



We are eagerly anticipating our August 22 celebration of Paul Sims and his 25 years of ministry at our church. In the meantime, we need you to schedule a visit to the church and record some words of gratitude for Paul. Marshal will have sign up sheets at worship this Sunday, or you can call the office to schedule. Please sign up soon so we can put together a great video tribute for Paul.

A churchwide fellowship meal will be served at 6:00pm. Please call the church office **no later than 4:00 pm on Monday, August 16th** to make your reservation.

### **Deacon Recommendations**

You are invited to recommend persons to serve as deacons for the upcoming three year term. On the form below, please list the names of those you would recommend (a brief statement giving reasons for your nomination would also be helpful).

The following are currently serving:

Gary Akins	Bill Hacker	Sherry Pace
Sarah Ashley	Katie House	Joyce Parker
Stan Brasher	Teresa Lawson	Nancy Rich
Mel Chandler	Daniel Lowe	J. Bill Sosh
Patsy Faulkner	Gary Motz	Nell Winchester

#### **Deacon Recommendations**

I recommend the following to serve as deacons for the upcoming term		
1	_ Reason:	
2	_ Reason:	
3	_ Reason:	
4	_ Reason:	
5	_ Reason:	
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Please return this form to the church office or place it in the offering plate during worship.

Deacon Nominating Committee Stan Brasher, Jane Chandler, Jennifer Hannah, Glenn Sasser, Nell Winchester

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# Sunday, August 8, 2021

9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship corbinfbc.org/joiningusfromhome 5:00pm Youth

Wednesday, August 11, 2021 5:00 pm Virtual Bible Study corbinfbc.org/joiningusfromhome

Thursday, August 12, 2021 11:00 am-2:00 pm Food Pantry



We learned recently of the passing of Anita Wilson, the daughter of Herbert and Dewie Wilson. Anita spent much of her childhood in our church. This left an indelible mark on her life. We grieve the loss of every life, and we pray for those who are in grief.

In death, though, is an opportunity to promote life. One who lives his or her life well encourages others to live their lives more fully. On rare occasions, death allows for the blessing of others when thoughtful decisions are made about one's estate and earthly goods. Anita, in her fondness for her upbringing in our church, left a portion of her estate to us so that we might continue the good work of Jesus Christ here in Corbin, the same good work that helped to inspire her and her nursing career.

In total, Anita gifted our church \$198,616. What a legacy and a gift! While we mourn the loss of Anita, we give God thanks for her faithfulness and generosity. May we all be inspired by Anita as we live our days that we would be mindful of both our mortality and legacy. -Alex





Clean out your closets and mark your calendars! The FBC Rummage Sale is back in business during NIBROC (Aug.12-14) over at the FLC. We need two things to help make it happen:

- 1. Donations! We would love your donations of household items and gently used clothing (please place on hangers). You can drop off anytime Mondays-Thursdays between 9 am-3 pm, but please call ahead so we can ensure the FLC doors are open.
- 2. Volunteers! We need 5-10 volunteers each of the following days/shifts to help us set up, work, and clean up the rummage sale. Lunches will be provided:

Sat, 8/7: 10-3 pm (Come and Go- Donation sorting and set up) Thur, 8/12 & Fri, 8/13: 9-12:30 pm and 12:30-4 pm Sat, 8/14: 9-12:30 pm

3. If you are willing to provide a meal for the volunteers, the signup sheet is outside Jeremiah's office.

If you are interested in signing up, please talk to Jeremiah or call the FBC office to get on our volunteer schedule!

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# First Baptist Church at Worship

## The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost August 8, 2021

**Organ Voluntary** 

Prelude on HOLY MANNA

by Sam Batt Owens

Greeting and Call to Worship

Alex Lockridge

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

And also with you.

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God invites us to live in the Spirit.

We open our souls to God's care.

God calls us to have loving hearts and faith-filled lives.

We open ourselves to God's gifts.

God summons us to be known by our faith.

We open our lives to God's claim.

God calls us to live out our faith.

We open our gifts to God's design for them.

God offers us every gift of grace.

We will worship, give thanks, and live so that we can show God's grace all around us.

Hymn 307

stanzas 1, 2, 3, and 5

All Creatures of Our God and King LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Confession and Forgiveness

Paul Sims

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

The Peace Alex Lockridge

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Act of Praise

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Now we who are of tender heart, forgiving others, take our part,

Singing praises, alleluia!

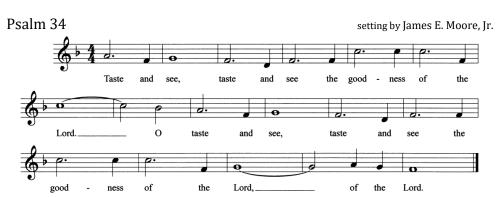
To You we lift our pain and care, receive the burdens that we bear,

Hear our praises, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

- St. Francis of Assisi

A Moment for Children

Jeremiah Banks



I will bless the Lord at all times. Praise shall always be on my lips:

My soul shall glory in the Lord for God has been so good to me. REFRAIN

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us all praise God's name.

Taste and see that the Lord is good; in God we need put all our trust. REFRAIN

# A Reading from the Letters to the Churches

Alex Lockridge

Ephesians 4:25 – 5:2



God, replace my stony heart with a heart that's kind and tender.

All my coldness and fear to Your grace I now surrender. REFRAIN

Write Your love upon my heart as my law, my goal, my story.

In each thought, word, and deed, may my living bring You glory. REFRAIN

May I weep with those who weep, share the joy of sister, brother.

In the welcome of Christ, may we welcome one another. REFRAIN

- Ruth C. Duck

A Reading from the Gospels

John 6:35, 41-51

Sermon "Growing Young: Being Neighborly" Alex Lockridge

Hymn 303 All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

Recognition and Gratitude

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Hymn 680 I Then Shall Live

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**Paul Sims** 

**HOLY MANNA** 

Alex Lockridge

Commission and Blessing

Alex Lockridge

Go out and imitate God, living in love.

Put your hope in God's Word

and let your own words be truthful and constructive.

May sin rouse your anger, but never let anger cause you to sin.

And may God always hear your voice.

May Christ Jesus raise you to new life;

and may the Holy Spirit nourish you for the life of love. Amen.

Organ Postlude All Creatures of Our God and King setting by John W. Burson



The Sanctuary flowers for Sunday, August 8th are placed in memory of my parents, CECIL and T.P. HARRIS and my husband, DAMON HODGES

Peggy Harris Hodges

# Pastoral Care Emergencies Nights and Weekend:

Minister: Alex Lockridge 606-401-9011

If you are unable to reach this minister, please leave a message on voice mail. Messages will be monitored at regular intervals.

Deacon: Teresa Lawson 606-304-4620

**August 1st Summary:** 

Budget Offerings: \$ 5,414.00 Fiscal YTD Budget Offerings: \$ 420,516.25 YTD Budget Goal: \$ 452,680.00



Summer and Jesse Hyde welcomed Harley Claire Hyde on Monday, August 2, 2021. Harley is the granddaughter of Tina Hyde and great granddaughter of Pat Waddle. Congratulations to all.

### Thank You!

Thank you church family for the special recognition that you gave to me and my fellow youth workers. It's such a blessing to see how they are growing in the faith and the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

I love you all!! Lisa