

Dear family and friends of F.B.C.,
The Church Council has formed a History Committee that has been given the task of creating a History Room for our church. For this endeavor we need your help!
Each of us has something in our homes that pertains to the history of F.B.C. We need pictures, bulletins, Builders, keepsakes, old quarterlies, songbooks, trophies, costumes, and other objects that are suitable for display in this room. As we enter the winter season of “pulling out keepsakes,” if you find something you would like to contribute, please bring to the church office along with names, dates, and the significance of the item.
We know we can count on your support of this project and are looking forward to your contributions.

Sarah Ashley, Ann Hacker, Sharon Pace, and Joyce Parker



The women of FBC Corbin will go to Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill, Kentucky on Friday and Saturday, April 13-14, 2018. The cost of \$150 will include dinner on Friday, breakfast on Saturday, lodging, and cost of a guest speaker. We will also make a stop at the Glitz on the way home on Saturday. Join us for a weekend of fellowship and spiritual refreshment. The reservations should be made by Thursday, March 1st. A signup sheet is in the office.

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Sunday, February 18th

9:30am Children's Music - Chapel
9:30am Sunday School
10:10am Adult Choir
10:30am Worship

Monday, February 19th

4:15pm Children's Advisory Committee

Tuesday, February 20th

3:30pm O.W.L.S. to Somerset

Wednesday, February 21st

5:30pm Dinner
6:15pm Children & Youth
6:15pm Midweek Bible Study
7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 22nd

1-2:00pm Food Pantry
6:30pm TriCounty Bridge

WELCOME
New Members

by baptism:
by letter:

Mitchell Parker
J. Bill Sosh

Wednesday, February 21st

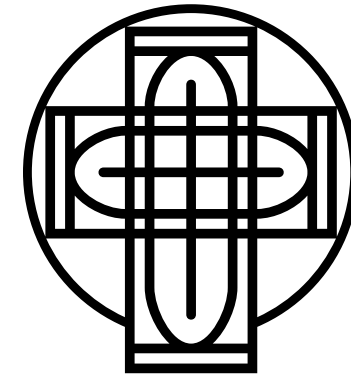
Menu

Husbands' Delight Casserole
Cole Slaw
French Bread
Dessert

Volunteers

Ann Hacker
Sharon Pace
Sherry Pace

February 18, 2018



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FBC Vision for 2030
“The Community Pulse”

The focus of this vision is to create and maintain a space and environment that nurtures and creates community. We would achieve this by re-visioning every building in our church grounds as a sanctuary and haven for both our faith community and the community at large. In a world where we are becoming increasingly isolated, our church would be the hub of community activity in the form of collaboration, creativity, activism, spiritual expression and formation, and communal worship.

1) Sanctuary building:

- i. Our garden/courtyard by the sanctuary is enhanced with attractive and comfortable sitting spaces, a fountain, and prayer/meditation prompts, making it an inviting place to sit, read, and hold conversations.
- ii. The chapel is transformed into a prayer room that is always open and inviting for prayer and reflection; accessible from the courtyard.
- iii. A welcome center is built in the entrance of the sanctuary, with information displayed about our church and services, including: information about elements of our worship service, church calendar, lectionary, etc; information about Sunday School classes and locations; ways to get involved in ministries of the church; biographies of ministerial staff; testimonials from church members, etc.

2) Education building:

- i. Redesigned into an education and community center building. Rooms are redesigned as flexible meeting spaces with technology available to meet educational needs such as job training, GED classes, computers for online classes, etc. Adult education is made possible through partnerships with local agencies and schools/universities.
- ii. Interactive technology in various rooms make it possible to interact with homebound members and/or stream church activities beyond the worship service (i.e., prayer meetings, Sunday School, business meetings, etc).
- iii. There are gathering spaces that are comfortable, inviting and that allow for community interaction. We intentionally promote intergenerational interaction/activity.
- iv. We develop and maintain programs that bring the community together. Some are spiritually-focused (i.e., faith formation classes) and others are community enhancing (i.e., community theater).
- v. Our childcare facilities are used in order to provide short-term childcare (on an hourly basis) for parents/caregivers. It is offered as part of our ministry to folks who are attending adult education classes, etc, while also serving as a paid service to parents/caregivers who would like to pay for a couple of hours of childcare.



Altar Flowers

The Sanctuary flowers for Sunday, February 18th
are placed in honor of
MOLLIE DANIEL AND KEVIN PACE BIRTHDAYS
by
Mark and Jenny Daniel
Daniel, Lindsay, Harrison, and Jackson Lowe
Sue Mills and Sherry Pace

“The Community Pulse” continued:

- vi. An investment in technology allows our church to serve as a data hub for our community (it will be increasingly important for people to access online data to meet daily needs).
- vii. We coordinate an intentional outreach to international students who are enrolled in local universities (providing orientation, meals, gathering space, assistance with resources, and relationship).
- viii. The playground between the education and Life Center building is enhanced for children’s activities (i.e., splash pad/play fountain or kids labyrinth).

3) Life Center building:

- i. We maintain a year-round farmers market integrated with our garden and Sojourn House, and with addition of greenhouse. Items are donated by church members and community. Local artisans are also able to sell their items here.
- ii. We maintain a year-round goodwill-type store (similar to our rummage sale but year-round). Vouchers can be given to benevolence clients or Sojourn House guests.
- iii. Our winter relief ministry is expanded and supported with built-in temporary lodging options.
- iv. Outdoor events around our garden and farmer’s market provide opportunities for community gatherings (i.e., live music, barbecues, etc).

4) Sojourn House:

- i. We integrate our sojourn guests into our ministries and activities such as the community garden, farmer’s market, adult education, ministry store, etc.
- ii. A commercial kitchen is used for healthy food preparation and community classes.

First Baptist Church at Worship

The First Sunday in Lent
February 18, 2018
Ten-thirty O’clock in the Morning

Scripture Lessons
Psalm 25
I Peter 3:18-22
Mark 1:9-15

Anthem by The Sanctuary Choir
I Want Jesus to Walk with Me

Sermon by Austin Carty
“In the Wilderness 40 Days”

USHERS & GREETERS
February 18, 2018

- 1. Colleen Darabant
- 2. Norman Teague
- 3. Myrisa Christy
- 4. Glenn Sasser
- 4. Nettie Sosh
- 4. Bill Sosh
- 5. John Goins
- 5. Sandi Curd
- 5. Colleen Darabant
- 6. Steve Surmont
- 6. Gary Motz
- 7. David Landrum

Pastoral Care Emergencies
Nights and Weekend:

Minister: Austin Carty
528-9241

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

Deacon: Sue Mills
515-2510

February 11th Summary:

Budget Offerings:	\$	11,940.00
YTD Budget Offerings:	\$	221,954.99
YTD Budget Goal:	\$	201,220.00
Loose Change:	\$	100.53
Cold Weather Ministry:	\$	1,970.00

Loose change received in February will benefit the First Baptist Church Cold Weather Ministry.

February 18th:
Nursery: Marcee and Michaela Hopper
Children’s Church: John and Savannah Blevins