First News



June 12, 2024

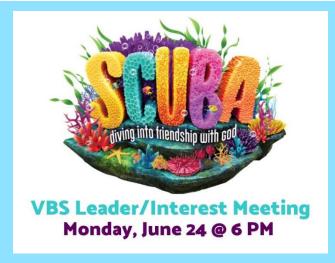


Pray for Our Group Heading to Passport Kids Camp Wednesday, June 12 - Saturday, June 15

Today, a group of 12 children and 3 adult chaperones from FBCNN are headed to Eagle Eyrie in Lynchburg, VA. They will be attending worship, having rec time, learning about CBF Field Personnel in Togo, among many other activities. Pray for safe travels, the children to grow stronger in their faith with Christ, and build relationships with each other.



What a great turnout we had for the End of the School Year Celebration! The weather was warm but the rain held off. Everyone enjoyed the food, games, bubbles, inflatables, and fellowship. Thank you to everyone who made this event a success!



We need you at Vacation Bible School! Join us in Payne Hall for our VBS Leader/Interest Meeting on Monday, June 24th at 6pm. Get ready this summer to take kids deep into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the everflowing, never-ending love of God. Find out how you can join in as we help children dive into a lifelong friendship with God. We will talk about how VBS works, the schedule, decorations, eat VBS themed dinner, and more. VBS dates are July 29-August 2, 9am-12:15pm.

Come Decorate with Us! Thursday, June 20 @ 10am

Come for one hour, two hours, or however long you wish to help us make decorations for VBS this year. We will be gathering in Room 147. All supplies will be provided to make "coral", "sea grass", and other underwater themed decorations. Can't make it on this day? There will be more opportunities to help in the near future.



The Hispanic Congregation is putting together a Soccer Training and Formation Program as an opportunity for boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 14 to learn some skills in the sport of soccer. The program is absolutely FREE and it will be held on July 15-19 from 6pm to 8pm on the First Baptist Church field. This program will culminate on July 20 with a Tournament among the participants that will take place from 9am to 1:30pm. Register your children and grandchildren, and let other people know, so they can participate. We are also looking for volunteers to help with snacks and water stations, and to welcome and engage with parents. If you are interested to volunteer, please communicate with Pastor Juan Garcia at jaccia Officen.org.



Last Thursday, June 6th, the Swingin' Singers sang and spread some joy to residents at The Hidenwood. If you are age 55 or older and like to make a joyful noise, you can join this group as they start back up in September!



Staff Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthday:

June 6 - Juan Garcia

Work Anniversary:

June 27 - Sharon Hertzler

Take a minute to let them know we appreciate all they do for FBCNN!



In the summer, FBCNN remains operating and we need your financial support. Last year during the months of June, July and August our expenses reached an average of \$85,500 monthly. That included our ministries, quarterly missions donations, community mission engagements, utilities, supplies, loan payments, salaries, and other events. The busyness of summer

Upcoming Events

June 12 - 15 - Passport Kids Camp Please keep the children and chaperones in your prayers as they attend camp and grow closer to God and each other.

June 13 - Peninsula Mobile Food Bank will be in our parking lot. If you or someone you know is facing food insecurity, please let them know about this opportunity.

> **Thank You from Stewardship**

We are thankful for your contributions toward the Ukraine Fund throughout the past couple of years. We have collected a total of \$7,074 to help the Ukraine Response. This money will be sent to Cooperative Baptist Fellowship towards Gennady and Mina Podgaisky. We have a direct relationship with them through Mina's sister, Reyna Hoell, who is a member of the Hispanic congregation.

In addition, as a church, we are sending contributions throughout the year to the following organizations:

Baptist General Association (BGAV): \$15,400

Baptist World Alliance (BWA): \$1,400 Cooperative Baptist Fellowship (CBF): \$7.000

Cooperative Baptist Fellowship VA

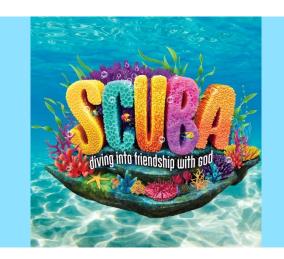
(CBFVA): \$4,200

Peninsula Baptist Association (PBA): \$8,700

Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center

(PPCC): \$2,400

Thrive Peninsula: \$2,400 Lackey Free Clinic: \$1,000 can keep us away from being actively involved through our donations. However, vou can setup the frequency of your contribution by going online to www.fbcnn.org to the Online Giving tab, or you can also opt to do Bill Pay thru your bank, where you can set up a recurring contribution. Either platform you decide to use, we thank you in advance for your partnership and support to FBCNN and God's Kingdom.



Mark Your Calendars! Vacation Bible School July 29-August 2

If you are interested in volunteering for VBS this year, you can sign up by clicking on the link for the volunteer

form. Thanks to everyone who donated caps and now we are "capped out"! We still have other items needed to make our VBS program a success this summer! We would love if you could help us alleviate the cost by purchasing something off of our Amazon Wishlist here. We plan to update it periodically as necessary. In addition, we need plastic bowls between 8 and 10 inches in diameter. Thank you for your support! If you have any questions feel free to reach out to Sharon Hertzler (shertzler@fbcnn.org) or Rebecca Hinson (rhinson@fbcnn.org)



Performing Arts Studio

Registration has begun for the Fall Term of our Performing Arts Studio. We are excited to accept students in Middle through High School and adults. For more information and to sign up please follow the link to the form, here.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Lesley Spitzer

(<u>Ispitzer@fbcnn.org</u>) or John Irving (<u>iirving@fbcnn.org</u>).



Digital Ministry Team Needs You!

Our tech team provides outreach to our community and to our homebound members through broadcasting each service. This team also enhances our inperson worship by running our sound and projection systems. For this worthy ministry to continue, we need your help. We will train you, no experience required! For more information, contact Lesley Spitzer, lspitzer@fbcnn.org.

Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday, June 16 at 8:30am & 11am! Randy Shepley will be leading us in worship.

The Sunday worship services are streamed directly to our website and can be accessed by clicking on Upcoming Live Stream tab located on the home page. If you miss a service, you can click on Sermon Library in the Resources tab to select the service you missed. (Services are listed in chronological order with the most recent on top.)

The following is a list of weekly events. Learn more about children's events on Facebook and youth events on their Instagram page-@fbcnnyouth.

Sundays

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship

9:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study

9:45 a.m. Children's Bible Study

9:45 a.m. Infant-Preschool Bible Study

9:45 a.m. Youth Bible Study

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship

11:00 a.m. Extended Session - infants

through age 4

11:00 a.m. Hispanic Bible Study

12:30 p.m. Hispanic Worship

Mondays

7:00 p.m. Young Single Adults

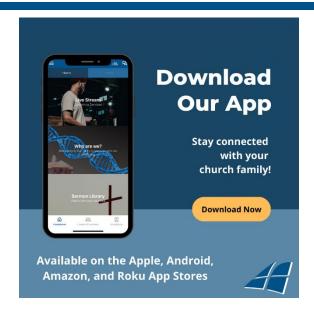
Wednesdays

6:30 p.m. Hispanic Prayer and Bible

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Click on the link below to watch the service from 8:30am and 11am this past Sunday.

June 9



Make a financial contribution to FBCNN today by clicking on the Donate link.

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