

# Meetings & Events

## 14th Annual

### FBC Golf Outing

Saturday - August 21

11:30 a.m. Sapona Country Club

Cost: \$45/Person, \$25/Club Members

Format: Captains Choice (in teams of four)

Fees Due: Sunday, August 1

See Tommy for more information.

## School Supplies



During the month of August, the WMU will collect much needed school supplies for area foster children. A collection box will be located in the Children's dining area of the Children's Center.

## MBCC News

The Martha Best Children's Center recently completed the assessment process to renew our 4 Star Rated License for 3 more years! The rating is determined by compliance to child care laws, education of staff and meeting program standards with 5.4 out of 7 points on a required Environmental Rating Scale. Congratulations and thanks to the staff for their hard work and dedication!

## Special Thank You

Our thanks goes to the MBCC Staff for their participation in the 2010 Vacation Bible School and a very special thanks to our VBS Director, Wendy Walker.

## Reminder From the Deacons

After a report from the LISTEN Team many have volunteered to lead a Team or join a Team in serving our church. There is still time to volunteer for an area of ministry that interests you. The sign up forms are in the church office.

## Extended Session

**August 1: Bed Babies** - Elizabeth Fuller & Jennifer Allen **Toddlers & 2 Year Olds** - M/M Randy Leonard **3 & 4 Year Olds** - M/M Mike Morgan

**August 8: Bed Babies** - M/M William Hopkins **Toddlers & 2 Year Olds** - M/M Telly Hess **3 & 4 Year Olds** - M/M Chad Williams

## Dr. Ray Howell - Sabbatical

Dr. Howell will be on Sabbatical from now until the first of November. Our thoughts and prayers are with he and Joyce as they travel and are away from us. They will be attending some seminars and visiting family. They will also be traveling and hopefully resting.

## Summer Sermon Series

Seven Sins

August 1 - Pride

August 8 - Envy

August 15 - Gluttony

Tommy Wilson

## From the New Music Director

Please let me thank everyone for the extremely warm welcome I am receiving on coming to First Baptist and for the interest you have expressed in meeting my family. I am very pleased and excited about helping the music program here, and have had very positive times with the Sanctuary and Youth choirs already. The ministers, Jeanne Davis, the staff, and others have been a great help to me in getting started, and I look forward to meeting all of you.

Jim Bates

## Vacation Bible School - 2010

What an extraordinary week of Vacation Bible School we had! Our activities throughout VBS focused on The Parable of the Sower and how God's love is a seed in us that takes root and grows. Our children experienced "hands-on" how they can grow in faith, have fun and change the world.

During VBS, we collected an offering of \$138.18 for recycling and water and also pledged to be more faithful in our efforts as a church family to recycle. Look for the recycling collection bins throughout our church!

Our average, daily attendance was 175 children, youth and adults. Many, many thanks to the Vacation Bible School Staff and to all who committed their time, energy, prayers and creativity to our VBS this year.

**Bible Study:** Myra Thacker

**Self Activities:** Kelly Mitcham, Catherine Pyle, Youth

**Community Activities:** Kristi Thornhill, Myra Thacker, Youth

**World:** Judy LeCroy, Jane Earl Hall, Youth

**Recreation:** Savannah Kepley, Lisa Michael, Youth

**Snack:** Debbie Auman, Ann, Davis, Hazel Frady, Frances Hoover, Becky Kirkendall, Amelia Lanning, Ferry Lane Lowder, Myra Thacker and the following Sunday School Classes: Family Matters, Open Door, Rochella Baker and Randy Hall

**Preschool: 2 & 3 year olds:** Eryn Myers, Carol Frank, Sundee Hess, Shirley Lang, Amy Miller, Katie Ward **4 & 5 year olds:** Brenda Hipp, Elizabeth Lancaster, Becky Kirkendall, Renee Sink, Youth

**Shepherds: K & 1<sup>st</sup> grade:** Michelle & William Hopkins, Youth **2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade:** Cindy Fulbright, Youth **4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade:** Kim Lingerfelt, Gale Lanning

**Registration:** Kristi Hall, Brenda Houser, Kerri Shea Penland

## Memorials

**General Fund:** Janet Conner by Horace & Miriam Conner; Michael Minor by Roger & Tamara Garrison; Mary Jo Pickett by Celgard, LLC; Kelly Lowder by Horace & Miriam Conner, Zeb & Peggy Barnhardt, Charles & Ann Parks, Carl Garrison, Roger & Tamara Garrison **Building & Grounds Fund:** Mickey LeCroy, Mary Jo Pickett, Kelly Lowder by Richard & Lois Perryman; Michael Minor by Gary & Sue Wikstrom; **Building Fund:** Kelly Lowder by Arnold & Shirley Fuller, Harold & Elizabeth Osborne, Dwight & Kathleen Hedrick, Jr., Ed & Carlisa Bryant, Miss Ruth Parks, Maplewood Baptist Church, Emery & Billie Hollar, Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Stafford, Janice O'Dell, Marylyn Hilton, Sam & Sharon Andrews, Bryce & Brenda Jarvis, Sarah Wood, Lillie Lockwood, John & Lisa Dilts, Gary & Sue Wikstrom, Bill & Betsy Medford, Carlisle & Gallagher Consulting Group, Inc.; Don Barnhardt, Birdie Dunn by Marylyn Hilton; Keith Johnson, Evelyn Tate by Jeanne Davis; **Music Ministry:** Sarah H.

Coppley by Dexter & Jeanie Wilson, Ann Corn, Senior Adult Choir; **HVAC:** Kelly Lowder by Don & Ann Bishop, Opal Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Allred, Silba Rae Fennell; Evelyn Tate by Gerald Smith, Tom & Betsy Riggs, Adrian & Mary Neal, Alpha Delta Preceptor; Sarah H. Coppley by Tullia H. Hoover, Jim & Carolyn Phillips, Frady/Johnson Mission Group, FBC Good News Class, Henry & Mary Frances Johnson, Silba Rae Fennell; Keith Johnson by Jim & Carolyn Phillips, Davidson County DSS (Foster Care & Adoption Units); Evelyn Underwood, Don Barnhardt, Mary Jo Pickett, Iris Queen by Don & Ann Bishop; Evelyn Tate by Silba Rae Fennell; Jacob Nance by Billy & Susan Bryan;

## Honorariums

**General Fund:** Sarah Bowers by Bob Bowers;

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## Youth News

Saturday, August 21, 2010

Upcoming 6th grade parent and youth  
orientation at the Garrisons.

Saturday, August 28, 1020

## Youth Brigade 2010

Featuring music by:

Grammy nominated, Dove Award Winning

**DECEMBERADIO**

**CROSSROADS CHURCH**

191 Old Golden Ln, Lexington

(off US Highway 64 West)

August 28th 5:00 pm

**ADMISSION** EVERYONE WELCOME  
Fun, food and fellowship

**Free Admission**

September 10 - 12, 2010

Back to School Retreat at the mountain  
home of Carol and Dale Frank.

More information will follow shortly.

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## RECYCLE

CLEAR & COLORED GLASS  
ALUMINUM/STEEL CANS (No Lids)  
BEVERAGE CANS, PLASTIC BOTTLES/JUGS  
NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINES, PHONE BOOKS, JUNK  
MAIL, COMPUTER PAPER, CATALOGS, CORRUGATED  
CARDBOARD, DRINK CARTONS, CLEAN DRY FOOD BOXES

**TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

Vacation Bible School officially launched the church's and the Martha Best Children's Center efforts in recycling. Throughout the church you can recycle. In an effort to renew God's creation we ask you while at church and home and your work place and school to recycle to keep God's green earth - GREEN. Lets all recycle!

## Annual Church Business Meeting

Wednesday, August 18

7:00 p.m. - Fellowship Hall

The 2010 - 2011 Nominating Committee Report is being printed in preparation for the upcoming Annual Business Meeting. They will be mailed to you and additional copies will be available in the church office and will be distributed prior to the meeting.

Business items on the agenda for the Annual meeting include:

1. Approval of the Nominating Committee Report - this report contains a listing of our church leadership including the Diaconate, all Sunday School Leadership, and member of various committees and ministries who will serve during the new church year.
2. A Financial update: On the General Fund for the first six months of the year. The HVAC fund and the loan balance, and the Endowment Fund.



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