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BIBLE STUDY NEWS

Beginning this week, we have a slightly different structure for our children’s Bible Study classes on Sunday mornings. We had just about reached our maximum capacity without making some changes, and some of our classes were overcrowded and covered too large an age-span.

As a result, beginning Sunday, we will have the following classes and teachers:

Children 2
(grades 2–3)
Mrs. Betty Jean Chapman
Mrs. Wilma Sanders

Children 3
(grades 4–5)
Mrs. Barbara Wiley

Genesis
(grades 6–8)
Mr. Mike Simpson

During the next year or two we will need a class for high school students (grades 9–12). When that need develops, Mike Simpson will move to the older age group, and we will need a new teacher for



*Children’s Classes
Reorganized*

middle school students (grades 6–8). Pray for this need and ask God to lead you to fill the need.

MEN’S PRAYER BREAKFAST



Men’s Prayer Breakfast
Saturday, January 31
8:30 a.m.

Speaker:
Peter Polous (Zig Ziglar Performance Group)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Monthly Bible Study has changed their meeting for January. They will meet Tuesday, January 27, at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to come and attend.

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for the Valentine Banquet. The banquet will be held Wednesday, February 11, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The

cost is \$7.00 per person, and reservations are needed. Please sign up on the bulletin board or call the church office.

We will show the movie “Fireproof” Friday and Saturday, February 20–21, at 7:00 p.m. each evening in the Fellowship Hall. There is no admission charge and popcorn and sodas will be provided, along with free childcare. The movie



Things to remember

will be shown in Spanish Saturday, February 28, at 7:00 p.m. Invite your friends to join us!



Bob Wiley
Pastor

JUST THINKING. . .

For several years, our church has shared with other churches in providing devotional or inspirational services for the Baptist Towers. We have agreed to do so Thursday evenings during the months of March, July, and November in 2009. I am inviting Sunday School classes, church organizations, and church members to volunteer to be responsible for a "program" for one of the 12 Thursday evenings we are responsible. In the past, devotionals have been given, musical presentations (singing and/or playing, interactive presentations (Barbara and I did a "Planter in the Hats" routine), and sing-a-longs have

been utilized. They have a payer concern listing to be used during a time of prayer. Total time for each session should be 30 to 45 minutes.

For more information, check your Sunday morning bulletin and the board by the office. The available dates will be listed.

Also, I will be teaching a 4 week workshop, starting March 4, on Wednesday evenings at 5:00 on "Effective Witnessing." A sign-up sheet for the workshop is available on the bulleting board by the office.

Pastor Bob

Welcome to
our newest
members

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We extend a warm welcome to our newest members, who have joined the church during the past couple of weeks:

Mrs. Joei Pack
Miss Courtney Foster
4464 Richard Rd
Conley, GA 30288

Mr. Mike Burks
3406 N Fulton Ave
Hapeville, GA 30354

THIS WEEK. . .

Bible Study Attendance 74
Budget Receipts \$ 4,185.00
Designated Receipts 287.62
Total Receipts \$ 4,472.62
Weekly Requirements \$5,853.00

Deacon of the Week,
John Travis
423 Wagon Wheel Trail
Fairburn, GA 30213-9623
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Scripture Reader,
Mike Burks

Nursery Worker,
Joyce Payne

Van Driver Team,
Debbie Martin, Steve Darrow

Breakfast Team,
Bob & Barbara Wiley

PRAY FOR. . .

Jim Lovern and family in the death of his brother-in-law, Joe Wyly.

Treasured Member of the week:
Mildred Mann
253 Colorado Avenue
Hapeville, GA 30354-1523



Tom Howard
Minister of
Music/

NOTES FROM TOM

Sunday was a very cold day outside, and the weather had an adverse effect on our attendance in Bible Study and worship. I appreciate your understanding that the Sanctuary Choir was not at full strength and took the morning off. Though that felt very odd, we look forward to getting back to normal this week.

Choir members, we will not sing "Order My Steps" from last week, but will put it off one more week. This week, we will sing Ken Medema's

"Come Build a Church," which should fit very well with the sermon series the pastor has presented to us during this month.

Handbell Choir, we will meet this week at our normal time. We will not meet on February 1 due to some football game I've heard may create some disruptions in normal schedules that day.

We look forward to seeing everyone in their usual places this Sunday!

DECEMBER FINANCIAL SUMMARY

During December, our receipts were 81.96% of budget requirements. In addition to the following, we have balances in the Building Fund of \$220.62, the Organ Maintenance Fund of \$2,445.00, and the Sanctuary Piano Fund of \$4,585.00.	Balance Brought Forward	(\$ 5,324.51)	<i>We give our gifts and ourselves to the work of God's kingdom</i>
	Regular Receipts	20,786.85	
	Designated Receipts	3,875.53	
	Regular Disbursements	21,275.03	
	Designated Disbursements	9,407.71	
	Service Charge	0.00	
	Ending Balance	(\$ 11,344.87)	
	Percentage Budget for month	81.96%	
	Budget Receipts shortage to date	(\$ 25,222.00)	
	Designated Year-to-Date	\$ 41,652.98	

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, January 25	Wednesday, January 28
9:45 am Bible Study	5:00 pm Children's Choirs
11:00 am Worship	6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
5:00 pm Handbell Choir	6:45 pm Sanctuary Choir
6:00 pm Worship	
7:00 pm Worship Café	Saturday, January 31
	8:30 am Prayer Breakfast
Monday, January 26	
6:00 pm Cub Scouts	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Joy Carey	01/26
Virginia Smith	01/28
Rudeen Turner	01/29
Crystal Whitehead	01/29
Mary McCollum	01/30
Herbert Weiss	01/30
Frances Eubanks	01/31