

# Wednesday Update

## April 26



**Sunday, May 7, is the first Sunday of the month;  
we will receive our Community Care/Benevolence Offering,  
which allows us to meet the critical needs of those in our community.**

### TuneShare

*May 2, 8:30 am, Sanctuary*

TuneShare is an annual singing and worship event for senior adult choirs. This year it will be held here at First Baptist, and we need your help to make it happen! We are looking for volunteers to help with parking, greeting, and ushering. There are an assortment of time slots available. If you would like to serve, please contact Pam Neal at [pneal@fbcknox.org](mailto:pneal@fbcknox.org).



### Directory Photo Sessions

*Photography Sessions Begin on May 3*

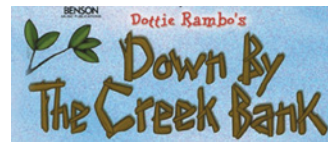
A pictorial directory is a great tool to foster church community by allowing you to put names with faces. It has been several years since our last director, and we've added a good number of folks to our church family. For this reason we are excited to let you know a new directory is in the works! WE NEED YOU to make it complete! It is free to participate, and each family who does gets a free, professionally-made 8 x 10, as well as the opportunity to purchase additional prints if you would like! It is easy to sign up for your photo session by visiting: [fbcknox.org/directory2017](http://fbcknox.org/directory2017).



### Young Musicians Spring Musical

*May 7, 6 pm, Trentham Hall*

Make plans now to join the Young Musicians Children's Choir for their spring musical: Dottie Rambo's Down By the Creek Bank!



### WOMEN ON MISSION (WOM)

*Tuesday, May 9, 10:30 am, Room 302*

**DATE CHANGE FOR MAY**

We are looking forward to our speaker, Lester Vineyard, volunteer with the Truck Stop Ministry in Knox County. We encourage men and women to come hear Lester tell about this interesting ministry. If you can, plan to stay



for lunch (\$6) served in Trentham Hall after the meeting. Hope to see you there! Please contact [mclayton@fbcknox.org](mailto:mclayton@fbcknox.org) by May 7 if you need childcare.

### Children's Choirs and Mission Recognition Program

*Wednesday, May 10, 6 pm, Sanctuary*

Our younger children's choirs including grades 1-2 and all preschool choirs will present their Spring concert. ALL children's mission groups including Mission Friends, GAs, and RAs will be presenting awards and special recognitions. This will be the last Wednesday for children's activities until August 16. Come and support all of the hard work our children have done.

### Humler Wedding Shower

*May 21, 2 pm, Youth Suite*

You are invited to join us in celebrating the wedding of Tori Bruinsma and Jordan Humler. They are registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond and Target, or you can help fund their honey moon at <https://www.gofundme.com/humlerwedding>. They are getting married on July 1 here at First Baptist, and all are welcome to attend the shower and ceremony.



### Kids Camp 2017—Gadgets & Gizmos

*June 7-10, Camp Bayoca, Grades 3-5 (completed)*

Mark your calendars for Gadgets & Gizmos at Camp BaYoCa. The cost is \$190 per camper; financial assistance is available. Forms are available on the Kids Floor or at [fbcknox.org/children/events](http://fbcknox.org/children/events).

### Vacation Bible School 2017

#### Hero Central! Discovering Your Strength in God!

*June 26-30, 9 am-12:15 pm, 3yr-5th Grade (Completed)*

Our 2017 VBS theme has been unveiled and it is going to be an action-packed week of discovering our strength in God and realizing the qualities that make us all truly heroes in God! Volunteers are needed NOW as small group guides, and leaders for crafts, Bible story, science, and snacks! For more info or to volunteer email Minister with Children & Families Susan Tatum at TODAY!



## Sanctuary Flowers

*Flowers are given in loving memory  
of Judith Pickle, Evelyn Mynatt,  
Janice Akers, Marion Pickle, and  
Maureen Pickle, by their family.*

## Attendance - April 23

Sunday School	277
First Community	91
11:00 am	301
Deaf	Combined
Passage	8
Worship Total	400

## Minister On Call

(865) 546-9661  
Press 9

	March '17	FY 2016/17 YTD
Unified Expenses	\$181,086	\$1,479,094
Unified Receipts	\$149,606	\$1,561,331
Offering	\$130,894	\$1,246,369
Transfer from Designated	\$9,869	\$80,238
Kitchen	\$2,243	\$28,706
Parking Lot	\$6,600	\$59,400
Estate Gifts	\$0	\$146,618
Total Receipts	\$149,606	\$1,561,331
Excess/Deficit	(\$31,480)	\$82,237

## Menus - May 3

### Bridge

Roast Beef, Potatoes, Veggies, Salad Bar,

### Wednesday Night Supper

Barbecue, Slaw, Baked Beans, Chips, Salad

### Kid's Hut

Barbecue Sliders, Baked Beans, Chips, Fruit

## Weekly Budget Update

Weekly Operating Budget	\$35,130
Last Week's Offering	\$22,079
Budget Need, YTD	\$1,510,590
Offering Receipts, YTD	\$1,398,051
Excess (Deficit)	(\$112,539)

## Church Family

### Hospital

Betty Austin – UT 1225  
Mike Loy – UT Medical Critical Care 13

### Discharged

Amaris Dickie  
Billy Wallace

### Other Requests

Louise Winningham, blood clots in lungs – no  
visitors please  
Sylvia Williams  
Beverly Norton, stomach issues  
Cotton Kelly - Stephanie Dunn's father  
John Mason, stroke recovery – Anne Winsauer's  
brother  
Ruth Coleman  
Jim Griffin, injections for severe lower back pain  
Ruthie Johnson  
Bob Davis  
Delores Carver, hospice care  
Mary Johnson, treatment  
Becky Hudson, debilitating back pain  
Bernice Bopp, severe pain and immobility  
Otha Winningham

### Our church extends sympathies to:

Farris Jordan and family upon the death of his  
mother, Hazel Jordan

Missy and Mac Burkhart and family upon death of  
her brother, Roy Smith

### Our church extends congratulations to:

Chelsea Denny and Zach Davis upon the birth of  
their daughter, Elizabeth Allison Davis

## Prayer List - 4/26/17

## Nursing Home of the Week

Parkview – Fountain City 5405 Colonial Cir  
Evelyn Roach Apt 111

## Friends and Families

### Other Prayer Requests

Krista Austin, surgery Wednesday in Clearwater, FL  
– Perry and Bette Austin's daughter

### Serving in the Military

Paul Kirby, US Navy – Donna Kirby's son  
Dan Vandegriff, Navy Flight School – Carolyn  
Nelson's nephew

## Missions Prayer Requests

### Prayer Requests from the Black Sea Ministries

Political situation, terror incidents and regional  
instability

### Prayer Requests from Marc and Kim Wyatt, CBF Advocates for Internationals, Research Triangle, NC

Pray for the safe arrival of a young Afghan couple  
making their way from a refugee camp to the  
Raleigh area.

### Prayer for Missy Ward-Angalla in Uganda

-Find different house to rent due to mold issues

-Three recent shelter graduates who are  
transitioning from complex home situations.  
Continual need for healing and transformation.

### Frank and Sheri Moran, West Africa

-Pray for a new follower who faces possible  
retaliation from family members.

-Pray for a new arrival to serve on their team.