

# FBC eBlast

June 30, 2022

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Once during a time of drought, a king discovered that the moat around his castle had gone dry. So, he threw a party and invited the people of the land; his only request was that they bring however much water they were each willing to dump in the moat. People came from far and wide. Some brought barrels of water, some brought a spoonful. At the end of the party, the king threw open the vault and announced they could each help themselves to his riches—the jewels, gold, and wealth. The only

catch was that they could only carry away what would fit in the container they had used to bring water. Jesus is ready to fill your life with His presence, His power and riches, and you're the one who loses when you're only willing to follow Him if you don't have to go too far or to too much trouble to do it. It's been said that we sing, "I Surrender All," when what we seem to mean is "I Surrender Some," "Oh, How I Love Jesus" when we mean "Oh, How I Like Jesus," and "I'll go with Him, with Him, all the way," when apparently we mean "part of the way." In the Gospels, Jesus turns away people who offer to follow Him on their conditions, or with exclusions and exceptions. Accept His invitation, bring Him all you are and all you have, and you'll get back far more than you brought.

This Sunday in morning worship we'll return to Romans. In Chapter 7, verses 7-12, the Lord uses Paul to tell us not to make the mistake of thinking the Christian life is living by the law—just following a list of "do's" and a longer list of "don'ts." That makes for a dry, dull, joyless life, and not what the Christian life is all about. On Sunday night we'll turn to Mark 7: 31-37, a passage that shows us the compassion that we can find in Christ, and the compassion we should show people around us as we follow Him. There's a seat here for you!

Bro. Dean



The Nominating Committee is now at work, prayerfully filling positions of service for the new church year which begins in September. If you are currently serving in a class or on a committee, please pray about whether the Lord would have you to reenlist. Or, if you feel led to a new ministry or place of service, let us know! Committee members are Jason Melton, Carolyn Schwartz, Judy Jacobs, Marna Higgins, Jeannette Todd, and Sandy Bogle.



### This Week:

Pray for our group of twelve—ten youth and two adults—at Centrifuge Camp at Union University in Jackson.
They return Saturday.



The SKIP Ministry—Special Kids, Inportant People—provides helpers to assist with special needs children in the Nursery. We need more volunteers to serve on a rotating basis. If you are interested, please contact Karie Cecil.



#### Want to Be More Effective in Sharing Your Faith??

On Saturday, August 6, we will host a special training event in how to share your faith. We'll begin with breakfast, followed by a session with some special guests, and conclude by lunch. Don't miss this—it might just change your life, and somebody else's!



#### Also on the Calendar...

Saturday, July 23: Don Jones Fish Fry Sunday, Sept. 18: Bruce Marchiano in AM service Sun. – Wed., Nov. 6 – 9: Revival Services with Evangelist Phil Glisson



Photos for the new Church Pictorial Dictory will be taken Friday – Sunday, October 28 – 30. Everyone photographed will receive a portrait and church directory at no charge, with the opportunity to purchase additional copies. Appointments are now being made—see Glenda Hunter at church!



## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Suggested items for July continue to be boys & girls underwear and socks sizes 2 – 14, boys & girls WOW toys, crayons, glue sticks, soap, toothbrushes, deodorant. Donations can be left on the display table at the entrance behind the Sanctuary.

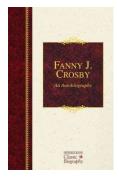


#### Need Offering Envelopes?

We have several extra boxes of preprinted envelopes for this year. If you don't currently have your own and would like to use them, let us know!

## Reading & Praying through God's Word in 2022

June 30: OT—Job 17, 18, 19; NT—Acts 10: 1 – 23
July 1: OT—Job 20, 21; NT—Acts 10: 24 - 48
July 2: OT—Job 22, 23, 24; NT—Acts 11
July 3: OT—Job 25, 26, 27; NT—Acts 12
July 4: OT—Job 28, 29; NT—Acts 13: 1 - 25
July 5: OT—Job 30, 31; NT—Acts 13: 26 - 52
July 6: OT—Job 32, 33; NT—Acts 14
July 7: OT—Job 34, 35; NT—Acts 15: 1 - 21



## **Church Library Resource of the Week**

Here are hymnwriter Fanny Crosby's memories of eighty years! Told in her own words, this is her story of a life marked by great spiritual depth and profuse creativity. Though blind since infancy, she overcame great prejudice to become a beloved and respected poet and teacher. She lived a remarkable life and her passion for God infused her hymn lyrics with evangelistic zeal that points people to a loving and welcoming Lord. It's available in the Church Library!



### Sunday, June 19:

37 Nursery: Lindsay Robinson, Faith Rush Children's Message: Rhett Brewer Deacon of the Week: Bill Sharp

#### **NORMAL SERVICE TIMES**

Sundays	Wednesdays
Sunday School – 9:30 AM Morning Worship – 10:30 AM Discipleship Training – 5:30 PM Evening Worship – 6:30 PM	GA's, RA's, Mission Friends – 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting – 6:00 PM High School Student Group—6:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal—7:00 PM

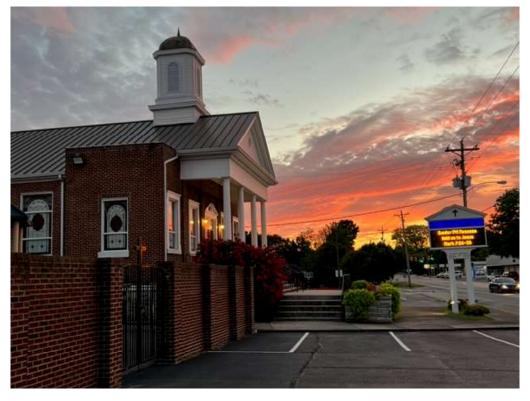
Nursery Provided During Each Service

Morning worship broadcast on WBRY, AM 1540 & FM 107.1; morning and evening worship and Prayer Meeting all streamed live on Facebook and YouTube (FBC Woodbury), and on the church website (fbcwoodbury.org).

NORMAL CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM, Closed: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve & Christmas Day



Our friendly, color-coordinated greeters are ready to welcome you!



Sunset, 6/28/22

## Prayer Guide

# Please help us keep the Prayer Guide updated – send anyone you would like to add, and notify us of anyone who can be removed. Thank you!

Church Family

Wallace Burke

Sandra Burt

Patrick, Karie Cecil

Mark, Lesa Davis

Mance Davis

Dot Duggin

Lou Goins

Connie Hare

**Emily Haynes** 

Drunell Higgins

Doris Markum

Benton Parker

Shirley Reed

Branden Schwartz

Bill Sharp

Windol Tate

Betty Wilder

#### Friends & Family-submitted by the person listed

Ron Abner (Dean Anderson)

Mike & Shirley Allen (Glenda Hunter)

Daphnea Anderson (Theresa Stevenson)

Lynn Baskin (Glenda Hunter)

Elijah Bell (Julie Powers)

David Brannan (Bob Davenport)

Family of Nancy Carter (Jamie Anderson)

Terry Conley (Jeanette Todd)

Virginia Corr (Wanda Walls)

Donald Cowan (Matt Cowan)

Pat Curran (Jeff Stevenson)

Pat Dayton (Bob Davenport)

Augusta Donnell (Shirley Parker)

Katie Ferrell (Stacie Francis)

Garl Fugit (Tonya Davenport)

William Geroi (Lydia Womack)

Michael Grubbs (Lesa Davis)

Norma Hancock (Martha Burke)

Melvin Hayes (Shirley Reed)

Lynn Insell (Jamie Anderson)

Phyllis Judkins (Lesa Davis)

Kelli Lamb & family (Will Farris)

Shane Lamb (Ann Haley)

Pat Lipp (Tammy Wies)

Doug Lowe (Matt Powers)

John Wayne McKinney (Matt Powers)

Lisbeth McGonegal (Lydia Womack)

Cynthia Maxwell (Sandy Bogle)

Jimmy Mingle (Marilyn Ault)

Maria Nichols (Jan Purvis)

Pat Nichols (Douglas Jennings)

Donna Oliver (Jamie Anderson)

Thelma Owen (Douglas Jennings)

Bruce Rector (Dean Anderson)

Lois Rich (Wanda Walls)

Debra Robinson (Julie Powers)

Caroline Rowden (Brad Garrett)

Ruth Anne Semlinger (Sandy Bogle)

Lisa Simons (Betty Smithson)

Robert Singleton (Jan Purvis)

Jack Smith (Lesa Davis)

Rita Smitty (Betty Horsley)

Don, Eunice Stevenson (Jeff Stevenson)

Brenda Tate (Tonya Davenport)

Teddy Taylor (Shirley Parker)

Kendria Walkup (Julie Powers)

Joyce Wilburn (Anna Farris)

Michelle Wilkerson (Jeff, Jeanette Todd)

<u>Nursing Homes/Assisted Living:</u> Loretta Wilkinson, Edith Northcutt, Barbara Melton, Mamie Powers, Ralph Coley

<u>Missionaries:</u> Buck/Annie Barton, Lee/Sophia Ford, Marcus/Sara McBee, Al/Margaret Patterson, Angela Dawson, Gavin/Laura Pinkston, Phil/Laura Metcalf, PJ Scott, Chris/Rebecca Abner

<u>Church Staff:</u> Dean Anderson, Rhett Brewer, Tony Burnett, Tammy Wies, Julie Powers

<u>Military:</u> Caleb Daniel, Chris Gillis, Stephon Harris, Steven Pirtle, Justin Wax, Parker Woodworth, Taylor Woodworth, Dakota Beasley, Kevin Walkup

<u>College Students:</u> Brady Bryson, Drew Bucher, Melissa Burnett, Lytton Haley, Addison Melton, Ashlyn Nokes, Bradi Mason, Julianna Schau, Etta Gaines, Cathan Cecil

<u>Active Deacons:</u> Mark Matheny, Jeff Stevenson, Bob Walls, Bill Sharp, Phil Purvis, Darrell Goins, Douglas Jennings, Jason McGee, Matt Powers

<u>Church Matters:</u> Bro. Tony & Student Ministry; Bruce Marchiano & Gospel of John film; IMB Missionaries; persecuted Christians worldwide; nation & leaders; Gideons; Jail Ministry, the lost