

PLEASE BE PRAYING FOR...

November 14, 2014

HOSPITAL

Sara Baskin, Ft Sanders 805
Charles Ragsdale, UT 720
Steve King, Parkwest 542
John Mann, UT 917 – former member

DISCHARGED

Ron Neal
Richard Kennedy – Laura Anderson’s dad
Carolyn Tribble, NHC Farragut 355 (former staff)

HOSPICE

Dianna Stafford, at home

REHAB

Charles Wallace, Brakebill 216
Stanley Dziurzynski, NHC Oak Ridge 135

IN MEMORIAM

Robert William Bryson
February 7, 1954 – November 13, 2014
Date Joined: June 15, 2014

OUR CHURCH FAMILY EXTENDS SYMPATHY TO

Calvin Balch upon the death of his mother, Mary
Frances Balch of Huntsville, AL on November 8.

**NURSING / RETIREMENT HOME
OF THE WEEK**

Arbor Terrace
2900 Lake Brook Blvd (37909)

Pearl Johnson, Apt 214
Ruth Coleman, Apt 215

FBC Knoxville Contacts

To phone staff, dial (865) 246- plus the four-digit number found beside the staff member’s name, or call the main number, 546-9661.

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Pam Neal, Minister of Administration (4660)
Tom Ogburn, Senior Pastor (4652)
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Welcome to worship at First Baptist. We are so glad that you have joined us today. From the heart of downtown Knoxville, we are touching lives around the world, sharing the ministry and life of Jesus Christ. If you need further information about our church, or desire a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, our ministers will be available following the service at each exit.

Please prepare for worship by:

- Silencing cell phones, pagers and PDAs.
- Encouraging children five years old and older to worship using the printed supplements available from ushers.
- Taking advantage of our Preschool Extended Session designed specifically for children age 3 and under. Pagers are provided to communicate with parents in case of emergency. Children age 4 years - 1st grade may attend Passage, our children’s worship experience, after the children’s sermon, or remain with their parents in the service.
- Noting that restrooms are located directly behind the choir loft.

Becoming a Member

You are welcome and encouraged to come to the front of the church to meet with a minister during the Hymn of Response to request baptism or to join the church. If you are not ready to do this, please complete the information in the tear-off portion of this worship folder and place it in the offering plate and a minister will contact you this week. Or, you may simply call the church office to request an appointment with any minister.

Continue the Experience

Check your local television provider’s guide for information about the rebroadcast of today’s worship service. The worship service is available on DVD and can be obtained by calling the church office. The message for today’s worship service will also be available later this week online at www.fbcknox.org.

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

The Worship of God

November 16, 2014 • 11:00 AM

Tom Ogburn, D.Min., Senior Pastor

Organ Prelude

I Sing the Mighty Power of God
arr. Anna Laura Page

Mamie Sullivan

Choral Introit

Creation Sings (the Father's Song)
Getty and Townend

Sanctuary Choir

*Responsive Call to Worship No. 16

God the Father: The Source of All Being

Wendell Boertje

God's Revelation:

Come and see what God has done:
he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

**Praise him for his mighty deeds;
praise him according to his surpassing greatness!**

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

Our Response:

God, our Father, Source of All Being,
**we, Your children, were created to glorify You
and to enjoy You forever.**

God, our Creator, Master of Color and Shape, Song, and Silence,
**we, Your children, were created to celebrate You
and to praise You forever.**

God, our Revealer, Author of Wisdom and Truth,
**we, Your children, were created to seek You
and to desire You forever.**

God, our Redeemer, Fountain of Forgiveness and Grace,
**we, Your children, were created to please You
and to love You forever.**

God, our Sustainer, Manna in the Wilderness,
**we, Your children, were created to trust You
and to rely on You forever.**

In You, O God, we find our reason for being!

*Hymn 17

This Is My Father's World
TERRA PATRIS

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Flowers are given in loving memory of
and with thanksgiving for the life of
Dexter A. Christenberry, Sr.
by Chris Christenberry.

MENU November 19, 2014

Bridge
Thanksgiving Lunch

Wednesday Supper
Chicken Casserole, Lasagna,
Green Veggies

Kid Hut Cafe
Pizza, Corn Dog Nuggets,
Fries, Green Veggies

ATTENDANCE & GIVING November 2, 2014

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| Sunday School | 355 |
| First Community | 74 |
| 11:00 AM | 392 |
| Deaf | 20 |
| Passage | 12 |
| Worship Total | 498 |

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| Weekly | 36,472.86 |
| MTD Giving | 81,650.65 |
| Monthly Need | 159,004.67 |
| YTD Giving | 1,371,784.37 |
| YTD Need | 1,660,008.72 |

A detailed financial report is available in the library.

Welcome

November 16, 2014

Please mark all that apply: Guest New Address
 Attender Church Member
 Undergraduate Student Graduate Student

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone 1 _____

Phone 2 _____

Email Address _____

Marital Status _____

Children living at home: _____

Name(s) _____

DOB _____

Name(s) _____

DOB _____

How did you hear about FBC?

Internet TV Other _____

Guest of: _____

- I am interested in becoming a Christian.
- I have accepted Jesus as my personal Savior and want to be baptized.
- I am interested in making a commitment to FBC.
- I would like more information about FBC.
- I want more information about Kids Hope USA mentoring at South Knox Elementary.

Comments, Requests, or Prayer Needs

For Prayer Ministry Confidential

Life of the Church continued...

All Volunteer Christmas Brunch Meeting

Sunday, December 7, immediately following the 11:00 service
If you plan to volunteer with Christmas Brunch in any way, please plan to attend the All-Volunteer Christmas Brunch Meeting on December 7, immediately following the 11:00 service. If you plan to serve on the following teams, please plan to attend a brief breakout session immediately following the All-Volunteer Meeting; Escorts & Hospitality, Family Portraits, Sanctuary Greeters, or Trentham Hall Rovers.

Christmas Brunch Donations

Saturday, December 13
Christmas Brunch is on December 13th this year, which is only a short time away. We need your help to bring in donations of blankets, children's sleeping bags, new 8x10 picture frames, and hygiene bags. We have only received small amounts of each item so far.

This year in the boxes located at the elevators, you will find Ziploc bags with lists in them. Please pick up as many bags as you can fill and bring back packed with hygiene items. Donations 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".

In Service - Week of November 16

First Community Hospitality

Dianne & Don Rairdon

First Community Greeters

Nancy Roberts, Betty Chandler

Welcome Center Greeters

Barbara Frei, Dent Young

Preschool Extended Care

Susan Higdon, Lauren Stewart, Betty Mulkey

Monitor: Kevin Stewart

TV Ministry Team

Steve Bowman, Cliff Shirley, Betty Vawter,
Vince Vawter, Peyton Johnson, John Shope, Seva Ball

Hospital Ministry Team

Greg & Kay Reed

New Member Ministry

Scott Moore, Reggie Keaton

Outreach Deacon

Bill Higdon

TeleCare Ministry

Arleen Malcolm

Mug Ministry

Front Door: 8:45 Leah Fisher, 11:00 Dianne Forry

Welcome Center: 8:45 Justin Fisher, 11:00 Jim Moore

This Week at FBC
November 16 - November 22

Sunday, November 16

- 8:45 AM First Community Worship, Sanctuary
- 8:45 AM Library Open
- 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 AM Worship (broadcast on FOX-43), Sanctuary
- 11:00 AM Deaf Worship, Chapel
- 4:00 PM Deacon Ordination, Sanctuary
- 6:45 PM High School Bible Study, Youth Suite

Monday, November 17

- 5:30 PM Yoga Class, Room 202

Tuesday, November 18

- 9:00 AM Food Co-op, Trentham Hall
- 1:45 PM Benevolence Team, Library
- 6:00 PM Grief Share, Room 240

Wednesday, November 19

- 11:50 AM Bridge Lunch & Bible Study, Trentham Hall
- 4:30 PM Art for Autism, Room 240
- 4:30 PM Library Open
- 5:00 PM Dinner Line Opens
- 5:40 PM Preschool & Children's Choirs
- 6:00 PM Bible Study
- 6:00 PM Middle School Mid-week
- 6:30 PM Missions Groups
- 7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite

Thursday, November 20

- 10:30 AM Golden Notes Choir Rehearsal, Rm 302
- 11:30 AM Golden Notes Lunch, Trentham Hall

Saturday, November 22

- 10:00 AM Deaf Worship broadcast, Community TV
- 12 NOON Worship rebroadcast, Community TV
- 4:30 PM Youth Parking, UT vs Missouri

Community TV is carried on these cable channels:

- Comcast Cable Channel 12
- Charter Cable Channel 6
- AT & T Cable Channel 99
- Knology Cable Channel 6

*Words of Welcome and Greetings

Tom Ogburn

Worship Song 234

Spirit of the Living God
IVERSON

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me;
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.
Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me.
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Scripture (Ezekiel 36:26-27)

Cliff Shirley

²⁶ I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. ²⁷ And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.

*Hymn 478

God Is Calling Through the Whisper
Polish Carol

Scripture (2 Corinthians 5:17-18)

Brannon Hulsey

¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come. The old has gone, the new is here!
¹⁸ All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation...

Choral Praise

Sanctuary Choir

Then Sings My Soul
How Great Thou Art
Choral Setting by Mary McDonald

O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow'r thro'out the universe displayed.

When thro' the woods and forest glades I wander,
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!"

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!

*Scripture Song 436 (Matthew 6:33, 7:7)

Seek Ye First
LAFFERTY

*Prayer of Dedication for Offering

Scott Claybrook

Instrumental Offertory

Becky Rowe, Clarinet

Amazing Grace
arr. Rich Heffler

Morning Scripture (Revelation 3:19-20)

Tom Ogburn

¹⁹ Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest and repent.
²⁰ Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door,
I will come in and eat with him, and he with me.

The Sermon

Tom Ogburn

"At Your Door"

*Hymn of Response 394

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts
QUEBEC

Opportunities at FBC

Scott Claybrook

Sharing of Public Decisions

Tom Ogburn

*Spoken Benediction

Tom Ogburn

*Choral Benediction

Sanctuary Choir

May the Love of the Lord
SOON TI

Organ Postlude

Mamie Sullivan

Marche Royale
LULLY

*Congregation is asked to stand



The Life of the Church

Read for 20

South Knoxville Elementary has asked for our help! During their after school care program they are in need of volunteers who can come and give an hour once a week to their "Read for 20 Program." Volunteers would work with one to two children on reading skills and comprehension during the first 20 minutes of the hour. If they wish, they can stay with the children on a chosen reading activity. Slots are available on Mondays from 3:00-4:00 pm and Tuesdays from 4:00-5:00 pm. Beginning November 18, there will be a 2:45-3:45 pm slot open.

Deacon Ordination Service

TODAY, November 16, 4:00 pm

This year's Deacon Ordination service will be very special because we will ordain eight new deacons for ministry and blessing four others that are returning to service as deacons. The service will be filled with music and offer us an opportunity to bring words of blessing for those that we have set aside to serve as spiritual leaders of our church family. We will gather at 4:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Let me encourage you to come join us.

Love Feast

Sunday, November 23

One of our most popular fellowship events of the year returns November 23, immediately following the 11:00 am worship service! Join us for a full traditional Thanksgiving spread and thankful reflection on how God has been at work in our church family this year. Everyone is invited to bring a dessert to share. Regular Wednesday evening prices apply.

Christmas Caroling

Friday evening, November 28

Our church has been invited to go Christmas Caroling in Downtown Knoxville on Friday, November 28. It is the kick-off of the Christmas Season on Market Square and the City of Knoxville Christmas Tree will be officially lit at 6:15 pm. Immediately following we will be able to walk the streets of Downtown singing Christmas songs as several of the main streets will be closed for the festivities. There will be lots to do including children's activities throughout the night. All are welcome to join us. Please meet at the church at 6 pm, and we will head to Market Square to sing and spread Christmas cheer. Please let Pam know at pneal@fbcknox.org if you would like to participate. This is a great opportunity for our church. Come join the fun!

Hanging of the Green Service

Sunday, November 30, 6:00 pm, Sanctuary

The Hanging of the Green service is Sunday evening, November 30 at 6:00 PM. This year will be both familiar and new as we build upon the traditions of the past. The Sanctuary will be dressed in advance as we gather for a great night of music from across the life of the church. We will enjoy a warm and engaging service with performances from our age-graded choirs, soloists, instrumentals, and the First Community Praise Team. Please join us as we usher in the Advent season.

Christmas Brunch T-Shirts

Christmas Brunch T-shirts will be on sale in the library on Sunday, November 30th and Sunday, December 7th in the crossover hallway. Shirts will cost \$6 each. Please make checks out to First Baptist Church, in the memo line write "Christmas Brunch T-shirts."

Christmas Card to the City

Sunday, December 7, 3:30 pm (Rehearsal at 2:30 pm)

We'll be traveling to Market Square to perform carols and songs for the Downtown community. Join us in worship the morning of December 7 as our Sanctuary Choir offers a morning of Christmas music and worship, then stay for the afternoon as our church offers an afternoon of music to our Downtown community. Along with many of our other musical groups, **this event will feature an open church-wide choir, so we need your voice!** Immediately following worship **THIS SUNDAY**, we'll host a short interest meeting to gauge the size and scope of our church-wide choir. Please make plans to attend this meeting following 11:00 am worship. Participation in this event is open to all -- no tryouts required. For more information or to signup, please email Steve Foster at stevef_pattif@yahoo.com.