GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

GOD loves YOU. “For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” - John 3:16

You are a sinner. “For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God.” - Romans 3:23

The Holy Spirit convicts YOU of sin. “And when He is come, He will reprove the world of sin.....because they believe not on me.” - John 16:8-9

Your response is to repent of sin. “For I am not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.” - Matthew 9:13

Trust in Christ as Savior. “That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

Romans 10:9, 10, 13

Grow in Christ by following through with baptism and uniting with a church. You will find new Christian friends and grow in your new life in Christ.
Encouragers...we all need them and we all need to be an encourager! In the book of Acts we are introduced to a man named Barnabas whose name literally means “encourager”. Each time we see him in scripture he is encouraging and inspiring others in their walk with Christ! I want to be like Barnabas!

So, let me encourage you a bit this month! There are so many things to be encouraged about here at HSBC! God is on the move and working powerfully in our church and in our lives. It is encouraging to see the Holy Spirit moving in our worship services and gatherings. It is encouraging to see and experience the presence of our Heavenly Father when we lift our voices in praise and open the Word to proclaim its truth.

I am encouraged, and you should be as well, at the improving financial position of HSBC. We have started the year on a positive trajectory and you have been faithful in your giving to the work that He has placed before us! The “Just One Thing” strategy is working exceptionally well! It is encouraging to see the debt reduced weekly! In fact, Bob Hubbs tells me that we may not need to do another campaign if we continue paying the debt down at the current pace! That is encouraging!

I am encouraged by the faithfulness, the positive spirit and the support of our Deacon Body! These men love the Lord and love this church and are so supportive of our efforts to reach and minister and adapt. So, encourage them when you see them! Pray for them! Pray for the new deacons that will be selected this Spring.

I am encouraged and challenged by the opportunities ahead of us. As we have studied through Nehemiah these past few weeks we have been reminded of just how easily we get distracted and discouraged. We have been challenged by the reality of opposition and dissension that can halt the work of God. So, let me encourage you...keep your eyes on Jesus! Stay focused on the work He has called us to. Look for the open doors of service and ministry and witness that He places before you. Be encouraged! God is still at work, still moving, still calling...He is not through with us yet!!

I am so thankful for those of you who regularly encourage me! Your words of encouragement mean more to me than you will ever know! Thank you. Keep praying for me, my family, for our leaders, for HSBC. I truly believe that our best days are ahead of us.

I hope you are feeling encouraged! So...go be an encourager to someone else today! We need more Barnabas’s in our world and our churches!

Blessings,
Donnie
March Newsletter Information:
Ignite Students and Families,
On Wednesdays in March we will be diving into the series For the Win: a series about winning in life.
Winning is fun, isn’t it? No one ever starts a basketball game hoping to lose. We don’t go to band practice because we want to take last place in our competition. We don’t start a video game wanting our character to be eliminated first. No way. We play to win. Why? Because winning is awesome. It feels great. In fact, sports and video games probably aren’t the only place you want to be a winner. Do you want to be successful when it comes to school? Sure! How about money? Your future? Dating? You probably answered “all of the above”. Basically, we all want to win at life. And while there’s no way to guarantee you will win in every area, there are some things you can do to help you get there. In fact, there’s an entire book in the Bible, the book of Proverbs, dedicated to giving solid advice that can help us win at life. During this series, we’ll take a look at five verses from Proverbs that can set you up for the win in the areas you care about the most.

See you at 6:00 PM on Wednesday Nights.
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Important Dates
March 5 – Bonfire Crusades “School Release” Kick Off Event @ Discovery Church
March 11-12 – Winter Jam (Lexington, KY)
March 12 – No Sunday Night/Returning from Winter Jam
March 19 – TBD (Possibly Kong: Skull Island Movie Night @ Ruby Cinemas)
March 26 – Fundraiser Lunch after church
March 26 – Bonfire Crusades “School Release” Community Worship Service
March 27-29 – Bonfire Crusades “School Release” @ Smoky Mountain Performing Arts Center
### Teachers and Helpers

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### Upcoming Events

- 3/5 – Bonfire Crusades “School Release” Kick Off Event @ Discovery Church
- Deacon’s Meeting @5pm
- 3/11-12 – Winter Jam (Lexington, KY)
- 3/12 – No Sunday Night/Returning from Winter Jam
- 3/19 – TBD (Possibly Kong: Skull Island Movie Night @ Ruby Cinemas)
- 3/26 – Fundraiser Lunch after church
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### March Wednesday Night Supper Menu

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<td>Chicken pot pie w/mixed veggies, tossed salad and dessert</td>
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<td>Sloppy Joe on a bun, tater tots, broccoli, salad and dessert</td>
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<td>Bakes potato bar, soup, salad and breadsticks</td>
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<td>3/29</td>
<td>Chicken strips, tater wedges, green beans, salad, rolls and dessert</td>
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03/12 Alden Howard & Sarah Wilks
Bob & Virginia Walker

03/19 Jim & Peggy Kirkland

03/24 Ron & Tanya Bohlender

PRAYER LIST

PRAYER
But we will give ourselves continually to
and to the ministry of the word. Acts 6:4

Best, Thelma
Durden, Charles
Fisel, Andrea
Ford, Percy
Galvin, Johnny
Ham, Tom
Hembree, Michael
Langston, Jr., Joe
Lee, Jan
Loewy, June
Loo, Corinna
Loo, Dan
Love, Stephen
Miller, Don
Family of Cynthia Robinson
Seagle Family
Seger, Conerly
Sheppard, Roy
Smith, Don & Evelyn
Tang, Diane
Thomas, Willard
Vincent, Betty
Williams, Howard
Williams, Jean
Wilson, Dale

03/01 Corbin Chastain
03/03 Billy Crain, Fred Goldsmith
03/04 Carolyn Kirkland
03/05 Tillman Register
03/06 Judy Budnick, Horace Kirkland
03/07 Deborah Bertolin
03/08 David Benton, Phil Reed
Dwight Valentine
03/09 Paysleigh Corbin
03/10 Robert Browning, Dean Corbin
Pam Goldsmith, Glenda Valentine
03/14 David Green, Don Seagle
03/17 Thomas Poore, Paul Shepard
03/18 Richard Young
03/19 Sheila Brown, Randy Gray
03/21 Lori Diaz, Carolyn Junkins
Carole Langford, Rajmohan
Ramaswami, Adriana Ramos
03/22 Earl Boortz
03/24 Lori Green
03/25 Liam Cleary
03/26 Jim Benton, Amanda Ramaswami
03/27 Cameron Rodewald
03/29 Jean Reed
03/30 Betty Gunter, Lavonne Winsett

OTHER
Holly Springs Church Family
National Leaders & All Military Personnel
All Emergency Services
Pastor Donnie & Sharon Seagle
Pastor Pete, Jodie, Cameron and Mackenzie
Rodewald
All Homebound
SECOND MILE MINISTRIES

Schedule may vary due to holidays. Normal hours are every Monday, 10 AM – 1 PM.

Second Mile will be handing out the Easter food items on Monday, April 10.

The food items needed for the baskets are:
- Green Beans
- Canned Yams or Sweet Potatoes
- Corn Bread Mix
- Cake Mixes and Icing
- Money for Hams (2nd Mile will purchase)
- Bagged Easter Candy
- We purchase and supply eggs, milk, butter and other fresh items.

There will be a designated Easter collection box or baskets in the lobby.

Everyone at Second Mile appreciates what you do for them and their ministry!!!

Update: please keep in mind, as of January 2017, there will be no candy or toothpaste allowed in the shoe boxes. Toothbrushes are still a great gift as they can still be effective in cleaning the teeth without toothpaste.

2017 HSBC GENERAL FUND

Year to Date Required: $92,602
Year to Date Received: $102,250

February Required: $46,300
February Received: $36,085

Debt Balance $922,032