



The Chimes

Sunday, September 13, 2009

FALL 2009

The new church year has started; we have many new programs and events scheduled.

Highlights include:

Today:

New Worship format begins
New Women's BFG begins
AWANA begins

September 18:

Esther Ladies Banquet
Middle School Mania

September 20:

Youth Choir begins

September 25

High School Mania

October 11:

Quarterly Business
Conference

October 17:

Golf Tournament

October 18:

Homecoming

October 31:

Fall Festival

WELCOME TO VILLAGE BAPTIST CHURCH

If you are a guest with us today, you are special to us. Please take a moment to fill out the guest information card and place it in the offering plate.

New Worship Hours

Sunday, Starting Today

New Schedule:

9:30 a.m. Contemporary

11:00 a.m. Blended

6:00 p.m. Traditional

G.A. Helpers Needed

For Girls' Missions

For 3rd & 4th graders on
Wednesdays from 6:45-7:30
p.m. Contact Susan McGann
(485-2844)
or call the church office.

New BFG Class

For Ladies

Join Donna Mann &
Leigh Anne McLean as we
begin a new class today
at 9:30 a.m.
in room 1108.

reach...

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE JAN. 29-31

Join Phyllis Washington & Vickie Burge, along with conference worship leaders Shawna O'Briant & Marcia Johnson, at the Baptist Assembly at Ft. Caswell. Bring your hurting heart and allow Jesus to give you a heart of "Healing & Hope". Cost is \$150 for the conference, two nights accommodations and five meals. Register on Sundays in the Commons Area. Space is limited. Contact Phyllis Washington (964-0317 or PHOUWASH1@yahoo.com).

"ESTHER" LADIES BANQUET

All the ladies of the church are invited to attend this banquet on Friday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$10 and are on sale on Sundays. Childcare by reservation. Questions - call Cindy Sanderson (850-1769).

* *Last Sunday to buy tickets: today.*

SENIOR ADULT FALL CONVENTION

The 29th Annual NSRBA Fall Convention will be held on Monday, October 5 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Snyder Memorial Baptist Church. The program will include music, drama, and guest speaker Dr. Randy White. Cost is \$5.00 per person and reservations are required by September 23. Transportation will be available from Village. Contact Eastland in the church office to make your reservation.

PRESCHOOL/DAYCARE OPENINGS

We have spots available in the 4 year half day class, & the 3 year full day class. Call the Preschool office (486-5544).

MILITARY CHILDCARE

Our church is offering complimentary childcare. These dates will be Saturdays from 9:00 a.m.-noon on Sep. 26, Oct. 24, Nov. 14, Dec. 5. Make your children's reservation (babies-12 yr.) at the Preschool Welcome Center.

SINGLES BIBLE STUDY CANCELED

On Monday, September 14, the study is canceled.

YOUTH CHOIR

Choir begins Sunday, September 20 at 4:30 p.m. This is a great way to serve your church; youth choir will sing several times each month. There will also be a fantastic tour/summer camp experience, but you must join now to be part of things later. Contact Rev. Marty Spena or Rev. Lee O'Briant (678-7178).

MISSION OPPORTUNITY MEETING

Join us on Sunday, September 20 at 5:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. This is an informational meeting for the trip to Pallisa, Uganda. This trip will include: children's ministry, medical missions, volleyball tournament for the village youth and an evangelistic rally. Contact Frank Pierce (oldcopret@earthlink.net / 303-4991).

OPERATION BANDANAS

Volunteers are needed to fold and package Psalm 91 bandanas for our troops. We will meet **Tuesday, September 15** from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. in the front foyer of the sanctuary. Thank you!

discipleship/evangelism

THE FAITH, GIVEN ONCE FOR ALL

This course, based on Charles Colson's latest book, begins tonight at 6:00 p.m. in HS building room 1106. This course identifies the unshakable tenets of the faith that Christians have believed through the centuries - truths that offer a ground for faith in uncertain times, hope and joy for those who despair, and reconciliation for a world at war with God and itself.

LIVING OUT ACTS - STUDENT APOLOGETICS

(Open to all high school students of any high school.) Next meeting: Monday, Sept. 21 at 7:15 p.m. in HS room 2204. The focus of this group will be to train our 9th-12th grade students to be able to answer tough questions about Christianity; to be able to lovingly defend their faith. This will give them opportunities to engage skeptics and lead them to Christ. If you're interested, contact Kevin Duffy in the church office. (Student contacts: Lauren Stephenson & Sean Murphy).

THE CASE FOR FAITH

We will resume our study of Lee Strobel's "The Case for Faith" tonight in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00 p.m. If you're following along in the book, we're finishing chapter 1 tonight. (The course is open to anyone who wishes to attend and books are not required.)

serve...

ATTENTION ALL MEN

Our boys grades 1-6 need you to help them in our R.A. program. We need at least four more leaders and helpers to teach missions to our young men. Perhaps you can teach knot tying, small engine repair, survival skills or carpentry; we need you as a model of real Christian men to show our boys how to live for Christ. Call Rev. Nick (678-7178).

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES FOR WHICH YOUR CHURCH NEEDS YOU

Preschool Ministries needs five workers
Children's Division needs four workers
Youth Division needs four workers
To volunteer, contact:
Linda McGirt, Rev. Nick Smith or
Rev. Lee O'Briant (678-7178).



F.A.I.T.H.

Salvations

F.A.I.T.H. Evangelism training had their second night of visitation this week
 - and we saw 10 people accept Jesus Christ as Lord!

**Please Note: we will NOT be having F.A.I.T.H. this coming Tuesday due to the staff retreat. F.A.I.T.H. training will resume on September 22.*

EXTENDED TEACHING CARE

- Welcome CenterDiann Hockenberry
- Angel BandDiana Dodd
- Treasure ToterElliott Vann
- Cradle CleanerAlicia Kuch
- 0-4 mosKristin & Craig Kerbo
- 5-8 mosRandi & Brendon Boyd
- 15-18 mos (1A)Jackie & Candace Taylor
- 19-29 mos (1B)Cecilia & Paul Dean
- 2 Year AJenn & Ash Hill
- 2 Year BJudy & Michael Eanes
- 3 Year APearl Boettcher, Julia Ramage
- 3 Year BTracy & Nicole Lee
- Kingdom Kids Rm. 122, 4 Yr:Heather & Elliot Vann
- Rm. 123, K-5, TK-1:Stacey Shaw, Kristie Smith

BUILDING & GROUNDS

Shea Chilton (On Call) Cell 322-3615

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL

SEPT. 16: Pork loin, rice pilaf, butter beans, cornbread, dessert.
Children's choice menu - Mac 'n cheese or pizza or PB&J.
 Call the church office by noon Monday to be added to or taken off the list for Wednesday. Serving time: 5:00-6:25 p.m.

CALENDAR DATES

- Sun. Sept. 13** New Worship Hours Begin
- Mon. Sept. 14** 6:15 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
- Mon. Sept. 14** Singles Bible Study Canceled
- Tues. Sept. 15** 9:30 a.m. Bandanas Folding Party
- Tues. Sept. 15** F.A.I.T.H. Canceled
- Thur. Sept. 17** All Budgets Due
- Fri. Sept. 18** 6:00 p.m. Esther Ladies Banquet
- Fri. Sept. 18** 9:00 p.m. Middle School Mania
- Sun. Sept. 20** 5:00 p.m. Missions Meeting

REGULAR WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

- 7:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal for 11:00 a.m.
- 8:15 a.m. Bible Fellowship Groups (BFG)
- 9:00 a.m. Library Open (till noon)
- 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship / Bible Study / Youth BFG
- 11:00 a.m. Blended Worship / Worship KidStyle / Youth BFG
- 4:30 p.m. Youth Choir
- 5:15 p.m. AWANA
- 6:00 p.m. Traditional Worship / Apologetics Courses

MONDAY

- 8:00 a.m. Seniors Golf
- 7:00 p.m. Singles & College-Career Bible Study / BSF
- 7:15 p.m. Living Out Acts Student Apologetics

TUESDAY

- 8:00 a.m. Moms In Touch
- 5:00 p.m. F.A.I.T.H. Dinner (Resumes September 22)

WEDNESDAY

- 6:00 a.m. Promise Keepers @ JK's Restaurant
- 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Meal
- 5:45 p.m. Children's Music
- 6:00 p.m. Discipleship Courses
- 6:30 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study & Prayer / Youth Worship
- 6:30 p.m. Praise Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Missions
- 7:10 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

SATURDAY

- 7:00 p.m. TV Ministry Rebroadcast (cable channel 60)

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

11:00 am Morning Service

PreludeDr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell
Ancient of DaysPraise Team and Choir
Come, Now Is the Time to WorshipCongregation
Welcome and GreetingDr. Bruce O. Martin
Praise the Lord Ye Heavens BH 36Congregation
Your NameCongregation
There Is None Like YouCongregation
Pastoral PrayerDr. Bruce O. Martin
Unto the KingSanctuary Choir

Message

Dr. Bruce O. Martin
"Treating a Virus"
Psalm 9

Near the Cross/Speak ... Heart BH 280/281 ...Congregation
OffertoryRev. Marty Spena
Amazing Grace BH 330Congregation
PostludeDr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

Evening Service

PreludeRonda Spena
Call to WorshipPsalm 100/Doxology
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore TheeBH #7
Special MusicSusanna Dodd
Welcome/FellowshipDr. Bruce Martin
Responsive Reading #710Life Eternal

Hymn Medley

When We All Get to HeavenBH #514
There's a Land that Is Fairer than DayBH #515
When the Roll Is Called Up YonderBH #516
Pastoral PrayerDr. Bruce O. Martin
OffertoryPiano/Organ Duet
Choir SpecialStep into the Water
SermonDr. Bruce O. Martin
Invitation Hymn: Just As I AmBH #307
PostludeDr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

Sermon Notes

Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today in celebration of Cindy & Jim Crow's 40th wedding anniversary by their children and grandchildren.

Special Prayer Concerns

Ellen Faircloth, Linda Hayes,
Robert Kelley, Joyce Strange

NEW Worship Times (begins today)

Sunday: 9:30, 11:00 a.m. / 6:00 p.m.

Budget Receipts Through 9-6

Weekly Need	\$60,669.31
Received this Week	\$58,755.33
Year-to-Date Needs	\$2,184,095.16
Received to Date	\$2,042,484.14
Planned Budget Receipts to Date	-\$141,611.02
On Solid Ground This Week	\$2,175.00
On Solid Ground Year to Date	\$67,495.33

Church Debt

\$6,778,599.55