

*Our Vision is to be Christ to each other
and our community— doing
justice, loving mercy and
walking humbly with our God.*



Welcome, NEW MEMBERS

We would like to welcome, Hugh and Barbara Conway to our Fernwood family. They are Clare Johnson's parents and will be worshipping with us online. Hugh and Barbara are moving their membership from Faith UMC in Richmond, TX. Welcome, to Fernwood!

Church Conference began

Tuesday, June 15 until Sunday, June 27 at Noon

You will be approving the Ministry Council, Standing Committee along with Teachers and Officers for 2021-2022. **A link to vote was e-blasted out yesterday.** Please be sure to look over the list and vote before Sunday, June 27 at Noon. For those who do not have access to email can call the office and receive a copy.

2 YEAR CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

**Rev. Matt K. Johnson
June 17**

We would like to thank you and tell you how much we appreciate all you do for Fernwood. The hard work and dedication to being sure even through these trying times, that Fernwood is always taken care of, either through online services/zoom meetings and also being sure the members stay connected. Thank you so much.



Deacon Selection

The four new deacons you selected to serve a 3 year term beginning September 1 are:

Reed Brown
Wendy Case
Sara Gardner
Justin Hicks

Family Event - Walk, Talk and Eat Wednesday, June 23 beginning at 6pm



Fernwood is having a "Walk, Talk and Eat" event on **Wednesday evening, June 23.**

We will meet at 6:00 pm at the Flock Shop restaurant at 970 S Pine St and walk north on the Rail Trail for about a mile and then head back. At 7:15 we'll gather at the Flock Shop for an outdoor supper, dutch treat. If you can't join us to walk, then come eat! There will be plenty of talking at both.

If you plan to go, please contact Penny Ginn at [email](#) or 864-923-0232 so she can give an estimated headcount to the restaurant. But feel free to join even if you didn't sign up!

It's A Girl!

Eva Britton Hicks

born June 15, 2021 at 1:31 pm
7 pounds and 8 ounces
19 inches long

Proud parents are Justin and Laura Hicks.

It's a Boy!

Briggs Nathaniel Johnson

born June, 5, 2021
8 pounds and 5 ounces

Proud parents are Makayla Hutzell and Corey Johnson.
Proud grandmother is Kim Hutzell.



Homebound Member of the Week

Anita Davis

205 Mansfield Drive
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Our Ministry Council held its regular monthly meeting on June 14, 2021.

First of all I want to thank Sabrina Myers for filling in as chair of Council during my absence. I appreciate her leadership and dedication.

The Ministry Council is working hard to fill positions for Teachers, Officers, Ministry Council and Standing Committees. The most current list has been sent out in an e-blast along with a e-ballot and you can vote until Sunday, June 27.

As always, it is my pleasure to serve as chair of such a dedicated group.

Thank you. Sara Gardner, Ministry Council Chair

If you would like a copy of the [Ministry Council Minutes from May 10, 2021](#), please contact the church.

TOTAL Ministries

Current needs include: soups (all types), jelly, grits, oatmeal, canned fruit, applesauce, cake mix and frosting, one pound bags of dry beans, peanut butter, canned meats (such as Spam, salmon, tuna, beef stew), cereals, one pound bags of rice, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti sauce and noodles(pasta), all types of canned vegetables, and toiletries.

Collection containers are located in front of the church office.

Dear Fernwood family,

I would like to thank everyone for all the cards, calls and prayers for this past year during my move to my nephew's home in Virginia. Thank you for the beautiful blanket which I received at Christmas.

I am blessed to be a part of such a loving and caring family.

Margaret McDowell



Dear Fernwood family,

Thank you seems inadequate for the many kindnesses shown to Randy and me during the past couple of months since my rotator cuff surgery. We have had cards, visits, gifts, meals, and most of all your prayers. I have never been part of a church that cared so much. Fernwood is without a doubt a "different kind of Baptist church."

My recovery is quite a long process, and I continue to get home therapy since I can't drive. However, Randy and I look forward to getting back to church as soon as possible. I'm so glad I'm part of the Fernwood family.

Sara Gardner

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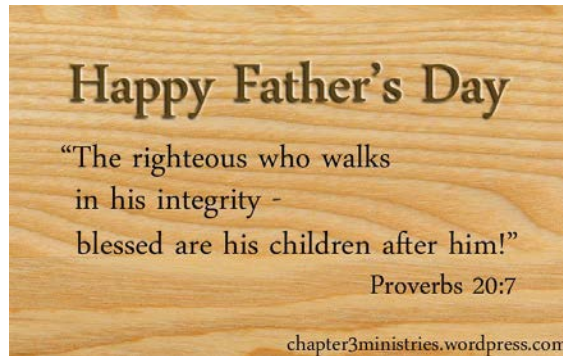
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Sunday, June 20 - from the Fernwood family!

Publication Notice

The next bi-weekly e-blast newsletter publication will be **Wednesday, June 30, 2021**. Deadline for all articles is **Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at Noon**.

PLEASE NOTE: You may submit your information via email (angie@fernwoodchurch.org) or through the church office. Please do not submit any information over the phone. Information submitted after the deadline will not be published until the following issue (no exceptions). Thank you for your understanding!