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First Community Service March 13, 2022



Passionate Faith: The Seven Last Words from the Cross

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Build Your Kingdom Here

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Come set Your rule and reign
In our hearts again
Increase in us we pray
Unveil why we're made
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope
Like wildfire in our very souls
Holy Spirit come invade us now
We are Your church
We need Your pow'r in us

We seek Your kingdom first
We hunger and we thirst
Refuse to waste our lives
For You're our joy and prize
To see the captives' hearts released
The hurt the sick the poor at peace
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause
We are Your church
We pray revive this earth

Build Your kingdom here
Let the darkness fear
Show Your mighty hand
Heal our streets and land
Set Your church on fire
Win this nation back
Change the atmosphere
Build Your kingdom here we pray

Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r
Reaching the near and far
No force of hell can stop
Your beauty changing hearts
You made us for much more than this
Awake the kingdom seed in us
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ
We are Your church
We are the hope on earth

Welcome | Tim Boone

O Come to the Altar

Chris Brown | Mack Brock | Steven Furtick | Wade Joye
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Are you hurting and broken within
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself

Do you thirst for a drink from the well
Jesus is calling

*O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ*

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born
Jesus is calling

Oh what a Savior
Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen
Bow down before him
For he is Lord of all
Sing alleluia Christ is risen

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

Scripture Reading (John 19:28-29) | Dr. Brent McDougal

Later, knowing that everything had now been finished, and so that Scripture would be fulfilled, Jesus said, "I am thirsty." 29 A jar of wine vinegar was there, so they soaked a sponge in it, put the sponge on a stalk of the hyssop plant, and lifted it to Jesus' lips.

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God
Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Pastoral Prayer | Chuck Powell

I Surrender

Matt Crocker
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Here I am
Down on my knees again
Surrendering all
Surrendering all

Find me here
Lord as You draw me near
Desperate for You
Desperate for You
I surrender

Drench my soul
As mercy and grace unfold
I hunger and thirst
I hunger and thirst

With arms stretched wide
I know You hear my cry
Speak to me now
Speak to me now

I surrender

I surrender

I want to know You more

I want to know You more

Like a rushing wind
Jesus breathe within
Lord have Your way
Lord have Your way in me
Like a mighty storm
Stir within my soul

Lord have Your way
Lord have Your way in me
(Lord have Your way)
(Lord have Your way in me)

Come as you are

Come as you are

Worship Through Offering | Pam Neal

Spoken Benediction | Pam Neal

Please drop your offering in the Offering Boxes by the door.

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Thanks to Micky Roberts for providing original bulletin cover artwork for each Sunday of Lent. Mickey's art is intended to help us to reflect on the theme "Passionate Faith" as we study the seven last words of Jesus from the cross.

Sermon | Dr. David Crocker

The Plan | John 19:28-29

Come As You Are

Ben Glover | David Crowder | Matt Maher

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Come broken-hearted let rescue begin
Come find your mercy O sinner come kneel
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal

(So) Lay down your burdens lay down your shame

All who are broken lift up your face

O wanderer come home

You're not too far

So lay down your hurt lay down your heart

Come as you are

There's hope for the hopeless
And all those who've strayed
Come sit at the table come taste the grace
There's rest for the weary
Rest that endures
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't cure

Come as you are

Fall in His arms

Come as you are

There's joy for the morning O sinner be still
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal

Come as you are

SPOTLIGHT ON

Downtown Lenten Lunch and Worship Series

For several years, the downtown churches worked together to offer opportunities to the downtown community and their churches to emphasize the season of Lent. One of those opportunities is the Lenten Lunches. Each of the larger churches hosts a brief service followed by lunch on the five Wednesdays leading up to Easter.

Two years ago, the schedule was interrupted by COVID. For the first time since then, we are once again hosting Lenten Lunches. It is an opportunity each week to pause and focus on the journey to the Cross. Everyone is invited to attend. There is no charge for the lunches, but donations are accepted to cover the cost of the lunch.

We are so grateful that the COVID numbers are finally coming down and we are able to once again host Lenten Lunches. The first one was by a new church plant that will begin meeting this Fall at First Baptist. Here is the schedule for Lenten Lunches:

March 9th	Emmanuel Church (at First Baptist)
March 16th	Immaculate Conception Church
March 23rd	First Presbyterian Church
March 30th	St. John's Episcopal Cathedral
April 6th	First Baptist Church

Each week the service begins at noon in the church sanctuary and lunch is usually at 12:30 pm. Join us for one or more of these meaningful services each Wednesday as we bring back Lenten Lunches. To God be the Glory!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cedar Springs Presbyterian

Each week we lift up a church in prayer. Today we lift up Cedar Springs Presbyterian. Please pray for our brothers and sisters to have strength and encouragement as they strive to be a light to this community and Knoxville. Pray that God will help them to meet the needs in our city.



COMMUNITY

Wednesday Night Activities

Join us next week for dinner beginning at 5 pm. We will be serving corned beef, cabbage, carrots, red potatoes, and dessert. Menu is subject to change upon product availability. There will be no Youth or Children's activities due to Knox County Schools being out for Spring Break.



COMMUNITY

Downtown Lenten Worship & Lunch Series

Wednesdays During Lent | 12 pm

Join other downtown congregations for a prelude, worship, and lunch every Wednesday during the Lenten season. Lunch is Free. Donations Accepted.

- 3/16 Immaculate Conception Church
- 3/23 First Presbyterian Church
- 3/30 St. John's Episcopal Cathedral
- 4/6 First Baptist Knoxville Church



WORSHIP

Deacon Nomination Recommendations

Each year the Deacon Nominating Committee requests your input in nominating individuals to serve as Deacons at our church. Please take some time to prayerfully consider who God might call to serve as a First Baptist Deacon. Likewise, if you feel called, please mark your own willingness to serve as well. You can turn in and pick up extra Deacon Nomination forms in the Reception area.



COMMUNITY

Living Lord's Supper

Thursday, April 14, Friday, April 15, 7 pm | Trentham Hall

You are invited to FBC's Living Lord's Supper! See Leonardo DaVinci's iconic painting come to life and hear stories from each of the disciples as they sit at the table with Jesus. You won't want to miss this powerful and moving worship experience. In partnership with the FBC Drama Team, music will be provided by the Sanctuary Choir, an ensemble, and various soloists/instrumentalists. The presentation will conclude each day with the Lord's Supper. General seating is limited, so pick up your ticket today!



WORSHIP

Stations of the Cross

Friday, April 15, 5:30 pm | Market Square | All Are Welcome!

Stations of the Cross is an annual event presented by the downtown churches where everyone is invited to gather in Market Square and walk to seven stations around downtown that depict Christ's journey to the cross on Good Friday.



WORSHIP

Mask Policy Update

In response to the recent CDC Guidelines update, the mask requirements at First Baptist have changed. Wearing masks is now optional in all areas of the church. Thank you for your patience as we have worked to navigate this situation in the best way for everyone.



COMMUNITY

Ladies' Luncheon: Save the Date!

Saturday, May 14, 11:00 am | Trentham Hall

Save the date for our Ladies' Luncheon! There will be three guest speakers, Christian fellowship, a delicious meal, door prizes, and much more! We would love for you to join us! More information to come.



COMMUNITY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Season of Prayer & Offerings for North American Missions

Missionaries need faithful and committed prayer partners and financial support. March is the Season of Prayer and Offerings for North American Missions. You can participate by praying for the personnel and supporting the work by giving to the Offering for Global Missions and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. The WMU encourages you to learn about missions, pray for missions, give to missions, and participate in missions this month. Our goal is \$16,000 which will support long-term missionary and field personnel presence. What a privilege it is to partner with Believers all around the world who are bearing witness to Jesus Christ! Learn more by visiting cbf.net/weekofprayer and anniearmstrong.com.



MISSION

University Small Group

All college students are invited to join us for lunch every Wednesday from 11:45 am-1:00 pm. RSVP to Tim at tboone@fbcknox.org.

Meeting schedule:

- Spring Break - No Meeting March 16
- Chipotle - 3/23
- Firehouse Subs - 3/30



COMMUNITY

Eggstravaganza 2022 Update

Sunday, April 10 after the 11:00 service.

Sunday, April 10 will be here before you know it. Make sure you have marked your calendar and plan to join us after the 11:00 service on the front lawn. Lunch will be served and then the FBC Drama Team will perform the Easter Story. Afterwards, we will have 2 egg hunts, one for preschoolers and one for school age kids, on the side lawn of the City/County Building. Volunteers are needed and may sign up with Susan at statum@fbcknox.org.

Our donations of pre-wrapped candy are beginning to come in, but we need enough candy to fill 3,000 eggs. You may leave your candy donations in the marked baskets in the hallways.



COMMUNITY

Summer Outreach Opportunity with Appalachian Outreach

June 6-10

This outreach team will serve families living in substandard conditions in East Tennessee. The Appalachian Outreach (AO) Home Repair program focuses on exterior needs of homes that are in need of handicap accessible ramps, decking, roofing, and painting. Learn more about AO at aoministry.org. There is a place for you to serve regardless of your age and ability. Monday-Friday, 8:30 am-4:00 pm. Cost: \$225 (scholarships are available). Lodging to be determined based on location of project. To sign up for this opportunity, contact Tim Boone at tboone@fbcknox.org.



MISSION

Mission trip to Uganda

October 8-16

Missy Ward and Francis Angalla will host a team from First Baptist later this year. The trip will focus on cultural education and ministry with refugees. Cultural education emphasis: You will learn about Ugandan culture by shopping at local markets, learning how to make traditional baskets, and participating in other cultural experiences. Ministry with refugees: You will support various Amani Sasa ministries by encouraging volunteers, introducing recipes from Tennessee, and working with Refuge in Hope. Cost for the trip is \$1,500 (scholarships are available for young adults). This includes airfare, lodging, and transportation. There will be an optional two-day safari at the end of the trip for an additional cost of \$600. Only 6 spots remaining! Final day to sign-up is June 24th (\$750 deposit due). For more information, contact Tim Boone at tboone@fbcknox.org.



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Coming Up This Week

Knox County Spring Break

March 14-18

Wednesday, 5 pm, Trentham Hall

Dinner & Adult Bible Study

Wednesday, 7 pm, Choir Suite

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, 10:30 am, 302

Golden Notes Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, 6:30 pm, Trentham Hall

Deacon Meeting

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