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BACKYARD BIBLE CLUBS

Backyard Bible Clubs began this week in Hapeville. A group of leaders (adult and youth) from our church went to Moreland Way Park each morning to share the Good News of God with the children of the neighborhood. After a slow start due to threats of inclement weather Monday, attendance rebounded to 18 by Tuesday morning.

church, where we hope to reach children in the church neighborhood with the Good News. We have ongoing relationships with some of these children through Sunday School, Children’s Choir, and Vacation Bible School, and we hope to capitalize on that with yet another effort to share God’s love in the community.

Pray for the work being done these two weeks. Pray for the group from Brunswick as they travel Sunday afternoon to Atlanta. Pray that God will continue to use us to do great things in Hapeville as we continue to reach out.



Next week, we will have a youth group from the Pine Ridge Baptist Church in Brunswick, Georgia, here to lead another Backyard Bible Club at the DelMar Apartments down the street from the

“AN AMERICAN IN SONG”

We have a special concert Sunday afternoon, July 19, at 4:00 pm in the sanctuary. We will hear “An American in Song” as Bill Killmeier shares with us some great American music. Bill Killmeier grew up in Marietta and now resides in Peachtree City. After graduating from Westminster Choir College in Princeton, N.J., he was selected as soloist and member of the U.S. Army Band and Chorus in Washington, D.C. After his enlistment, Killmeier continued his singing career in Germany where he sang for nearly 10 years as a full-time house soloist in various theaters. Killmeier has performed more than 50 operatic roles in Europe and the United States. He continues to sing in various community events.

Plan to join us as we enjoy an afternoon of music, Sunday, July 19, at 4:00 pm.

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DEACON NOMINATIONS

Nominations are now being received to replace the deacons whose terms end this year.

Please nominate up to ten persons to serve.

The following deacons are currently serving and are ineligible for election:

- Steve Darrow*
- Jim Lovern*
- Brent Summers*
- John Travis*
- Cecil Wallace*
- Gene Weathers*
- Bob Weigle*

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Please place your completed ballot in the offering plate or bring to the church office by **Sunday, August 9.**

JUST THINKING. . .

*Bob Wiley
Pastor*

Revival is inseparably tied to prayer. Most revivals begin through the spiritual hunger and thirst of an individual who prays like the Psalmist. Spurgeon wrote the following regarding Psalm 80:3 - "Turn us, and cause thy face to shine.' To thyself convert us, from the earthly to the heavenly; convert our rebellious wills to thee, and when we are converted, show thy countenance that we may know thee; show thy power that we may fear thee; show thy wisdom that we may reverence thee; show

thy goodness that we may love thee; show them once, show them a second time, show them always, that through tribulation we may pass with a happy face, and be saved. When thou dost save, we shall be saved; when thou withdrawest thy hand, we cannot be saved."

Join me as we pray Psalm 80:3 this week: "Restore us, O God; make your face shine upon us, that we may be saved."

Pastor Bob

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

*Welcome New
Member;
Baptism
Service
Sunday*

We welcome our newest member, Mrs. Ginger Denbow, on her decision to join us by statement last Sunday. She has been attending our services for some time now, and we are pleased to welcome her to our membership.

Ginger Denbow
498 North Avenue
Hapeville, GA 30354
(770) 231-6155
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Please join us this Sunday morning, July 19, as we celebrate a service of baptism for those who have joined our church on profession of faith in recent weeks. It will be a joyous day of worship!

THIS WEEK. . .

Bible Study Attendance 64
Budget Receipts \$ 4,829.00
Designated Receipts 2,230.00
Total Receipts \$ 7,059.00
Weekly Requirements \$5,853.00

Deacon of the Week,
Jim Lovern
492 Radar Drive
Hapeville, GA 30354-1566
404.766.6798

Nursery Worker,
Joyce Payne
Van Driver Team,
Linda Bramblett, Greg Jones
Breakfast Team,
Bob & Barbara Wiley

PRAY FOR. . .

Treasured Members of the week:
Verna Peitso
1865 Bold Springs Rd NW
Park Place Nursing Facility
Monroe, GA 30656-4605

NOTES FROM TOM

*Tom Howard
Minister of
Music/
Financial
Administrator*

Sunday afternoon, we will enjoy "An American in Song" featuring Bill Killmeir, at 4:00 pm.

Sunday evening, we will not have our 6:00 pm worship service, but we will have Worship Café at 6:15 pm, with coffee and fellowship beginning at 6:00 pm.

Jan Gwaltney will offer a worship concert on Sunday, Aug. 2, at Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church, East Point. The pre-service music will begin at 2:50 p.m.

and the concert is at 3:00 p.m. Bob Allen, organist, will be accompanist and will also do solos on organ and piano. Guest soloist is John Gardner, presenting solos on the flute. Bob and John are former members of the U.S. Army Band and exceptional musicians. They are very willing to share their God-given talents. Jan Gwaltney, mezzo-soprano, is a member of the Jubalheirs and Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church. There will be a reception after the concert.

HOMECOMING

Join us Sunday, August 23, as we celebrate the 125th anniversary of Hapeville First Baptist Church.

Our worship service will begin at 10:30 am and will include many faces from the past. The service will be followed

by a covered-dish "dinner on the grounds" in the fellowship hall.

If you have an address for someone that you would like to receive a special invitation to Homecoming this year, please call the church

office and give the information to Sue Harris. We would love to see as many former members as possible for this special year of celebration as we reminisce of years gone by and look forward to years to come.

*Sunday,
August 23
10:30 am*

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, July 19

9:45 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship
4:00 pm "An American in Song" -Bill Killmeier
6:15 pm Worship Café

Monday, July 20

10:00 am Backyard Bible Club
DelMar Apts
10:30 am HUMS
6:00 pm Cub Scouts
7:00 pm Deacon Meeting

Tuesday, July 21

10:00 am Backyard Bible Club
7:00 pm Women on Mission

Wednesday, July 22

10:00 am Backyard Bible Club
6:00 pm Church Conference
6:45 pm Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, July 23

10:00 am Backyard Bible Club
7:00 pm Baptist Towers

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Julie Murphy 07/20
Wade Moone 07/22
Pat Pilgrim 07/23
Patricia McCord 07/24
Scott Freeman 07/24
Cris Vessell 07/24
Heather Cole 07/24
Bob Wiley 07/25