

In-Person Worship - What You Can Expect

We are very excited to resume in-person worship gatherings. With that said, this is still a time to proceed with caution, so if you are in the riskiest categories or if you feel uneasy about returning at this point, we encourage you to participate via our on-line offerings.

The following precautions have been developed by the staff and deacons in consultation with health officials and with other religious organizations.

Precautions

- At first, we will only resume Sunday morning worship.
- There will be no Adult Choir and Praise First will model distancing.
- We encourage all worshipers to wear masks. (We will have masks available.)
- We encourage you to arrive early for worship and enter by the doors at the back of the Sanctuary or by the door at the top of the ramp.
- We will suspend our 'Meet and Greet' during the service.
- A box will be available for tithes and offerings. You may also give on-line or mail contributions to the church.
- *Social Distancing* - will be modeled on the platform.
- Every other pew will be blocked off.
- Families will be encouraged to sit together.
- All others should be 6 feet apart.
- Please observe one person at a time in the restrooms.
- At first, we will not provide nursery care or children's church, but we will provide additional children's worship materials and we will dedicate a portion of the worship time for the children.
- Bulletins will not be handed out but will be set out on a table for worshipers who would like to have them.

BELIEVE



“Is anything too hard for the Lord?”

Genesis 18:14a

October 25, 2020

***First Baptist Church
Williamsburg, Kentucky
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Welcome		Michelle Myers
Worship in Song	<i>Jesus</i>	Praise First
Video	'Fall Back Reminder: The Clock Shop'	The Skitguys
Worship in Song	<i>We Bring The Sacrifice of Praise</i>	Congregation
Worship in Song	<i>Jesus Paid It All</i>	Congregation
Prayers of the People		Ande Myers
Special Music	<i>Come To Me</i> Soloist: Dr. David Etter From: "Songs for the Journey" by Dan Forrest	Praise First
Message	"Oh yes, you did laugh..." Genesis 18:1-15	Ande Myers
Closing Music	<i>Surely The Presence</i>	Praise First
Benediction		Ande Myers
Postlude		Alex Stone, Piano

Prayer Concerns

The Family of Barbara Petrey

John Broome	Logan's father)	Thomas & Carol
RL & Sandra Brown	Bill & Nadine	Stephens
Barbara Carnes	Hudson	Lonnie Strunk
Marian Collette	Wanda Jeffries	(Brenda Steely's
Randy Croley	Maggie Logan	brother)
Chuck Dupier	Shirley Mattingly	Dinah Taylor
Henrietta Duke	Judy Mattox	Gayle Taylor
Grant Duke	Barbara Neubert	Marilyn Teague
Wilma Faulkner	Kenny Nighbert	Charlie Vermillion
J. Don Faulkner	Archie Powers	(Bob Dunston's
Rebecca Gibson	Brenda Rains	friend)
Imogene Halcomb	Tom Rains (Sharon	Barbara Wasano
Ralph Higginbotham	Perkins' father)	Florence Young
George & Nina	Elsie Shelby (Bryan	
Herring	Shelby's mother)	
Bill Heid (Janet	Sadie Smith	

Deacons of the Week: Alex Stone (523-6196) // Anita Bowman (859-396-5007)

Ushers and Greeters: Kathy Karr // Jim Newman // Eddie Byrd // Norma Dunston

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

****Worship on the Lawn:** Join us, by the playground, for an informal time of praise, prayer, and reflection **TONIGHT at 6:00 PM**. Bring a lawn chair, wear a face mask, and social distance from one another. Once everyone is seated and the service begins, you may take off your mask if you are comfortable doing so. We look forward to glorifying the Lord together!

****Trick or Treat:** We will be participating in “Trick-or-Treat” social distancing style on the front steps of the church. We need volunteers to be here from 5:00 PM till 7:30 PM, Saturday, October 31st. If you would like to be one of them, please let Rebecca in the church office know. Can’t be here? You can contribute by dropping off a bag of individually wrapped candies at the church office **before Wednesday, October 28th**, or by volunteering to come over and decorate the church steps (pumpkins mums, hay bales, etc.) earlier in the day on Halloween. Let’s continue to be a light in our community!

****Instant Church Directory:** During this time of distancing, it can sometimes feel that we are not connecting as we once were. Under the direction of Mrs. Kathy Byrd, we have come up with an idea that can help us to connect with one another. The church is going to produce an on-line church directory. We want all of our church members and attendees to participate in this new interactive directory. You will receive a packet in the mail containing all the information. If you have questions or you don’t receive the packet, please don’t hesitate to contact the church office or Kathy Byrd (606-620-3793). **All entries for the church directory need to be completed by Wednesday, November 18th.**

****From the Heart - Connecting and Sharing:** This time of COVID and the complications associated with it has provided time for a pause. What have you created during this pause? Have you journaled, written a poem, painted, sketched, etc.? If so, send a copy of your creation to **fbcwoffice@gmail.com** and it might be shared with the church family via email on Wednesdays.

****Christmas Boxes for Olive Branch Ministries:** We will make Christmas shoeboxes like in the past. We are late getting started due to COVID-19 and all that has happened. There are a few changes this year. Items needed:

- Hats, gloves, 2 in 1 shampoo/body wash, toothpaste, toothbrushes, brush/comb, washcloths, pens and pencils.
- \$10.00 gift card to one of the following: Walmart, Family Dollar, or Dollar General.
- Older Students: deodorant, wallets, socks, jewelry.
- Elementary Students: Uno or other card games, markers, jewelry, socks, hair bows.

These boxes are given to school children through local school resource centers. There is not much time, we need these items soon! **Drop items by the church office by the first week of November.** If you have any questions, please contact Pat Ramey (606) 549-2871.