

...from Ken Reed

## We Are Proud of You!

Congratulations to **Cody & Calvin Davis**, who were baptized this past Sunday evening by their father & grandfather. We are so proud of both of you and pray for a long life in service to Christ.

## Lads to Leaders

Here are some important dates and reminders for the 2010 convention:

~**This** year's theme is "Faith is the Victory"

~**Second** night hotel charges are due TODAY-\$132 per night

~**Puppet** practices will begin on Sunday, January 31st

## Valentine's Banquet

Our annual Valentine's Banquet will be February 13th. We will meet at the building on Friday, February 12th from 6:30-9pm to decorate & prepare food. Please eat dinner before you come. We will meet again on Saturday at 1 pm to finish decorations & food. Don't forget to bring your dressy clothes for that evening.

■ Puppet Practice Begins	Jan. 31
■ Youth to Conduct PM Worship	Jan. 31
■ Valentine's Banquet Prep	Feb. 12
■ Valentine's Banquet	Feb. 13
■ Let It Shine	Feb. 21
■ CYC in Gatlinburg	Feb. 26-28
■ Kite Day	Mar. 27
■ Lads to Leaders Convention	April 2-4
■ Graduates Reception	May 16
■ Bible Camp	June 13-18
■ Horizons at FHU	July 4-10



## Ladies Brunch Recap

Last Saturday our young ladies hosted our annual Ladies Inspirational brunch. This brunch honors the important ladies in their lives. They did a tremendous job preparing and service the food, decorating and presenting a short program. They were beautiful hostesses. A huge thank you goes to Beth Lincoln, Lori Reed and Katie Vanderpool for assisting with this annual event. Thanks also to our guests for braving the cold and joining us for this memorable morning.

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### ELDERS:

Dan Cottrell  
John Cottrell  
Jerald Hill  
Joe Russell  
Stoney Warren

### DEACONS:

Dale Alden-*Education*  
David Broome-*Technology*  
John Bufford-*Building & Grounds*  
Ken Cooley-*Senior Activities*  
David Cost-*Benevolence*  
Chris Doughtie-*Education*  
Lee Floyd-*Benevolence*  
Chris Graham-*Office Admin.*  
Herb Jones-*Building & Grounds*  
Len McKnatt-*Family Assistance*  
Michael Meade-*Education*  
Trey Pratt-*Member Involvement*  
Jerry Pritchett-*Edification Groups*  
Jeff Rhodes-*Truth for the World*  
Walter Rice-*Foreign Missions*  
Cullen Rodgers-*Fellowship/Adv.*  
Mark Sullivan-*Family Life*  
Dave Sweeney-*Worship*

### MINISTERS:

Dan Cottrell  
Ken Reed

### SECRETARY:

Pam Cost

Sunday, January 17, 2010

Services for the Hearing Impaired

# Glorify God

Southern Hills will hear two outstanding guest speakers today. Ken Hardison will preach this morning. He will also teach Dan's Bible class. Ron Maynard, who teaches our Fishers of Men class, will preach this afternoon at 5pm. We look forward to hearing both of these brethren.

The unusually cold winter weather has been hard on all of us. And there is almost certainly more to come. The cold weather has not helped church attendance (though thankfully it has not really hurt it that much). I want to encourage you to attend as many worship services and Bible classes as you can, even during this winter period. I know it is sometimes hard to get out in this cold weather. I also know that there are times when we will be "under the weather." But you and your family need to be here for worship and Bible study every time you can. We look forward to seeing you!

Remember that everything that God has said and/or done is for His glory. At the same time everything that we say or do is to be to His glory (1 Cor. 10: 31). Please keep that in mind. We are to live our lives in such a way as to glorify God and His Son (Col. 3: 17; Matt. 5: 13-16). The way we live our lives is going to influence someone else to follow Christ. It may be your mate or child. It may be a friend, neighbor, family member or classmate. "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven" (Mt. 5: 16).

~ Dan Cottrell

### SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"Two Chosen Vessels"  
(Proverbs 8: 32-36)

### SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

Ron Maynard

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**SICK/PRAYER LIST**



**Darian Carroll** is now in Room #8308 at Baptist Hospital. He is the husband of Paula Seagraves.

**Lindsey Eaton** is at home now following surgery on Monday. She is doing well.

**Ken Cooley** fell and has 2 broken ribs and a very bruised hip. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Bobbie Wilhoite** is in Centennial Hospital. She will be transferred to NHC in Cool Springs later for rehab to try to regain her strength.

**Continue to remember:** Ann Berger, Joe Russell, Nell Buttrey, Wilma Gower, Naoma Simmons, Wayman Johnston, Mary Allen, Samantha Abbott, Madelyn Gregg, Charlotte Haffner, Gerry Adcock, William Turner & Cherry Bolles.

Continue to remember our shut-ins:

- Evelyn Billings
- Marie Oakley (Wellington Place, Brentwood, #209)

**GREETERS for January:**

Elvis & Mary Lee Caldwell  
Wesley Fox

**Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:**

**TODAY:** Ben Alden & George Head  
**Jan. 24:** Slade Pratt & Mason McKnatt

**\*Sign-up Deadline\***

Sign up sheets are out for several activities, including being involved in the **food groups**. If you have signed up in the past, **please sign again**. The schedule is made from this new list every year. The last day to sign up for all activities will be on Sunday, January 24th.

**Save The Date!**

Our annual "Afternoon at Let It Shine" will be February 21st from 2-4pm. Make plans to be at this fun-filled family outing. Watch for more information & sign up sheet the beginning of February!

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The **Ladies Bible Class and Men's Prayer Group** will meet on Wednesday morning at 10am.

Our speaker on Wednesday, January 20th will be Merle Grizzell from Eastern European Mission.

The Fishers of Men class will meet here at the building on Monday nights beginning at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome, even if you did not sign up.

Edification Team B, the Mike Meade team, will not meet tonight.

Last Sunday morning Calvin and Cody Davis were baptized - one by his father, the other by his grandfather. We want to congratulate Cody & Calvin on their decision! They are the twin sons of Phoebe and Jimmy Davis!

**Welcome New Members**  
**Matthew and Jennifer Ensor**



Vail, Katy & Micah  
2237 Bowman Road  
Franklin, TN 37064  
Cell Phone: 615-519-3734

Please add the Ensors to your directory!

**Congratulations** to...

**JOE & MISTY FORTNER** on the birth of their baby boy, **Anderson Kenneth Fortner**. He was born Wednesday morning at 6:30am. He weighed 7 lb. 5 oz. & was 20 3/4" long. Everyone is doing well!



**Change of Address**

**Cullen, Kendra,**  
**Berkley & Perry Rodgers**  
5009 Destin Lane  
College Grove, TN 37046  
Phone: 615-599-1711

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal**

**THIS Wednesday,**  
**January 20th ~ 6PM**

**On The Menu:**



**Italian Dinner**

**Sign Up By Tonight**

**\*Baby Shower for the Abbotts\***

The ladies of the congregation are invited to a baby shower for the Abbott twins next Sunday, January 24th here in the fellowship hall. The time will be from 2:00pm to 3:30pm. They are registered at Target, Babys-R-Us and Amazon.com.

**Thank You...**

Thank you very much for the calls, cards, visits and the plant. Your caring and concern during my surgery is greatly appreciated.

In Christian Love, Gary Irwin

The Alexander family wishes to thank everyone for the flowers, cards, letters and all expressions of sympathy after the death of Bob's brother.

Lucy Helms would like to thank everyone for all the goodies brought to her, for the cards, prayers, visits and everything that has been done for her. She's hoping to be out to services soon.

We want to thank **Mary McCormick** for the great job she did replenishing our visitor cards & pencils!

**CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR January:**

- 3-5 Years: Ashley Helm
- K-7 Years: Ken & Lori Reed

**THOSE TO SERVE**

**TODAY ~ SUNDAY, January 17, 2010**

**Ushers:** Jimmy Davis, Wesley Fox,  
David Allen Heffington

**Preside at Lord's Table:** Walter Rice

**Serve the Lord's Supper:** John Cottrell,  
Herb Jones, Bob Poston, David T. Sweeney

**Reader:** Chris Doughtie

**Opening Prayer:** Shad Herbert

**Closing Prayer:** Donald Smith

**TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:**

**P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper:** Wes Head

**P.M. Reader:** Chris Doughtie

**Opening Prayer:** Mike Meade

**Closing Prayer:** Dale Alden

**THIS WEDNESDAY, January 20, 2010**

**Opening Prayer:** Ken Hardison

**Closing Prayer:** Jerald Hill

**THE RECORD**

**Last Sunday (1/10)** Morning Worship 273  
Sun. School 236

PM Worship 286  
**Wed. Night (1/13)** Bible Study 156

**Contribution Last Sunday** \$ 9,420.00

**Contribution YTD** 19,015.00

**Contribution Goal YTD** 21,964.00

**NURSERY - TODAY: January 17, 2010**

**AM:** Carolyn Pratt & Norma Cost

**PM:** Katie Vanderpool & Jean Sweeney



**NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, January 24th**

**AM:** Rebecca Andrews & Mary Bawcom

**PM:** Cleta Alexander & Kelli Messmer

**BUILDING LOCK-UP - January**

Lee Floyd & Cullen Rodgers

**COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - January**

The Cost Families

**FOOD GROUP LEADERS - January**

Joan Richardson - 790-2484

Norma Cost - 931/486-0462

**QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (Jan.-March)**

Joe Russell