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Birthdays

October 11 Connie Hunt
 Mary Lou Newton
 Chris Decker
 Cleta Fields

October 12 Michael Howell
 Mackenzie Bradley

October 13 Terry Bradley

October 14 Bobby Lewis
 Eugene Hutcherson
 Harold Skaggs
 Wanda Baumgardner

October 15 Kenneth Doom

October 16 Lewis Sloan

October 17 Oneida Cochran
 Betty Mitchell
 Francis Locke

Thank you, First Baptist, for all the cards, food, thoughts and concerns while Bill was in the hospital and since his return home. We especially appreciate all the prayers that were lifted in his behalf. You have been such a caring church family!

*Sincerely,
 Bill & Sybil Johnson*

Deacon Nominations

Please submit your suggestion for deacons to serve the next three years by Oct. 25th. The following are now serving as deacons and are not eligible for nomination: Doug Bell, LeRoy Clark, Kenley Conner, Bill Hazle, Gene Hornback, Barry Knight, Tommy Locke, W. L. McCoy, Steve McCubbin, Dale Morris, Jack Rogers, Scott Sandidge, Bill Shoemaker, Barry Stephens Tim Underwood, Dean Williams and Glenn Williams. Please write your nomination on a slip of paper and turn in to the church office.

MIKE'S-SPACE

We had a good group of our folks and some visitors at the brunch Sunday morning. I told them, "The key is in the numbers". That is, the work of God's kingdom moves forward according to the numbers of people involved in the work. I thanked all the members there that morning who had ministered to people in our community by way of a bereavement dinner, youth 5th quarter after the football game, and cooking breakfast for us that morning.

The key is in the numbers of people working in the kingdom at any one time. With that in mind, I'd like to ask all of you to join the work in a couple of ways. First, I'll be doing some prayer walking in the Hutcherson Heights area this Saturday. If you can, join me for prayer in the sanctuary at noon, and then we'll walk starting at 1 PM. I encourage you to look at the area map in the front foyer of the church and commit to prayer walking in a certain area at least a couple of times during October and November. As I said, I'll be praying and prayer walking every Saturday through next Easter. So you can join me any Saturday and we'll prayer walk together.

Second, the framing of the old quilt, with the names of all the church members from 1896, is completed. Remember the celebration day we have planned for Sunday October 25th. We'll have a great service celebrating our church's history, a dinner on the grounds, and a musical presentation by C.U. Sound from Campbellsville College in the early afternoon. Our own Carmen Drake is part of that group. We're going to advertise this event in the paper. But what we really need is a word of mouth campaign by our membership. Every chance you get between now and the 25th I encourage you to spread the word about this quilt and it's significance for the community. Tell your friends, neighbors and fellow church members about the names of their family members that are on this quilt. Invite them to attend and find their relative's name and reconnect with their past. Invite them to reconnect with how God has blessed us over all these years. I hope to see a great crowd of people that day.

The key is in the number of people praying and sharing the good news!

Your Pastor,
 Bro. Mike



Prayer Walk

Prayer in Sanctuary this Saturday, October 10th at noon. Bro. Mike will be prayer walking in the Hutcherson Heights area. Please consider signing up to cover an area in and around Hodgenville for prayer walking this fall. You will find the area map and a sign up sheet on a table in the front foyer.

COMING SOON
Special Family Celebration Day
October 25th
Unveiling of Historical Quilt
Homecoming Service
Potluck Meal
Afternoon Musical
Performance by C.U. Sound



October Greeters:
 Suzanne Boone,
 Rob and Nancy Brown, Oneida Cochran, Suzann McCoy, Julie Skeens and Jan Wright

Host: Mona Bell

Deacons of the Week

October 11: Dale Morris and W. L. McCoy
 Head Usher: Jimmy Rogers

October 18: Dean Williams and Bill Shoemaker
 Head Usher: Jimmie McDowell
Children's Workers

October 11:
 Breakfast: Vicki Williams
 Infant: Nina Cundiff and Suzann McCoy
 Toddlers: Ruth Ann Frazee and Jean Thomas
 2's & 3's: Michelle Rogers and John Blunk
 Jr. Children's Church: No Jr. Children's Church
 Evening Worship: Kathy Ross and Katie McDowell

Wed., October 14: Laurie and Liz Pearsall

October 18:
 Breakfast: Michelle Rogers
 Infants: Mike and Connie Hunt
 Toddlers: Lewis and Carla Sloan
 2's & 3's: Cindy Smith and Brenda Whitlow
 Jr. Children's Church: Katie Sandidge and Cara Beth Dawson
 Evening Nursery: Ann Gibson and Perry Huccaby

Wed., October 21: Liane McDowell and Mae Burden

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Music Notes

The Smith family will be moving to Hodgenville this week in a flurry of activity. Not only are they moving households but the children are starting new schools when things gear up after Fall break. Please keep the family in your prayers as they all transition to a new house, new school and new church. The great news is the newness isn't just for the Smith's but our church as well. Get in on the ground floor of something new and experience God's blessing and answer to our prayers as Misty brings her gifts, talents and love for Jesus to our church and our music ministry. Change is not easy; in fact many of us struggle; even avoid the unknown and uncertain aspect of new things and change. Jesus was all about new things and change. In Matthew 9 Jesus is doing some new things and is approached by the followers of John and the Pharisees asking why His disciples weren't doing what they were suppose to be doing, fasting. He replied when the bridegroom is here you don't mourn you celebrate. He goes on to say that you can't put new wine into old wineskins because they can't contain it. They will burst and be ruined. He said, no you put new wine into new wineskins and they are both preserved. Is your skin ready for something new? Better get ready because God is doing a new thing. Isaiah 43: 18 and 19; "Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the desert and streams in the wasteland." Praise God for new life!

Claude Ramey

There will be no Worship Choir Rehearsal this Wednesday, October 7th, but be looking forward to rehearsal with Misty on the 14th!

Student Ministry Stuff

Warm Hearts – Warm Kids

Warm Hearts – Warm Kids is off to a great start. We've already received support for 14 coats and 12 hoodies! We will be collecting donations for this program through October 18.

Fall Break Schedule:

- Sunday, Oct. 4 – No Sunday School or Crazy Love
- Wednesday, Oct. 7 – No Wednesday Night Youth
- Friday, Oct. 9 – Tim Hawkins at Northside Christian Church, New Albany
- Sunday Oct. 11 – Regular Schedule, Crazy Love meets at 6:00pm

Fifth Quarter

We had around 200 here for Fifth Quarter after the homecoming football game Friday night. The student praise team from South Fork led the music and former Youth Minister Dave Levee presented the message. We want to thank all who helped with this successful endeavor. Whether you came to chaperone or cook, baked cookies, helped set up or take down, prayed for the evening, etc., we appreciate your service.

Children and Education

Education

October 18—Teacher's Meeting 9:00—9:30

Teachers, join us as we discuss the importance of prayer in the Sunday School classroom. How to organize it, how to plan for it, and how not to spend 20 minutes on prayer requests and only 5 minutes on actual prayer. You will not want to miss this training event.

Children

No TeamKID—October 7th Hayride—October 24—4:30-7:00

Reminder...there is no TeamKID tonight. However, there will be the regular service and Bible study. I encourage you all to attend. It is a great study you will enjoy being a part of.

Families...mark your calendars for the 24th of October. You are invited to join us for a Hayride. There will be a hayride, cookout, bonfires, smores, and maybe a few other added surprises. It's a great family event for all of you with children. Make plans to attend. Sign-ups and more information available on the web at:

www.fbchodgenville.org/hayride

For many of you parents who attend Sunday School you have been going through FaithWeaver for a month now. I want to encourage you to spend time talking with your children about what you are learning as they are studying the same thing. At the end of the evaluation period I will send out a paper asking your thoughts on the curriculum. Questions might include: What is the best part of the curriculum? Your least favorite aspect? Do you think it would be good to use church-wide? Did you regularly attempt the daily challenges? Your input will be greatly appreciated.

~Adam

Schedule of Events:

Sunday, October 11

8:45 a.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
9:00 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
9:45 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship—Lord's Supper
4:30 p.m. Magic Hands Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship
6:00 p.m. Children's Activities
7:00 p.m. Deacons Meeting
7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting

Monday, October 12

7:00 a.m. Youth Prayer Breakfast, Paula's
10:00 a.m. Young at Heart Choir
10:00-11:00 a.m. CFC Open for Walking

Tuesday, October 13

8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Art Class
11:00 a.m. Young at Heart
6:00 p.m. Handbells

Wednesday, October 14

10:00-11:00 a.m. CFC Open for Walking
6:00 p.m. TeamKid and Youth Revolution
6:00 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, October 17

10:00 a.m. Church Council

Sunday, October 18

8:45 a.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
9:00 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
9:00 a.m. Teachers Meeting
9:45 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
4:30 p.m. Magic Hands Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship
6:00 p.m. Children's Activities
7:00 p.m. Business Meeting

*Mr. and Mrs. Alan Vass
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter*

*Sarah Dawn
To Scott Chandler Edwards
Saturday, the tenth of October*

*Two-thousand and nine
Seven o'clock in the evening
First Baptist Church*

730 Tontieville Road, Hodgenville, Kentucky

Donations have been given to the Hospitality Committee to purchase glassware for the kitchen to be used for special occasions. The glassware has been purchased. Thank you to those who contributed for this purchase.

The Hospitality Committee would like to thank all persons who have prepared food in any way for the bereavement dinners the hospitality committee has served. This is a small way we as a church family can reach out to families who have lost a loved one. Your cooperation in preparing food is very much appreciated and we look forward to your continuing help.

Thanks again,
Hospitality Committee

CPR, Infant CPR and First Aid Training

is being offered Friday, October 23rd, 6-8:00 p.m. and Saturday, the 24th, 9-11:00 a.m., here at FBC. Jerry McBride and Debbie Dickerson will be teaching the classes. The space is limited and the cost is \$20. Sign up sheets are on the welcome desk in the front foyer and on the table in the back foyer.



Back up bus monitors are needed for Wednesday evenings. You will need to be available at 5:30 and 7:00 p.m. Please let Terry Bradley know if you can fill this need.