

In-Person Worship - What You Can Expect

We are pleased that you are worshiping with us today. The staff and the deacons with the advice of health officials encourage a few precautions as we gather together.

Precautions

- A box will be available for tithes and offerings. You may also give online or mail contributions to the church.
- Families are encouraged to sit together.

Thank you for doing your part in keeping everyone safe.


Online Giving: Check out the church website for updated news and information on how to give online. Visit www.fbcwky.org. Point your iPhone or Android camera at the QR code to go directly to the online giving website.



Church Needs: When you have or become aware of a need in our church family, be sure to notify Rebecca in the church office or one of the Deacons of the Week.

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*Love the Lord your God
with all your heart and
with all your soul and
with all your strength
and with all your mind;
and, Love your neighbor
as yourself.*

~ Luke 10:27

**LOVE
YOUR
NEIGHBOR**

March 6, 2022

***First Baptist Church
Williamsburg, Kentucky
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Worship in Song	Congregation
<i>Victory Chant</i>	
Welcome & Invocation	J.L. Hamblin
Video	The Skit Guys
‘Meet the Sanders: Serving Heathens’	
Worship in Song	Congregation
<i>526 - The Solid Rock</i>	
Worship in Song	Congregation
<i>548 - As The Deer</i>	
Prayers of the People	Terresa Etter
Commissioning of the Pastor Search Committee	
Musical Reflection	Alex Stone
<i>The Wonderful Cross</i> By Lowell Mason, Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves, & J.D. Walt Arranged by Ken Barker	
Worship in Song	Praise First
<i>Thank You Jesus For The Blood</i> Featuring Stacy Manning, Soprano	
Message	Dr. John Lepper
“How Big is Your Neighborhood” Luke 10:25-37	
Time of Commitment	Congregation
<i>488 - Just As I Am</i>	

Benediction

Dr. John Lepper

Postlude

Alex Stone

Tell It To Jesus
By Edmund S. Lorenz
Arranged by Mary McDonald

Prayer Concerns

The Family of Kathleen Bond

Jennie Lou Barton	Bill Heid (Janet	Tom Rains (Sharon
Sandra Brown	Logan’s father)	Perkins’ father)
Eddie Byrd	Matt Howard (Jennie	Sam Reeves
Barbara Carnes	Lou Barton’s	Kenny Shaw
Sandra Carr (J.L.	grandson)	Elsie Shelby (Bryan
Hamblin’s sister)	Mike Huey (Rebecca	Shelby’s mother)
Debby Clark	Conn’s cousin)	Ernie Siler
Marian Collette	Maggie Logan	Sadie Smith
Chuck Criscillis	Shirley Mattingly	Carol Stephens
Chuck Dupier	Judy Mattox	Tom Stephens
Jim Dupier	Mike Meadors	Dinah Taylor
Henrietta Duke	(Rebecca Conn’s	Gayle Taylor
Grant Duke	uncle)	Shannon Taylor
Wilma Faulkner	Brenda Myers	Marilyn Teague
J. Don Faulkner	Kenny Nighbert	Ernest Triplett
Steven Haines	Elmer Patrick	Lonnie Walden
Imogene Halcomb	Gilbert Prince	Barbara Wasano
Ralph Higginbotham	(Evelyne Dupier’s	Ginnie West
George & Nina	brother)	Donnie & Betty Witt
Herring		Florence Young

Thank You

Dear First Baptist Staff and Members,

Thank you so much for the beautiful sympathy flowers you sent in memory of my Mother. My Dad and brother loved the flowers and thought they were so appropriate to Mom’s taste and style.

Thank you for loving her, for your support, and for providing her a church home for all of these years. She especially loved her Sunday school class and friends.

*Sincerely,
Laura Sutton*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

****Daylight Savings Time:** We will “Spring Forward” on **Sunday, March 13th**. Don’t forget to set your clocks ahead 1 hour before bed Saturday night!

****Deacons’ Meeting:** There will be a Deacons’ Meeting on **Sunday, March 13th beginning at 6:00 PM** in the sanctuary.

****Youth Movie Night:** The youth group will be having a movie night in the CLC on **Friday, March 18th from 7:00 till 10:00 PM**. We will watch a movie on the big screen in the gym with popcorn, snacks, and drinks. Bring a chair, blanket, or something comfy to lounge on! Hope to see you there!

****FBC Memorial Grounds:** There is an effort underway to beautify our church grounds. The focus is on the area in front of the CLC, Triangle Park (statue across from the church), and perhaps some other spots as well. A fund has been established for the **FBC Memorial Grounds**, whereby donations may be made in memory of a loved one(s) or families. If you would like to contribute to this project, please designate **“landscaping”** or **“Memorial Grounds”** with your donation. A lot of the work is being done voluntarily, but there are expenses for shrubbery, plantings, etc. A list of the honorariums will be kept but not published. If you have any questions, please contact John Harris.

****Online Newsletter Column:** If you would like to write a devotional, poem, submit artwork, or anything else that God lays on your heart to be shared with our church family via the online newsletter, please contact the church office.

****Attention All Children:** The children’s class for kindergarten through 5th grade meets every **Sunday from 10:00 AM till 10:45 AM** in the large room downstairs, the first door on the left, down the hallway. Volunteers are needed to help monitor. If you would like to volunteer, please see Frankie Ball.

****Church Directory:** View our church directory online or on your mobile device. **Login to members.InstantChurchDirectory.com or download the Instant Church Directory app.** You will use your email address listed in the directory to create a login the first time you use either. If you’re not listed in the directory, OR if you have trouble

logging into the app, please contact the church office.

****Prayer at FBCW:** A way to participate in the prayer ministry is through the **prayer cards** located at all the main entrances. Select names on the prayer list found in the bulletin, write notes of encouragement and prayers, and drop them in the offering box. The office will mail them. You can also participate in **FBC's Prayer Chain** through your cell phone. In your texting app, **type 81010** in the *To* space and then **@fbcwpraye** in the message block. This will sign you up for the FBC Prayer Chain. If you have questions, please see the church office.

****Loose \$1.00 bills:** Any loose \$1.00 bills placed in the offering box will go directly to the Benevolence Fund, helping families who are in crisis.

Deacons of the Week: Kathy Byrd (620-3793)

// Terresa Etter (524-0103)

Ushers and Greeters: John & Sandy Beams // Bruce Hicks

// Harry Siler

Nursery: Stacey Estes

First Baptist Church Williamsburg (FBCW) is a committee driven church. During the January 2022 FBCW Business Meeting, the members of the *Standing Committees* of the church were approved.

BUILDING & GROUNDS COMMITTEE

Coordinates the care and maintenance of church properties.

Members are

John Harris, Chair

Mike Bordes

Lee Bryant

Erica Harris

Meg Judd

Bryan Shelby

Chris Siler

Ex-officio: the pastor and

J.L. Hamblin, custodian

SERMON NOTES:

Search Committee Covenant

Recognizing the importance of the assignment with which our church has entrusted us, and the special relationships among our search committee members, we hereby covenant together to:

- 1. Make this assignment a priority in our lives.**
- 2. Make prayer a priority by:**
 - a. Praying for one another**
 - b. Praying for the process**
 - c. Praying for our church**
 - d. Praying for the candidate and their family during his/her transition**
- 3. Be open and committed to the leadership of the Holy Spirit.**
- 4. Welcome and encourage the expressions of everyone's opinion and ideas.**
- 5. Respect every member of our committee and the ideas they present.**
- 6. Work in the Spirit of Christ to resolve differences and disagreements in our committee when they arise.**
- 7. Leave our personal agendas at the door.**
- 8. Guard with the utmost confidentiality, both in and out of our meetings, all matters that relate to our pastor search process.**
- 9. Support the ministry of our new pastor, upon his/her arrival, by prayer, friendship, and service.**
- 10. Encourage our fellow church members to pray for our new pastor and to support his/her leadership through faithful service to the Kingdom of our Lord.**

Pastor Search Committee Commissioning Service

LEADER: God has saved us and called us with a holy calling according to His own purpose and grace which was given to us in Christ Jesus (*II Timothy 1:9*)

CONGREGATION: We are “members of the household of God, having been built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ, Himself being the chief cornerstone.”
(*Ephesians 2:19b-20*)

LEADER: Recognizing the importance of the assignment to serve on the Pastor Search Committee, do you, the members of this committee, accept this responsibility in which our church has entrusted to you, and do you covenant together to make this a priority in your lives?

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE: We Do.

LEADER: Do you as members of the Pastor Search Committee agree to those things outlined in the Search Committee Covenant?

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE: We Do.

LEADER: During the fulfillment of your assignment, will you respect one another, lay personal agendas aside, disagree in love, and support one another as brothers and sisters in Christ?

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE: We will, with God’s help.

LEADER: Will you be open and committed to the leadership of the Holy Spirit and guard with utmost confidentiality, all matters that relate to the pastor search process?

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE: We will, with God’s help.

CONGREGATION: We, the members of First Baptist Church of Williamsburg, pledge to you our continuing prayer support.