

Broadway Beacon

A Letter from the Pastor

Beloved Broadway,

These are good days. Our Minister to Youth search has come to a marvelous conclusion with the unanimous calling of Alissa Vance at Quarterly Business Meeting in February. Alissa is a first year at Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, and a recent graduate of DePaul University in Chicago. Alissa is a Louisville native, and when I spoke with her Youth Minister from Beargrass Christian where she grew up she sang Alissa's praises far and wide. Out of the interviews we did have, Alissa was the only candidate who expressed a truly deep excitement and curiosity about working with youth. With a sincerity and joy she said multiple times, "I really can't wait to meet them." After getting to spend Passport Camp and DiscipleNow with our youth, I can honestly say they are some of the funniest, brightest, coolest, and most mature youth I have known in 17 years of ordained Gospel ministry. Alissa is going to be a blessing to our youth, an asset on our Staff Team, and a gift to our church family.



Introducing Alissa Vance

As we turn the page towards Lent, our theme for this year is Seeking: Honest Questions for Deeper Faith. Lent provides us an annual invitation to shed the scales from our eyes and see ourselves, our lives, our relationships, and our God with fresh eyes. Starting anew is one of the hardest tasks we do, but this work is necessary. Like piercing dried clods of dirt with holy plough-shares, we turn the earth over and over until enough fodder, light, and oxygen bring the soil of our souls back to life. Then, and only then, can seeds sprout and growth begin. As we begin this journey, I share with you the words of Rev. Sarah Speed from Sanctified Art,

Is this the fast I choose? Will I wake with the sun each morning? Will I start with thank you? Will I peel back the cage around my frame to let you in or will I get too busy? Will my Bible collect dust on the shelf, along with my journal, along with my sense of self, or will I roll back the stone and wade in?

Every new season beckons something of us— attention, beauty, the chance to create.

This season is no different. So, like moths to the light, will we find our way toward God, or will we hover, circling fake suns? I am seeking something deeper. I am kicking off my shoes. I am starting this season on holy ground.

Poem by Rev. Sarah Speed

Grace & Peace,

Pastor Kevin



COME CAMP WITH US!

@ KID'S NIGHT OUT



Friday, March 10th, 2023

6:00 - 10:00 PM



Broadway Family Life Center

Come in your PJs for pizza, snacks, crafts and a movie!

RSVP to Ann Hale by March 3rd to reserve your spot!

familyministry@broadwaybaptist.org

Save the Date!

Easter Egg Hunt



Broadway Baptist Church

April 8 at 10:00 A.M.

MUSIC MINISTRY

BBC CHOIRS

As we prepare for both the Lenten and Easter worship services, this is a great time to get involved with the music ministry at BBC.

Look below and see where you can offer your time and talents:

Chancel Choir, Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

Bell Choir, Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

Children's Choir, Sundays at 12 noon

Preschool Music Activity Choir, Sundays at 9:45 a.m.

WORSHIP

April 2 Palm Sunday Celebration

April 6 Maundy Thursday Service

April 9 Resurrection Sunday, Kentucky Brass, Timpani, Organ,
and Chancel Choir

BROADWAY ARTS ACADEMY

A big shout out to our church volunteers who offer a warm word of welcome to our students and teachers each week. Thank You!

Our second 7 week session for preschool music, art classes, and ballroom dancing starts the first week of March. Please go to our web page, <http://www.broadwaybaptist.org/broadwayarts>, if you are interested and register there asap.

The BAA spring recital is Sunday, April 23. All are welcome to attend!





Spring Missions Sale

March 3-4, 2023

Pay Double Preview- Friday, March 3rd 6-8 pm

Saturday from 8 am- noon

Upcoming Spring Recital & Gallery

Save the Date!



Spring Recital & Gallery

Sunday April 23rd, 2023

1:00- 3:00 PM

Broadway Baptist Church



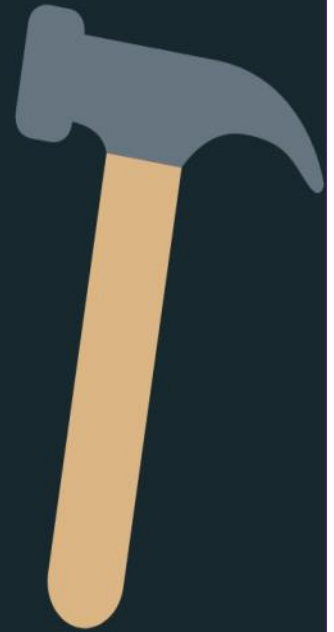
Habitat for Humanity

Baptist House Build

Raise the Roof

March 9-11

Contact **Sharon Davis** for more
information at sdavis217@gmail.com



Upcoming LifeTimers Event

Lifetimers Game Day

11:30 AM | MARCH 14

BRING A LUNCH/SNACK FOR SOME
FELLOWSHIP AND FUN



Throughout February and March we will be collecting hats, gloves and scarfs (child - adult sizes) that will be used in Mission boxes for next Christmas. Donations may be left in the Love in Action bins. So be on the lookout for those clearance sales!

THANK YOU!

Dear Broadway Baptist Church:

Happy 2023! As we move forward into a new year, your support is - as always - instrumental to the overall success of Simmons College of Kentucky. We are encouraged by your support as we introduce new programs and initiatives that will propel student success. Stay tuned for special announcements this year including new community partnerships with key constituents like our new Second Chance Program.

Thank you again for uplifting Louisville's HBCU in 2023 and beyond. We can't do this work without you!

Thank you,

Von Purdy, VP of Institutional Advancement and Community Engagement
Glenn Davis, VP of Development

Rebecca Smith, Alumni Affairs Director/Development Office Liaison

Claudette Linder, Grants Liaison/Simmons is Me

CHENOWETH CHARGER BAGS

We are now packing 135 bags for students at Chenoweth each week. We have a great team of volunteers who help with this process from start to delivery! If you would like to sign up to help throughout the week - here's a link to the signup genius!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050E4DADAB2DA7F58-chenoweth1>

We are also in need of hearty canned soups with pull top lids or ravioli/pasta cans with pull top lids. You may leave these in the Love in Action Bins around the church.



The Recreation Team will be hosting its monthly hike on Sunday, March 5th. Our next monthly hike will be taking place on Sunday, March 5th at the Creasy Mahan Nature Preserve in Goshen. Address: 12501 Harmony Landing Road. Sharon Davis will be our guide that day. We will be setting out on the trails @ 1:30 PM. Please contact Curtis Barman @ #930-6420 if you have any questions.

Pickleball is in full-swing! We're now playing on Tuesdays @ 6:30 p.m. ALL skill levels are welcome. Come join us!



UPCOMING EVENTS

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Women on Mission Spring Luncheon
Saturday March 18, 2023

11 am

Table of 8 - \$25/person

Enjoy Jonathan Oblander on piano

RSVP Donna Williams call/text 502.774.0515



NOW ACCEPTING DONATIONS **FOR THE SPRING LUNCHEON** **SILENT AUCTION**

CONTACT CONNIE ROGERS CALL/TEXT 502.592.9392
OR EMAIL CGORDONROGERS@AOL.COM

BBC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ALERT

We Need Volunteers!

**PLEASE CONSIDER SIGNING UP FOR
CHILDCARE DURING WORSHIP**

Please contact Ann Hale
Familyministry@broadwaybaptist.org



Wednesday Night Dinners

Wednesday, March 1

5:30– Dinner Line opens
6:00 – Bible Study, led by Kevin
6:00– Elementary Missions, led by Ann Hale

Wednesday, March 8

5:30– Dinner Line opens
6:00 – Bible Study, led by Kevin
6:00– Elementary Missions, led by Ann Hale

Wednesday, March 15

5:30– Dinner Line opens
6:00 – Bible Study, led by Kevin
6:00– Elementary Missions, led by Ann Hale

Wednesday, March 22

5:30– Dinner Line opens
6:00 – Bible Study, led by Kevin
6:00– Elementary Missions, led by Ann Hale

Wednesday, March 29

5:30– Dinner Line opens
6:00 – Bible Study, led by Kevin
6:00– Elementary Missions, led by Ann Hale

(Permanent or standing reservations are available. If you are unable to attend, the reservation must be canceled by Monday 1:00pm or you will be responsible for the charge.)

Gather around and join us for Wednesday Night Dinners and Bible Study!

March Dinner Menus

March 1, 2023.

Meatloaf w/Brown Gravy
Macaroni & Cheese
Sweet Pea Salad
Warm Biscuit

March 8, 2023.

Roast Pork Loin
Au gratin Potatoes
Green Beans
Corn Muffin

March 15, 2023.

Chicken Cacciatore
Rice
Garlic Bread
Spinach & Strawberry
Salad

March 22, 2023.

Beef Tips & Mushrooms
Buttered Parsleyed
Noodles
Broccoli Salad
Warm Biscuit

March 29, 2023.

BBQ Pork Sandwich
Potato Salad
Cole Slaw

Sanctuary Flowers

If you would like to sponsor flowers for the Sanctuary on Sunday mornings, these are the available dates for 2023:

- July 30
- August 6

Please contact Nancy Stopher (stopher@bellsouth.net) to reserve your Sunday.



March 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>Supper & Study Kids Missions</i>	2	3 <i>Spring Missions Sale</i>	4 <i>Spring Missions Sale</i>
5 <i>Sunday School Worship</i>	6	7 6:30 p.m. <i>Pickleball</i>	8 <i>Supper & Study Kids Missions</i>	9 <i>Habitat For Humanity Baptist House</i>	10 <i>Habitat For Humanity Baptist House Kids Night Out</i>	11 <i>Habitat For Humanity Baptist House</i>
12 <i>Sunday School Worship</i>	13 <i>Deacons Meeting</i>	14 6:30 p.m. <i>Pickleball</i>	15 <i>Supper & Study Kids Missions</i>	16	17	18 <i>Women's Spring Luncheon</i>
19 <i>Sunday School Worship</i>	20	21 6:30 p.m. <i>Pickleball</i>	22 <i>Supper & Study Kids Missions</i>	23	24	25
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DID YOU KNOW?

Throughout the week, our building is open not only for Broadway mission, ministry, and activities like Bible study small groups, the Arts Academy, and mission projects like Chenoweth Charger Bag packing, but we also host groups in our community. These groups range from Yoga classes, to community meetings like PEO, to more Pickleballers than you can shake a paddle at. One of our guest groups led by one of our members has an invitation:

Greg Rash coordinates a Men's Bible Study group that has been meeting together for years. Recently, we started hosting them on Saturday mornings at 8:00 in the Overlook Room (Yes, there is coffee!). This interdenominational, international group gathers in-person and via Zoom with folks in Fort Knox, Eastern Kentucky, and even all the way in Australia and South Africa. If you would like to learn more please feel free to contact Greg Rash at gslash01@gmail.com or 502-263-3323.

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