

HOME AWAY FROM HOME

Many students will not have the opportunity to go home often this year, and will need family support. You, as a family, can offer this support. "Adopting" a college student will provide them with a friendly face on Sundays and help assimilate students into the church family. We appreciate your willingness to support our college department and students through HAFH.

**We have 15 families signed up, but, we need 30!
Please help!**

Here's what students have to say:

I enjoyed HAFH because it allowed me the opportunity to get to know one family of our church extremely well. This also allowed me to meet other families through my host family. Also, I can call my HAFH mom & they would help as best as they can. It is great!

God is so good to provide people who give of their time and love to college students.

I love the HAFH program. I was not raised in a Christian home...So, it is extremely nice to be surrounded by Christian families who are helping me grow in my walk with the Lord. I have learned so much about being a Godly woman through some of the strong examples I have met in these families!

It is a great opportunity to get to know a family within the church. They sincerely care for you and love on you!

It's a great chance to meet people in the church outside of the collegiate ministry. It's nice to hang out with a family when you're far from your own.

HAFH has been a great way for me to feel a part of the church outside the college ministry. It has been such a blessing to feel so welcomed when I am not able to go home (an 8-hour drive is tough to make for a weekend).

and families who have been hosts:

My favorite memory of our HAFH student was when she came to our house to help celebrate our son's birthday. She fit right in, and helped clean up the kitchen after the meal. And, after the presents had been opened, she even helped clean up that mess and folded the tissue gift paper to be reused at a later time! She was a joy!

We started many years ago taking students from different countries for our HAFH students. They have been great blessings in our lives. We have learned much from these students and had so many special experiences that we never would have had otherwise. We still communicate often with each of our students. Our church provides such a rich mission field and so many opportunities to be blessed. Our students are a special part of our lives.

HAFH has been a blessing to our family. Getting to know university students & building meaningful bonds is the next best thing to being back in college myself, without the exams and homework! Beyond that, it's truly a pleasure to provide love & encouragement to all university students, especially those attending college away from home. As I look back on my college experience, I recognize what an impact this sort of program would have had on me. I'm thankful that I had a loving and supportive hometown church, but every student/family can benefit by the relationships formed through HAFH.

It is so great to be able to provide students a rest stop in their hectic lives. We have shared our home with students from Arkansas and students from other countries. We thank God for letting us have a part in each of their lives. We can't help but wonder what God's plan is for each one of them. This really is another opportunity to serve God.

LOOKING AHEAD

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR ARKANSAS MISSIONS BEGINS

9:30 am	Sunday School
10:50	Morning Worship
3:00 pm	Korean Worship
4:00	Play Learn C. DivorceCare History C.
4:30	Experiencing God
5:00	MS Bible Drill Youth Choir University Choir Biblical Financial Planning Witnessing en Español
6:00	Evening Worship
7:00	General Business Mtg.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00 am	Men's Prayer Mtg.
6:15 pm	G.R.O.W. Team "O"

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

6:00 pm	Free Collegiate Dinner, BCM
7:00	WOM mtg., Moore's home

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

9:30 am	Quilting Group
12:15 pm	Ladies' Handbells
4:00	Campanella
5:00	Family Meal Youth Bells
5:45	Graded Choirs MS Choir Mission Corps Training Youth Missions Study
6:00	Bible Study/Prayer Mtg. Sunday School Overview Women's Bible Study
6:30	Chinese/Eng. Bible Study Encouragers Prayer
6:40	Sanctuary Choir MS reCharge! Rally.
6:45	Missions Org. Connection Worship /Study
7:30	MS Gym
7:40	Choir Childcare Youth Gym

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
12:30 pm	Adult trip to Branson
6:30	Adult Basketball
8:00	College Impact, BCM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

6:00 pm	Adult 7 fellowship
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

8:00 am	Golf Scramble, Valley View
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

4:00 pm	DivorceCare Evangelism Missions C.
4:30	Experiencing God
5:00	Biblical Financial Planning Witnessing en Español
6:00	University-led Worship

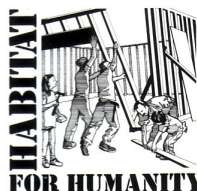


Van drivers

are *desperately* needed for the Sunday van ministry. Please contact Gordon Rowell at 442-2387 ext. 15 if you are interested in this important church ministry. *No special license is required.*

Help Build!

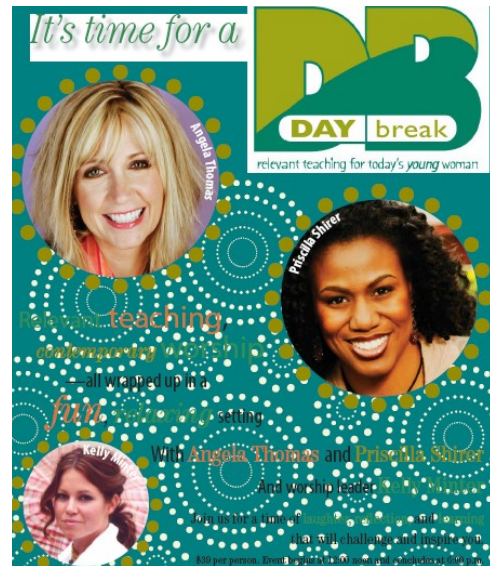
Habitat for Humanity is beginning work on house #38 "The Apostle-Built House" at 401 East 6th Street. First Baptist is scheduled to work September 23 from 8-12 on the framing. Lunch will be served. Sign-up at the Information Center.



Gene



Sunday, Sept. 17 7:00 PM



2006 DAYBREAK CONFERENCE FOR WOMEN NOVEMBER 18 IN LITTLE ROCK

This is a one-day event with speakers and worship leaders Angela Thomas, Priscilla Shirer and Kelly Minter, Lifeway associates. Cost is \$39 but discounted rate may be available for early registration. For more information contact Lori Kruse at 442-2106 no later than Sept. 27.

"Stand Amazed"

Season of Prayer for State Missions
WOM Meeting
Tuesday, Sept. 19 @ 7 pm
Barbara Moore's home
Call 443-3758 for directions

Free Bike Wash Ministry

3:00-6:00 pm on Thursday, Sept. 28 and Friday, Sept. 29
9:00 am-1:00 pm on Saturday, Sept. 30

We need volunteers to minister to bikers who will be washing their own bikes. We will be showing the love of Christ as we distribute free water, coffee and cookies. Please check-in at the Information Center no sooner than 30 minutes in advance of the start time and get a name tag - please no exceptions on this.

We **do not** accept donations. **Free** really does mean **Free!** Why? We want people to understand that churches really are about Jesus, serving, and caring and are not after their money.

Contact Rick McCoy (466-8062) or Steve Moore at (442-ext. 16) or sign-up at the Information Center if you wish to participate. Parking for volunteers will be on the north side of our building and the bike wash on the south side on Dickson Street.



Children's Ministry

of Fayetteville's First Baptist Church



Kid's Night Out

Friday, October 6
6:00 - 9:45 p.m.



Babies - 5th Gr.

Cost: \$6 per child/
Family Max: \$20.00

Reservations must be made
by Sunday, October 1.
Payment must be made
when the reservation is
taken. We will begin taking
reservations on
Sunday September 17 in the
Preschool. For more infor-
mation, contact Lisa Wheat.
Reservations will be taken on
Sunday and Wednesday nights
only!

G.R.O.W. REPORT SEPTEMBER 11, 2006

	This T h i s	
	Week	Year
Visits	2	150
Letters/Email	12	301

GROW TEAM "O"
MONDAY, SEPT. 18
6:15 IN THE PARLOR
TEAM LEADER: BILL BRUNNER

Adult Events

MEN'S FRATERNITY

6 AM Tuesdays in Mitchell Hall beginning Oct. 3

"Winning at Work and Home" is an 8-week series designed to help men build (or rebuild) their confidence; expand their vision; develop successful life strategies; and improve their performance in their relationship with their wife or girlfriend, in relationship with their children, and in their job!

The lessons this semester are:

- *A Man and His Mirrors*
- *What Men Need to Know about Women*
- *Engaging Your Woman Successfully*
- *Staying Close to the Woman You Love*
- *Improving Your Sex Life*
- *How a Man Makes the Money Work at Home*
- *The Good Life and Where to Find It*
- *What Every Dad Needs to Know*



2nd Annual Golf Scramble

Where? Valley View Golf Course,
Farmington

When? September 23

Time? 8:00 AM Tee Off, Shotgun
Start

Cost: \$50 per person (includes golf
and lunch)

Sign-up at the Information Center.
Teams will be placed into two flights
according to handicap by committee.
If you have questions, call Travis at
442-2387 ex. 18. Fees must be paid
by Sunday, Sept. 17.

BRANSON TRIP THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

Join us on Sept. 21 as
we travel to Branson
for the Yakov
Smirnoff show and
dinner at Golden
Corral.



Departure time: 12:30 PM

Yakov Smirnoff Show: 3:00

Dinner: 5:45

Return to church: about 9:00

Cost of \$50 per person includes
charter bus transportation, show
tickets and the dinner buffet.
Reservations and advance payment
are required by September 13. Sign-
up today at the Information Center or
online at www.fbcfayetteville.org/sign_up.

MISSION OPPORTUNITY



Mission Trip

Where? Pearlinton, Mississippi

When? November 11-18

What will we be doing? Construction on homes
destroyed by Katrina

How much will it cost? \$150 per person.

For more information or to sign-up, call Travis
at 442-2387 ex. 18.

Praise Record - September 10

Sunday School Enrollment	1127
Sunday School Attendance	629
New Sunday School Members	15
Morning Worship	729
Evening Worship	246
Decisions	3
Other Weekly Bible Studies	25
Received for week	\$35,090.90
Required for week	\$34,073.35
Received in month to date	\$68,390.82
Required in month to date	\$68,146.67
Received in 2006	\$1,111,761.10
Required in 2006 to date	\$1,069,332.74
CBCG Goal	\$2,227,800.00
Received this week	\$11,494.00
Received to-date	\$1,506,911.58

Called to Build Called to Grow

Goal: \$2,227,800

\$2,000,000	Remaining Pledges: \$720,888	
\$1,500,000	To-date: \$1,506,911	
\$1,000,000	This week \$11,494	
\$500,000		
\$0		



IN MEMORY OF LOLA HARRIS
Bill & Lola Mae Shackelford

IN MEMORY OF
DALE HUTCHISON
Joe & Janell Bailey

IN MEMORY OF DON SCOTT
Bill & Lola Mae Shackelford

ETC Extended Teaching Care~

SEPTEMBER 17, 2006

Babies 1- Lola Mae Shackelford & Margaret Little
Babies 2- Hellen Muyia & Mary Muyia
Ones- Cory & Melanie Hall, Kirsten Holden
Twos- Tim & Charity Williams
Threes- Aaron & Allison McBride, Zach Burnett
Fours- David & Lori Swanson

HOSPITALIZED

Dean Harper, WRMC #3308

VAN DRIVERS ~ SUNDAY, SEPT. 17

David Fellows (571-3662) &
Roger Cunningham (587-1143)

DEACON OF THE WEEK-SEPT 17-23

Keith Robbins ☎ 267-4624

NEXT MEAL ~ WED., SEPTEMBER 20

5:00 PM

Menu: Fajitas, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice,
Potato/Salad Bar, Dessert

Children's Menu (PS-grade 5 only): Nachos

Kitchen Workers:

Rose Marie Harris & Mary Kay Weathers
C.H. Harris & John Robinson

DECISIONS

On Promise of Letter

Garry and Kathleen Morris
1719 N Glenbrook Place
Fayetteville 72701
521-0632

Profession of Faith & Baptism

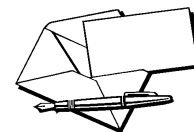
Angela Wang
2541 Litchfield Lane
Fayetteville 72703
582-9363

Dear Church Family,

We would like to thank you for the cards, thoughts and many prayers, when our brother and uncle, Tom McCrary, from North Carolina, suffered a stroke and subsequently died, on August 1, 2006.

We would especially like to thank the Adult 5 S.S. Class, for their memorial contribution for Tom.

In God's Love,
*George and Mary Ann McCrary,
Mary Lynn, Alan, Deanna, Laura
and Maureen Mantooth*



Our church family extends Christian love and sympathy to Imogene Delap on the loss of her brother, Dale Hutchison, of Farmington, Arkansas on September 6, 2006.

...and to Bill and Vivian Hancock on the loss of her sister, Martha Mhoon, of Fayetteville on September 10, 2006.



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