

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Sunday, February 8

9:00 am—Church in Worship  
10:30 am—Sunday School

### Monday, February 9

8:30am—Ladies Exercise  
6:30 pm—Adult Pickleball

### Tuesday, February 10

8:30am—Ladies Exercise  
10:00am—Food Pantry  
11:00am—YaH Committee Meeting in Conference Room  
6:30pm—Women On Mission

### Wednesday, February 11

5:15pm—Family Night Supper  
6:00pm—Student Worship  
6:00pm—Kids Activities  
6:00pm—Women’s Bible Study- Whitney Payne (A105)  
6:00pm—Women’s Bible Study- Jennifer Baker (A104)  
6:15pm—Midweek Prayer Meeting  
7:20pm—Adult Choir Practice

### Thursday, February 12

11:30am—YaH Valentine Luncheon  
6:30pm—Adult Pickleball

### Saturday, February 14

8:00am—Children’s Basketball

## WELCOME VISITORS!

If you are visiting today, please complete the welcome card from the pew racks with information and/or prayer requests, and place it in the offering plate when it is passed. You can also scan the QR code with your phone camera and complete it online. Thank you!

## FOR THE RECORD—FEBRUARY 1

Sunday School Attendance	160
Morning Worship Attendance	261
Weekly Budget Needs	\$19,584.19
Weekly Budget Offering	\$30,384.85
Designated Gifts	\$2,509.77
Total Offering	\$32,894.62
Budget Goal to Date	\$97,920.95
Budget Offering to Date	\$100,736.11
Amount Over Budget	\$2,815.16

## CHURCH INFORMATION

Dr. James Wedding, *Senior Pastor*  
Dr. John Johnson, *Music & Worship Pastor*  
Rev. Ben Fitzgerald, *Student Pastor*  
Rev. Ron Harrington, *Senior Adult Pastor*  
Rev. Tom Collier, *Family & Recreation Pastor*  
Mrs. Amy Douglas, *Director of Kids Ministry*  
Mrs. Judi Cornell / Joyce Davis, *Church Secretary*  
Mrs. Susan Wedding, *Financial Secretary*

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## MESSAGE FROM GOD'S WORD

### “The Greatness of His Love”

1 John 3:1-3, 4:7-11, 14-16

In 1917, Fredrick M. Lehman wrote the beloved hymn, “The Love of God”.

Verse one declares - “The love of God is greater far than tongue or pen could ever tell; it goes beyond the highest star and reaches to the lowest hell. The guilty pair...”

Verse two declares - “When ancient time shall pass away and earthly thrones and kingdoms fall...”

Verse three was not written by Fredrick Lehman. He heard the words when quoted by a pastor preaching a camp meeting. The words were taken from a wall of a room in an insane asylum. “Could we with ink the ocean fill and were the skies of parchment made...”

I can tell you someone in that asylum was not insane. The author knew God’s love was precious, priceless and powerful. Have we learned what that person learned as they struggled to make life work and find purpose in every event of life?

- I. The Master of all love
  - A. The Father’s love is not hidden, but fully revealed in Jesus
  - B. The cross fully declared God’s love - Romans 5:6-8
- II. The Manner of His Love
  - A. An inexplicable love, yet
  - B. An exceptional love - “For God so loved”
  - C. An expansive love - “The World”
  - D. An expensive love - “That He Gave”
  - E. An expressive love - “His only begotten Son”
  - F. An experiential love - “That whosoever believes in Him”
  - G. An extraordinary love - “Should not perish”
  - H. An eternal love - “But have everlasting love”
- III. The Mission of His love -That we should become just like Jesus Ephesians 4:11-13; Colossians 3:12-17
- IV. The misappropriation of His love - 2 Corinthians 5:14-15
- V. The Mandate of His love - 1 John 4:20-21



February 8, 2026

Welcome and Opening Prayer

John Johnson

Congregational Songs

“Victory In Jesus”  
“Revelation Song”

Offertory Prayer

Ben Ford

Offertory

Susan Wedding & April Yonts  
“Redeemer”

Congregational Songs

“10,000 Reasons”  
“How Great Is Our God”

Special Music

“He Will Hold Me Fast”

Dan Douglas

Dismiss Kids to Kids Church

Message from God’s Word

Bro. James

“The Greatness of His Love”  
1 John 3:1-3, 4:7-11, 14-16

Commitment Songs

“Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross”

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”  
“Where He Leads Me”

Tom Collier

Closing Comments



## DISCIPLESHIP

**Wednesday Night Women's Group @ 6:00pm**  
 Women's group, led by Whitney Payne, meets in A105.  
 Studying—The Book of II Peter

**Wednesday Night Women's Group @ 6:00pm**  
 Women's Group, led by Jennifer Baker, meets in A104.  
 Studying "Created to Commune" a study on the  
 Spiritual disciplines by Rachel Joy.

**Wednesday Night Men's Brotherhood Group @ 6:00pm**  
 Our men's brotherhood group meets in the Fellowship Hall.  
 Studying—Max Lucado's *Life Lessons in John*.

## FAMILY LIFE

**Family Night Supper**  
**Wednesday, February 11**  
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Menu: Burgoo, Hot Dogs, Cornbread,  
 Desserts



**Family Bowling and More Fellowship**  
**Southern Lanes Owensboro**  
**Sunday, February 22nd 4:00-7:30pm**

Wristbands are \$5 per person and include bowling and shoe rental, unlimited bumper cars and laser tag. Arcade or food is not included. You will need to register and pay at church, and Southern Lanes will provide the wristband upon arrival the day of event. You can arrive and get your wristband around 4pm and start with laser tag and bumper cars. Bowling will start around 5pm. If you are just coming to hang out there is no cost, and you won't need a wristband.



**NEW DATE AND TIME**  
**FREE Family Ice Skating Fellowship**  
 Edge Ice Center 3/15/26  
 5:00-7:00pm



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## MISSIONS & MINISTRY

### FEBRUARY'S "Pantry Focus"

Sugar, Peanut Butter

Please leave all donations at the church office.



**Honduras Missions:** It's time to begin signing up for our mission trip to serve with El Ayudante in Honduras. The trip is May 31 - June 6. Sign up sheet and new information flyers are available in the Connection Center on the table. Please sign up soon! Please see Ben for any questions about this trip.



**Women of Joy**  
**April 10-12, 2026**  
**Pigeon Forge, TN**

If you have already signed up,  
 please pay the deposits as scheduled:  
 \$25.00 already given  
 By February 15-\$100  
 By March 29-\$59

## KIDS



Kids will be dismissed to Kids Church following the musical portion of our service. They will return to the front pew toward the end of the service. Sign in your child with the QR code.



Crossings Kids Camp at Jonathan Creek is July 28-31! If your child is in 2nd-5th grades, they are eligible to attend. Use the QR code to follow the link to the online registration. It is such a great camp experience! Register now before spots are gone!

## STUDENTS



**Summer Camp** is going to be a new experience for our ministry! We are attending a mission camp in eastern Kentucky called Big Creek Missions. During the week of June 14-20th, students will serve in communities through hands-on construction projects, leading children's ministry programs, and helping families and organizations in various cities. We're thinking of this week as a mission trip more than a camp, but it will still feature all of the fun, worship, and teaching we're used to. Students need to be signing up now and fundraisers will be available to help with camp costs soon.

**Chocolate Covered Strawberries Fundraiser!** Just in time for Valentine's Day, our students are making and selling delicious Chocolate Covered Strawberries for \$25 a dozen. We will have 2 dates for pick up: Friday Feb. 13, 6-7pm and Saturday Feb. 14, 10am-12pm. Please see a student to order or check out our Facebook pages to place an online order. Share with your family, friends, and coworkers! Thanks for your support!

## YOUNG AT HEART

**COMMITTEE MEETING—TUESDAY—FEBRUARY 10—11:00AM**  
 We'll meet in the office conference room after Food Pantry.

**VALENTINE LUNCHEON—THURSDAY—FEBRUARY—12—11:30AM**  
 Program by Bro. Ron Harrington. Set up and decorate tables on Wednesday night. Cost of luncheon is \$3.00.

**SANDERS FAMILY MUSICAL—FRIDAY—FEBRUARY 27—7:00PM**

"Smoke On the Mountain" presented by Encore Musicals. It will be held at Third Baptist Church. We'll meet at the door — will not run the vans. Cost is \$20.

**DERBY DINNER PLAYHOUSE—WEDNESDAY—MARCH 18—8:30AM**

"The Spelling Bee" (A wildly funny Broadway Musical)—Leave at 8:30. Tickets are \$40. Need money by Sunday, March 8.

## SIGN UP FOR THESE EVENTS AT THE YaH TABLE

## GENERAL

Anytime you make a purchase at **Rural King**, mention Yellow Creek Baptist Church and 270-281-4118 then they will donate a percentage of your purchase to the church.

## VOLUNTEERS

### Counting Committee

2/8-Steve Mead, Larry Hamilton  
 2/15-Jim Tyler, Richard Wells

### Safety Team

2/8-Wayne Williams, David Madewell, James Stone, Jerry Kessinger  
 2/15-Bill Vineyard, Joshua Weightman, Matt Hawes

### Offertory Prayer & Outreach

2/8-Ben Ford  
 2/15-Jesse Boling

### Nursery

2/8-Kathi Finch, Bradley Napier, Valerie Yonts, Brandy Pablo, Nolan Yonts  
 2/15-April Yonts, Mason Yonts, Bryanna Copeland, Bella Irby, Logan Howard, Beverly Stone

### Kids Church

2/8-  
 2/15-Amy Douglas, Hailey Fitzgerald

### Cooking Team

2/11-Kristi Blue, Amber Williams, Marie Mann, Sharon Brooks  
 2/18-Karen Duncan, Larry & Carol Claycomb, Linda & Carl Hendley, Chris Howard