

For Kyle and Brittany as they work on finishing their new home, and his daughter, Katrina - Mac Pickle Khadijah Latham, elbow issues - Felix's daughter Vickie Garner, spinal fusion surgery - Don Garner's wife (Don will be preaching here November 3, 10 & 17)

Jim Boswell, recovery from open heart surgery -Wade Boswell's brother

Doug Teffeteller, heart condition - Virginia Griffin's friend

Fletcher family – friends of Tere Atwater Uncle with liver and colon cancer - Rachel Hylton Katleigh, substance abuse, strength to complete program after admission - Sylvia Williams' niece

Al Michael (AR), recovery from abdominal surgery -Kay Reed's brother

Lyles Stone, pancreatic cancer – Bob and Sydnor Money's cousin

Rhonda Ward – recovery from rotator cuff surgery Doris Derden, breast cancer - Jama Reischling's

L.C. Cutshaw, battling cancer - Betty Effler's brotherin-law

Drew Rhodes, awaiting kidney transplant - friend of Tyler Lewelling

Nervalis Beustamante, seriously ill - Martha Guerrero's sister in Colombia, South America Alice Miller, breast cancer - Bill Beeler's sister Jessica Talley, brain injury - family of Virginia Griffin Ennis Taylor, lung cancer - family of Virginia Griffin Mark Townsend, colon cancer - son of Laura & Bob

**FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY** 

Townsend

Hunter Holt, serving in Afghanistan - grandson of Jim & Caryl Dee Holt

#### MISSIONARY PRAYER CALENDAR

Holly Sumrall, Philip Hamline, CS, Joe Dowdy, Karen Ray, CM, BH, LF, CP, CC, CS, GB

#### **MINISTRY PRAYER REQUESTS**

The Leaders of our Country, our Military, our City and our Church, The Stephen Ministers, The Unchurched & Missing