

First News

May 31, 2023



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
NEWPORT NEWS

End of School Year COOKOUT

Wednesday
June 7
5:30pm



Food, Inflatables, and Fun



Back Parking Lot & Ballfield

End of the School Year Celebration! June 7 5:30pm Back Parking Lot

Join us for a cookout, games, and a lot of fun as we celebrate the end of another school year!

(Regular Wednesday night activities for children and youth will end tonight, May 31, and start up again in September.)



VBS Volunteer Meeting June 12 6:30pm Room 144

We need you at Vacation Bible School! Join us for our VBS Leaders Meeting and get ready for a Stellar Vacation Bible School! Children will learn what it means to shine Jesus' light in everyday life. Stellar VBS rockets children on an out-of-this-world adventure that's light years of faith-building fun. We will talk about how VBS works, the schedule, decorations, eat VBS themed snacks, and more. VBS dates are July 24th-28th, 9am-12:15pm.

Speakers During Randy's Sabbatical

June 4, 11, 18, 25: Ethan Brown, Associate Pastor Young Adults and Digital Ministry

July 2: Dave Patton, FBCNN member and Interim Pastor at Grace Baptist Church

July 9, 16: Juan Garcia, Associate Pastor Hispanics

July 23: Mark Snipes, Coordinator, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Virginia (CBFVA)

July 30: Becky Glass, Executive Director, Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center

August 6: Ken Pruitt, President, Leland Theology Center

August 13: Gennady and Mina Podgaisky, CBF Field Personnel/Ukraine

August 20: Myles Shipp, FBCNN member and Riverside Hospice Care Chaplain

August 27: Lesley Spitzer, Associate Pastor Worship and Creative Arts, will lead a panel conversation

September 3, 10: Chuck Harrison, Director, Peninsula Baptist Association

Continue to keep Randy in your prayers as he rests, ceases, heals, grows, and renews.

Upcoming Events

June 7 - End of School Year Celebration and Cookout (see article above)

June 11 - Graduate Recognition Sunday (see article)

June 12 - Vacation Bible School Volunteer Meeting (see article above)

July 24-28 - Stellar Vacation Bible School, contact Sharon Hertzler, shertzler@fbcnn.org, to find ways you can help us to "Shine Jesus' Light" at VBS this year!

CONGRATULATIONS!



Graduate Recognition June 11

Our college and high school graduates will be recognized during the 11:00am service on June 11.

BGAV & Care Boxes for Ukraine

During our last mission trip to Romania in 2018, part of the group from FBCNN helped out at Project Ruth, an organization which was started to educate and house some of the poorest and most shunned children in Romania. Currently, Project Ruth is housing refugees from the war. BGAV has been sending aid to Project Ruth and other organizations in Ukraine. Last year, FBCNN donated \$5,413 to BGAV for this purpose. To see some of the ways these funds are being used click on the link below to watch a video from BGAV.

[Care Boxes for Ukraine 2023](#)

Lottie Moon & Annie Armstrong

Following the church vote to withdraw from the Southern Baptist Convention, FBCNN will no longer be submitting donations to Lottie Moon or Annie Armstrong. If you would like to make a donation to either of these directly, you can use the online links or addresses below.

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3806 Monument Avenue
Richmond, VA 23230

[Annie Armstrong](#)

North American Mission Board
P.O. Box 116543
Atlanta, GA 30368

We will continue supporting local, national, and international missions and field personnel through BGAV (Baptist General Association of Virginia), CBF (Cooperative Baptist Fellowship), BWA (Baptist World Alliance), and ICM (International Cooperating Ministries).




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You can download our app on your phone, smart TV or Roku player. This will give you the opportunity to get push notifications (notifications that pop up on your phone) that will allow you to stay informed. In the event of bad weather, we will be able to notify everyone if we need to make changes to our Sunday morning services and Bible Study or Wednesday night activities. You can also watch past and present services, see upcoming events, and more. If you need assistance in downloading the app contact Ethan or a member of our Tech Team for help.

Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday, June 4 at 8:30am & 11am! Ethan Brown will be leading us in worship. 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. Learn more about children's events on Facebook and youth events on their Instagram page-@fbcnn youth. The 8:30 and 11 Sunday worship services are streamed directly to our [website](#), and can be accessed by clicking on Sermon Library in the Resources tab.

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
- 12:30 p.m. Hispanic Worship

Mondays

- 7:00 p.m. Young Single Adults

Wednesdays

- 5:30 p.m. Midweek Café
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Spiritual Formation Group
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Group Gathering and Worship
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Kmotion (Music, Missions, and Fun!)
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursdays

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

DONATE

10:00 a.m. Swingin' Singers

Thanks to our FBCNN app, we are able to stream our services directly to our website! Click on the link below to watch the service from 8:30 and 11 this past Sunday. (Services are listed in chronological order with the most recent at the top.)

[May 28](#)

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IN PERSON



MOBILE APP



ONLINE



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- **Stock contributions:** If you wish to give stocks to First Baptist Church, please give the church's name to your broker to process the transaction. If you need more information, please contact Monica Garcia at monica@fbcnn.org or at the church office number.
- **Required Minimum Distributions (RMD):** If you are 70½ or older and have an IRA (Individual Retirement Account), you can make your Charitable Contribution to the Church via your Broker/Banker. The RMD must come directly to the Church from your Broker/Banker. Please contact your Broker/Banker for this option.

"Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart." Psalm 37:4

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