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WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday: Prayer Meeting 9:00 AM
 Sunday School 9:45 AM
 Morning Gospel Hour 11:00 AM
 Evening Service 6:00 PM
 Tuesday: Shut-in Ministry 10:00 AM
 Wednesday: S.W.A.T. Teen Visitation 4:30 PM
 Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM
 Youth A.L.I.V.E. & Master Clubs 7:00 PM
 Thursday: MBCCC, FREE, ACTION, Church Visitation 6:30 PM
 Saturday: Bus Breakfast & Visitation 8:30 AM

REPORT FOR WEEK: 4/18/10

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School	661	AM Service	707
PM Service	305	Wednesday	239

OFFERINGS

Budget Offering	XXXXXXXX	Total Offering	XXXXXXXX
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Budget Offering Needed Weekly: XXXXXXXX

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WELCOME!

A warm welcome is extended to you this morning! May God bless you and meet a spiritual need in your life today.

PETITION FOR POWER

Our Prayer Meeting *next* Sunday morning at **9:00** is based on **Psalm 60:11-12**. All men and ladies are *encouraged* to attend.

SPRING REVIVAL

A warm welcome is extended to Evangelist Byron Foxx, his wife Renee, Tim & Stephanie Wright, Jason Guerrant, and Adam Davis who led our Choir Conference Friday and Saturday. Bro. Foxx is President and Founder of Bible Truth Music which began in 1987. Bible Truth Music ministers to over 3,000 churches through their music, songbooks, and gospel recordings. Bro. Foxx will be preaching in our Spring Revival meetings this week. The meetings on Monday-Wednesday begin at 7:00 each night. Childcare is available up through age five. Families are encouraged to attend together!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY PASTOR ~ APRIL 28!



FINANCIAL COUNSELING

Bro. Bob Vallier, CPA, will be here next month to audit our ministry's finances. Bro. Vallier is a financial advisor to Independent Baptist pastors, missionaries, and churches. While he is here, Bro. Vallier will be taking appointments at *no charge* (through the church office) to meet with those who are interested in financial counseling (tax issues, investing, debt management, and budgeting). We encourage our folks to take advantage of this opportunity while Bro. Vallier is with us.

NEEDS FOR THE NEW SANCTUARY

We have made provision for a nine-foot grand piano and a good-sized church organ in our New Sanctuary. As we move into the sanctuary in the next couple of months, we would ask that you be on the lookout for these instruments. We believe God would be glorified if our instruments were as grand as our beautiful new building.

AUDITORIUM BIBLE CLASS

Next Sunday, Bro. Chapman will present a lesson entitled *Work Relationships*. Anyone 18 years of age and older who does not have a regular Sunday School class is invited to attend.

NEW SANCTUARY

Tonight, in the service, we will take the regularly scheduled offering for our New Sanctuary.



Pointing the Way In Discipleship

John 1:41-42a: He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith unto him, We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ. And he brought him to Jesus.

Ye are the light of the world (Matthew 5:14).

Nursery Schedule



Sunday, April 25

	INFANT	TODDLER
9:45 AM	Linda & Dana Henson, L. Hott	Joe & Jeanie Gehr
11:00 AM	Joan Crum, Jeff & Christy Hott	Sarah Bussard & Kim Jones
6:00 PM	Mark & Andrea Bragunier	Dee Covalt & Jackie Merson

Sunday, May 2

9:45 AM	Linda & Dana Henson, L. Hott	Christi Zyskowski & Judie Bishop
11:00 AM	A. Fiengo, Mandi H., C. Souders	Ruth Hoyt & Nancy Mellott
6:00 PM	Stacey Kingsbury & A. McMillin	Mike & Karen Wilder

Nursery Director ~ Mary Lin Chapman ~ 301-582-2831

MASTER CLUBS

This Wednesday is "Revival" Night.

Master Club leaders: Our monthly meeting will be held on **Wednesday, May 5th**, at **6:30 p.m.** in Room 118.

VBS WORKERS' MEETING

Tonight, following the service, Bro. Z will hold a meeting in the Prayer Warriors' classroom with all those working in the King's Tournament (Game Department). **Also:** Those who have not yet received their **VBS curriculum**, please see Bro. Z.

JUNIOR CAMP

We are still accepting registrations for this year's summer camp trip to Hoosier Hills Baptist Camp. We already have several juniors signed up to go, yet there is still room. The juniors will leave early Monday morning (July 19th) and return Friday evening (July 23rd). For more information or to obtain a registration form, please see Bro. Chapman or Bro. Z.

Note: In order for our young ladies attending Junior Camp to meet camp dress code, Mrs. Carrie Scray has offered to assist by sewing culottes for the campers. Please see her today for further details.

YOUTH A.L.I.V.E.

Reserve your spot today for our trip to **Indian Creek Baptist Camp** from **June 28th to July 2nd**. Registration forms and money are due by **Sunday, May 30th**. Please see Bro. Jordan today for more information.

WEEKLY BUS RIDERS 4/18/10 ~ 282!



Roger & Flo Vincent, SW Hag.	38	Marsha Higley, WV/W'port.	53
Dave Carpenter, SE Hag.	40	Ken Shank, Cascade/S'burg.	55
Jim Robinson, NE Hag.	42	R. Caudle, Courtesy Van	9
David Zyskowski, NW Hag.	32	Family Bus Riders	55
Clear Spring	45	Total with Bus Workers	314

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LOOKING AHEAD

Ladies' Conference with Mina Oglesby	→	May 7-8
Mother's Day	→	May 9
Graduation Sunday	→	June 6

EMMANUEL'S BELLS

Our hand bell choir will perform special music in the service *tonight*.

ABOUT MINA

Mina Oglesby was born and reared in Kansas. Her first contact with the gospel was when a *faithful* bus captain from a local Baptist church began visiting to enlist her children to ride the church bus. Mina was saved in **April of 1975** after hearing a clear presentation of the **gospel** for the very first time. Since then, the Lord has opened doors for what would become a far-reaching ministry to women in local Baptist churches across the United States. Her ministry emphasizes the **Scriptural** principle of **Titus 2:3-5**, the **reality** and **practicality** of the **Christian life**, and the **importance** and **authority** of the local church. Ladies, you really will *not* want to miss the *blessing* of this special conference.

LADIES' CONFERENCE FLYERS

Flyers and handouts are available on the back table in the gymnasium for posting, distributing, and promoting our upcoming Ladies' Conference.

ACKNOWLEDGING GRADUATES



We will present high school and college graduates with a Bible on **Graduation Sunday, June 6th**. All those graduating from the *6th grade* this year will also be recognized with a special gift. If anyone in your family has graduated since last June or is graduating this spring, please notify the church office by *this Wednesday, April 28th*.

CHURCH ENTRY

While our front parking lot is under construction, those needing access into the building during the week for appointments, visitation, etc. may use the door at the back of the building between the Hampton Center and the bus garage. In the alley, the second door on the left will lead upstairs to where the offices are located.

BUDGET REPORT

For those who would like one, copies of the budget reports for January through March are available on the table at the back of the gymnasium.

NEWCOMER'S CLASS

Next Sunday, May 2nd, Pastor Aikens will teach **Session One** entitled, "**Assurance of Salvation**."

Missionary of the Month
Moment of Truth
Cable Television Spots

Making the Most of Your First Visit

- We encourage you to take advantage of our children's ministries, including nurseries and programs for children through sixth grade. If you prefer to keep your children with you, please sit near the back of the Gymnasium.
- Please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. This is intended for members and regular attendees.
- To help our ushers prevent distractions, we ask that you remain in the Gymnasium once the service has begun, unless there is an emergency. If you must leave, please exit through the lobby; and an usher will be glad to assist you. Restrooms are located to the side of the Gymnasium. Due to the close proximity to the service, please limit restroom use during the service.
- To maintain a tone of reverence, we ask that pagers and cell phones be put in the silent mode. No food or drinks are permitted in the Gymnasium.

WHAT IS AN INVITATION?

At the close of each Worship Service, our Pastor will extend an invitation to allow people to make spiritual decisions regarding spiritual growth, salvation, baptism, church membership, or Christian service.

HOW CAN I BE SAVED?

1. Acknowledge that you are a sinner and that you cannot save yourself (Romans 3:23).
2. Believe that Jesus Christ died for your sins (Romans 5:8).
3. Confess your sins and ask Jesus to forgive and save you and make you a real Christian (Romans 10:9-10, 13).

WHY SHOULD I BE BAPTIZED?

As soon as a person becomes a member of the family of God through salvation, he should start his walk with Christ by making a definite, public profession of faith (Matthew 10:32-33).

Baptism incorporates this public profession of faith and symbolizes a believer's position with Christ in His death, burial, and resurrection. This symbolism declares a believer's intention to die to the flesh, bury the old nature, and begin to operate in the new nature with the help of the Holy Spirit.

HOW DO I BECOME A MEMBER?

- Anyone wishing to become a part of this body of believers may discuss this with a member of our pastoral staff. We receive new members who meet the spiritual qualifications of our constitution and by-laws: by letter from a church of like faith, by statement of faith, or upon following the Lord in believer's baptism.
- Attend the **Newcomer's Class**, a special 14-week Sunday School class for all new Christians and new attendees.

If the Holy Spirit has worked in your life, prompting you to make any of these decisions, please come forward during the invitation time. When you come forward, you will be greeted by a minister who will guide you in your decision.

What will you do with Jesus?

Neutral you cannot be.

For one day your soul will be asking,

"What will He do with me?"