

First News

June 5, 2024



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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Come and join us tonight for food, fellowship and fun as we celebrate the end of the school year! We will be serving hamburgers in addition to hot dogs. Food will be served starting at 5:30pm in Payne Fellowship Hall, followed by games and inflatables at 6:30 in the ball field (weather permitting). In case of inclement weather, there will be games in the children and youth areas. Stay tuned for other special Wednesday night activities throughout the Summer.

END OF SCHOOL YEAR *Cookout*

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Chips, Drinks, and Popsicles!

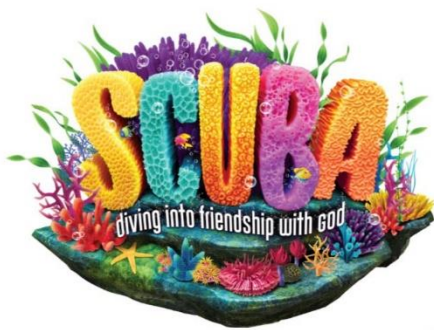
We will be in the church back parking lot, the softball field, and playground.

There will be a bounce house, jumbo slide, soccer, Scatterball, foam machine, and more!

Come out for great food and a lot of fun!

Wednesday, June 5th

5:30-7:30PM



VBS Leader/Interest Meeting
Monday, June 24 @ 6 PM

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 ever-flowing, 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 TO LEARN AND PLAY WITH US

Soccer Training and Formation

When: July 15 - 19

Time: 6pm a 8pm

Where: First Baptist Church
12716 Warwick Blvd.
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* For boys and girls from 6 to 14 years old
The program will finish on July 20th with a Tournament
between the participants from 9am to 1:30pm

FREE

REGISTER YOUR CHILD TODAY!

fbcnn.org/soccer-program-registration-form/



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 jgarcia@fbcnn.org.

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!



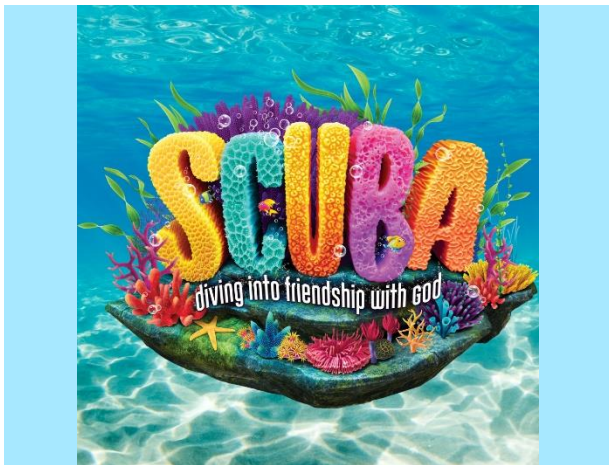
In the summer, FBCNN remains operating and we need your financial support. Last year during the months of June, July and August our expenses reached an average of \$85,500 monthly. That included our

Upcoming Events

June 5 - End of the School Year Cookout and Celebration (see article above for more information)

June 6 - Swingin' Singers will be singing at The Hidenwood at 10:30am followed by lunch at Azzurri Italian Restaurant.

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.



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

ministries, quarterly missions donations, community mission engagements, utilities, supplies, loan payments, salaries, and other events. The busyness of summer can keep us away from being actively involved through our donations. However, you 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.

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

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

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IN PARTNERSHIP WITH
CHRISTOPHER NEWPORT UNIVERSITY

LESSONS AVAILABLE IN:

- BRASS
- VOCAL
- PIANO
- WOODWINDS



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 (lspitzer@fbcnn.org) or John Irving (jirving@fbcnn.org).



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Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday, June 9 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

- 5:30 p.m. Midweek Café
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Spiritual Formation Group
- 6:30 p.m. Hispanic Prayer and Bible Study
- 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

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 in-person 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.

Thursdays

10:00 a.m. Swingin' Singers

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

[June 2](#)

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

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