IN SERVICE

Sunday, May 4 **Extended Teaching** Coordinator(s) **Becky Wise**

> 8:00 a.m. Kelli McBride

10:40 a.m.

Barbara Vincent Jeanne Guinn Susan Tappan Kim Seitz Jena' Ralstson Jason Ralston Whitley Howlett Chandalyn Hutchens

Special Friends Workshop Leaders

Donna Lieber **Lindsey Woods**

9:35 Deacons (1) Tim Milby (6) Mitch Brooks

11:00 Deacons

(1) Jim Buffin (3) Phil Franke (4) Jackie Coy (5) Gerald Cox (6) Eric Dickerson

> **Elmcroft Buddy Bryant**

Hospital Visitation Rob Carter

Deacon Evangelism Eric Dickerson THE

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A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR

A QUESTION ANSWERED

Question: What can we expect as we focus on the last month of our *Foundations for the Future* Campaign?

Answer: I believe God is moving us to a new awareness of His activity in our personal lives and our corporate life as a church family. This activity of God has the potential of producing the following:

- We can expect to be stretched and challenged in ways that produce spiritual growth. In Thomas Merton's "The Wisdom of the Desert," Abbot John says, "Go and pray to the Lord to command some struggle to be stirred up in you, for the soul is matured only in battle."
- We can anticipate God doing amazing things among us. We will call them divine markers. It has always been true of God when His people start taking giant steps of faith, God shows His most powerful work.
- We can count on the activity of the evil one trying to distract us. "Let us not lose heart in doing good, for in due time we will reap if we do not grow weary." Galatians 6:9
- We can prepare to experience joy. Martin Luther is quoted as saying, "I've had many things in my hands across my life and lost them all. Only that which I've placed in the hands of God, that I still possess." It is true, when we place our lives, talents, along with our possessions in God's hands, we realize a joy that springs from spiritual obedience. When people sacrifice for the cause of Christ to invest in eternity, the joy of the Lord will be a blessing!

With Anticipation,

Welcome to First Baptist Church Jim, Lynn & Chris Schmidt



NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

Wednesday, May 7; 5:45-7:30 p.m.; Romans Hall

New members of FBC and those interested in learning more about First Baptist are invited to join Bro. Billy for dinner and a time of getting acquainted with First Baptist Church. If you normally attend our Wednesday Fellowship meal, be sure to cancel your regular reservation and contact Donna at 538-7361 or email

dlieber@fbcmw.org. Childcare is available. Please RSVP for the meal and childcare to Donna by May 2.

New Member

NATIONAL

DAY OF PRAYER

MAY 1, 2014

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

BULLITT COUNTY NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER EVENT

Thursday, May 1, 2014 at Noon on West 1st Street Shepherdsville City Park at the Pavilion by Salt River www.NationalDayofPrayer.org This is a rain or shine event.

Some bleachers available, or bring your lawn chair. Sponsored by the Bullitt County Ministerial Association. For more information please call 502-543-0825 or 502-921-1706.

"So that with one mind and one voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ." Romans 15:6

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

SENIOR ADULT DAY

Senior Adults are invited to attend "Senior Adult Day" Sunday, May 18. Senior adults will be recognized in all three morning worship services. Lunch will be served in Fellowship Hall immediately following the 11:00 a.m. worship service as well as a time of welcome for Jim Castlen, our new Minister to Senior Adults. There is no cost for lunch but reservations are needed by Monday, May 12. If you would like to attend, please sign up by calling the church office at 538-7361.

APRIL 30, 2014 DATES/INFO TO REMEMBER

MOTHER'S DAY OUT FALL REGISTRATION

M D O Open Enrollment continues. Call Brenda Sapp at 538-3633 for more information.

CROCHET/KNIT CLASS Monday, May 5, 9:00 a.m. Craft Room



WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION Tuesday, May 6, 11-12:30 p.m. Craft Room



MT. WASHINGTON SPRING FESTIVAL

The fun begins on Friday, May 9 at 4:00 p.m. and continues Saturday, May 10, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

MISSIONS FUNDRAISER/PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, May 10; 8:00-11:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall Cost is \$5.00 for all you can eat pancakes, milk, OJ, and coffee. *100% of proceeds will benefit FBCMW mission trip volunteers.



RADIO MINISTRY FUNDRAISER

Saturday, May 10, 6:00-9:00 p.m. in our church sanctuary. Come celebrate Reach 95 WFBR's tenth anniversary.

There will be a full gospel concert and everyone is

invited to attend. Featured groups will include The Joymakers, The Morris Family from Calvary Christian Church, and The Stewart Family from FBCMW. A \$5.00 donation is requested. A love offering will also be taken. Proceeds to benefit WFBR and Community Ministries. Bring the whole family!

ORPHAN CARE MINISTRY MEETING

Wednesday, May 14, 6:00 p.m., Craft Room the fatherless" Isaiah 1:17. OrphanCare W Bringing Hope to the Fatherless Everyone is welcome to come help us take up God's call for the orphan. The Orphan Care Ministry meets the second Wednesday every month.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Thursday, May 22, 12:30-5:30 p.m., Romans Hall. Schedule an appointment online at https://american.redcross.org. The need is constant. The gratification is instant. Give blood.

'NO FIRST KIDS LIVE BEGINNING MAY 25

Children in grades 1-5 will attend worship with their families and Sunday School at either 9:35 or 11:00 a.m. The 11:00 a.m. Sunday School will be held in the First Kids Live Worship Center.

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The last Tuesday morning Bible Study will meet May 27. The group will not meet this summer and will resume their monthly meetings in September. Watch our publications for updated information.

MINI BIBLE SCHOOL

July 7-10 and July 14-17 6:30-8:00 p.m. If you would like to help, please mark these dates on your calendar and call Dohna Terry at 552-1115 to volunteer.



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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday - May 4

7:00 - 8:00 Prayer Time-C205

8:15 Morning Worship

9:00 - 11:00 Library open

9:35 Bible Study - all ages

9:35 Morning Worship 10:45 Sunday School Too (B- PS2) Sproutlets Worship

(Ages 3-5 by Oct.1st 2013) First Kids Live (Grades 1-5)

10:50 Bible Study - all ages

11:00 Morning Worship

12:00 Church-wide Fellowship - CLC

Monday - May 5

9:00 Crochet Class - Craft Room 9:30 Mother's Day Out (Mon.-Thurs.)

3:00 Afterschool (Mon.-Fri.)

7:00 MDO Pre-K Graduation/ Reception-Sanc./Fell. Hall

8:00 Ladies Ensemble

Tuesday - May 6

9:30 Bible Study - Craft Room

11:00 WMU - Craft Room

6:30 Aerobics - CLC

6:30 Orchestra Rehearsal 7:00 MDO Spring Program - Sanc. Tuesday - May 6 continued

7:30 Praise Band

Wednesday - May 7

3:00 Library open

4:45 Fellowship Meal 5:00 Handbell Rehearsal

5:45 New Mbr. Orient. - Rom. Hall

6:00 Preschool/Children's Choir

6:15 Youth Middle School-Refine

6:15 Youth High School-Ignite

6:15 Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

6:15 Various Ensembles 6:45 Mission Friends/G.A.'s/R.A.'s

7:00 Worship Choir Rehearsal

Thursday - May 8

6:30 Aerobics - CLC

Friday - May 9

4:00 Mt. Washington Spring Festival

Saturday - May 10

8:00 Missions/Fundraiser Pancake Breakfast - Fellowship Hall

8:00 Mt. Washington Spring Festival

9:00 Aerobics **CLC Closed**

6:00 Radio Concert/

Fundraiser-Sanctuary

YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

SENIOR BREAKFAST

High School Seniors and their parents are invited to breakfast on Sunday, June 1 at 9:15 a.m. at the home of Scott and Melanie Cooke, 145 Woodland Pass in Mt. Washington. We will return to church after the breakfast to prepare for recognition. If you would like to participate, please contact Penny at 538-7362 by May 25.

2014 GRADUATION RECOGNITION

We will be recognizing all 2014 graduates (both high school and college) in a special worship service on June 1 at the 11:00 a.m. service. Please bring your cap and gown. If you are a graduate and would like to be recognized, please contact Penny at 538-7362 by May 25.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

FROM THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The church will continue to offer its annual scholarships, for high school graduates and current college students. Church members who are interested in the college scholarship program must fill out an application. The 2013-2014 school year scholarship applications may be picked up in the church office or online at our church website, www.fbcmw.org. Under the Contact Us tab, select Forms. The applications need to be returned to the church office on or before June 8. Contact Betsy Sutton with any questions at 538-6338.

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MARRIAGE RETREAT

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Marriage Retreat open to all ages. Friday June 6, 6:00-9:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall and Saturday, June 7, 9:00 a.m.-Noon in Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$20 per couple and includes booklet, meal, and childcare. Please RSVP to Cindy Cecil at ccecil@fbcmw.org or Cameron Ford at cameron.ford@fbcmw.org.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Audubon: Iona Adams, Ike Norris, Steve Gunterman (Ken & Harriet Brooks' friend)

Baptist Health: Vivian Davenport, Nina Wilkerson (No visitors), Carole Coleman (Garneta Ryan/Etta Rhea Coulter's sister)

Jewish: Bonnie Berry (Barbara Wright) Dorothy Stemle (Tony's mom) Maria Mowery (Jennifer Turner's sister)

Norton's: Nita Isgrigg

Glen Ridge: Barbara Barnes,

Barbara Rapp (Brenda Buffin's mother) Austine Jasper

London KY: Doug Bundy (Kim Woods'

cousin)

Westport Place Health Campus: Leslie "Bruce" Travis

Green Meadows: Dean Armstrong. Ralph Lutes, Mary Evelyn Moore, Fran Stamper, Ruth Walls

Cincinnati HIthcr. Fac.: Betty Wilkins

SYMPATHY

Christian sympathy is extended to Darlene Mann and family in the loss of her father, Arnold Thompson.

YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH SUMMER CAMP

Youth summer camp balance for middle and high school students is due June 1.

BODY LIFE

Financial figures were unavailable for Sunday, April 27. Financial figures for April 27 and May 4 will be included in next week's newsletter dated May 7.

MEETING REMINDER

SECURITY TEAM

Wednesday, April 30 7:00 p.m., Craft Room

THANK YOU

CAR CARE DAY MINISTRY

Thank you to everyone for your support of our Car Care Day which was held Saturday. We serviced 34 cars with the help of many volunteers and the prayer and financial support of many others. Sincerely,

Bible Seekers Sunday School Class

DEVOTIONALS

Daily devotions in support of our Foundations for the Future Capital Campaign, written by FBC members, are available on our website. To sign up for daily devotion delivery by email, click on the Foundations banner and complete the required form. Hard copies are available in the welcome center, church office, and sanctuary foyer.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

CHILDREN'S CHOIR PROGRAM

May 28 - Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Sanctuary - The Star Factor

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 16-20, 2014, 9 a.m.-Noon Pre-Kindergarten—5th grade completed Trace it back to the facts!



The evidence is clear. The proof is all right here! Discover, decide, and defend the truth about who Jesus really is with LifeWay's Agency D3. VBS SCRIPTURE: "But honor the Messiah as Lord in your hearts. Always be prepared to give a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you" (1 Peter 3:15).

Many volunteers are needed. To volunteer, contact Jennifer Harris at 538-7361, or jharris@fbcmw.org.

MISSIONS

EASTERN KY MISSION NEEDS

The Eastern KY Missions Team is working with Isaiah House, Willisburg KY; a rehabilitation home for drug addicts. There are presently 67 men and 10 women residents. They have pressing needs of personal care items---Men: Unopened pkgs--nothing with alcohol in the ingredients: Shave cream/gel, dandruff shampoo, non-aerosol antiperspirant/deodorant, dental floss, alcohol free mouthwash, foot powder, cough drops, Tylenol, ibuprofen, Neosporin, sunscreen. Ladies: feminine products, brushes, combs, Q-tips, nail clippers and files, nail polish and remover, make-up, facial cleansers & moisturizers, shave cream/gel, body lotion, hand cream, shampoo, Conditioner, non-aerosol deodorant & hair spray (pump only), wash cloths and towels. If you can assist with this project, we have boxes in the Welcome Center and CLC --designated ISAIAH HOUSE.