

The Cumberland

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Our Weekly Newsletter

"Loving God, Loving People"

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GOING HOME!

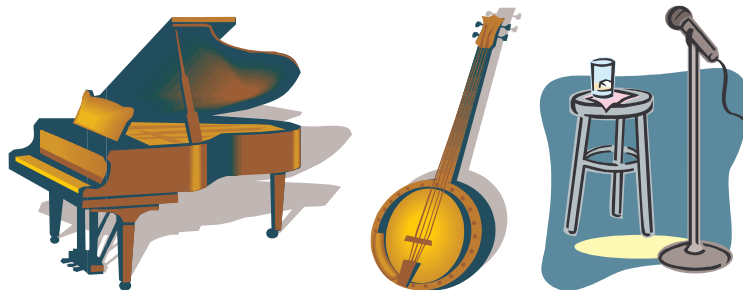
Mr. Creed Garrett, 84, a member of First Church since 1976, went home to be with the Lord last Friday, August 27. His wife Gladys, preceded him in death May 21. The love and prayers of the church are with his son, Mike and family. A graveside service was held Sunday afternoon at Lynnhurst Cemetery with Dr. J. David Hester officiating. The peace of Jesus Christ be with you all!

SPECIAL GUEST SEPTEMBER 19, 10:45 A.M.

First Church will be honored to welcome Mr. Bert Rosen, President and CEO of Knox Area Rescue Ministries, as our special guest speaker Sunday, September 19, 10:45 a.m.

K.A.R.M. is celebrating its golden anniversary in 2010, fifty years of life-changing ministry to thousands of homeless men, women, and children!

Please take the opportunity to invite your family, friends, neighbors, classmates, and co-workers to hear this inspiring story and meet the man who followed God's plan!



GREAT CONCERT AND MORE TO COME!

What a fantastic "FCP Coffee House" concert we had last Saturday night!

Twenty-seven performances and two full hours of talented singers, instrumentalists, and gymnasts! Plus all the gourmet coffee and desserts we could handle. All for \$3.00!!!

Please mark your calendars for the remaining two concerts:

Sunday, September 19, 6:00 p.m. featuring Middle Man Ministries gospel groups :

The Partons, Locust Ridge, Lauren King, and 3 4 Thee

Friday, October 22, 6:00 p.m. with Rocky Flatts Bluegrass Band.

The church expresses gratitude to everyone who contributed in any way! Special thanks to the committee putting the concerts together, to Gourmet's Market for the coffee, and to everyone who brought a sweet treat! Remember, all proceeds go to re-furbish and re-carpet all the classrooms.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB TO FLATWATER GRILL

Anyone 55 years-old is invited to join the Friendship Club for our monthly fellowship luncheon Wednesday, September 15, 11 a.m. at Flatwater Grill, 1000 Melton Lake Peninsula, Oak Ridge (862-8646). A carpool from the church will be available, leaving at 10:15 a.m. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office or call us, 588-8581.

SEPTEMBER SESSION MEETING

The Session will meet for their regular monthly meeting Tuesday, September 21, 7:00 p.m. in the Keene Room. Session packets will be available in the narthex by Sunday, September 19. All elders are encouraged to be present.

COMING SOON: PIONEER CLUBS, 2010-2011!

Pioneer Clubs for children, pre-school through middle school, will begin the fall Session with a special "Water Event" on the front lawn of the church Sunday, September 26, 3:00 p.m. First Church kids are encouraged to invite all their friends to join them.

Get ready for another great year in Pioneer Clubs!!!

~ Pastor Kevin

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Happy Birthday

September

- 5-Hannah Haddox
- 5-Julie Rech
- 8-Sydney O’Neal



Activities for September 5-11, 2010

- Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- Tues., 11:00 a.m. West Circle
- 6:30 a.m. Building & Grounds
- Wed., 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

(See web site for complete calendar listings)

Stewardship Report for August 29, 2010

Sunday School.....	54
Worship.....	75
Offering.....	\$2,257.75
Capital Improvements Fund	\$65.00
Expenses paid last week	\$1,941.92

AIR CONDITIONING UPDATE

We received \$201 this past week for the HVAC. The amount received to date is \$15,359. God Bless you that have given. Our total HVAC repair bills are \$18,567.20.

NEEDED FOR THE CHURCH

We need patio furniture for the courtyard. We have worked hard to make the courtyard a more beautiful place and need patio furniture to turn it into a place to sit and relax and enjoy God’s work.

NEEDED FOR OTHERS

- Any size microwave.
- A used television.
- A VCR.



FCP COFFEE SHOPPE WRAPUP

This past Saturday the FCP Coffee Shoppe was held. We had coffee, brewed and supplied by Gourmet’s Market and Cosmo’s Café in Homberg Place. We had all kinds of desserts, cakes, cookies and snacks to eat. We had 86 persons attend, including all of those who preformed. We raised \$290 to be used in the building fund. We had a fantastic time with great talent singing, dancing and gymnastics. Thanks to the four Thursday Connection children who preformed and their families and friends who came to support them. If you where not here, you missed a fantastic concert and a chance to support the programs and outreach of this church.

Prayer Concerns

In the Hospital

On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

CP Missionaries; Mary Jane & Gordon Blaylock; Bill Hammill; Reba Smith; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Margaret Lindsay; Mary Cregger; Bonnie Holbert; Otis Clinton Shelby; Elena Zimmerman; Gladys Stone; Mildred Acuff; A. R. Wood; Maxine McGuire; Millie Jones; Marlene Ritchey; Marjorie Thompson; Ada Ladd; Nancy Anthony; Bud & Betty Hickman; Pam Wisner; Caleb Michael Bundon; Gene Murr (co-worker of Nick Deal); Judy Lawson (Lisa Deal’s aunt); Bill Keene; Jackie Turbbeyville (Jim Curtis’s niece); the Banvelos family (friends of the Deals); Jackie (Patty Fitzgerald’s sister); Carl Overstreet (friend of Cliff Parrott); Jeanne Goodrich (cousin of Steve and Wendy Goodrich); Lucas Lacascio (former student of Wendy Goodrich) battling a recurrence of a brain tumor; JoAnn Ford; Al (friend of Patty Fitzgerald); Jim Jennings (friend of Greg Beeler); Claudia Pharaoh; Ileana Grace Hayes (Gracie); Ronnie Joiner (friend of the McCurrys, the Golli-hers); the Ken Teknus family (numerous health problems); Jessie Black (Ann Bachman’s mother); Rocky Dukes (Nancy Woods co-worker’s husband); Lynne Garrison (Lois Witmer’s sister); Matthew Crawford (12 year old friend of Phil Bridges’ niece Melissa Roach); Melanie Ball; Judy Moore; Jin Gaston; Jonathan Migas; Jean Burk (Phil Bridges’ aunt); Peggy Bradshaw (Dianne Fielder’s mother); Daniel per request of mother Sandy; Daniel and Kay Jang, missionaries in the Philippines suffering with the dengue disease; Eric Nelson (friend of Wit-mers and Davis’s); Taylor Rakes (Lindsay Bridges’ friend); De-ven Hill; the family of Creed Garrett.

Please keep the Church office informed of any needed changes, additions or deletions to our Prayer Concerns list.

THANKS TO THE LOGGERS!!!

Thanks to those who came Saturday to saw up the tree in the front yard and spilt it and hauled the firewood to Fred Johnson’s house for him to use to heat his house this winter.



MORE KITTENS!

...Nancy and I still have two beautiful kittens remain-ing for immediate adoption to loving homes. Their names are George and Cheri. They have already been fixed, had their shots (except rabies), been litter-trained and are ready to go home with you! Give us a call (228-0710)!



...Four kittens, six months-old, all females, are also available for adop-tion by calling 673-4943.

WEST CIRCLE

will meet in the Keene Room at 11:00 a.m. on Tues-day, September 7th. Please bring a sandwich for lunch, drinks and dessert will be provided.