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Our Weekly Newsletter

"Loving God, Loving People"

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SEASON OF PRAYER CONTINUES!

Pray that the Lord will build His Church at 6900 Nubbin Ridge Drive Pray that God's People will be open to the Spirit Pray that barriers to church growth will fall Pray for those facing trials and trouble, addictions and disease Pray for the persecuted Church of Jesus Christ around the world Pray for the Youth and Children's Ministries of First Church

We invite you to "agree" with us in praying for the future of First Church, for each other, and for the people, circumstances, and causes God lays on our hearts. Call today with prayer needs or to join one of the prayer groups now meeting on a weekly basis. Pick up a daily devotional booklet, "Pray Daily: Igniting Our Passion for God," for a donation. Visit "Prayer Central" in the chapel anytime and pray/add prayer concerns to the board!

Don't miss your opportunity to grow closer to God through individual and corporate prayer! Together, we're going to discover how prayer unleashes the power of God and deepens our relationship with Him. We're going to re-establish the spiritual discipline and habit of daily prayer. We're going to renew our covenant as a church family who believes and practices the ministry of prayer.

To do that, we will have to make a commitment together to do one thing without fail: Pray every day! Will you join us?

Hey Kids, Come Join Us for

The Next Big Wave Discovery!

Ages 3-K and Grades 1-6 More Big Answers to Big Questions About Jesus!!!

Tuesday, July 19, 10:00 A.M.

at the Westhampton Association Pool (Curtis Family Subdivision)

To Sign Up, Call 588-8581 or 228-0710 A Summer Ministry of First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

THANK YOU!!!...
...to the Goodrich, Bachman, Curtis, Pipkin and McCurry families for the use of their pools for our summer kids program, "Big Wave Discovery!"

...to James Paschke for a stirring trumpet rendition of "America the Beautiful" during our Independence Day worship celebration July 3.

JULY SESSION MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Session will be held Tuesday, July 19, 7:00 p.m. in the Keene Room. Session agenda and reports will be available this coming Sunday, July 17 in the narthex. All elders are encouraged to be present.



"WORSHIP IN THE CITY" COMING IN AUGUST!

A spectacular weekend is being planned to include participation by churches all over the city of Knoxville Friday and Saturday, August 26 and 27. "Worship in the City" will feature the "Festival of Choirs," (local churches), a Children's Pavilion, Art Walk, Laser Light Show, 15 Popular Mainstream Christian artists including Third Day, Mercy Me, Jars of Clay and more! "Feed the Need" will be part of the event to give everyone an opportunity to help raise funds for ministries such as Second Harvest and Kids Against Hunger. For tickets or more information, go to www.worshipinthecity.com.

-Pastor Kevin

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Join Us For Worship this Sunday! And bring a friend!



Happy Birthday



July 19-Richard Booher

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Activities for July 17-23, 2011

Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

Tues., 7:00 p.m. Session Weds., 6:30 p.m. Choir

Sat., 10:00 a.m. Rebeccas—Perkins

(See web site for complete calendar listings)

Stewardship Report for July 10, 2011

Sunday School	35
Worship	
Offering	
Capital Improvements Fund	



We missed Jack Gaston's birthday last week. His birthday is July 12. Sorry PaPa Jack.

CHARITY SALE FOR RENOVATING HVAC

The time is NOW for our Charity Sale. This Friday and Saturday from 8am to 3pm in the basement.

If still have items to bring items for the sale get them in

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We still need help with sorting and pricing items and working the sale. Call Maxine Curtis—TODAY!!

Let's see if we all can make this Charity Sale for the HVAC re-piping such a huge success that J. David Hester will only have to raise another \$50,000 to meet our goal for the

FAITH FOR THE FUTURE!!!!!!!!!!!!!

eBay Charity Items

We are selling collectables, heirloom items, etc. on eBay for the Charity Sale. If you have such items that do not belong in the Charity Sale and are of higher value, please bring them to the office and we will place item on eBay. We have begun this part of the sale and will continue until we run out of items.

Pitch in and help. Giving items is the easiest part.

<u>Can We Count on YOU??????</u>

Moving to the Digital World

We are now in the slow process of moving our decades of Worship Services that are recorded on cassette tape to CD. We will have these CDs in the library for those who may want to check them out and listen to them.

If you have old format memories and want to move them to digital call the office. Fees will be contribution to HVAC renovation.



Prayer Concerns

In the Hospital

David Rech, St. Mary's (Justin Rech's Father)





Please keep the Church office informed of any needed changes to our Prayer Concerns list. Call 588-8581 or email firstcpc@earthlink.net.

SUMMER IS HERE!

Vacations, lots of fun and travel. Time away from Church on Sundays. Do not forget your pledge and offerings to the church. You may be gone but our bills still keep coming in, too. Giving Statements for the first half of the year will be handed out July 3. Have a Great Summer!

Dance Classes for Faith for the Future Campaign

Dance classes will begin September 8 this fall at 7:00 p.m. Jin and Jack Gaston will be leading the classes with the help of Jim and Maxine Curtis. If you are interested in attending these classes please contact the Gastons at 573-3754; the Curtis at 357-0441 or the office.



The cost of the classes is \$25 a person for 10 weeks. All funds collected will be given to the Faith for the Future Campaign.

FAMILY CAR



Local family of four needs a dependable used car. If you know where one is or have one to donate please call the church office (588-8581/228-0710).