WEEKLYUPDATES

FIRSTLIFE

DWELL NIGHT OF WORSHIP



tarting in August, we will introduce a new monthly worship opportunity: the Dwell Night of Worship. This once-a-month gathering will be tailored for our First Baptist college students and young adults. Over the last year, we've seen exponential growth in our Dwell Young Adult Ministry, and we want to channel that growth into an opportunity for communal worship and discipleship. Our young adults are called to minister throughout Knoxville and our community, as are all of us, and these nights of worship will allow them to gather together, connect, and grow as called disciples of Christ.

"Since the earliest days of the Church, worship has served to connect and catalyze the body of Christ. Worship both renews the soul and creates the possibility for God to both speak and transform those present. As our young adult ministry continues to grow, we want to provide new ways for our young adults to connect with one another and be equipped for Kingdom work," says Scott Claybrook.

The service will take place in Trentham Hall on the third Sunday of each month at 5 pm. Richard Buerkle will provide overarching leadership for the music and worship elements. As part of our commitment to being a "Teaching Church," Richard will work to mentor and coach young adults, enabling them to lead participants in worship. Scott Claybrook will be the primary teacher for the gatherings.

These monthly gatherings will be offered to young adults as an additional worship experience meant as a compliment to First Baptist's Sunday morning services. They will create a space to experiment and explore old and new forms of worship, providing an avenue for our young adults to experience a transformative encounter with God. Communion will be offered every service, along with other elements centered upon art, prayer, writing, and other creative forms of worship.

We are glad to announce this addition to our worship opportunities, and we are excited to see where our Dwell Young Adult Ministry goes from here. Below are the worship dates for the fall:

• November 19

- August 20
- September 17
- December 17 • October 15

Sanctuary Flowers In loving memory of Joe and Emily Higdon and Ben and Marjorie Wolcott from their family.

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday School	277
First Community	90
11:00 am	318
Deaf	32
Worship Total	440

Weekly Budget Update

Weekly Operating Budget	\$35,130
Last Week's Offering	\$22,934
Budget Need, YTD	\$1,756,500
Offering Receipts, YTD	\$1,597,493
Excess (Deficit)	(\$159,007)

	May '17	FY 2016/17 YTD
Unified Expenses	\$178,717	\$1,813,860
Unified Receipts	\$149,467	\$1,952,197
Offering	\$127,149	\$1,586,929
Transfer from Designated	\$12,900	\$109,773
Kitchen	\$2,818	\$36,277
Parking Lot	\$6,600	\$72,600
Estate Gifts	\$0	\$146,618
Total Receipts	\$149,467	\$1,952,197
Excess/Deficit	(\$29,250)	\$138,337

Prayer List as of Friday, June 16, 2017*

Hospital

Eleanor Deal (Ellie Smith), UT 489

Our church extends sympathies to:

Pat Flenniken and family upon the death of his great-grandson, Bryson Xavier Owens

*A complete prayer list may be picked up in the Welcome Center



Order of Worship

Prelude

Brandon Coffer

"Once to Every Man and Nation"

arr. Mark Hayes

Call to Worship

Sanctuary Choir

"Father of Light" Boersma/Courtney

All praise to the name of the Father of light, One who listens and hears when I call. Every step He ordains, I shall walk without fear. In His light I'll not stumble or fall.

Responsive Reading (based on Psalm 103)

Richard Buerkle

Leader: Come, bless the Lord with me! For the Lord is like a father to his children:

Congregation: Compassionate and merciful, filled with endless love.

Leader: He forgives our sins, and heals the sickness inside us;

Congregation: He surrounds us with love and mercy and fills our lives with good things!

ALL: Let's worship God together!

*Hymn 58

Congregation

Eli Chandler

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

*Welcome Ben Winder

Children's Sermon Susan Tatum

Special Music

"Good, Good Father" Anthony Brown, Pat Barrett

[Four year-olds and Kindergarteners who are attending Passage (Children's Worship) will be escorted at this time to the Kids Connection hallway.]

Pastoral Prayer

Tom Ogburn

*Hymn 7

Congregation

"Worthy of Worship" , IUDSON



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Scripture Reading (John 10:24-33)

Lizzy Kirby

The Jews who were there gathered around him, saying, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly."

Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The works I do in my Father's name testify about me, but you do not believe because you are not my sheep. My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand. I and the Father are one."

Again his Jewish opponents picked up stones to stone him, but Jesus said to them, "I have shown you many good works from the Father. For which of these do you stone me?"

"We are not stoning you for any good work," they replied, "but for blasphemy, because you, a mere man, claim to be God."

Offertory Prayer

Ty Kirby

Offertory

Sanctuary Choir

"Cantate Domino"

David L. Brunner

Cantate domino, canticum novum Sing to the Lord, sing to the Lord a new song Cantate domino, omnis terra Sing to the Lord, all the earth

Tom Ogburn Sermon

> "One with the Father" John 10:24-33

*Hymn of Response 488

Congregation

"Come, All Christians, Be Committed"

BEACH SPRING

Sharing of Public Decisions

*Spoken Benediction

Tom Ogburn

*Choral Benediction

"Father, We Love You"

GLORIFY THY NAME

Father, we love you, we worship and adore You. Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name in all the earth.

Organ Postlude

Rhonda Carpenter

"God of Our Fathers" Mary McDonald

*Congregation is asked to stand as you are able.

Sermon Notes

A Special Welcome to Our Guests

We are glad you have joined us today! We invite you to the Welcome Center following the service, where we have a gift for each guest and more information about First Baptist Knoxville.

Worshipping with Children

As a family discipling church we desire to come alongside families, enabling them to raise their children to be all God is calling them to become. We welcome your family to worship together!

All Children are invited to worship using the children's bulletin, which is available at all entrances, and to come to the front of the Sanctuary for the Children's Sermon during the service.

Children 3 and under may attend Preschool Extended Session on the Education Building 1st floor.

Children age 4 – Kindergarten may attend Passage, our children's worship experience on the Education Building 2nd Floor following the Children's Sermon.

Restrooms are located in the hallway directly behind the choir loft.

Hearing devices are available in the Reception Office courtesy of the Senior Adult Ministry.

SUNDAY**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To keep up with all our upcoming events, visit:

fbcknox.org/events or facebook.com/firstbaptistknoxville/events

One More Chance for Our 2017 Directory

Wednesday, June 21

We have opened one more date for directory photo sessions. After this, we will not offer any more opportunities to participate in our 2017 Directory. Please take advantage of this opening if you haven't booked a session yet. Sign up today, call the church office, or visit fbcknox.org/directory2017.



VBS Needs

Online registration at fbcknox.org/vbs will close on Thursday, June 22. After that, children will have to wait until the first morning of VBS to register. We also have two major areas that need volunteers.

- Richard Buerkle needs help staging in Trentham Hall from June 19-21. Contact him at rbuerkle@fbcknox.org if you can help.
- Carol Linger needs volunteers to provide food and snacks for the Volunteer Hospitality Room. Contact her at rlinger185@aol.com if you can bring sandwiches, fruit, or salty and sweet snacks. Food should be labeled "VBS Hospitatily" and can be dropped off on the Sunday before VBS in the Trentham Hall Kitchen.

If you would like to volunteer for VBS in general, email Susan Tatum at statum@fbcknox.org.

Wednesday Activities Update

June 28 and July 5

Wednesday activities including Bridge, dinner, and Bible Study will be canceled on June 28 during VBS and the following week on July 5. Also note that the offices will be closed on July 4.

Help Us Rebuild Glenna Ogle's House

In partnership with the Appalachia Service Project and Ball Camp Baptist, we are helping rebuild homes in Sevier County. Currently, we are about rebuilding Glenna Ogle's home, which she lost in November of last year. Regardless of experience level, we have a place for you. Contact Jim Bailey today at <u>i2bailey1@aol.com</u>.



Like Us on Facebook

Did you know we update our Facebook page daily with news, events, pictures, and opportunities at First Baptist? Just this week we added a photo album of Kids Camp 2017. Have you seen the pictures? Like us on Facebook, so we can tag you in pictures and give you shout outs.



Family Promise

of Knoxville

Family Promise at First Baptist

July 16-23, Mezzanine

As one of our mission partners, Family Promise provides temporary housing for homeless families by allowing them to stay in buildings of participating congregations. If you would like to assist us as we host families this week or in the future by staying overnight, providing a meal, or serving in another way, please contact Jim Plemmons at jimilyp@comcast.net.

Summer Prayer Calendar

Please pray for our children, youth, parents, and staff members this summer.

- June 19-23 Youth Student Life at the Beach
- June 26-30 VBS
- July 2-14 Youth Canada Mission Trip