

† Morning Worship Service †

10:50 a.m.

Opportunities for Service & Welcome Richard Summers
Prelude “All Creatures of Our God and King” arr. Dickinson
(Instrumental Ensemble)
*Call to Worship # 31 ANCIENT WORDS
“Ancient Words”
Invocation Keith Felton
*Hymn # 52 LYONS
“O Worship the King”
Children’s Sermon Cynthia Insko
(Children 3rd grade and younger are invited to exit for children’s worship)
Scripture Reading Romans 8:22-27 Doug Hendrix
(Pew edition pg. 919)
*Hymn # 405 BRADBURY
“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”
Offertory Prayer Ralph Divine
Offertory “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken” arr. Cranfill
(Instrumental Ensemble)
Scripture Reading Exodus 14:19-31 Kim Bayes
(Pew edition pg. 53)
Anthem Sanctuary Choir
“Sing to the Lord a New Song”
Sermon Dr. Robert Browning
“Between A Rock and a Hard Place”
*Inv. Hymn # 499 SURRENDER
“I Surrender All”
*Closing Hymn # 523 GOD BE WITH YOU
“God Be With You”
Postlude “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” arr. Lowe
(Linda McKinley, organist)

† Anthem Text †

Sing to the Lord a New Song

Sing to the Lord a new song. Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation
day after day. Declare his glory to all, his marvelous
deeds to all peoples. For great is the Lord, most worthy of
praise; we worship the Lord above all.
Ascribe to the Lord, all you families of nations, ascribe to
the Lord glory and strength. Ascribe to the Lord the glory
due his name, his name!
Bring an offering and come into his courts. Worship the
Lord in the beauty of holiness. Bow before him, all the
earth. Say among the nations, “The Lord reigns!”
Let the heavens be glad and the earth rejoice. Let the sea
and all that is in it resound. Let the plains be glad and sing
for joy. Let all the tress of the woods rejoice, before the
Lord who comes, who comes to govern the earth, to
govern the earth with justice, and the peoples with
faithfulness.
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Lord above all. We worship the Lord above all!

Text: Mark Hayes

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† Mission Moment †

A member of the church in Nesvady told me that he had begun bearing witness to Jesus Christ with the Roma family next door. Along the way, the two households began a transformative relationship. People who lived next door to each other for decades slowly became neighbors. And that is when, and how, his attempts at bearing witness bore fruit. Concluding his story of how wonderful it was to see his neighbor become part of the church, he held back tears and said, “After she was baptized, she asked me ‘Why didn’t you tell me sooner?’”

-Dianne and Shane McNary,
CBF field personnel in Slovakia

† Announcements †

CHURCH PICNIC: We hope our entire congregation will join us today, 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the Hancock Pavilion of Lakeview Park, for our annual church picnic. The church will provide grilled hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks. Please bring a side dish or dessert, and bring your friends and family for a fun-filled evening together!



BOLLING RECEPTION: Today, immediately after morning worship, there will be a reception in Fellowship Hall to celebrate the 100th birthday of Herald Bolling. Please join in wishing Herald a wonderful day!

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY: Women of all ages are invited to join a 5 week study of Shauna Neiquest’s *Present Over Perfect: Embrace a Simpler and More Soulful Way to Live*, beginning Sunday, October 15, 5:00-6:30 pm, at the church. Sign up on the bulletin board. Study guides are \$10 and will be distributed at the first meeting.

FBC DISASTER RESPONSE – HURRICANES HARVEY AND IRMA:

On August 30th, the Missions Advisory Team met and discussed an opportunity for First Baptist to give towards the Disaster Response efforts of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. The team approved a \$1,000 gift to the Disaster Response office of the CBF from the Benevolence line item in the FBC Missions budget. The Benevolence line item is normally used for local needs, but the team considered the historically devastating effects of Hurricanes Harvey and Irma and decided this would be an appropriate exception. Although not a disaster relief organization, the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship helps through CBF Disaster Response ministries, directed by Alan Williams. The Fellowship seeks to be a long-term presence, helping communities recover and rebuild. Thank you for all of your gifts to FBC!

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BREATHE: PREPARING OUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR THE HOLIDAYS: All are invited to join us Saturday, October 28, in a day of rest and retreat at the beautiful Sisters of Charity Retreat Center in Nazareth, Kentucky, near Bardstown. We will depart at 8:00 am and return at 5:00 pm. Cost is \$15 and includes lunch and transportation. Please sign-up on the bulletin board.

LADIES BOOK CLUB: October's selection for our Ladies' Book Club is *Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet* by Jamie Ford. Purchase yours now and plan to join us Thursday, October 12, 7:00 p.m. Place to be determined.

DEACON NOMINATIONS – Located on the back table by fellowship hall and in the front foyer are Deacon Nomination forms for the years 2018-2020. Please prayerfully consider your nominations for this important position in the church. **You are asked to return your ballots by Sept. 27th.**

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER RESERVATION

Please tear along dotted line and put in the offering plate.

Name: _____

_____ Number of adults @ \$6.00

_____ Number of children @ \$3.00 (5th grade and under)

_____ Permanent OR _____ This week only

_____ Please cancel my/our reservation for this Wed.

PLEASE NOTE: Reservations are also required for To-Go Meals. To-go boxes will be available at the desk where payment is received. For safety reasons, please do not go into the kitchen during the meal time.

SEPTEMBER 27 MENU

Chili, Southwestern cornbread, homemade pimiento cheese, assorted crackers and fixings, dessert

Children's alternative:
PB&J

† **Calendar of Events** †

Today	9:00 a.m.	Instrumental Ensemble
	9:45 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:00 a.m.	FBC on Cable 20
	10:50 a.m.	Morning Worship
	12:00 p.m.	Bolling Reception
	2:00 p.m.	FBC on Cable 20
	5:00 p.m.	Church Picnic @ Lakeview Park
Sept. 25	9:30 a.m.	Soup Kitchen
Sept. 26	12:00 p.m.	Noon Book Study
Sept. 27	5:00 p.m.	Family Night Supper
	5:30 p.m.	Children's Choirs
	6:00 p.m.	Clinic & Clothes Closet
	6:15 p.m.	Prayer Meeting Handbells Children's Missions
	7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir

Financial Update through September 17	
Budget Goal to Date.....	\$636,002
Received to Date.....	\$566,158

<p align="center">DEACON OF THE WEEK September 24 – September 30 Ralph Divine 502.343.0036</p>

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First Baptist Church of Frankfort

“At The Singing Bridge – Founded 1816”



Exodus 14:19-31

September 24, 2017