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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: 5/9/10			
ATTENDANCE			
Sunday School	657	AM Service	776
PM Service	314	Wednesday	252
OFFERINGS			
Budget Offering	XXXXXXX	Total Offering	XXXXXXX
Budget Offering Needed Weekly: XXXXXXX			

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PETITION FOR POWER

Our Prayer Meeting *next* Sunday morning at **9:00** is based on **Psalm 34:18**. All men and ladies are *encouraged* to attend.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Aron Michaels | Zeke Ricketts
 Mary Ann Swope | Marissa Swope

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the Jenkins Family upon the loss of Mike's grandmother. Sympathy is also extended to Eleanor Strohecker upon the recent loss of her sister.

MEMORIAL DAY OPPORTUNITY

Pastor has been invited to preach in Washington, D.C., on the National Mall at one of four patriotic/gospel concerts hosted by Agora Evangelistic Ministries and the Sword of the Lord. We will be taking a bus to this Memorial Day event for those who would like to support our pastor and participate in passing out tracts. More details will follow.

NEW SANCTUARY DEDICATION

On **Sunday, June 20th**, we plan to dedicate ourselves and our New Sanctuary to the Lord and His work. We trust everyone will be inviting their friends and family to this special event in the life and ministry of our church.

EMMANUEL CHAPEL



We are trying our best to get the former sanctuary completed and ready for the service on **Wednesday, May 26th**. Also, Pastor plans to introduce a new series entitled "Matching Wits With Wisdom" that night, and we encourage all members to be in attendance.

FINANCIAL COUNSELING

Bro. Bob Vallier, CPA, will be here *this* week to audit our ministry's finances. Bro. Vallier offers financial counseling at *no charge* in various financial areas. He has limited appointments on Thursday (with possibly one or two after church on Wednesday evening). Please call the church office to schedule an appointment.

PENSACOLA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

The PCC Proclaim Quartet presenting special music and skits *next* Sunday in our evening service. They will also provide special music and a DVD presentation in ECS Chapel on Monday at 9:00 a.m. in the Youth Auditorium. All are welcome to attend. Don't miss out on a great blessing!



Pointing the Way To Commitment

John 15:16: Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name He may give it you.

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

Nursery Schedule



Sunday, May 16		
	INFANT	TODDLER
9:45 AM	Linda & Dana Henson, L. Hott	Joe & Jeanie Gehr
11:00 AM	A. Fiengo, Mandi H., C. Souders	S. Cavender & Renee Shives
6:00 PM	Helen Burkett & Assistant	John & Sara Miles
Sunday, May 23		
9:45 AM	Linda & Dana Henson, L. Hott	Joe & Jeanie Gehr
11:00 AM	Joan Crum, Jeff & Christy Hott	J. Bundle, S. Bussard, & K. Jones
6:00 PM	Mark & Andrea Bragunier	Dee Covalt & Jackie Merson
Nursery Director ~ Mary Lin Chapman ~ 301-582-2831		

MASTER CLUBS ~ MEMORABLE MAY

This Wednesday is "Flying Turtles" Night!

GRAND PRIX/SAILBOAT REGATTA



Our Grand Prix/Sailboat Regatta will be held **Saturday, May 22nd**. Registration begins at 9:45 a.m., and the races begin at 10:00 a.m. Lunch will be provided for those who attend. To purchase a car or sailboat kit, please see Bro. Z. or our Master Club Secretary, Lynndell Quirple.

VBS REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Tonight, those serving in the VBS Registration Department will meet in the Prayer Warriors' classroom following the evening service.

VBS NEEDS

We would like to have all donations collected by **today!**

VBS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

On **Sunday, May 30th**, following the evening service, Bro. Chapman and Bro. Z will be meeting with all those helping in our Vacation Bible School. This meeting is for bus captains, teachers, and those serving in our Craft Department, Registration Department, Snack Department, and Game Department. It is important that everyone attend.

WEEKLY BUS RIDERS 5/9/10 ~ 316!



Roger & Flo Vincent, SW Hag.	27	Marsha Higley, WV/W'port	47
Dave Carpenter, SE Hag.	72	Ken Shank, Cascade/S'burg	52
Jim Robinson, NE Hag.	55	R. Caudle, Courtesy Van	10
David Zyskowski, NW Hag.	35	Family Bus Riders	73
Clear Spring	47	Total with Bus Workers	345

WHGT TOWER SITE

We are in need of several volunteers to assist in installation of copper ground radials. Work will begin Monday and needs to be complete *before* we get more wet weather. Please see Bro. Kenny if you are able to help so we can plan accordingly.

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LOOKING AHEAD

Graduation Sunday	→	June 6
VBS & Summer Youth Blast	→	June 14-18
New Sanctuary Dedication	→	June 20
Father's Day	→	June 20
Indian Creek Baptist Teen Camp	→	June 28-July 2
Hoosier Hills Baptist Junior Camp	→	July 19-23

YOUTH A.L.I.V.E.

The teens will have an **Afterglow** at the home of Roger and Laura Hott *next Sunday, May 23rd*. They will leave following the evening service and return to the church by 9:15 p.m.

On **Saturday, May 29th**, the teens will attend the **Focus Youth Conference** at **Victory Baptist Church**. More information will be given in *next week's* bulletin.

This year our **Summer Youth Blast** will literally be a **BLAST!** We plan to give away several prizes each night. In order to make this possible, we need your help. There will be an announcement in the service *tonight* on how you can participate! You may also see Bro. Jordan for more details.

Please note we have had to make a change in the dates for our **Summer Basketball Camp** to **August 2nd-6th**. Please see Bro. Jordan *today* to sign up!

Next Sunday, May 23rd, is the last practice for **Teen Tones** on Sunday afternoons. Practice will be moved to Wednesday nights following Youth Alive from 8:30 to 9:00 p.m. in the teen room. We trust that all teenagers will get involved in this new ministry of our Youth Department. For more information please see Bro. Jordan.

DEACONS' MEETING

The Deacons will meet *next Sunday, May 23rd*, following the evening service.

CHURCH ENTRANCE

Beginning *immediately*, the entrance to the church is at the *bottom* of the hill where our marquee sign is. This is the *only* access onto the church property for services, appointments, visitation, etc.

Note: The Hampton's driveway is now a *private* residential driveway, and is no longer a part of the church entrance. *Please* refrain from parking in this area and use the entrance as stated above. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

NEWCOMER'S CLASS

Next Sunday, May 23rd, Pastor Aikens will teach **Session Four**, entitled "**The Oversight of the Church.**"

Missionary of the Month
Doug & Lisa Nispel
Romania

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 Gymnatorium.
- 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 Gymnatorium 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 Gymnatorium. 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 Gymnatorium.

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?"