

...from Ken Reed

Bible Bowl News & Notes

~~ Our annual Adult Bible Bowl Challenge is this Wednesday, September 8th. We will need 20 adults to participate in this annual event. If you can be involved please let Ken know. Read Exodus, and be ready to go head to head with our young people.

~~ Today is our last practice! Practice will be at 3:30pm. We will be reviewing chapters 1-24 of Exodus (excluding Chapter 6).


~~ On September 10th the church van will be leaving promptly at 4 pm. Please let Ken Reed know if your child will be on the van. Everyone who rides the van needs to have a current insurance card and signed waiver on file.

~~ All parents and Bible Bowl supporters are invited to join us on September 11th at TN Tech for a picnic lunch. If you are planning to attend, please sign up on the board in the hall by **TODAY** so we will know how much food to prepare. Bible Bowl participants **DO NOT** need to sign up - just additional family members and supporters.

RUSH at Freed Hardeman Univ.

RUSH at FHU is coming up in 2 weeks! We will leave on Friday, September 17th. Teens need to pack ALL bedding, towels, toiletries and casual clothes for the weekend. They will also need money for 6 meals. We plan to return around 1 pm on Sunday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY this week to
Caleb & Zach Rice
Who turn 14 Tomorrow!



Also celebrating this week is
CHANDLER FLOYD
Who Turns 13 on September 8th!
Hope you have a great day!

COMING EVENTS

■ Bible Bowl Practice at 3:30 pm	TODAY
■ Adult Bible Bowl Challenge	Sept. 8
■ Cookeville Bible Bowl	Sept. 11
■ RUSH @ FHU	Sept. 17-19
■ Family Hayride at the Rices'	Oct. 9
■ Fall Retreat	Oct. 29-31
■ Trunk or Treat	Oct. 31
■ CYC in Gatlinburg	Feb. 26-28, 2011

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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

~ BIBLE SCHOOL ~

Today we begin a new Bible School quarter. It is always an exciting time! We want to encourage you and your family to be a regular part of our Bible School program on both Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. We have classes for all ages. We have outstanding teachers. And the heart of our curriculum is always the Bible, the inspired word of God.

A new curriculum is to be introduced today for Pre-K through sixth grade. A very talented group of teachers, led by Chris and Mindy Doughtie, has prepared this new and exciting curriculum. They have spent many hours getting everything ready. It is going to be great! Please do not let your children and grandchildren miss this opportunity to study God's word!

The Sunday morning adult classes will be Ecclesiastes (Dale Alden), Life and Letters of Peter (Ken Hardison) and my continuing study of Revelation. The Wednesday night adult classes will be Singing (David Broome), Biblical Answers for Current Events (Ryan Haedge) and my class in Basic Bible Beliefs, which will begin with a study of how we got the Bible.

Why do we study the Bible? Because, as someone wrote, "There is a crying need for more Bible study among God's people. We need to renew our commitment to Bible School." Another author said, "His word must be the centerpiece of our Bible School program." There is no doubt that a good Bible School program contributes to both personal and congregational growth. BE IN BIBLE SCHOOL!

~ Dan Cottrell

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"Be In Bible School"
(Acts 17: 10-12)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

SINGING 

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SICK/PRAYER LIST



Joan Sparks has been diagnosed with pneumonia. She is taking an antibiotic and doctors were planning to proceed with her chemo treatments.

Deloras Lucas's doctors have found a spot on her lung, which is cancerous. They are doing tests to make sure she is strong enough for surgery. Your prayers and cards would be appreciated. Deloras is Mary Bawcom's mother. Her address: **303 Ridgewood Rd., Franklin, TN 37064**

Continue to remember: Joan & Paul Sparks, Stoney Warren, Joyce Taylor, Patsy Lutes, Melba Sims, Bob Bufford, Madelyn Gregg, John Daines, Jacquie LaBarbera, Bobbie Wilhoite, Joe Russell, Nell Buttrey, Wilma Gower, Odessa Barnhill, Charlotte Haffner, James & Ramelle Patterson, William Turner and Cherry Bolles.

Continue to remember our shut-ins:

- Evelyn Billings
- Marie Oakley (Wellington Place, Brentwood, #209)
- Mary Allen (Azalea Court in Smyrna)

South Dakota Update

We would like to thank everyone for their generosity in supporting the South Dakota Children's clothing give-away. We collected several boxes of clothing, along with blankets and coats. A truck from Dresden, TN will be here to pick up the items.

The Elders would also like the congregation to know that \$4,000 was collected in response to our request for donations for the Walker family's medical needs.

GREETERS for September:

Len & Haley McKnatt
Ryan & Rachel Haedge

Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:

TODAY: Caleb & Zach Rice
Sept. 12: Jake Rice & Curt Graham

In The Military

Sgt. Nathan C. Harris (nephew of the Smiths)
Clint Matocha (cousin of Rachel Potts)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tonight is our first Sunday of the month singing. Please be here at 6pm.

Also tonight Mindy Doughtie's dad, Joe Howell, will take a few minutes at the first part of the service to report on his recent mission trip to the Ukraine, which Southern Hills helped support. After his presentation we will have our regular singing period.

Our **Adult Bible Bowl Challenge** is on Wednesday, September 8th!

Ladies Bible Class and Men's Prayer Group will meet on Wednesday, September 8th at 10am.

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TOMORROW FOR THE HOLIDAY.

Welcome New Members

THOMAS AND JENNIFER BOWERS
Reid & Alex



3046 Wilson Pike
Franklin, TN 37067
Home: 615.599.7184

Please add the Bowers Family to Your Directory

Eastern European Mission Dinner

You are invited to attend the Annual Eastern European Mission Dinner on **Thursday, Sept. 16th at 7pm**. It will be held at the Embassy

Suites in Cool Springs. There are sign up sheets both in the foyer and on the back bulletin board, along with additional information. If you have any questions, talk to Joe Russell or Walter Rice.

If anyone would like to have the Lord's Supper brought to them at their home, please contact the church office or call **Trey Pratt** at **931/490-1854**.



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~ Fish Fry ~

Our Fish Fry is coming up on Saturday, September 18th beginning at **5pm**, (not 6pm as previously announced), rain or shine. There are sign up sheets out. It's not necessary, but if you would like to bring something, desserts are always welcome. Please indicate beside your signature if you will be bringing a dessert.

~ Ladies Day ~

Our **Ladies Day** is scheduled for Sept. 25th and our speaker will be **Laurel Sewell**. Her topic will be **Patchwork of Life**. It will begin at 9am and brunch will be served. There are sign up sheets out. If you have questions, talk to Linda Cottrell.

~ Parents Night Out ~

Parents Night Out is scheduled for Friday, September 17th. Hosting parents will be the Haedge and Comer families. Sign up sheets are on the back bulletin board.

There will be no monthly fellowship meal in September due to the Fish Fry.

OCTOBER FUN. . .

October 9 - Family Hayride at the Rice Home
October 31 - Trunk or Treat

~ Teacher Needed ~

Children's Bible Hour is in need of a teacher for our K-7 class for the month of October. See Lori Reed if you can help.

CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR SEPTEMBER:

3-5 Years: Sharon Broome
K-7 Years: Rachel Haedge

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY ~ SUNDAY, Sept. 5, 2010

Ushers: Elvis Caldwell, Wesley Fox, Steve Hilton
Preside at Lord's Table: Buddy Krech
Serve the Lord's Supper: Gary French, Shane Helm, Trey Pratt, Thomas Waggoner
Reader: Ken Reed
Opening Prayer: John Cottrell
Closing Prayer: Lee Floyd

TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Tony Tucker
P.M. Reader: **SINGING**
Opening Prayer: Ken Cooley
Closing Prayer: Jim Campbell

THIS WEDNESDAY, September 8, 2010

Opening Prayer: Jerry Pritchett
Closing Prayer: David Allen Heffington
Song Leader: Jimmy Davis

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (8/29)	Morning Worship	295
	Sun. School	231
	PM Worship	174
Wed. Night (9/1)	Bible Study	160
Contribution Last Sunday		\$ 13,760.00
Contribution YTD		331,876.00
Contribution Goal YTD		384,370 .00

NURSERY - TODAY: Sept. 5, 2010

AM: Sue King & Linda Okerson
PM: Jennifer Ensor & Peggy Hill



NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, Sept. 12, 2010

AM: Carrie & Maddie Alden
PM: Vi Waldrep & Pat Marsh

KITCHEN CLEAN-UP -September

Barbara Jones, Donna Warren & Rose Bufford

BUILDING LOCK-UP - September

David Cost & Chris Doughtie

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS -September

Carl & Marilyn Haedge & Vi Waldrep

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - September

Carol Terry - 615-595-0184
Pat Poston - 931-489-5813

QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (July-Sept.)

Dan Cottrell