

**PLEASE BE PRAYING FOR...**

January 31, 2013

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](http://www.fbcknox.org).

**HOSPITAL**

Gail Ivie, surgery on both feet – Parkwest Surgery Ctr

**DISCHARGED**

Mary Alice Balch, OP foot surgery  
Judy Constantine, OP eye surgery  
Kim Webber, UT 628 – Charles Faddis' niece  
Ralph Damewood, to Ben Atchley TN State Vets Home, Rm 327

**IN MEMORIAM**

Marie Griffin  
October 25, 1953 – January 31, 2014  
Date Joined: January 25, 1981

**OUR CHURCH FAMILY EXTENDS**

**SYMPATHY TO** the family of David & Carol White, upon the death of his nephew, Michael Corley of Palm Springs, CA, on January 28.

**NURSING HOME / RETIREMENT HOME OF THE WEEK**

Meadowview Senior Living  
111 Acuff Ln, Clinton (37716)  
Phyllis VonGruenigen, Apt 207

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**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.

Wendell Boertje, Interim Minister of Music (4668)  
Joy Claybrook, Director of Community Ministries (4661)  
Scott Claybrook, Young Adult Minister (4678)  
Pam Neal, Minister of Administration (4660)  
Susan Tatum, Minister to Preschool & Children (4666)  
Dave Ward, Pastoral Care Minister (4667)  
Ben Winder, Youth Minister (4663)

**Minister on Call (865) 246-4650**

**510 W. Main Street, Knoxville, TN 37902  
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# The Worship of God

February 2, 2014 • 11 AM

Organ Prelude

*Prelude in E flat, Op. 41, No.1*  
by Alexandre Guilmant (1837-1911)

Brian Daniel

Choral Introit

*The Majesty and Glory of Your Name*  
by Tom Fettke

Sanctuary Choir

Prayer of Invocation

Ben Winder

\*Responsive Call to Worship

Wendell Boertje

Leader: Let us worship the eternal God,  
the source of love and life.

**People: Let us worship Jesus Christ,  
the risen one, who lives among us.**

Leader: Let us worship the Spirit,  
the holy fire, who knows us.

**People: To the one true God be praise.  
Come, Thou Almighty King,  
help us Thy name to sing.**

\*Hymn 2

*Come, Thou Almighty King*  
ITALIAN HYMN

\*Words of Welcome and Greetings to One Another

Scott Claybrook

Children's Message (from *Bird Life in Wington*)

(Four year-olds, Kindergarteners, and First Graders who are attending Children's Worship:  
PASSAGE will be escorted at this time to the Kids Connection hallway.)

Wendell Boertje

\*Responsive Reading 47

"The Good Shepherd"

Pam Neal

## SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Flowers are given in honor of our  
**Pastor Search Committee**  
by Wynn and Allen Ware.

### MENU February 5, 2014

Seafood Night  
Slaw, Fries  
Salad, Desserts

**Kids' Hut Café**  
Seafood Night  
Slaw, Fries  
Desserts

### ATTENDANCE & GIVING

January 26, 2014

Sunday School	298
11:00 Combined Worship	609
PASSAGE	12
Weekly Giving	\$26,253.69
MTD Giving	\$93,995.71
Monthly Need	\$159,004.67
YTD Giving	\$93,995.71
YTD Need	\$146,773.52

A detailed financial report is available in the library.

## Welcome

February 2, 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

**In Service This Week**

**First Community Hospitality**  
Dickie and Fred Kaserman

**First Community Greeters**  
Ethel Powell, John and Lanita Rorrer

**Welcome Center Greeters**  
Anne Scrivner and Virginia Bounds

**Preschool Extended Care**  
Angela Ellenburg, Brannon Hulsey  
**Monitor:** Wade Hulsey

**TV Ministry Team**  
Ned Russell, Judy Cox, Sarah Bittle,  
Brad Bittle, Marion Carter,  
Reba Green, Seva Ball

**Hospital Ministry Team**  
Karen and Richard Smith

**New Member Ministry**  
Mark Palmer, Carol Linger

**Outreach Deacon**  
Terri King

**TeleCare Ministry**  
Barbara Butler

**Mug Ministry**  
MapQuest Pam Shirley  
Deep West Fred & Dickie Kaserman  
West Emily & Jim Plemmons  
South John & Fawn Shope  
North Perry & Betty Austin  
Downtown Ed & Alice Crook

**This Week at FBC**

**February 2 - 8**

**Sunday, February 2**  
8:45 AM First Community Worship, Sanctuary  
8:45 AM Library open  
9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
11 AM Worship (broadcast on FOX-43),  
Sanctuary  
11 AM Deaf Worship, Chapel  
5:30 PM Chapel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite  
6:30 PM High School Bible Study, Youth Suite

**Monday, February 3**  
1:15 PM Yoga, Room 202

**Tuesday, February 4**  
10 AM Women on Mission, Room 302

**Wednesday, February 5**  
11:50 AM Bridge Lunch & Bible Study, Trentham  
Hall  
4:30 PM Library open  
5 PM Supper Line opens  
5:40 PM Preschool & Children's Choirs  
6 PM Middle School Mid-Week, Youth Suite  
6 PM Quarterly Business Meeting, Chapel  
6:30 PM Missions Groups  
7 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite

**Thursday, February 6**  
10:30 AM Golden Notes Choir Rehearsal, Rm 302  
11:30 AM Lunch, Trentham Hall  
12:30 PM Knitting Club, Room 306

**Saturday, February 8**  
10 AM Deaf Worship broadcast, Community TV  
12 NOON Worship rebroadcast, Community TV

**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

\*Hymn 48

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*  
FAITHFULNESS

Introduction of Our Guest Preacher Dave Ward

Personal Words and Scripture (Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23) Jane Hull

\*Hymn 667

*As Saints of Old Their First Fruits Brought*  
FOREST GREEN

\*Offertory Prayer Pam Neal

Choral Offertory Sanctuary Choir

*Consecration*  
by John Ness Beck

The Sermon Jane Hull

**“Seeds, Seeds: Where Are the Seeds?”**  
Matthew 13:1-9; 18-23

\*Hymn of Response 581

*I Love to Tell the Story*  
HANKEY

Opportunities at FBC Pam Neal

Sharing of Public Decisions

\*Spoken Benediction Ben Winder

\*Choral Benediction Sanctuary Choir

*God Be with You*  
by William G. Tomer

Organ Postlude Brian Daniel

*Christ Go Before You*  
Words by William E. Hull, Music by Glen C. Adkins

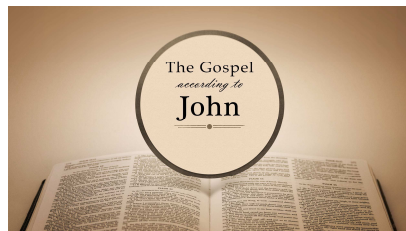
*Christ go before you to prepare a way of service. Christ go behind you to gather up your efforts for His glory. Christ go beside you as Leader and Guide. Christ go within you as comfort and stay, Christ go beneath you to uphold with everlasting arms. Christ go above you to reign as Lord of all.*

\* Congregation is asked to stand

# The Life of the Church

## This Week's Passage: John 4:43 - 5:47

The Discipleship Council encourages you to participate as our church family reads *The Gospel According to John* together. For tools to deepen your experience each week, check your email inbox or pick up a handout by the elevators in the Education Building. If you want to be added to the email list, please submit your information via the tab on the last page of your worship guide or contact the church office.



## Tickets on Sale for Final Concert of the 2013-2014 Concert Series

*Nielson and Young, Duo-Pianists, Sunday, March 9, 6:30 pm*

The final concert of our 2013-2014 season will be a marquis concert presented by a world-class pair of piano artists playing two Steinway pianos. After more than three decades of musical collaboration that has taken them to great concert halls around the world, Stephen Nielson and Ovid Young will appear in concert again at First Baptist Church on March 9. Tickets are \$10 and may be picked up on Sundays beginning today in the Welcome Center, the

Reception desk during the week, and Trentham Hall on Wednesday nights.

## Women On Mission (WOM)

*Tuesday, February 4, Room 302, 10 am*

Ladies, please join us this year as we learn more about being God's heart, hands, and voice. We meet the first Tuesday of the month at 10 am with a mission study. Next, we gather in Room 302 at 11 am for our monthly meeting and program. Lunch (\$6) is served in Trentham Hall following the program. Our speaker this month is Joy Claybrook, Director of Community Ministries at FBC.



## Valentine's Day Outreach Opportunity

The Outreach Council is partnering with Sunday School classes to help share a bit of love this Valentine's Day. We're encouraging Sunday School classes to prepare and then give away small bags of candy and goodies to those who may need a little reminder they are loved this February. The Outreach Council will provide each class with a package of cellophane bags, a bundle of FBC ink pens

to place in the bags, and a few candies. All your class needs to do is purchase your favorite candy, stuff the bags, and find someone who could use a little gift this Valentine's Day. "Beloved, let us love one another because Christ first loved us." (1 John 4)

If you have any questions or need help, please contact Reba Green at [RGreen@pmecomm.com](mailto:RGreen@pmecomm.com).



## Toys for South Knoxville Elementary School Store

We are collecting GENTLY USED or new toys, toiletry items, or school supplies (pencils, erasers, notebooks, books, etc.), appropriate for grades 1-5, for the "Bear Bucks" store at South Knoxville Elementary. The children are able to earn "Bear Bucks" in various ways throughout the year, and they may visit the store weekly to purchase items with their earnings. The store is in need of lots of toys. Please bring toys to either the 1st or 2nd floor and place them in the designated boxes there. Deadline for collecting the toys will be Sunday, February 16th. Begin looking through your closets now! Thank you for helping us with these much needed items.

## Mom's Connection

*Second Fridays and Fourth Thursdays in the Blue Room*

Moms of young children are invited to join us for our next meeting on Friday, February 14, at 10 am in the Blue Room. Bring a snack to share and enjoy fellowship and encouragement with other moms. For more information, and to RSVP for childcare, email Susan at [statum@fbcknox.org](mailto:statum@fbcknox.org).



## Paid Childcare Positions

We are currently looking for some additional childcare workers to help out with babies and young preschoolers on Sundays, Wednesdays, Thursday evenings, Friday mornings, and various other times when childcare is needed

at the church. Interested persons should be 18 years of age or older and enjoy being around and interacting with young children. Reliable transportation (sometimes on short notice) is also required. Some previous experience is beneficial. Applicants must submit to a background check and be approved. If you are interested in applying or want more information, please email Susan at [statum@fbcknox.org](mailto:statum@fbcknox.org).

## Youth Ministry @ 1B Meeting

*March 2, Noon in Youth Suite*

All youth, parents, and youth workers are invited to come hear details about our Summer 2014 schedule including Chapel Choir "Serve the Cities" tour, Student Life @ the Beach, Kids Camp, and Summer Small Groups! You'll also be able to complete all your forms and have them notarized. Lunch will be provided!



## If the Weather Outside is Frightful

In the case of inclement weather on a Sunday, please call the church office at 546-9661, for an updated message about the Sunday schedule. Whatever the weather, the 11 am worship service will always be held. Updates to the Sunday schedule will be posted at [www.fbcknox.org](http://www.fbcknox.org) by 7 am on Sunday mornings as necessary.



Wednesday Activities: If Knox County schools are closed on Wednesdays due to bad weather, all regular Wednesday night activities will be cancelled. If inclement weather arrives during the day on Wednesday, please check with the church office 546-9661, or check the church website. Groups that meet during the week will follow the same policy for Wednesdays; when Knox County schools are closed, meetings are cancelled.