



Faith Fellowship CP Weekly Update - October 11, 2017

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www.faithfellowshipcp.org

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Prayer Request:

prayer@faithfellowshipcp.org

Building Maintenance:

buildingandgrounds@faithfellowshipcp.org

Pastor Greg Tucker

Phone Number

Upcoming Events

10/14 Saturday Mobile Meals 9:30 am

10/17 Building and Grounds Meeting 3:30 pm

10/17 Stewardship & Growth Meeting 6:00 pm

10/17 Fall Festival Feedback Meeting 7 pm

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10/21 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am

10/22 CPWM Meeting 11:30 am

10/22 CPMM Meeting 11:30 am

10/22 Choir Party 4:30 pm

10/25 FISH Phones & Deliveries 8:30/10:30 am

10/25 Nehemiah Project Meeting 6 pm

10/28 Choir Rehearsal 10:00 am

10/29 CPWM Fifth Sunday Fundraising Dinner 11:30 am

11/05 Reveal Party for Michael & Ashley Craig Time TBD

All planned events must be scheduled through the church office to ensure there are no scheduling conflicts.



Saturday's Fall Festival with all its activities was a wonderful experience. Connections to our community took place in many, many ways. I continue to sit with so many of you and attendees and hear of the stories of connections that were made. No doubt, we will see kingdom results flow from our outreach efforts.

As your pastor, I thank you for putting words into action. You touched the hearts and souls of those who attended from our community. Many seeds of life were planted. Now, we pray for the watering of those seeds to bear fruit for the honor and glory of Christ. So many of you sacrificed of your time, talent, and resources to make the Fall Festival what it truly was Saturday-a true Matthew banquet with our families, friends and neighbors. Thank you is not

Let's Recap

Attendance:
Worship - 65
Sunday School - 28
Thur Night Bible Study - n/a

Weekly Income: \$4,407
Fall Festival donations: \$849.65
YTD Income: \$226,296

October Noisy Offering

100.67

YTD - \$2,847.39

September Mobile Meals

17 deliveries made

Year-to-date

210 deliveries made

September Report for West Knox Food Pantry (WKFP)

32 deliveries, 121 people served including 42 children, 6 volunteers from FFCPC.

WKFP YTD

333 deliveries, 1,262 people served, including 505 children.

enough. I pray God blesses you with your deepest heart desires from His riches in glory. And, may it all be used to build God's Kingdom among us.

Christ in Every Heart, Pastor Greg

Sunday Message: Hide It Under a Bushel? No!-[2 Kings 6:19-7:11 NIV](#)



Choir Practice Thursday 7 pm

We will be practicing Thursday night at 7 pm. Come join us!



Bible Study This Thursday!

Join us on Thursday nights as we continue a Bible study at 6 pm. Our study is centered around John Ortberg's DVD-based study, [If You Want to Walk on Water, You've Got to Get Out of The Boat](#). A participant's study guide is available, just click on the title to order online or visit your local bookstore to get one. But you don't have to have one to participate! Come join us!

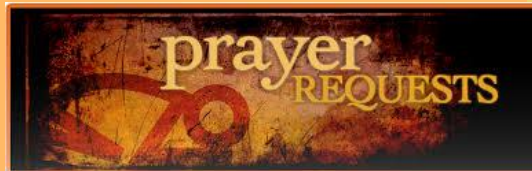


- 10/11 Glenna Nicely
- 10/19 Thelma Boyd
- 10/21 Charlie Ledford
- 10/25 Tim Nicely
- 11/3 Tony Rose
- 11/3 Greg Tucker

If you find your birthday is listed incorrectly in our publications or left off, please notify the church office.



10/22 Mark & Janice Marion



Evelyn B
Mary C (Sally S mother)



Treasurer's Report

As you probably know, our Presbytery (East Tennessee) has approved a \$40,000 2018 Revitalization Grant for our Church. This is the last of a series of three, beginning January 2016. The 2018 grant begins in January of 2018 and expires in December of 2018; afterwards, we must be self sufficient. In order to do this we must grow. It is imperative that all of us embrace and support the Nehemiah Project and continue to build our Rainy Day fund to pay for unexpected expenses. If you are willing and able to help build this fund, write Rainy Day Fund on your check. A summary financial report for September will be distributed early next week covering all activity during September and year to date. Please pay special attention to the Rainy Day Fund balance. Our goal is to have a balance of \$150,000 by the beginning of 2019. Contributions have been a little slow so far for October, please try to **Catch-Up** this week if you are able.

Reminder: please use the Church Post Office Box address when mailing checks or other correspondence to the Church. See Below:

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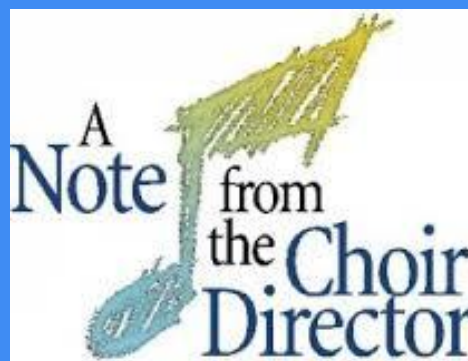
Jude C (Gary & Barbara's grandson)
 Kristin C (Pastor Greg's daughter)
 Ed & Phyllis C
 Jack & Wilma C
 Pam C
 Karen D (friend of Rose Ann's)
 Ted & Reba H (friends of Wanetta's)
 Tom Hawk (friend of Nesters)
 Floyd H
 Hurricane Victims
 Dee I (Daughter-in-law of Cindy I)
 Victims in Las Vegas
 Rita & Larry L
 Michelle L (Larry & Rita's niece)
 Jackie L
 Mexico Earthquake victims
 Dean N
 Tara P (Irma's daughter)
 John P
 Carolyn S (Phyllis C sister)
 Tony R
 Phyllis S
 Maurine S
 Stewart Family
 Linda S (Rose Ann's Sister)
 Pat S
 Brian VM
 Charlotte W
 Wanda Wi
 World Refugees
 Frances Y (Faye D's sister)
 Hugh Y
 We have updated the prayer list. If



We are revamping the way we do the Children's Worship and we need volunteers. We have some new teaching resources that will allow us to provide an educational and interesting experience for the children without requiring a lot of study and preparation time for the leaders.

If you have a willing heart to love kids and help provide an essential element to our church growth, we need you. The teaching is all on video and you will only need to be present and pleasant to lead. The plan is to have enough volunteers that you would only be serving once every 4 to 6 weeks.

If you are willing to help, please sign up on the sheet out on the table in the Narthex. If you have any questions, see Rhonda Tucker.



Choir - two dates to remember:

Sunday, October 22 - choir get together at my house at **4:30 pm**. I will provide directions.

Saturday, October 28 - choir rehearsal at **10 am til 12:30** to introduce us to Christmas music, with **lunch** to follow.

Choir - please put these dates on your calendar.

you have been removed and wish to remain on the prayer list, please notify the office. If you have someone to be added to the prayer list, please send an email to info@faithfellowshipcp.org

Standing Committees

Administrative and Personnel

Chair - Regina Stinnett

Audrey Nester, Elder

Lori Rosenbloom

Jim Stinnett

Building and Grounds

Larry Boyd, Chair

Larry Boyd, Elder

Bob Bridges

John Morton

Christian Education

TBD, Chair

Kim Maiden, Elder

Leslie Gallaher

Frances Poore

Mary Nell Yarbro

Fellowship Committee

Wanda Wise, Chair

Audrey Nester, Elder

Carol Conklin

Lori Rosenbloom

Lori Stevens

Dorothy Morton

--- Jennifer



Our Fall Festival, held last Saturday, was a very successful first effort. We had 43 old cars in the show and lots of children and laughter as they played games and on the bounce house. The ice cream truck was a hit by children and adults alike.

We served approximately 400 sandwiches, gave away 48 door prizes, and Pastor Tucker, Gary Fox, and Ted DeBruhl, from Gideon's International, talked to several people about visiting our church.

We know we have a few things to work on before we do this again next year and we would like to have your help. We have evaluation forms in the Narthex and would like for everyone who came Saturday to fill one out and let us know what you think was good and what you think we need to work on. The fall festival committee will review these and any other feedback on Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. Please come to the meeting if you can.



Wilma Coker

Phyllis Close

Mary Nell Yarbro

Finance Committee

Jim Stinnett, Chair

Andy Davidson, Elder

Ken Nester

Lori Rosenbloom

Missions Committee

Regina Stinnett, Chair

Frances Poore, Elder

Leslie Gallaher

Bill Masters

Gary Fox

Audrey Nester

Jim Stinnett

Ken Nester

Dorothy Morton

Stewardship & Growth Committee

Randy Stevens, Chair

Andy Davidson, Elder

Gary Fox

Dan Maiden

Rhonda Tucker

Lori Stevens

Worship Committee

Sally Smith, Chair

Gayle Bowman, Elder

John Morton, Elder

Greg Tucker, Pastor

Jennifer Gibson, Choir Director

Bill Masters

Wanda Wise

Hugh Yarbro

Retired old Fellows (ROFs)

The ROFs will not officially be working this Thursday; however, if you would like to work, someone will be in the office about 9:00 am with keys. If you are new to the Church, this is a good way to get involved.

If you are interested in becoming part of this elite group, contact Jim Stinnett (865) 556-4090.

If you see things around the church that need to be fixed/done, send an email to buildingandgrounds@faithfellowshipcp.org.



Belk Charity Sale

Belk has scheduled its next Charity Sale for **Saturday, November 4th**. Our ladies of CPWM will be selling tickets prior to the sale. The CPWM gets to keep all the proceeds of the ticket sales. Ladies, there is a signup sheet in the Narthex for times to sell tickets at Belk.



CPWM Chili Cook Off

CPWM will be holding its 5th Sunday Luncheon on **October 29, 2017**. This year's event will again be a Chili Cook Off. So guys and gals, dust off your pots and beans and start

Nehemiah Project

Pastor Greg Tucker

Audrey Nester

Ken Nester

Andy Davidson

Darryl Downing

Pat Sydes

Mayo Sydes

Regina Stinnett

planning and cooking. We will have a signup sheet in the Narthex within the next few days. We are looking forward to another outstanding event!!

CPWM Officers for 2016-2017

President - Audrey Nester

Vice President - Dorothy Morton

Secretary - Leslie Gallaher

Treasurer - Regina Stinnett

CPMM Officers for 2017

President --Randy Stevens

Vice President - Andy Davidson

Secretary - Andy Davidson

Treasurer - Ken Nester

Responsible for Sunday Morning Fellowship Food/Drink

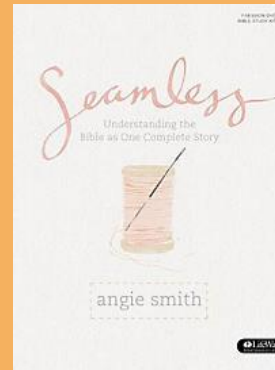
October 15

No one signed up

Weekly Greeters

October 15

**Sally Smith & Dorothy
Morton**



Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study of *Before Amen*, by Max Lucado will conclude on October 10. The next study will begin on October 17 and will be, *Seamless, Understanding the Bible as One Complete Story*, by Angie Smith.

Seamless covers the people, places, and promises of the Bible, tying them together into the greater story of Scripture. Whether you've grown up hearing Bible stories of you're exploring Scripture for the first time, the full story of the Bible can be overwhelming.

Experience the Bible as a whole as you gain clarity and confidence in your understanding of Scripture. Discover a biblical context that reshapes and brings to life stories from the Old and New Testaments.

Each week is accompanied by maps, general Bible facts, and word studies.

If you are interested in attending this Bible Study, please contact Mary Nell Yarbrow at (865) 679-9246 or Dana Rose at (865) 679-0624.





Ushers for October

Andy Davidson

Michael Craig

Sally Smith

Ed Close

Church Cleaning Schedule

October/November 2017



10/14/17 XXXXXXXX

10/21/17 Men's Prayer Breakfast

10/28/17 Friendship Class

11/04/17 Bible 101 Class

During your rotation, it will be the responsibility of the team to clean, or arrange cleaning of the church building.

Weekly Schedule

TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study at 9:30. They started a new study on prayer on September 5th. For more information contact Mary Nell Yarbro at (865) 966-6034.

Ladies' Lunch Group

at 11:30am. Contact Dorothy Morton at

Need Volunteers

Building and Grounds Committee is looking for some new members. The responsibilities are listed in the Job Description found [here](#). Password is faith. Please prayerfully consider whether you could serve on this important committee for our church. If you do want to join this committee, contact Larry Boyd at boydlw@tds.net or (865) 966-6559



Ladies Cruising

Ladies, if you would be interested in going on a cruise with the ladies of Faith Fellowship, please contact Dorothy Morton at (865) 850-6187 or dottiem47@gmail.com. We have had several cruises in the past years and great friendships were created! Friends or relatives are also invited (females only). We are looking to see the interest now, and will provide more details if the interest is there.



986-5279 or dottiem47@gmail.com;
schedule is posted on bulletin board at
church.

THURSDAY

Thursday Night Bible Study at
6:00pm.

Choir Practice at 7:00 pm



**Ladies' Lunch Bunch will
meet at Cracker Barrel this week.**

FISH Pantry Collections



We are continuing to collect toiletries
for the West Knox Food Pantry (FISH)
on an ongoing basis. We have a
container in the Narthex to collect these
and will take them every month or so to
the pantry when it is our turn to deliver
for FISH.

Flowers for the Altar

Mission of Hope Christmas Delivery

We have now scheduled our Christmas Delivery to Smoky Mountain Elementary School for Friday, December 8th. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us as we deliver Christmas toys, food, clothing, and hygiene to these children for Mission of Hope. More details to follow



Bible 101 Class - Nehemiah Study

As you know, our Church has begun a program to double our attendance within two years. It is referred to as the "Nehemiah Project" because of the similarities between rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem and rebuilding Faith Fellowship's attendance back to its former level and beyond.

Bible 101 Sunday School Class has begun studying the book of Nehemiah. Gary Fox is the teacher. The class voted to postpone the book of John study because they felt studying the book of Nehemiah is timely, considering we are embarking upon a growth program over the next twenty four months.

EVERYONE is invited, Please try to attend this study, it will probably last six weeks. See you Sunday Morning in the Bible 101 class!



If you would like to provide flowers for the altar in memory or in honor of someone, please contact the office at (865) 988-8522 to let us know.



The residents of Kindred Nursing Home that FFCPC have been helping are extremely pleased with their new clothing and other items including fresh haircuts. We have received a new list from them for additional items they would like to have. They are in need of BINGO prizes. For example, they could use devotion books, inexpensive jewelry, candy, treats, books, etc. In addition, anything for the garden in the courtyard is great. A box is now located in the Narthex for the collection of these items.



Kroger Community Rewards

The Kroger Community Rewards program is helping us raise money for the CPWM. It is an easy way to support our church and the CPWM. Simply enroll your Kroger Card in the program, following the link below.

<https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards>

One misconception is that if you sign up for the Community Rewards Program, you won't get your fuel points. This is NOT true! You will be able to do both!



Latest Photo Directory (9/04/17) (password faith)

[Directory](#)

Photos from Garage Sale: Click [HERE](#)

Photos from our Second Harvest Food Giveaway: Click [HERE](#)

Photos from our Tacky Fellowship Dinner: Click [HERE](#)

Photos from our CPWM/ROF Garage Sale Work Day: Click [HERE](#)

Photos from the Cool Down in Downtown: Click [HERE](#)

Photos from our Mission of Hope Trip to Smoky Mountain Elementary School [MOH](#)

Sermons:

<http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/sermons.html>

Visit Our Website



Use this link to order on AmazonSmile and support our CPWM:

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/03-0565686>

Sign up for AmazonSmile and designate our church women's ministry. .5% of what you buy is donated to our CPWM. It's that easy. See details on a handout at church or at this link:

<http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/amazon-smile-instructions.html>

FYI - Amazon Prime can be used with Amazon Smile.

Links to Other Websites

[Denominational Website](#)

[Unification Task Force](#)

[Confession of Faith](#)

[Missionary Messenger](#)

[eVotions](#) - a daily devotion from the denomination

AmazonSmile for Faith Fellowship

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/03-0565686>

Kroger Community Rewards

<https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards>

FFCPC's Constant Contact Updates are communications to the congregation of the church to inform them of upcoming ministry, mission, and worship opportunities. If you have

information that you want to
communicate to the church, send an
email with the information to
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