

...from Ken Reed

Bible Bowl News & Notes

~~ We are just a few short weeks away from our annual Adult Bible Bowl Challenge on 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, mark your calendars for Wednesday, September 8th and be ready to go head to head with our young people.

~~ PLEASE NOTE: beginning today our study sessions will start at 3:30pm!

TODAY	3:30 pm	Exodus 16-20
Aug. 29	3:30pm	Exodus 21-24
Sept. 5	3:30pm	Review

~~ 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 12th at TN Tech for a picnic lunch. If you are planning to attend, please sign up on the board in the hall 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 FHU

September 17-19 will be the RUSH weekend at FHU. Rush is open to anyone 7th-12th grades. RUSH is a youth rally on the campus of Freed Hardeman. We will be staying in the gym. More details in the coming weeks.

COMING EVENTS

■ Bible Bowl Practice at 3:30 pm	TODAY
■ Deadline to turn in RUSH reg. & money	Aug. 29
■ 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

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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

~ From Principle to Practice ~

Today we are concluding a brief series of sermons on why and how we are to "love one another." In the first two sermons in the series we saw that the Old Testament taught God's people to love Him and each other (Deut. 6: 5; Lev. 19: 18). From the New Testament we saw that Jesus taught us to love God and each other (Mt. 22: 34-40). He taught us to "love one another, even as I have loved you" (Jn. 13: 34-35). Last week we studied Paul's inspired admonition about loving our neighbor in Romans 13: 8-10.

Today we will look at four passages about the necessity of loving other Christians. Two come from Paul (1 Cor. 13; 1 Thess. 4: 9) and two from Peter (1 Pet. 1: 22; 4: 8). We will also cite several passages from John's first two letters.

Paul wrote, "Now as to the love of the brethren, you have no need for anyone to write to you, for you yourselves are taught by God to love one another" (1 Thess. 4: 9). Both Paul and John taught that love begins with God (1 Jn. 4: 7, 11). God "first loved us" (1 Jn. 4:19). We have been "taught by God to love one another" (1 Thess. 4: 9). Therefore, we are to "love one another" because God, who "first loved us," taught us to "love one another" (1 Jn. 3:11, 23; 4: 7-8, 12; 2 Jn. 5).

Peter wrote that we are to have "a sincere love of the brethren," and that we are to "fervently love one another from the heart" (1 Pt. 1: 22). He also wrote that we are to "keep fervent in your love for one another" (1 Pt. 4: 8). Christians are to love, care for, encourage, pray for and support each other in every good way.

~ Dan Cottrell

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"From Principle to Practice"
(Galatians 6: 1-2)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

"Problems at Philadelphia"
(Ephesians 2: 8-10)

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SICK/PRAYER LIST



Mary Bawcom's mother, Deloras Lucas, is back in Williamson Medical Center.

Patsy Lutes is home from the hospital. She's very weak and requests our continued prayers.

Rachel Potts' mother, **Judy Richmond**, will have eye surgery tomorrow. Prayers and cards would be appreciated. Her address is:
1018 Dortch Lane, Nolensville, TN 37135.

Continue to remember: Joan & Paul Sparks, Stoney Warren, Joyce Taylor, 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)

Eastern European Mission Dinner

You are invited to attend the Annual Eastern European Mission Dinner on Thursday, September 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.

Sympathy...

Our sympathy is extended to Wanda Ezell on the passing of her cousin's husband, Foy Walker. His funeral was in Lewisburg.

Dan's mother, **Lucille Cottrell**, will celebrate her 96th birthday on August 27th. Her address:
**Bailey Park Community Living Center,
 2400 Mitchell St., Humboldt, TN 38343**

GREETERS for September:

Len & Haley McKnatt
 Ryan & Rachel Haedje

Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:

TODAY: Cy Warren & George Head
Aug. 29: Slade Pratt & Mason McKnatt

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Team C, **Ken Reed's** team will meet tonight after the evening service.

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

The August issue of the **Gospel Advocate** is available in the foyer.

Sister Kim Walker responded to the invitation on Sunday morning, requesting prayers of the congregation. We commend Kim for her courage.

You're Invited. . .

Chris and Donald Smith are having a reception in honor of her father, James Patterson's, 90th birthday. It will be at 2pm today at their home on Forrest Park Circle in Franklin. If you can attend, please let Chris or Donald know. They request no presents, please.

~ Summer Series ~

Our Summer Series continues on Wednesday evening. Our speaker will be Bro. William Woodson, retired professor from Freed-Hardeman University and Lipscomb University. His subject will be "State of the Church".

September 17-19 will be the **RUSH weekend at FHU**. RUSH is open to anyone 7th-12th grades. It is a youth rally on the campus of Freed Hardeman. We will be staying in the gym. The registration cost is \$20 per person. Teens also need money for 5 meals. Turn in your forms & payment by Sunday, August 29th.

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

Thank You...

A special "thanks" to each and every Christian friend who had a prayer for me and for every thought on my behalf. So far I am doing OK.
 In Christian Love, Drexel & Joan Meade
 (Michael's Father)

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South Dakota Clothing Giveaway

Southern Hills is helping the congregation in Huron, South Dakota with their Children's Clothing Giveaway. We have a list of items needed. We will have baskets in the foyer & fellowship hall to place your items. Chris or Shana Graham can answer your questions. Items needed: All sizes of coats, socks, hats or toboggans, gloves, snow or rubber boots; also blankets, quilts, any kind of warm bedding (not torn, stained, etc.), any warm baby clothing, sleepers, snowsuits, etc. Please ---
NO ADULT CLOTHING at this time. We have plenty of what we need. Deadline is Wednesday, September 1st.

Tim Walker Update

We plan to start monthly support for Tim Walker's mission work in South Dakota beginning in October. Everyone is encouraged to participate in the clothing drive. We are also collecting monetary donations for Walker family medical needs. Please make checks to Southern Hills for Tim Walker and give those to one of the elders. We are excited about this new work and appreciate all the comments encouraging our involvement.

Ladies Bible Class & Men's Prayer Group

The Ladies Bible Class and the Men's Prayer Group will have their first meeting on Wednesday, **September 8th** at 10am. They are in need of someone to care for the children during class. If you can help, or have any questions, see Judy Pritchett or call the church office.

**~ Address Change ~
 Len & Haley McKnatt
 Mason & Maclaine**

**127 Fitzgerald St.
 Franklin, TN 37064
 Cell (Len) 931.626.2461
 (Haley) 931.626.0404**

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY ~ SUNDAY, August 22, 2010

Ushers: David Cost, Sam Pratt,
 Tony Tucker
Preside at Lord's Table: Jimmy Davis
Serve the Lord's Supper: Gary French,
 Gary Irwin, Cullen Rodgers, James Vanderpool
Reader: Jeff Rhodes
Opening Prayer: Carl Haedje
Closing Prayer: Jerald Hill

TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Chris Doughtie
P.M. Reader: Jeff Rhodes
Opening Prayer: Buddy Krech
Closing Prayer: Trey Pratt

THIS WEDNESDAY, August 25, 2010

Opening Prayer: Stoney Warren
Closing Prayer: David Allen Heffington
Song Leader: Wesley Fox

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (8/15)	Morning Worship	304
	Sun. School	256
	PM Worship	173
Wed. Night (8/18)	Bible Study	177
Contribution Last Sunday	\$	9,272.00
Contribution YTD		309,220.00
Contribution Goal YTD		362,406.00

NURSERY - TODAY: August 22, 2010

AM: Ashley Helm & Barbara Sullivan
PM: Paula Derryberry & Kayla Reed



NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, August 29, 2010

AM: Alaina McCullough & Mindy Doughtie
PM: Sharon & Katherine Broome

KITCHEN CLEAN-UP -September

Barbara Jones, Donna Warren & Rose Bufford

BUILDING LOCK-UP - September

David Cost & Chris Doughtie

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS -September

Caru & Marilyn Haedje & Vi Waldrep

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - September

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

QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (July-Sept.)

Dan Cottrell