Life of the Church January 11



Kids Hope USA

January is Mentoring Month and the one hour a week you can provide as a mentor has a tremendous impact on the life of children. Mentors also benefit from the time spent with their child. Here's a quote from one of our mentors: "My little is a remarkable little girl! She amazes me in how she acts around others. She makes me so happy! My little is aware of her shortcomings, but she works hard to



overcome them. She knows everyone in the school by name, and she takes up for children who get bullied." Please consider being a mentor. For more information contact Jill Hobby at hobb2000@aol.com.

Church-wide Winder Baby Shower

Sunday, January 22, 2-4 pm, Trentham Hall

The Community Council will host a church-wide baby shower for Ben & Laura Beth Winder in anticipation of the arrival of baby boy Winder. Make plans to join us as we celebrate! The Winders are registered at BuyBuy Baby & Twig Children's Boutique.



Young Adult Space - Open House

Sunday, January 29, 12:30-2 pm, Young Adult Space

You're invited! With the latest round of renovations complete, the Dwell Young Adult Ministry invites you to an open house on Sunday, January 29, from 12:30-2 pm. The Young Adult ministry space is on the bottom floor of the sanctuary building at the corner of Hill Avenue and Walnut Street. You can access it from the exterior or by taking the stairs from the Blue Room level. Drinks and snack food will be provided! Come see this great space and help us celebrate its ministry impact and the generosity that made it possible!

Inclement Weather Policy

It is the time of year again when the weather can be unpredictable. The church closure policy for inclement weather is as follows:



Weekdays: if Knox County Schools are closed, all church activities and meetings will also be canceled that day.

Weekends: schedules will be based on conditions; any closings or delays will be posted on local television stations, the church website (fbcknox.org), and the church Facebook page. We will always hold the 11 am service each Sunday.

If you have any questions, contact the church office.

Love Banquet and FBC's Got Talent

Sunday, February 12, 5 - 8 pm, Trentham Hall Your Senior Adult Council is planning a repeat performance of our Love Banquet and FBC's Got Talent. We had a great time last year and hope you will be there this year. The first thing is a call to anyone or group who would like to be part of our talent show. It can be most anything from singing,



playing an instrument, dramatic reading, interpretative movement, art, or any talent you would like to share. Please sign up for the FBC's Got Talent with Pam Neal at pneal@fbcknox.org by January 29. We are looking forward to another great event. Watch for more details about tickets.

Parents' Night Out: Pajama Party with the Pastor

Friday, February 10, 5:30 – 8:30 pm, Ages 3 years – 5th grade Our first Parent's Night Out will feature games, pizza, crafts, and a time of sharing our favorite bedtime stories read by Pastor Tom and other special guests. Be sure to wear your favorite pajamas and be ready for some snow-themed fun.



Parents must RSVP by Wednesday, February 8, to kpieratt@fbcknox.org. That is the final day to make a reservation.

Children should be dropped off in Trentham Hall between 5:15 pm and 5:30 pm and must be picked up at 8:30 pm.

Weekly Operating Budget Need		
Weekly Operating Budget Need	\$35,130	
Offering on Dec. 25-31, 2016	\$164,653	
Budget Need, FYTD	\$913,380	
Offering Receipts, FYTD	\$880,682	
Excess (Deficit)	(\$32,698)	
Giving Month of December	\$318,089	

	November 2016	FY 2016/ 17 YTD
Unified Expenses	\$157,386	\$807,142
Unified Receipts	\$116,883	\$827,964
Offering	\$101,054	\$583,673
Transfer from Designated	\$4,679	\$46,002
Kitchen	\$4,549	\$18,670
Parking Lot	\$6,600	\$33,000
Estate Gifts	\$0	\$146,618
Total Receipts	<u>\$116,883</u>	<u>\$827,964</u>
Excess/Deficit	(\$40,503)	\$20,821

In Service - Week of January 15

First Community Greeters:

Barbara Phillips, Sylvia Williams

Welcome Center Greeters: Barbara Frei, Dent Young

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Preschool Extended Care:

Betty Vawter, Kristi & Joshua Turner

TV Ministry Team:

Paul Ivie, Pat Shope, Julia Stark, Elaine Rhodes, Charles Brooks, Tiffany Brooks, John Heslop

Hospital Ministry Team:

George Johnson, Steve Foster

New Member Ministry:Scott Moore, Reggie Keaton

Outreach Deacon: Gracie Bishop

TeleCare Ministry:

Dianne Rairdon

Sanctuary Flowers January 15

The flowers in the Sanctuary this week are placed in memory of **Bill Brewer** honoring what would have been his 61st birthday.

Minister On Call (865) 546-9661 Press 9

Attendance - January 8

Sunday School	Canceled
First Community	Combined
11 am	216
Deaf	16
Passage	5
Worship Total	237

Menus - January 18

Bridge

Country Style Steak & Gravy, Potatoes, Succotash, Salad

Wednesday Night Supper

Barbecue, Slaw, Baked Beans, Green Veggie

Kid's Hut

Corn Dogs, Cheese Sticks, Fruit, Fries

PRAYER LIST

Prayer List - 1/11/2017

Church Family

Hospital

James "Bud" Mynatt - No Visitors

In Memoriam

Carolyn Hancock August 8, 1928 – December 23, 2016 Date Joined: January 22, 1961

Other Requests

Susan Higdon, shoulder replacement recovery
Mary Alice Balch, knee surgery Jan. 25
Jim Griffin, injections for severe lower back pain
Carla Farmer, stem cell eye procedure recovery
Bob Davis
Delores Carver, hospice care
Joan Robertson, heath issues
Mary Johnson, treatment
Becky Hudson, debilitating back pain
Bernice Bopp, severe pain and immobility from car
accidents and small stroke
Louise and Otha Winningham

Our church extends sympathies to:

Gene and Tommie Reagan and family upon the death of her sister, Hazel Oaks

Gene Sanders upon the death of his sister, Trudy Norton

Nursing Home of the Week

<u>L & L Sweet Home Care</u> 804 Atlantic Ave (37917) Dorothy "Dot" McGlothin

Friends and Families

Other Prayer Requests Week of January 9, 2017

Jaquita Duncan, surgery recovery – Tom Ogburn's friend

Week of January 2, 2017

John Sample, bad fall – Sally Keaton's father David Hudson, tumor on kidney, surgery necessary SpringHill Hospital, Mobile, AL – Spencer Hudson's brother George LeFerry, kidney surgery 1/25 – Nancy Livingston's brother-in-law

Ruth Swader, begins cancer treatment, Susan Tatum's mother

Serving in the Military

Paul Kirby, US Navy – Donna Kirby's son Dan Vandegriff, Navy Flight School – Carolyn Nelson's nephew

Missions Prayer Requests

Prayer Request for school in Puerto Rico Final step in 4 step process in getting school licensed by Department of Education on December 19th

Prayer Requests from the Black Sea Ministries

Political situation, terror incidents and regional instability

Prayer Requests from Marc and Kim Wyatt, CBF Advocates for Internationals, Research Triangle, NC

Mike Womble and Winter Park Baptist Church launching temporary house for refugees in Wilmington, NC. Pray for guidance as the Wyatts work with this needed refugee service.

Pray for the safe arrival of a young Afghan couple making their way from a refugee camp to the Raleigh area.

Prayer for Missy Ward-Angalla in Uganda

Find different house to rent due to mold issues
Three recent shelter graduates who are transitioning
from complex home situations. Continual need for
healing and transformation.

Frank and Sheri Moran, West Africa

Pray for a new follower who faces possible retaliation from family members.

Pray for a new arrival to serve on their team.