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HOMECOMING SUNDAY

Sunday morning, we will celebrate the 124th anniversary of the First Baptist Church of Hapeville. We will hear words from Ron Hinson and Bill Lacy, two of our former pastors. We will hear from our associational missionary, Joel Harrison.

We will sing, for the first time, from our new 2008 Baptist Hymns.

We will be led in worship by our Sanctuary Choir, joined by any former members who wish to sing with us this week. The anthems will be "Assurance Medley" by

David Clydesdale and "Lord of the Dance" by John Rutter.

We will also be led in worship by the Worship Café Praise Band. They will lead us in a song from our new hymnals and in two other praise songs.

We will sing the number 1 hymn from our Favorite Hymns survey from the spring.

We will hear memories of our past and words of challenge and excitement about our future.

We will enjoy a time of fellowship together around the tables in our



*Homecoming
Sunday, August 24, 2008
124th anniversary*

covered-dish dinner that will follow the morning worship service.

Bible Study begins at 9:45.
Worship begins at 10:30
Join us for a great day!

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AVALON CONCERT

Thanks to all who had a part in making the Avalon concert a wonderful experience.

You distributed water bottles to everyone. You handed out flyers about our church. You collected the offering. You cooked, served, and cleaned up after dinner. You moved tables, chairs and water bottles around town. You shared smiles and welcoming words with everyone.

Members of HFBC were seen prominently throughout the event, and we appreciate your help.

We received the following note from Avalon:

Dear pastor and staff of FBC Hapeville,

On behalf of Avalon, thank you so much for your warm hospitality to us last weekend. We thoroughly enjoyed our time there and hope to be with you again in the future.



Thanks to all who worked for the Avalon concert

Please tell the chef and everyone else who helped out just how much we were blessed!

*Sincerely,
Janna Long (Avalon)*



Bob Wiley
Pastor

JUST THINKING. . .

HFBC will be celebrating its 124th anniversary this coming Sunday. Homecoming is always fun. There are three “F”s to describe homecomings: Fellowship, Food, and Fun! Former pastors Ron Hinson and Bill Lacy will be with us. The “Worship Café” Praise Band will be playing in the morning service. Our associational missionary, Dr. Joel Harrison, will bring greetings. And, we will open and sing from NEW HYMNALS!

Please welcome the following new members to our church:

Mr. Chris Alberson
6525 Kimberly Mill Rd
College Park GA 30349-4655
(770) 997-6408

Mr. Robert Jensen
2165 Rugby Ave Apt 623
College Park GA 30337-1031
(404) 319-2252

WEEKLY WITNESS INFO

*No issue of
Weekly Witness
dated
August 15,
2008*

Some have asked if they should have received a “Weekly Witness” in the mail last week.

The answer is “Yes, you should have, but you did not because there was not one mailed last week.”

Without going into all the details, there was a catastrophic computer problem in the church office last week. That, coupled with copier problems, forced the cancellation of last week’s issue of “The Weekly Witness.”

We hope that everything is back in order and will stay that way for a while.

LAST WEEK. . .

Bible Study Attendance 69
Budget Receipts \$5,214.00
Designated Receipts 290.00
Total Receipts \$5,504.00
Weekly Requirements \$5,853.00
YTD Budget Rec. 170,166.07
YTD Budget Req. 193,149.00
Difference (22,982.93)
YTD Designated 30,446.97

THIS WEEK. . .

Nursery Worker,
LaVerne Travis
Scripture Reader,
Mardelle Sanders
Deacon of the Week,
John Wimpey
2109 LaVista Circle
Hapeville, GA 30354-1503
404.762.8128

PRAY FOR. . .

Wade Moone,
Piedmont Fayette Medical Center
Addie Mae Fuller,
Crawford-Long Medical Center
Treasured Member of the week:
Margaret Pharr
10916 Clearwater Dr
Hampton, GA 30228-2613



Tom Howard
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Financial Admin

NOTES FROM TOM

Homecoming is this week!

Worship Café Band will meet in the sanctuary for a sound check at 9:15 a.m.

The Sanctuary Choir will meet in the choir room at 9:45 a.m.

Worship will be begin at 10:30 a.m.

Dinner-on-the-Grounds (in the fellowship hall) will follow the worship service.

Invite friends to join us!

HFBC Favorite Hymns:

- 10—I Love You, Lord
- 9—Sunshine in My Soul
- 8— Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
- 7—Because He Lives
- 6—Down to the River to Pray
- 5—It Is Well with My Soul
- 4—I Surrender All
- 3—Great Is Thy Faithfulness
- 2—Blessed Assurance
- 1—???

JULY 2008 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Balance brought forward:..... \$ 2,062.77	Service charge..... 12.00	Fund\$ 1,895.00
Regular Receipts 18,384.00	Ending Balance \$ -4,001.00	Louise Almand Partnership Mission Fund\$ 25,000.00
Designated Receipts 1,053.04	Percentage Budget Receipts 72.49%	Rodney Cross Estate CD.....\$ 22,803.46
Regular Disbursements 25,106.53	Other balances:	Brokerage Account .135 shares Home Depot
Designated Disbursements392.28	Building Improvement Fund \$ 101.62	
	Organ Maintenance	

“With what shall I come before the LORD and bow down before the exalted God?”

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

Sunday, August 24
Homecoming
9:45 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship
7:00 pm Worship Café

Monday, August 25
6:00 pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, August 27
5:00 pm Children’s Choirs
6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
6:45 pm Sanctuary Choir

Sunday, August 31
9:45 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship
6:00 pm Fifth Sunday Combined
Worship at East Point FBC

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Pierce Haney 08/24
Linda Williams 08/25
Michael Payne 08/26
W.C. Patillo 08/27
Peggy Bryden 08/28
Woody Trotter 08/29