



Stained Glass Saints

Today we remember
William Ernest "Bill" Hensley
May 24, 1932 – August 7, 1998

Bill and his wife, Glennis Norvell Hensley, and their infant daughter, Nancy, moved to Corbin in the early 1960s at the urging of Charles Osborne to join into law practice with First Baptist Church member Herman Leick. The family soon started attending FBC regularly, with Bill leading Sunday School and RAs (Royal Ambassadors) classes for the young men of the church. Over the next decade, the family added a son, Billy, and another daughter, Cindy. As years passed, Bill's attendance at church might not have been perfect, yet he lived a life concerned with the welfare of others.

How did Bill show Christian love? He put the love of Christ into practice, especially in his practice of law. Before the term entered our lexicon, he "saw" people and was sincerely concerned about the weak and vulnerable. He wanted to help those who came through his office or courtroom – regardless of prison time, addiction, abuse, poverty, or simple bad life choices.

Bill was what you might call an "old country lawyer" – he provided countless hours of pro bono legal representation within our community and when clients couldn't pay their legal fees with cash, he let them pay when and how they could – eggs, jars of honey, a jam cake, or a horse, for example.

One of Bill's closely held principles was eliminating barriers to equal housing opportunities for all. He was instrumental in one of the most valuable FBC missions – Baptist Housing – our low-income apartment community for the elderly and mobility impaired.

On October 25, 1977, Bill along with Beulah "Bootie" White, John Bill Black, Curt Lawson, and WL Fuqua incorporated the non-profit Baptist Housing. He served on the first Board of Directors with Mrs. White, Mr. Black, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Fuqua, Phil Hutson, JW Norvell, Maxine Von Gruenigan, William Daniel, Merrill Rayburn, Pat Huff, Bob Mitchell, Don Robinson, Elmer Gambrel, and Helen Chitwood. The official documents were notarized by Nancy Mitchell, an active FBC member at the time.

According to the initial Articles of Incorporation, the purpose of Baptist Housing was "to provide housing for handicapped and senior citizens which it is estimated to be several such needs for housing in the several counties of southeastern Kentucky and to provide such spiritual needs of loneliness and anxiety which needs to be ministered to the occupants."

That group's work led to the opening of the 64-unit housing facility in 1981 – a mission that thrives today and continues to meet a critical community need.

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Friday, October 7, 2022

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm Redhound Pregame
Tailgating

Sunday, Oct., 9, 2022

9:00 am Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
corbinfbc.org/joiningusfromhome
6:00 pm Youth

Tuesday, October 11, 2022

3:45 pm Ruth Bradley's "How to Study
the Bible" study group

Wednesday, October 12, 2022

5:30 pm Dinner (call church office by
Mon., Oct 10th to
make your reservations or to
cancel a standing reservation).
5:45 pm Children's Choir
6:15 pm Kids & Youth Activities
6:15 pm Adult Book Study

Thursday, October 13, 2022

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm Food Pantry

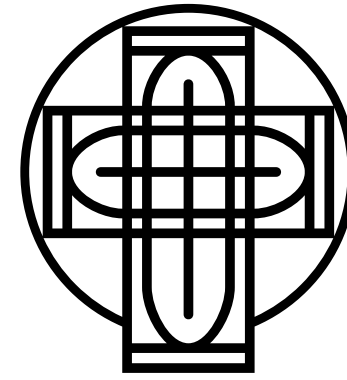
Friday, October 14, 2022

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm Redhound Pregame Tailgating

Shoebox Ministry

If you would like to donate to the Shoebox Ministry, for the month of **October** we are collecting **bars of (mild) soap** that can be dropped off across from the church office. Or, you may want to consider designating a portion of your offering to the Shoebox Ministry fund. Thank you

October 9, 2022



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First Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir
Gary and Gwyn Motz
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Love and sympathy extended to John Stansberry and family in the passing of his sister, Jacky Shadowen.



Altar Flowers

Sanctuary flowers for Sunday, October 9, 2022 are placed in memory of CARRIE AND BOBBY GOINS
by
Kathy Goins, John Goins and Scott Goins

Sanctuary flowers are also placed in memory of my husband, ED BLACK and son, DENNY BLACK
by
Joan Black



Get out those recipes and start working on your act!

Fellowship Meal October 12, 2022
Baked Potato Bar, Salad and Dessert

October 2, 2022 Offering Summary:

Budget Offerings:	\$ 4,776.00
Fiscal YTD Budget Offerings:	\$ 4,776.00
YTD Budget Goal:	\$ 10,002.00
Loose Change Offerings for Oct.	\$ 61.73

Loose change received in **October** will benefit First Baptist Church's Shoebox Ministry to children in Southeastern and Southern Kentucky, distributed through Olive Branch Ministries.

First Baptist Church at Worship

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 9, 2022
Ten-thirty O'clock in the Morning

Scripture Lessons

Jeremiah 29 : 1, 4-7
Psalm 111
Luke 17 : 11-19

Children's Moment by Jeremiah Banks

Anthem by The Sanctuary Choir
I Will Sing Praise

Sermon by Alex Lockridge
"Seek the Welfare of the City"

Pastoral Care Emergencies Nights and Weekend:

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