

# First Baptist Church of Tellico Village WEEKLY UPDATE

**January 17, 2021** 

#### A Word from Your Pastor. . .

Our second Sunday of "Live Stream" had a problem or two, which we have addressed and hopefully be back to par this week. Thank you for being gracious with us as we engage in this new Technological Ministry.

January can be a cold, wet, somewhat dreary month, so I encourage you to be in God's Word each day. Find words of encouragement like Psalm 37:23-24 (NIV)

The Lord makes firm the steps of the one who delights in him though he may stumble, he will not fall, for the Lord upholds him with his hand.

Or perhaps the words of Psalm 46:10-11 (NIV)

He says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."
The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Remember, our ministry, our service to others begins in our worship. Be in the Word of God, allow the word to open the door to worship and raise your voice in song.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

Charlie

#### 2020 Giving Statements

The 2020 Giving Statements were published late last week. They were put up on the REALM site for those of you who have an email in Realm. Statements for those not having an email in the system were mailed to home addresses late Saturday afternoon. Everyone should be able to retrieve their statements now or very shortly (depending on your mail service). If you have difficulties receiving yours or questions about them, please send an email to <a href="mailto:church@fbctellicovillage.org">church@fbctellicovillage.org</a> or contact the church by phone. Thank You

## **February Core Values Class**

Core Values Class begins February 7. The three weeks of classes meet on Sunday evenings at 5:00 pm at the Lindsay's home. During the study you will learn more about our church's purpose and core beliefs. Dinner is at 5:00 each week, followed by a time of teaching and discussion. Prayerfully consider joining us to study, discuss and pray together. The class is for people wanting to learn more about FBCTV and what we believe. Please contact us to reserve your place in the class.

#### **Bible Studies**

#### **Our Bible Study Classes on Campus**

9:00 a.m. Studies

Darryl Downing – Co-ed Class Classroom 300 Matthew 5-7, Sermon on the Mount

Paul Albright – Co-ed Class Fellowship Hall Ephesians
Rob Walker – Men's Class Classroom 100 Isaiah
Nancy Christensen – Ladies Class Classroom 600 2 Peter

10:00 a.m. Studies

Kem and Carol Lindsay – Co-ed Classroom 100 Isaiah

Dave Slaughter – Co-ed Classroom 300 John (Class will not meet)

Wednesday Bible Study for Ladies Fellowship Hall 1 Peter

10:30 a.m. with Teresa Barnard

## **Online Bible Study**

Jan 17 Kem Lindsay Acts 12:20-25 The Death of Herod You can study with us by watching the Bible Study Video found on our website at www.fbctv.org.

#### **Our Bible Study Home Groups**

Bob and Joyce Wold Tuesday at 1:30 100 Okema Pl.

Bible Studies based on Sermon Passage

Contact information — 224-239-7291 or bobandjoycewold@att.net

# "After the Boxes are Unpacked"

A ten-week study for newcomers offering friendship and biblical encouragement. Starts Thursday, 2/18/2021, 9:30-11:30.

Contact Bobbi Seier — bseier@charter.net for more information.

# **A Call to Pray**

Sunday Morning Prayer Group Classroom 200 8:30-8:50 a.m. Monday, Charlie's Prayer Group Sanctuary 10:00 a.m.

# **Wednesday Online Prayer Meeting**

Kem Lindsay will be leading the Prayer Time and a Bible Study from Mark 8:11-21 "The Pharisees." You can Pray with us and study along by watching the Prayer Meeting Video found on our website. www.fbctv.org

## **Note from Prayer Ministry**

First Baptist Church Tellico Village has a prayer warrior group comprised of 17 Prayer Warriors. When we receive the prayer list each week, we break the requests down so that each Prayer Warrior is assigned an average of 4-5 names to pray for each day of that week. PLEASE KNOW THAT EVERY PERSON ON THE LIST IS PRAYED FOR!

#### **Thank You Note:**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow...... Jim and I are so thankful for the fantastic results of his PET scan on January 7. The Scan was clear of cancer!!!

Thank you to Pastor Charlie and Pastor Kem for their unfailing support. Thank you to our Church Family for their prayers day after day since the first of August. This has been a difficult, long, arduous, emotional journey. Thankfully, we had God with us the entire time.

Thank you to all of you who traveled this road with us in prayer, cards, texts, phone calls, gifts and a few Covid approved visits. We will never forget this gift you gave us.

Blessings to all of you, our dear friends......

Jim and Patsy Hamilton

# **Our Website Address is Changing**

As we begin the new year we are changing our website address. Our new website address will be <a href="www.fbctv.org">www.fbctv.org</a>. This will be shorter and easier to remember. Don't worry, the old address, <a href="www.fbctellicovillage.org">www.fbctellicovillage.org</a>, will still continue to work.

# **Statistical Blessings**

# January 10, 2021

Bible Study		88
Worship	(9:00 a.m.)	60
	(10:30 a.m.)	130
Saturday	(6:00 p.m.)	32
Saturday	(7:00 p.m.)	18
Budget Receipts	\$28,156.00	
Lottie Moon	\$1,528.00	

# **Our Weekly Schedule**

# Worship Services:

Saturday 6:00 p.m. – Masks Only Saturday 7:00 p.m. – Social Distancing

Sunday 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. – Social Distancing

## Bible Studies:

Sunday 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. Wednesday 10:30 a.m. (Ladies)

## Wednesday Rehearsals

Orchestra 3:00 p.m. Choir 4:30 p.m.

# **Office Hours**

Monday – Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

# **Contact Information**

Church Office	(865) 408-0110
Charlie's Cell	(865) 816-0279
Kem's Cell	(704) 913-6543
David's Cell	(865) 335-1543
Louise's Cell	(865) 385-1429