

First News

April 28, 2021



School Supplies for Yates Elementary

Items listed below can be shipped to the church, dropped off outside of the sanctuary Sunday, May 2, or dropped off at the church office by Tuesday, May 4. Thank you for your support in helping our neighbor across the street finish this school year strong!

All Grades

- Individual size packs of Kleenex

First & Second Grade

- Card Stock
- Page Protectors
- Dry Erase Markers

Third Grade

- Card Stock
- Page Protectors
- Dry Erase Markers
- Rulers
- Pencils
- Crayons
- Construction Paper

Fourth Grade

- Sharpies in assorted colors
- Dry Erase Markers



Over the last year we have all seen the benefit of technology allowing us to worship together, remain connected, and interact with people who may never enter our doors. Even as we hope for more in-person interactions in the coming months, we want to continue to invest in our digital ministry and its unique opportunities to love and serve our communities in Hampton Roads and around the world.

If you have experience in graphic design, video production, audio mixing, or if you just like technology and are willing to learn or interact with people online we need your help. We want you to be part of our digital ministry team. Contact Ethan at ebrown@fbcnn.org to learn more.





Thank You Lackey Clinic Volunteers

Thank you to all of the volunteers who successfully spread out all of the mulch at the Lackey Clinic on Saturday. And a special thank you to Grete Johnson, FNP at Lackey, and the Compassionate Mission Partnership Team for organizing this event. To find out more about the mission of Lackey Clinic click [here](#).

Save the Dates

May 13: Peninsula Food Bank

Mobile Food Pantry will be in our parking lot from 1:30-3 p.m. If you know of someone in need of food assistance, please let them know about this opportunity to receive meat, vegetables, fruit, and non perishable items.

June 6: Graduate Recognition

At the 10:30 service, we are going to recognize and celebrate those in our congregation who are graduating from high school and college. Please send information (name of graduate, name of school, degree if applicable, and future plans) to Nikki at nikki@fbcnn.org.

June 13: Parent-Child Dedication

If you would like to participate in this special time during the Sunday morning services please contact Sharon at shertzler@fbcnn.org for more information.

Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday April 25 at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.! Randy Shepley will be preaching.

If you have any technical difficulties watching the service on Facebook Live, please send us a direct message on Facebook so we can help troubleshoot the issue.

The following is a list of weekly events that can be accessed on the First Baptist Church of Newport News Facebook page, youth events that can be accessed on their Instagram page-@fbcnn youth, and young adult events that meet using Zoom. The 8:30 and 10:30 Sunday worship services are uploaded to our [website](#) each Monday, and can be accessed by clicking on the Resources tab.

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

DONATE

Sundays

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship
9:30 a.m. Youth Sunday Bible Study
9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Pre-K & Kindergarten S.S.
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship
12:30 p.m. Hispanic Worship

Mondays

7:00 p.m. Young Single Adults

Tuesdays

7:30 p.m. Young Adult Couples

[FBCNN Facebook Live Videos](#)

If you missed Sunday's service and do not have a Facebook account, you can click [here for 8:30](#) or [here for 10:30](#) to watch it on our Vimeo page.

Donation Opportunity for Those with IRA Required Minimum Distributions (RMD)

Congress has approved a permanent charitable giving tax break, known as the "IRA charitable rollover". The rollover is available for those who are 70 1/2, though if your 70th birthday is July 1, 2019 or later, you do not have to take withdrawals until you reach age 72. You can make a Qualified Charitable Distribution from your IRA of up to \$100,000 to a charity, such as First Baptist Church. The donation will count toward your IRA required minimum distribution.

The distribution is not recognized as income on your tax return. As such, you do not take a donation deduction either. With the change in the recent Tax Legislation, the Standard Deduction has doubled thus itemized charitable deductions will no longer be needed to be kept track of. By donating all or part of your IRA RMD to the church, you receive the benefit of a reduced Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) in that the RMD to charity is not taxed, which helps the opportunity of obtaining lower cost for your Medicare Part B and Prescription Drug premiums.

The distribution must come directly from the IRA account to the church not through the owner of the account. Let our Financial Services Coordinator, Monica Garcia, know how you want the contribution designated, such as the General Fund.

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