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FIRST CHRONICLES

Chronicing the life of the First Baptist Family

Pastor's Heart



Act 1:8 is clearly a mandate to every believer. "And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere - in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." (NLT)

Today we celebrate that call, the mandate, the challenge, and the opportunity. This morning we have one of our IMB missionaries bringing the word and tonight we have a special time of information and fellowship: THE 2010 MISSIONS FAIR.

Our job is to carry the Gospel across the globe *beginning with our neighborhood*. Tonight there will be tables set up in our Family Life Center showcasing the many ministries in which your church family is already involved. Come to today's events and see what we as a church are already doing and what you as a vital member of this church family can do to reach your world.

Remember -- Jerusalem (Cookeville), Judea (Tennessee), Samaria (North America), the ends of the earth (the ends of the earth). That's our call and our opportunity.

See you in Worship,
Pastor Randy

MISSIONS FAIR

6:00 P.M.

Come and see what kind of missions or ministries you might want to be involved in.

Information tables that will be set up include:

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| The Rescue Mission | Happy Tones |
| Baptist Collegiate Ministry | God's Jail Ministry |
| Heart of the Cumberland | Operation Christmas Child |
| The Care Center | Mended Hearts |
| Cookeville Pregnancy Clinic | Light House Christian Camp |
| FCA | Townsend Campground |
| WMU | Ministry |
| RA's , GA's and Mission Friends | Disaster Relief |
| Homebound Ministry | Builders For Christ |
| Extended Care for Preschoolers | Youth Choir Trip |
| Vacation Bible School | North India |
| Hospital Volunteers | St. Lucia |
| Upward and Devoted Basketball | Eye Glasses Ministry |
| Dismas House | |

Fellowship and enjoy refreshments as you visit the displays.

Mission Opportunities

RA Mission Project: Cans for Kids

Although we live in an affluent country, there are still many people who cannot afford to buy food. In order to help these children and their families, the Royal Ambassadors are collecting cans of food through October 27. These cans will be stacked in the shape of a pyramid in the RA room and then taken to the Care Center on October 27. This will help the Care Center stock up for the upcoming holidays and help children whose parents cannot afford to buy food.

GPS: Your High 5

This is a season of missions emphasis with opportunities from Upward Basketball and Operation Christmas Child to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering giving you a chance to participate in "neighborhood dues." You have a choice to discover the delight of being a part of God's mission to our neighborhood or fuss, fume and finagle. Just remember all that He has done for you and that God loves a cheerful giver.



- Church staff
- Randall L. Adkisson, Ph.D, *Senior Pastor*
 - Mike Head, *Associate Pastor of Administration*
 - Jonathan Nelms, DWS, *Associate Pastor for Music*
 - Charlie Hutchinson, *Associate Pastor of Pastoral Care & Senior Adults*
 - Bill Stone, *Associate Pastor of Youth & Collegiates*
 - Steve Farris, D.Min., *Assistant Pastor for Outreach, Adult Education and Missions*
 - Ann Hertzfeldt, *Director of Preschool & Children's Ministries*



MORNING SERVICE OF WORSHIP SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2010 10:00 A.M. TELEVISION REPLAY AT 10:45 A.M.

Worship/Childcare: For your comfort and that of others, childcare is provided for children under the age of four. Children 4 years old thru kindergarten may attend children's church in room 252. An usher will be glad to direct you to the childcare ministry located on the second floor.

*If you are able, please stand as indicated.

Please note that numbers are included for all hymns found in *The Baptist Hymnal*.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

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| Call to Worship | | Ruth 2:4 |
| *Chorus of Praise | "He is Exalted" | Sanchez |
| *Hymn of Praise 247 | "Come, Thou Almighty King" | ITALIAN HYMN |
| *Hymn of Devotion 210 | "My Jesus, I Love Thee" | GORDON |
| Welcome | | Dr. Randall Adkisson |
| *Missions Hymn 573 | "Set My Soul Afire" | SCALES |
| *Pastoral Prayer | | Dr. Adkisson |
| Message in Song | "Reap What You Sow" | Choplin |
| | Sanctuary Choir with Jonathan Enix, soloist | |
| | WE HEAR THE WORD | |
| Sermon | "Git er Done ASAP" | Nathan Shanks |
| *Song of Commitment 486 | "Lord, Here Am I" | Crosby/Beck |

WE RESPOND WITH THANKSGIVING

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| Offertory Prayer | | Jim Viar |
| Worship with Tithes and Offerings | | |
| Offertory Music | | arr. Wells |
| | "We've a Story to Tell" with "Send Me, O Lord, Send Me" | John Wells, organist |
| *Presentation of Offering | | |

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| *Doxology 253 | | OLD 100TH |
| | "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" | |
| Sharing of Spiritual Decisions | | |
| | WE DEPART TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD | |
| *Benediction | | Dr. Adkisson |
| *Departing Song 561 | "One by One" | Justice |
| *Postlude | | Instrumentalists |

SUNDAY EVENING - 6:00 PM TELEVISION REPLAY AT 7:00 P.M.

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| Prelude | | Instrumentalists |
| Greeting | | Ruth 2:4 |
| *Missions Hymn 586 | "We've a Story to Tell" | Nichol |
| Welcome | | Dr. Randall Adkisson |
| Word of Challenge | | Nathan Shanks |
| Offertory Prayer | | Ed Griggs |
| Musical Offering | "Across the Lands" | Gety/Townend |
| Benediction | | Dr. Adkisson |
| *Postlude | | Instrumentalists |

You are invited to the Family Life Center immediately following this service to see all the Mission Opportunities that are available here at First Baptist Church. Tables will be set up so that you can get a first hand look at the many ways that you can be involved with missions. Acts 1:8 says "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth".

Please join us for this event. Refreshments will be served.

News Highlights

Deacons of the Week

Richard Cashion - Chief Deacon
Carl Johnson, Howard Stephenson,
Jack Mattson

11 a.m. Phone Duty: Ted Jernigan

7 p.m. Phone Duty: Tim Collins

Wednesday Dinner - 10/13

Taco salad, dessert

Wednesday Volunteers - 10/13

5:00 p.m. - Cassandra & Richard Newman, Carolyn & Stan Piela, Linda Law

5:45 p.m. - Jean Downey, Donnie King, Stella Dukes, Richard Cashion

Extended Session - 10/10

Bed Babies - Carol Joyner, Volunteer

Creepers/Toddlers - Pat Hall, Dana Griggs

2's - Mark & Lou Ann Herberman

3's - Wendy Apple, Rosa Aranda

Budget

Budget Goal per Week	\$28,738.65
Budget Gifts this Week	\$29,954.75
Difference from Goal	+\$1,216.10
Total Designated Gifts	\$3,132.00
Total Gifts this Week	\$33,086.75
Budget Goal to Date	\$402,341.15
Budget Gifts to Date	\$382,984.77
Difference from Goal	-\$19,356.38
Budget Gifts to Date Last Year	\$420,785.05
Decrease from Prior Year	-\$37,800.28
Higher, Greater, Together Year to Date	\$10,395.00
Higher, Greater, Together Total Gifts	\$2,775,689.23

Sunday School Attendance

October 3, 2010

General Officers	4
Preschool	46
Children	47
Youth	32
Adults	285
Total	414



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Kids Choral Connection

October 1-2



More than 200 kids participated in the Kids Choral Connection at First Baptist Church October 1-2. Children participated in worship, recreation, rehearsals and recorded a CD. Jonathan Nelms led the devotionals during worship (above left) while Crystal Taylor, James Cunningham and Colleen Cox headed up recreation (above right) where kids competed in several relay races to win a golden cone (below left). Clinician Ken Berg (below right) guided the choirs through rehearsals.



Bulletin Board

WOMEN

WMU Day Group Meeting

Tuesday, October 12 @ 9:45 a.m.

Room 143A

Come enjoy Bible study and fellowship.

YOUTH

Youth Outreach & Cookout

Saturday, October 23 from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Inviting all youth and teachers to come on Saturday for a cookout, followed by making contact with youth prospects. Sign up in the Youth Department. Place TBA.

YOUTH

Youth Hallelujah Party

Saturday, October 30 from 6:00-9:00 p.m.

Deborah & Chan Baranowski's farm

Enjoy lots of fun, games, food, fellowship, campfire and a hayride. Sign up in the youth department by October 27. Bring a 2-liter drink and a snack to share. Meet at FBC at 5:45 if you need a ride.

CHURCHWIDE

Operation Harvest Festival

Sunday, October 31

Neighborhoods around town

We'll set up a First Baptist tent in a church member's yard, hand out hot dogs, popcorn, cotton candy or something besides candy along with a gospel track and other information. There will also be easy games or activities for you to do with the kids. We need you to help as we engage our neighbors. More details to come.

COUPLES

Marriage Retreat

The Five Love Languages

December 11-12

Pigeon Forge

Pam and Steve Farris will facilitate this study. The cost is \$100 per couple. Limited to the first 12 couples who pay their deposit. Reserve your spot by paying a \$60 deposit ASAP.



Quarterly Business Meeting

Wednesday, October 20

6:30 p.m. in Chapel

Agenda: Elect messengers to the Tennessee Baptist Convention; elect messengers to the Stone Association; Committee on Committees report; vote on deacon nomination for Moderator/Alternate Moderator.

Weekly Activities

Sunday, Oct. 10

8:45 A.M.	Sunday School
10:00 A.M.	Morning Worship
11:30 A.M.	Senior Adult Lunch
4:00 P.M.	Orchestra
6:00 P.M.	Evening Worship
7:00 P.M.	Yth Leaders Mtg.

Monday, Oct. 11

1:00 P.M.	FLC Open
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Tuesday, Oct. 12

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Wednesday, Oct. 13

3:00 P.M.	FLC Open
5:00 P.M.	Chi Rho Youth Choir
6:30 P.M.	Prayer Mtg. Sanctuary Choir Open Gym for Children Yth Worship/Bible Study
7:30 P.M.	College Bible Study
8:30 P.M.	FLC Open until 8:00 Men's Basketball

Thursday, Oct. 14

10:00 A.M.	Happy Tones
1:00 P.M.	FLC Open
6:15 P.M.	Volleyball – FBC Orange
7:00 P.M.	Volleyball – FBC Navy Volleyball – FBC Green

Friday, Oct. 15

9:30 A.M.	Fun Friday
1:00 P.M.	FLC Open R.A.'s Camp-a-ree @ Camp Linden

Saturday, Oct. 16

Sunday, Oct. 17

8:45 A.M.	Sunday School
10:00 A.M.	Morning Worship
5:00 P.M.	Children's Bible Drill Bible Buddies
6:00 P.M.	Evening Worship

To add prayer requests please call the church or visit our web page at www.fbccookeville.org.