

Dear Youth,

If you are participating in Graduate Sunday, you must contact Alison or Delores in the church office by MONDAY, May 10, 2010!!

Love in Christ,
Cycle & Alison

Dates to Remember

May 16 - Graduation Sunday. If you are a graduate and will be participating, please contact the church office or Allison by Monday, May 10, 2010.

June 1-4 - Power Camp from 9 am to Noon. WE NEED WORKERS!

June 6-10 - VBS - Youth if you are interested in helping, please let me know.

Youth on Missions **(Items for victims of Haitian earthquake)**

Youth on Missions will be collecting the following hygiene items for victims of the Haitian earthquake: bottle of shampoo, bar of soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, hand towel & comb. Please put all six of the items in a zip lock bag and place them in the box on the table across from the Welcome Center. If you have any questions, please see Crystal Lewis.

Part Time Children's Minister

Tabernacle Baptist Church is seeking someone to fill the position of part time children's minister for the summer. If you or someone you know would like to be considered for this position, please forward a resume to either James Coffey, Laura Wade, Kelly Lawson (Personnel Committee Members) or turn one in to Delores at the church office.

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Robert Chapman, Pastor (Office Tel. No. 427-9847)

David Wells, Worship Leader/Music

Jean Young, Pianist

Ann Kimbrell, Organist

Delores J. Morgan, Ministry Assistant

Ann Lancaster, Part Time Ministry Assistant

Cyle & Alison Coker, Part Time Ministers of Youth

Don Raye Shetley, Part Time Maintenance Supervisor



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Deacon of the Week
May 9 - May 15
Cyle Coker

Inside Greeters
May 9, 2010
Helen Grady
Mary Alice Stevenson

Parking Lot Greeters
May 9, 2010
Wayne Burgess
Elease Osborne

Sunday School Attendance
April 25, 2010 - 201
May 2, 2010 - 184

Extended Session
May 9, 2010

Babies: Perry & Kim Crocker
Toddlers: Steve & Suzanne Byrd
Children's Worship (4's & 5's): Eddie & Rita Hines

Sun. Night: No Evening Service or other activities - Mother's Day
Wed. Night: Annie Mae Gibbs
Mary Alice Stevenson

Deacon of the Week
May 16 - May 22
James Coffey

Inside Greeters
May 16, 2010
Wayne Burgess
Elease Osborne

Parking Lot Greeters
May 16, 2010
Gene Gregory
Hazel Howell

Extended Session
May 16, 2010

Babies: Ann Alexander, Laura Wade
Toddlers: Frank & Candee Humphries
Children's Worship (4's & 5's): William & Jo Carol Smith

Sun. Night: Sam & Kacie White
Wed. Night: William & Jo Carol Smith

Thank You Note

Dear Tabernacle Family,

Thank you so much for your prayers, cards, calls, and visits during the time of my recent surgery and recuperation. It is a blessing to have such a wonderful group for support and encouragement during times such as this. You are all very special to me. Please continue to pray for me.

Love,
Dot Nichols

Christian Sympathy

Our deepest Christian sympathy is extended to Mr. & Mrs. Rick Renna (Terri) and family members in the loss of *Rick's mother, *Mrs. Carmela Renna, who passed away Thursday, April 22, 2010.

Our deepest Christian sympathy is extended to *Mrs. Margaret Greer, Mr. & Mrs. Paul Greer II, Paul & Patrick, *Mrs. Sharon Smith, Mrs. Peggy Vaughan, Mrs. Julia Greer, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Wilburn and family members in the loss of Paul's father, *Mr. Paul Greer, Sr., who passed away Monday, May 3, 2010.

Upcoming Events

The Bevis' Sunday School Class cookout scheduled for Friday, May 7, 2010 has been postponed until a later date!!

There will be no Evening Service or other activities on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 9, 2010. Wishing each Mother a very Happy Mother's Day!

The Lydia Green Group will meet Tuesday, May 11, 2010, at 10 am in the Library.

The Lottie Moon Group will meet Tuesday, May 11, 2010, at 4 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Hostess is Mrs. Lucille Hooper.

The Pearl Johnson Group will meet Tuesday, May 11, 2010, at 7 pm at the home of Mrs. Mary Alice Stevenson.

On Wednesday, May 12th and May 19th, the Children's Choir will meet in the sanctuary from 6 pm to 7:30 pm to practice for their musical. Midweek Prayer Service on Wednesday, May 12th and May 19th will be held in the Fellowship Hall.

The Property Committee will meet Thursday, May 13, 2010, at 6:30 pm in the Library.

Graduate Sunday will be May 16, 2010. If you are a graduate and will be participating, please contact the church office (427-9847) or Allison Coker by Monday, May 10, 2010.

The Family Life Center is reserved all day Wednesday, May 19, 2010, for WBCU to SET UP FOR the WBCU Senior Adult Expo.

The WBCU Senior Adult Expo will be Thursday, May 20, 2010, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm in the Family Life Center.



*Workers Are Needed
for
Vacation Bible School*

**Kick off & Registration
for
Vacation Bible School
June 6 - 4:30 to 8 pm**

**Vacation Bible School
June 7-10 - 6 to 8:30 pm**

Theme: *Saddle Ridge Ranch*

We will need teachers, game instructors, decorators, refreshment committee volunteers, bus drivers, etc.

We hope to have gender specific classes which will help with the children's conduct. If we can do this, we will need more workers than ever, especially men in the class rooms.

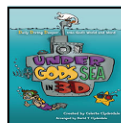
Please sign up at the Welcome Center.

Reducing the Risk training will be offered prior to Vacation Bible School.

Thanks,

Don Raye & Jennifer Shetley
Kim Crocker

UPCOMING CHILDREN'S EVENTS



Sunday, May 23
Children's Choir Musical
"Under God's Sea in 3D"
During the Morning Service

June 1-4
Power Camp (Union County Stadium)

**June 6-10 VBS at Tabernacle
(Saddle Ridge Ranch)**



School Supply Give Away

On Saturday, August 7, 2010, the Children's Committee will sponsor a "School Supply Give Away" from 10 am to Noon at the Family Life Center. We need everyone's help to make this possible. We will be collecting the following items beginning now until August 1, 2010:

2-inch 3 ring binders
Book bags
Lunch boxes
Notebook paper
Pencils
Glue sticks
Scissors
3-prong colored folders
Crayons
Black/White Composition Notebooks

You can leave your items at the Welcome Center. Thanks so much for your help!

As Information

Please pick up your May church calendar and the April Union County Baptist Association newsletter (The ECHO) at the Welcome Center.



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

*Our Goal \$10,000.00
Received to Date \$4,283.00
Needed to Reach Goal \$5,717.00*

Boxes of Love

With a desire to involve our entire church in an on going ministry project, we are continuing **Boxes of Love**.

During April, we assisted 12 people with food and cleaning supplies. In addition to the items listed below for April & May, we desperately need canned vegetables, peanut butter, bags of peas or beans, rice, boxed macaroni & cheese, cleaning products, and tissue paper. Many of the people we assisted did not have any food.

The following is a list of items requested for April & May:

April - canned pasta, canned soup, canned fruit

May - Ketchup, mayonnaise, mustard

Thank you, Your WMU Leadership Team

Financial Giving Report April 25, 2010

Total	\$11,697.00
Regular Offering.....	9,142.50
Building Fund.....	1,296.50
Envelopes.....	1.00
Hunger Fund.....	1.00
Discipleship Training Books	26.00
Postage/LINK.....	25.00
Annie Armstrong Easter Offering.....	30.00
Painting	30.00
(Preschool 3 & 4 Year Old Classroom)	
UCBA Crisis Ministry.....	20.00
(Marilyn Bright's Sunday School Class)	
Connie Maxwell Children's Home	100.00
Debt Retirement	1,005.00
Debt Retirement Memorial	20.00
(Mrs. Elaine Kimbrell)	

Financial Giving Report May 2, 2010

Total	\$9,619.70
Regular Offering.....	7,686.70
Building Fund.....	1,185.00
Tape Ministry.....	1.00
Love Offering (Mr. & Mrs. Gault)	507.00
Connie Maxwell Children's Home	100.00
Video Camera Equipment	100.00
(For the Nursery)	
Debt Retirement	15.00
General Fund Memorial.....	25.00
(Mrs. Louise Moss)	