

RATES

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tial increases apply to the following rates:

- Residential, Schools and Churches – increase from \$17.62 to \$25.00
- Prepay Service – consumer facility charge per month – an increase from

\$17.62 to \$25.00; consumer facility charge per day – an increase from \$0.59 to \$0.82

- Schedule 1 Res. T.O.D. – increase from \$20.73 to \$25.00
- Schedule 2 Small Commercial Small Power – an increase from \$19.69 to \$27.07
- Schedule 2 Small Commercial Small Power – increase from \$26.17 to \$33.00

- Schedule 5 Inclining Block Rate – an increase from \$10.26 to \$17.64

According to the data provided, the increase amounts to a 3.9% increase across the board. A complete breakdown of the proposed rate increase can be found at <https://www.cumberland-valley.coop/public-notice>

classrooms and increased seating capacity in the sanctuary, a nursery, conference room, kitchen, restrooms, office spaces, and a new Kingdom Kidz area will further enhance the church’s operations.

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for all who would enter its doors.

The church was established in what was once an old dry cleaner store in 1962 as a mission of Barbourville’s First Baptist Church. That original mission was called the Highway Chapel Mission of First Baptist Church. What was originally just a series of Sunday School class meetings in a borrowed building has flourished over 60 years into the body we see today, known for its mission efforts at home and abroad.

The congregation was challenged to participate in the Chest of Joash Offering, following a message from Pastor Joshua K. Smith, who has led the congregation since 2012, on 2 Chronicles 24:1-14. In summary, Israel was challenged by Joash in four ways, to which Pastor Smith echoed to his congregation:

- He challenged them to consider the evaluation
- He challenged them to embrace the vision.
- He challenged them to support the collection.
- He challenged them to complete the restoration.

“If we are saved then we should want to ensure that East Barbourville Baptist

Church is strategically positioned to be a continued blessing in the community where she was planted more than sixty years ago,” Pastor Smith wrote on the church’s blog.

In addition to new



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Community Calendar



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Fax to 606-546-3175, or bring to 214 Knox Street, Barbourville, KY 40906

Al-Anon meets weekly

Al-Anon (Support for Families and Friends of Alcoholics) meets weekly on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church in Barbourville.

Therapeutic Foster Care

Benchmark Family Services is a Therapeutic Foster Care agency offering free orientation classes for anyone interested in information about becoming a Foster Parent. Please call our office at 606-526-6992 for more information.

Museum closed temporarily, looks ahead to new home

The Knox Historical Museum, which has been closed since 2023, has been promised by local, county and state officials a space in a future Knox County building.

Judge Executive Mike Mitchell, State Representative Tom O’Dell Smith and Kentucky Senate President Robert Stivers informed museum officials at that a future location for the museum is assured.

With the planned Barbourville Municipal Building restricted to one floor, the city board was unable to offer a location in its new building, so we are grateful for the officials’ planned offer for a permanent home in one of their new facilities.

Redemption & Recovery

Each Friday at 12:30 p.m. Redemption & Recovery meets at East Barbourville Baptist Church. Lunch provided.

Feed My Sheep Community Meal

Feed My Sheep Community Meal is once again starting our free weekly meal. We will serve on each Thursday at 6 p.m. except for 1st Thursday of the month. Hope to see all our old friends. We are located in Corbin on College St in The Barn.

VA Service Officer Hours

A certified and trained VA Service Officer on

03-03-2025 will be at the London DAV at 300 DAV Lane, London on Mondays and Thursdays from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM to assist all veterans and dependents on submitting claims for benefits. This service is free to everyone. For more information contact Johnny Miller at 470-213-6698 or email chapter66london@yahoo.com or call the main office at 606-877-1308.

Williamsburg Gospel Barn hosts Evening of Gospel Music

Williamsburg Gospel Barn invites you an evening of gospel music with the Praise Singers of Irvin, KY, and Sandi & Kagen from Hazard, KY, on Saturday, March 29th at 6 p.m.. Admission is free. Doors now open at 5 p.m. with open mic.

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church hosts Special Singing

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church at Bailey Switch will be having a special singing Sunday, March 30th beginning at 10:30 a.m. Singers will be The Potters Will. Pastor James Bar-go and congregation invite everyone to attend

Knox County Caner Patient Fund’s 4th Annual Chicken & Dumpling Dinner

You’re invited to the 4th Annual Chicken & Dumpling Dinner!

When: Saturday, April 5th

What Time: 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Or Until We Are Out Of Food)

Where At: Scalf Chapel Fellowship Hall, 3090 KY-3439, Bimble, KY 40915

\$10 Per Person

Dinner, Dessert, & a Drink (To-Go Plates Also Available)

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- Federal Public Housing Assistance or Section 8
- Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
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- National School Lunch Program’s Free Lunch Program

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KCPS events

KNOX COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Mar 2025

TUE
25

5:30 pm · **KC Softball vs.Middlesboro – away**

6:00 pm · **Lynn Camp Baseball vs. Berea – away**

6:00 pm · **KC Baseball vs. Clay County – home**

THU
27

6:00 pm · **KC Softball vs.Williamsburg – away**

6:00 pm · **KC Baseball vs. Bell County – away**

FRI
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6:00 pm · **Lynn Camp Baseball vs. Powell County – at Lynn Camp Middle**

SUN
30

3:00 pm · **KC Softball vs.Avonworth (Pittsburgh), PA – at The Ripken Experience**

6:30 pm · **KC Baseball vs. Raceland – at The Ripken Experience**

MON
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All day **Spring Break**

11:00 am **KC Baseball vs. West Geauga Local Schools (Chesterland), OH – at The Ripken Experience**

8:15 pm · **KC Softball vs.Ic Catholic Prep (Elmhurst), IL – at The Ripken Experience**

Apr 2025

TUE
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All day **Spring Break**

10:00 am **Lynn Camp Softball vs. DuPont Manual – at ESPN WWS Complex**

6:00 pm · **KC Softball vs.Tri-County North (Lewisburg), OH – at The Ripken Experience**

PARENT ENGAGEMENT SURVEY

Please take time in the upcoming week to complete our online survey. It will help us better serve our families.



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