

Making a Decision at First Baptist Church

Are you ready to become a Christian?

During the Time of Commitment, you are invited to come forward and share with the pastor your profession of faith as you begin your new life in Christ.

Are you ready to join FBC Williamsburg?

The pastor will be at the front to receive you if you feel God leading you to become a member of FBC. We receive members in the following ways:

Profession of Faith and Baptism

For those making first-time decisions to receive Christ, follow Him in baptism, and unite with FBC.

Transfer of Letter

If you belong to another Baptist church, we will be happy to write and ask that your church letter be transferred to FBC.

Statement of Faith

If you come from another denomination and have accepted Christ as your Savior and been baptized, you can join FBC by statement of your faith in Christ.

Associate Membership (Formerly Watchcare Program)

Any person who wishes to identify with this Church but who is not prepared to become a member may be received as an associate member of the Church. Students who do not wish to transfer their membership may choose this option.

First Baptist Church

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First Baptist Church
Williamsburg, Kentucky
November 20, 2022 ~ Thanksgiving Service

Worship in Song Adult Choir
Come, Christians Sing!
 By Christian Bateman and Bobby Huguley

Welcome & Invocation Jennie Lou Barton

Video Congregation
 “Our Church”

Testimonies

Children’s Church Janet Logan

ADULTS: The Lord be with you as you worship.

KIDS: And also with you.

(Children’s Church today is for children 5 and under only!)

Worship in Song Congregation
797 - Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

Worship in Song Congregation
786 - Count Your Blessings

Offertory Prayer Terresa Etter

Offertory Alex Stone
Let All Things Now Living
 Traditional Welsh Melody
 Arranged by Douglas E. Wagner

Testimonies

Closing Comments Jeremy Shannon

Time of Commitment Congregation
705 - It Is Well With My Soul

Benediction Congregation
232 - God Be With You

Postlude Alex Stone
More About Jesus
 By John R. Sweney

Prayer Concerns

Megan Atteberry (Boots Hamblin’s cousin)	Ralph Higginbotham George & Nina Herring	Elsie Shelby (Bryan Shelby’s mother)
Jennie Lou Ausmus	Bill Hudson	Sadie Smith
Johnny Brown	Mike Huey (Rebecca Conn’s cousin)	Carol Stephens
Barbara Carnes	Maggie Logan	Tom & Tammy Stephens
Angie Cochran (Boots Hamblin’s cousin)	Jerry Martin (Boots Hamblin’s brother)	Dinah Taylor
Marian Collette	Shirley Mattingly	William Tatman (Pastor Jeremy’s grandpa)
Chuck Criscillis	Judy Mattox	Gayle Taylor
Randy Croley	Jennifer Melton	Shannon Taylor
Rick Davis	Brenda Myers	Marilyn Teague
Henrietta Duke	Kenny Nighbert	Ernest Triplett
Grant Duke	Elmer Patrick	Eric Wake
Willard & Julia Farris (Kathleen Croley’s brother)	Walter Pennington	Barbara Wasano
Wilma Faulkner	Phillip Perkins	Betty Witt
J. Don Faulkner	Tom Rains (Sharon Perkins’ father)	Florence Young
Imogene Halcomb	Sam Reeves	

Deacons of the Week: Terresa Etter (524-4647)
 // Bryan Shelby (423-437-1807)

Ushers and Greeters: George & Pat Ramey // Brileigh Logan
 // Norma Dunston

Nursery: Gail Bordes

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

****Sacred Stories Daily Reading:** There will be **NO** Sacred Stories Daily Reading this week due to the upcoming holiday! Scripture readings will pick back up on Monday, November 28th.

****Community Thanksgiving Meal:** Are you looking for a way to serve others this holiday season! The City of Williamsburg is hosting a Community Thanksgiving Meal on Wednesday, November 23rd at the Williamsburg Convention Center. FBCW is proud to partner with them to support this great mission and we are looking for willing volunteers to help serve the meal. The meal lasts from 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM and we would love to have volunteers from 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM. If you come even for an hour or two, we have a place for you. If you can help, please contact Steven Moses at 606-521-2910.

****Church Office Closure:** The FBCW office will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 24th & 25th in observance of Thanksgiving. The office will reopen on Monday, November 28th.

****Upward Basketball:** Upward Basketball Evaluations will be Saturday, December 3rd & Saturday, December 10th from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM in the CLC. Volunteers are needed during the evaluations, please contact Bill Conn at 606-521-4273 if you can help. Thinking about coaching, serving as a referee, helping in the concession stand, hosting, and giving devotions. All these will be needed beginning in January 2023, but we need our volunteers to step up now! Contact the church office if you can help in any way. If you know someone who would like to participate, information flyers are available. This program is for boys and girls, grades K-5. Deadline for registration to play is December 10, 2022.

****2022 Giving:** Since FBCW is a charitable organization and gifts to it are tax deductible, IRS regulations and rules must be followed. Gifts to FBCW placed in the offering plate, mailed to the church, or given online must be received by Saturday, December 31st, to be counted as a 2022 gift. If you would like to have a copy of your giving record for IRS purposes, please let the church office know. These will go out after all donations for the 2022 year are posted.

****Backpack Ministry:** Every Tuesday, FBCW packs 50+ bags of easy to prepare meals for school children to take home who may

not have something to eat at home during that time. The church has created a First Baptist Church Backpack Ministry Wish List on Amazon.com. If you would like to help support this vital ministry, search for our wish list in the registry section of Amazon, purchase 1 or more of the items listed, and Amazon will ship it directly to the church. You can also sponsor a Backpack Ministry child for \$20.00 per month. Whichever you choose, you are helping to feed a child. You're making a difference in the world for Christ!

****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 plate. 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.

Thank You

Thank you for your expression of sympathy during our time of loss. The food provided met our need. Prayers were most welcome and all you who were able to visit with us, we felt your love.

Debbie Harp & Family

Thank You! On a cold, drizzly Saturday morning, 8 people came to paint at Emergency Christian Ministries. We managed to get the large meeting room painted, as well as some other areas.

There is more that needs painting at ECM. If you would like to paint some rooms, on a day you choose, let the office or Pat Ramey know. We will work on getting a time scheduled.

Thank you to those that painted and for the donation of paint, brushes, rollers, etc. This makes a difference for people in our community.

Missions Committee