

# First Baptist Church

RUSSELL, KENTUCKY  
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MARCH 17, 2019

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Minister of Connections & Missions  
Minister of Students & Families  
Minister of Middle School and Families  
Minister of Children & Families  
Minister of Music & Worship  
Ministry Assistant

Ken Gowin  
Kevin Floyd  
Brett Nance  
Jason Davis  
Nancy Gowin  
Tina Sparks  
Jim Wilcox  
David Lilly

## MORNING WORSHIP

**Opening Song of Celebration** *This Is Amazing Grace*

**Welcome** Jim Wilcox

**Songs of Worship & Praise**  
*The Lion and the Lamb*  
*Clean*

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory Music** *Not Guilty*  
Worship Leading Choir – Soloist: Lindsey Taylor

**Message** Pastor Ken Gowin

**Song of Commitment** *Never Once*

**WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS:** We welcome you today in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Our prayer is that God will touch your heart and bring you closer to Him as you worship Him in this place. Thank you for joining with us in worship.

**SOUND ENHANCEMENT DEVICES** are available for your use during the worship services at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Please see one of our media ministers.

## EVENING SERVICE

6:30 PM

**Opening Song of Celebration** *Same Power*

**Welcome** Jim Wilcox

**Songs of Worship & Praise**  
*Mighty to Save*

**Offertory Prayer** Deacon on Call

**Offertory Music** *Here In Your Presence*

**Message** Pastor Ken Gowin

**Church Business Meeting**

## SPRING MISSION OFFERING

Our church wide **Spring Mission** offering began **March 3<sup>rd</sup>**; our goal is **\$25,000**. To date we have received **\$6,519.33**

## GA AND RA MISSION DAY PROJECT

The GA's and RA's are taking up a collection for shower kits. If your RA or GA is in the 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, please have them choose two items from this list:

Soap, shampoo, razor and shaving cream.

If your RA or GA is in the 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade, please have them choose two (2) items from this list:

Toothbrush and toothpaste, towel and wash cloth.

### Collection Starts:

The collection began on February 13<sup>th</sup> and will continue until March 20<sup>th</sup>. They will be giving these items to the Clean Start in Ashland!

## The Upper Room Prayer Hour for Women

Will meet this Tuesday, March 19th, from 11 a.m.- Noon in the main sanctuary. Please come and participate in this crucial prayer ministry. (Don't be intimidated. You do not have to pray out loud)

Ephesians 4:15-16 *“Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will in all things grow up into him who is the Head, that is, Christ. From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.”*

## Grief Multiplied

I want to thank the church for the beautiful flowers sent to my dad's funeral service and the meal afterwards. Thanks to Pastor Ken and Roger McCaleb for the wonderful service. I also want to thank those of you that called, texted, visited and sent cards. Thank you all for the prayers for my dad's salvation, that let us see him come to know the Lord in December 2017 and prayers during his illness.

The Family of Shannon Click, Tony and Kim Seagraves, Cari, Cadie and Derek Hall

We not only lost my dad, but Tony's grandfather. Thank you to the church for the Flowers that were sent, those that called, texted and visited. The Family of Bill Gibson, Tony and Kim Seagraves

## THANK YOU

Thank you for the flowers that were sent in memory of Phil Ponder. Your thoughtfulness will be remembered. It means a lot to us to know they came from his grandmother's church. We also want to thank you for all of your prayers over the years, for they are the greatest gift.

Sincerely,

Melanie Hartley (Ponder), (Melvina Johnson)

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DEACON ON CALL.....STEPHEN ADDINGTON 606-465-4161  
COUNTING COMMITTEE.....BRUCE WALTER  
BIBLE FELLOWSHIP ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK.....574  
TOTAL AM WORSHIP LAST WEEK .....744

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## BECOME A HOSPICE VOLUNTEER

**Volunteer Orientation March 20 & 21, 2019  
at 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

Location: Community Hospice  
1480 Carter Ave.  
Ashland, KY 41101

**Must have reservations to attend!!  
Call 606-329-1890 or 1-800-926-6184**

### Volunteer Opportunities Include:

Caregiver Time Away	Nursing Home Visitation
Care Center Visitation	Greeter/Receptionist
Veteran to Veteran Visitation	Hospitality Cart
Office/Clerical	Chaplain Spiritual Support

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## **Ladies, Save The Date!**

FBCR Spring Ladies' Tea is  
**Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup> from  
11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** in the

Family Life Center. Ticket sales begin **today** Sunday,  
March 17<sup>th</sup> and the cost is **\$10**. Please sign up at the  
Welcome Center and join us as we "fill our cups!"

\*Please consider signing up to be a table hostess to  
decorate a table and provide table settings.

## Activities Planned This Week

### SUNDAY, MARCH 17

Sunday School Session I	9:00 AM
Morning Worship Service	9:00 AM
Sunday School Session II	10:30 AM
Morning Worship Service	10:30 AM
<b>VBS Lunch &amp; Launch – Old Fellowship Hall</b>	<b>12- 2:00 PM</b>
Take One Drama Team	5:00 PM
Pastor Ken's Adult Bible Fellowship Class	5-6 PM
Children's Choir Practice	6:30 PM
Explore the Bible – 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.	6:30 PM
Explore the Bible – Preschool	6:30 PM
<b>Children's New Christian Class</b>	<b>6:30- 7 PM</b>
Evening Service	6:30 PM
<b>Church Business Meeting</b>	<b>7:15 PM</b>

### MONDAY, MARCH 18

Celebrate Recovery 6:00 PM

### TUESDAY, MARCH 19

<b>Ladies Bible Study</b>	<b>9:30- 11AM</b>
Stitches Of Love Quilt Guild Workshop	9:30 AM- 12:30 PM
<b>Ladies "Upper Room" Prayer Hour</b>	<b>11-12 Noon</b>
<b>Ladies Bible Study</b>	<b>5:30- 7:00 PM</b>
<b>Church Council Meeting</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

Youth & Middle School Rally	6:15 PM
Mission Friends (Boys & Girls 4&5)	6:15 PM
GA's (Girls grades 1-3 Rm. B2)	6:45 PM
GA's (Girls grades 4-6 Rm. B3)	6:45 PM
RA's (Boys grades 1-3 Rm. B4)	6:45 PM
RA's (Boys grades 4-6 Rm. B5)	6:45 PM
Prayer & Devotion Service	6:45 PM
Praise Team Practice	7:00 PM
Worship Leading Choir Practice	7:30 PM
901 College & Career – chapel	9:01 PM

### THURSDAY, MARCH 21

<b>Men's Basketball</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>
<b>Celebrate Recovery (13 Step) Meeting</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>

### FRIDAY, MARCH 22

**Adult 7 Bible Fellowship Class Serves @ Salvation Army 6:00- 9:00 PM**

### SATURDAY, MARCH 23

<b>VBS Workshop – Gym</b>	<b>10-2 PM</b>
<b>Private Event in the Old Fellowship Hall</b>	<b>3:00- 7:00 PM</b>

### SUNDAY, MARCH 24

Bible Fellowship 9:00 & 10:30 AM

Morning Worship  
Children's Worship  
Evening Service

9:00 & 10:30 AM  
10:30 AM  
6:30 PM