

TRUNK OR TREAT 2022

























Music News

WORSHIP

All Saints Sunday, Nov. 6

We will celebrate and remember those church members who have died since our service last year by reading scriptures, singing songs, and lighting candles.

Hanging of the Green, Nov. 27

The First Sunday in Advent is November 27. We will once again participate in the Hanging of the Green Service. This year's advent theme is "From Generation to Generation: There is room for every story."

CONCERTS

Brass Concert, Under the Lights at Broadway

Sunday, November 27 at 6 pm. We started this new tradition during the pandemic, and we will continue to enjoy the sounds of brass, lights on the grounds, and good fellowship. Invite your friends and neighbors for a great outdoor event.

The Louisville Orchestra Holiday Concert

The Louisville Orchestra will be here on Tuesday, December 13 at 7 pm.

There will be no cost to those who attend. Please spread the word!

Broadway welcomes Ellenbee's Catering & Confections!



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NOVEMBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Handbells Supper & Study Kids Missions Choir Rehearsal	3	4	5
6 Pancake Bfast All Saints Sunday Sunday School Worship Hike	7	8	9 Handbells Supper & Study Kids Missions Choir Rehearsal	10	11	12
13 Childrens choir Sunday School Watercolor class	14 Deacon's Meeting	15 Lifetimer's Game Day	16 Business Mtg Handbells Supper & Study Kids Missions	17	18 Women's Retreat	19 Women's Retreat
20 Childrens choir Sunday School Worship	21	22	23	24 Thanksgiving (Office Closed)	25 Thanksgiving (Office Closed)	26
27 Hanging of the Green Under the Lights at BBC	28	29 Lifetimer's Game Day	30	1	2 Christmas Cheer Dinner	3

LIFETIMERS EVENTS

LIFETIMERS GAME DAY

11:00 AM | NOVEMBER 15 AND 29 BRING A LUNCH/SNACK FOR SOME FELLOWSHIP AND FUN

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A Letter from the Pastor...

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Beloved Broadway,

John August Swanson is one of my favorite Mexican-Swedish-American artists born in California (Okay, he's my only favorite). His paneled painting depicting the story of Ruth & Naomi became a backdrop for our Wednesday Night Bible Study on Ruth this Fall. Below is his work "Festival of Lights" painted in 1991. What I love about this image from Swanson is how it reminds us that just a little light, when shared, can brighten the darkest of nights.

On November 6, we will gather for All Saints' Day to worship God and honor our faithful departed by lighting candles and speaking their names aloud. This is one of my favorite moments we share in worship throughout the rhythm of the Church Calendar. Rituals provide opportunities for us to mark significant liminal spaces in our lives. The Family Systems Theorists Dr. Murray Bowen and Rabbi Ed Friedman call these "nodal moments" which are milestones in our lives. Births, weddings, and deaths; these are liminal spaces where we cross a threshold from becoming to being and we mark them with rituals. When a person comes from being single to espoused, we make that with a ritual–a wedding. When a person goes from being in relationship with a loved one to not having that loved one anymore we mark that experience with a ritual–a funeral.

Rituals aren't magic, but they help us tangibly express the inward reality of the Holy Spirit's work in our lives. Sometimes that inward reality is the experience of God's grace, Christ's sacrificing, and the Holy Spirit's inclusion of all God's children into the Family of God; we mark that reality with a ritual we call the Lord's Supper. On All Saints', we will light candles and speak aloud the names of those who we dear love and have lost this year. Our faith in Christ promises to us that death is not the end of the story, but that doesn't mean that we shouldn't grieve or express our emotions. Our feelingfulness as humans is a gift that gives us the power of connection. When we go through shared experiences and emotions, we bond and know that we are not alone in our grief. The promise of Scripture is, according to Paul in 1 Thessalonians 4:13, "we grieve, but not as those without hope."

After we share the names of those in our Broadway family who have died in this past year, we invite everyone who has lost a loved one to come forward, light a candle, speak their name, and then we will share Communion together. In these simple rituals, we bread bread, shine light, and remind each other of the promise made by Christ to creation in Revelation 21:5, "Behold, I am making all things new!"

I hope and pray as the Autumn winds turn to Winter chill, the peace of God warms you from the inside out and you find quiet, sacred moments to breathe deep, be still, and know that God is near.

Grace & Peace,

-Kevin



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As many of you know, our Stewardship Campaign is coming to a close. That said, we are still happily accepting pledge cards. The pledge boxes will remain in the Narthex, the Atrium and the church office for the next few weeks. Feel free to also drop your card in the offering plate, mail or visit the website and use the Pledge Now button on the homepage.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to Broadway Baptist Church. Through 10/31/22 we have a total pledged amount of \$ 539,692. If you have not turned in your pledge card yet, please prayerfully consider it.





Christmas Cheer Dinner

Broadway's annual Christmas Cheer Dinner will be Friday, December 2nd at 6:30 pm in Friendship Hall. This is a special evening open to all Broadway members, their friends and families.

Jonathan Oblander will provide the musical entertainment. Ellenbee's catering will provide the special and delicious meal along with the best dessert table.

Cost is \$25 per person. Reserved tables will be available for parties of 8. A reservation and payment are required by Monday, November 28. To make a reservation, please contact Donna Williams by call or text at 502.774.0515 or reserve online by <u>clicking here</u>!





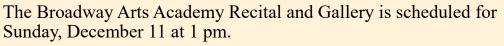




Broadway Arts Academy

We continue to grow and flourish! As of October, we have 33 individual students taking private lessons. In addition, we have 6 people taking part in group art lessons.

If you can donate your time, one hour or more, as a volunteer to greet our students and their parents/guardians, please contact Robert.



Spring Mission Sale

We are sorting and pricing, accepting donations and are in contact with CBF Kentucky about some items going to Western KY.

See any team member to drop off donations. We check the gym floor regularly.

Thanks so much Broadway congregation!!

Thank You

Dear Broadway Baptist Team,

Wow! What a difference! Thank you so much for your hard work on Sunday, September 11. I know the mulch jobs weren't glamorous, but thanks to you all, things look SO much better. We truly appreciate that you chose to spend your day of service with West End School.

Thanks again & God bless,

Katy Bade

(and a follow up email that said: "Hope you're doing well! Just FYI we have already enjoyed one of the casse-roles - spaghetti and meatballs! The BEST and very much appreciated!

Dear Broadway Baptist Church.

Thank you for your recent donation to Kentucky Refugee Ministries (KRM). Your support comes at a critical time as KRM is serving more refugees and immigrants than at any time in our organization's 33-year history.

Earlier this year, with intensive help from our volunteer supporters, KRM mobilized to resettle nearly 500 emergency evacuees from Afghanistan. On a weekly basis, we are now enrolling Ukranians at all three KRM offices (Louisville, Lexington and Covington) who have fled the horrific invasion of their country and have been sponsored for protection in the U.S. by Ukrainian-American family members here in Kentucky.

As much as ever, we at KRM maintain the conviction that extending welcome - beyond the moral imperative for doing so - benefits Kentucky as a whole. We thank you for your generosity and for partnering with KRM to build inclusive, welcoming communities in our state.

Sincerely, John A. Koehlinger

Executive Director





Recreation News

16 Broadway members/guests convened @ Oxmoor Country Club on Sunday, September 25th for the Recreation Team's annual golf outing. We could not have asked for better weather or fellowship. Looking to have others join us next year.

This year's winners:

Low Team Score: "Team 10 Under" (Lee Lester, Wil Barman, Keller Teague, & Evan Wetch) Long Drive: Wil Barman Closest to the Pin: Davis Church Straightest Drive: Sharon Davis Hit the Green Challenge: Keller Teague

Longest Putt Challenge: Lee Lester



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OTHER BBC RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES

Pickleball – Open gym for pickleball will resume on Thursday nights beginning December 1 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. All skill levels are welcome, and we're always excited to see new faces who are interested in the sport. All equipment provided!

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Hiking – For those who enjoy the outdoors and getting out in the woods and area parks, the Recreation Team is establishing a monthly hikers' meet-up...and we'll be looking for a cool name for this group. Weather permitting, our plan is to venture out on the first Sunday of the month following morning worship. Depending on where we hike, our start time and meet-me point will vary. All are welcome, and we welcome input in selecting where we want to hike each month. Full details will evolve, but we're going to set these wheels in motion with our first hike (we've got to soak in the last of these fall colors):

Big Beech Woods - The Parklands

Pope Lick Park – 4002 South Pope Lick Road

Meet-Up Time/Location: Event Pavilion/1:30 PM

Expected Duration: 2.5 hours

Please contact Curtis Barman either by phone or text with any questions that you may have and/or if you plan on joining us.

Angel Tree

We will be sponsoring angels this year through Chenoweth Elementary and Choice's Inc. (transitional housing for women and families). Chenoweth and Choice's Inc. are 2 of our mission partners with whom we work year-round. The Angels will be available at the church as well as online via the Atrium Facebook Page beginning November 27 (or possibly sooner). Please contact Susan Reed at susanr@broadwaybaptist.org if you have any questions. If you're unable to shop and would like to financially sponsor an angel, please contact Susan as well.

Advent Devotionals

The Season of Advent begins November 27 and lasts until Christmas day. Each day of advent there will be a reflection posted on our Social media pages. Please follow and share! There will also be devotion guides available at the church.

Reminders!







Quarterly Business Meeting

NOVEMBER 16TH AT 6:00 P.M. IN FRIENDSHIP HALL

ONLINE OPTION IS ALSO AVAILABLE! IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT CANDACE AT CANDACE@BROADWAYBAPTIST.ORG

LOUISVILLE ORCHESTRA HOLIDAY CONCERT DECEMBER 13TH AT 7:00 P.M.

THE LOUISVILLE ORCHESTRA IS DEDICATING THIS CONCERT IN MEMORY OF JIM RAGO.

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