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HOME COMING



Sunday, August 23, 2009
Worship—10:30 am
Dinner—12:00 noon

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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.**

It is going to be a great day of celebration!

Sunday, August 23, we will celebrate our 125th anniversary as a church with our annual Homecoming service.

The day will begin with an abbreviated time of Bible Study beginning at 9:45 am, and ending at 10:15 am. Worship will begin at 10:30 am.

Our worship service will feature a time of looking, remembering, and honoring our past 125 years of ministry. We will also celebrate our present and look forward with anticipation to our future in the Hapeville community. We are inviting all of our former staff

members and former members to join us for this celebration. Please be certain that you help us reach as many people as possible so that no one will be left out.

We will have a special Homecoming Choir that morning singing three anthems and other service music. If you would like to join us in the choir for the day, please come to the choir room at 9:45 am for an opportunity to go through the music for the day.

Our Homecoming message for the day will be presented by Dr. David Hinson, who serves as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Frankfort, Kentucky.

Following the worship service, everyone

is invited to join us in the fellowship hall for a covered-dish "dinner on the grounds." We will have some helpers outside before Sunday School to help you bring your dishes to the fellowship hall. Be sure and prepare some extra food for our guests!

125th Anniversary Homecoming

Sunday, August 23
Worship—10:30 am
Dinner—12:00 noon

Please invite friends and former members to join us for a great day of celebration!

JUST THINKING. . .

*Bob Wiley
Pastor*

Homecoming! One of the great Sundays in the life of a church. It is an opportunity to have many of our old friends together for a grand reunion. But like most good things there is a price tag! The "price tag" is labor and plain ole' hard work in getting the building looking good, cleaning, cooking and preparing for a huge meal!

This is not an ordinary homecoming in the sense that this is one of those Big Marker Years - 125 years for the minis-

try of Hapeville First. Let me ask each of you to do something special this year: Take the time to write a note, or poem, or a letter or a song telling how this church has impacted your life and family through the years. We will post them on the bulletin board in the office hallway. Pictures illustrating your thoughts are welcomed.

Let's see if we can have 250 people present in worship on August 23!

Pastor Bob

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

*Monica
Doolittle*

We welcome Monica Doolittle as our newest member on her profession of faith Sunday morning. As you know, Monica has grown up in our church. She is the daughter of Brian and Amy Doolittle and the

granddaughter of Linda Williams. She has been an active member of our music ministry and is a member of the Children 3 Sunday School class.

We celebrate Monica's decision with her and

her family.

Monica Doolittle
484 Radar Drive
Hapeville, GA 30354
(404) 761-4679

THIS WEEK. . .

Bible Study Attendance 69
Budget Receipts \$ 5,795.00
Designated Receipts 100.00
Total Receipts 5,895.00
Weekly Requirements \$5,853.00

Deacon of the Week,
John Wimpey
2109 LaVista Circle
Hapeville, GA 30354-1503
404.762.8128

Nursery Worker,
Linda Williams
Van Driver Team,
Linda Bramblett, Steve Darrow
Breakfast Team,
Denise Summers, Sharon
Bryden

PRAY FOR. . .

Treasured Members of the week:
Frank Smith
3184 Forrest Hills Drive, SW
Hapeville, GA 30354-1217

NOTES FROM TOM

*Tom Howard
Minister of
Music/
Financial
Administrator*

Back to school means back to choir!

Our Children's Choirs will resume their school schedule this month. We will have a Choir party, including a hot dog supper, Wednesday, August 19, at 5:00 pm. Our regular rehearsals begin the following week, also at 5:00pm.

We invite all children from 3 years old through 5th grade to join us each week for a time of singing, learning musical skills and knowledge, and learning Bible

lessons through song. We have a variety of activities each week, and we will begin working in September on music for Christmas. Come and join us!

If you would like to sing in the choir for Homecoming, please join us Sunday, August 23, in the choir room at 9:45 am for an opportunity to review the music for the service. We invite anyone who is interested to join us for the day!

Make a joyful noise to the Lord!

TENT EVENT

Tent Meeting

Levi Skipper, evangelist

September 20-23

*Different music style each night
(beside the church parking lot)*



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, August 9
9:00 am Sunday School
Workers Meeting
9:45 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship
6:00 pm Worship
6:15 pm Worship Café

Monday, August 10
6:00 pm Cub Scouts

Tuesday, August 11
10:00 am Monthly Bible Study

Wednesday, August 12
6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
6:45 pm Sanctuary Choir

Sunday, August 16
9:45 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship
6:00 pm Worship
6:15 pm Worship Café

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Laura Murphy 08/09
Jimmy Bishop 08/13
Elmer Shepherd 08/14