

Fern Creek Baptist Church

June 1, 2025, 10:45 a.m.

To preserve an atmosphere of worship, we respectfully request that cell phones, pagers, and alarm watches be turned off and not used during the service. Also, please refrain from leaving the worship service unless it is an emergency.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WE GATHER BEFORE GOD

Welcome Linda Barnes Popham

+ Exchange of Peace

Prelude Joellen Johnston
"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"
arr. Albin C. Whitworth

+ Call to Worship 56 CWM RHONDDA
"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

+ Invocation Gene Wright

Baptism of Lily Bowman
Response: Jesus Christ is Lord! Lily, we rejoice with you; we will pray for you; we will encourage you; we will walk with you in the way of Jesus.

+ Hymn 19 KREMSER
"We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer"

Pastoral Prayer Linda Barnes Popham

WE LISTEN TO GOD

Scripture Reading Lisa Payne
Philippians 3:12-16

Solo Gene Wright
"We Shall Behold Him"
Dottie Rambo

WE COME TO THE TABLE

Reading of Our Church Covenant Congregation

Prayer of Confession Linda Barnes Popham

Lord's Supper
Communion Meditation Joanna Wright
"We Are One in the Bond of Love"
Otis Skillings / arr. Bruce Greer

+ Hymn 320 LEMMEL
"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Children (Kindergarten and Pre-K) will be dismissed for Children's Church during the first stanza of the hymn. Please meet Jayla Grigsby at the back of the sanctuary. If this is your child's first time participating with this group, please have a parent/guardian leave with the child to complete an information card.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Anthem Adult Choir
"Sweetest Name I Know"
Hugh Livingston, Jr.

Sermon Linda Barnes Popham
"Stay on Course!"
Hebrews 12:1-3

WE RESPOND TO GOD

+ Hymn of Response 285 FALLS CREEK
"Wherever He Leads I'll Go"

Offertory Prayer Dutch Kendall

Offertory Joellen Johnston
"Let Us Break Bread Together"
arr. William J. Reynolds

+ Doxology 253 OLD 100th
"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Graduate Recognition

Commissioning of VBS Workers

+ Benediction Linda Barnes Popham

+ Postlude Gene & Joanna Wright
"Forest Green with Jesus Shall Reign"
arr. Weekley and Arganbright

+ Indicates where it is appropriate, if able, to stand.

THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

"Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God." Hebrews 12:2

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Linda Barnes Popham, Pastor 239-0316 ext. 103
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Joanna Wright, Supply Pianist 239-0316
Joellen Johnston, Supply Organist 239-0316

MAY 25, 2025



ATTENDANCE

Sunday School - 73
Morning Worship - 96

BUILDING FUND

Weekly - \$100.00
YTD - \$12,027.21

FRED TUCKER OFFERING
\$290.00

OUR STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Budget Needs	\$	11,053.00
Budget Received	\$	9,007.00
YTD Budget Needs	\$	431,067.00
YTD Budget Received	\$	366,593.26

PROPERTY @ 5912

Amount Received	\$	415.00
YTD Received	\$	66,285.28
Monthly Loan Payment	\$	1,095.69
Loan Balance	\$	101,549.66
Current Fund Balance	\$	10,700.47

The cry room located at the back of the sanctuary is available for parents with young children who choose to use it. A nursery is provided in the preschool area for children ages birth through three years old. Children's Church is provided for age four through kindergarten. Children / youth should be accompanied by a parent or an adult if it is necessary that they leave the sanctuary during the service.

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FERN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH



MISSION STATEMENT

REACHING UP . . .

to God with an open heart and faithful obedience in response to His call

REACHING IN . . .

to our church fellowship to grow and serve together in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

REACHING OUT . . .

to the whole world by sharing the gospel through the power of the Holy Spirit

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