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May 16-23

May 16	Victoria Smith
May 17	Austin Mayfield Alex Poore
May 18	Jim Blankenship Nancy Lasley Adam Townsend
May 20	Eudell Stearman Parker Nalley
May 21	Josh Adams
May 22	Carolyn Smith

MIKE'S-SPACE

I'm excited by what I witnessed at the recent rally for our upcoming area wide youth revival. The purpose of the rally was to encourage the youth to invite their friends and classmates to the meetings on May 19-21. Claude reported that we had more than 300 youth at the rally. Most were from our county, but some were from other surrounding counties. With that many youth at the rally we can expect upwards of 700-800 youth for the revival meetings later in May.

Is this indicative of a strong movement of the Holy Spirit in our community? I don't know yet, but I sure want to find out! I do know that more than 15 area churches are involved in setting up and conducting this revival. This means that we have a wonderful opportunity to witness of our savior Jesus Christ and to increase our fellowship as we the members of all these churches work together. I want to personally thank all of the youth ministers of our churches who have spearheaded this effort to win our youth to Christ.

Have you considered how you can help at the revival meetings? We especially need counselors to work with youth making decisions for Christ, people to pray, and security personnel. You might even enjoy the meetings themselves. There is going to be a larger area wide Central Kentucky Crusade held at Central Hardin High School Sept. 26-29 this fall. I hope our church can become highly involved in this revival effort also.

If we draw close to God, He will draw close to us. If we obey his command to witness concerning His Son, then He will send His Spirit to move people towards salvation. Don't miss this opportunity to join God in His work.

In Christ,
Bro. Mike

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**LaRue County High School
and Middle School Chorus
presents their Spring concert
Monday, May 17,
7:30 p.m. at FBC.**



**Graduate
Recognition Sunday
May 16th**

**The High School and College Graduates
for 2010 are:**

**Kenny Albert, John Daniel Bell,
Sarah Boyd, Maria Durham,
Gretchen Frazee, Kirsta Jackson,
Ryan Knight, Austin Mayfield,
Angelina McCoy, Justin Stephens,
Kristin Thompson, & Kayla Young.**



May Greeters:
Rob and Nancy
Brown, Cindy Smith,
Jan Wright, Julie
Skeens, Tim Underwood, Barbara
Gowen, Tom Rossi, Sherry Key
Host: Rob Brown

Deacons of the Week
May 16:
Glenn Williams and Barry Stephens
Head Usher: Jimmy Edwards
May 23:
Terry Bradley and Denny Duggins
Head Usher: LeRoy Clark

Child Care Workers

May 16:
Breakfast: Dale Morris
Infant: Heather Cline and Bo Decker
Toddlers: Matt Shoemaker and Kayla Young
2's & 3's: Jenny George and Nathan Williams
Children's Church:
Evening Worship: Liane McDowell and Carol Hornback
Wed., May 19: Laurie Pearsall and Liz Pearsall
May 23:
Breakfast: Vicky Williams
Infant: Mary Lou Newton and Emma Cox
Toddlers: Pam Price and Morgan Dickerson
2's & 3's: Ron and Jennifer Mills
Children's Church:
Evening Worship: Mike and Kaye Smith
Wed., May 26: Kathy Vaughn and Mae Burden

The Link...

...between a ministering church and the home.

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*Praise the LORD, O my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his holy name.*
(Psalm 103:1)

There was a sweet unity of spirit yesterday in our service as we came together and sang of the Lord's presence among us. The Lord is still the Almighty, and always will be. Although situations often seem to be out of control all around us, church is a special place where we can come together with our brothers and sisters in Christ and give Him the praise that only He deserves. When we do this, something remarkable happens! When we place our hearts and minds solely on Him in worship and adoration, we are blessed with an incomparably sweet fellowship with our Savior! We can feel the presence of His Holy Spirit among us, and we know that He is working in our midst. What an incredible thought to know that God Himself loves us and wants to work in our hearts! In John 1:12-13 we read, *"Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God— children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God."* We are told in Col. 3:12 that as God's chosen people, we are holy and dearly loved! There is an old hymn entitled, "I am His, and He is Mine!" Brothers and sisters, may we rejoice in knowing that we are children of God Himself, bought with the precious blood of Christ!

Misty

Education

"Unbelief is so deeply rooted in our hearts that while everyone confesses with their lips that God is faithful, no one ever believes it without a tremendous struggle."

"You can't have strong faith in the Lord unless you are gloriously confident of being an heir to the heavenly kingdom."

"Whatever the means of attack, there is no excuse for falling away from faith and throwing up the sure hope which in God's mercy they have received."

These 3 quotes hold great truths within them. Take one quote a day and spend one minute contemplating the truth that lies within. Does it change your faith or the way you view God? It just might.

Children

**TeamKID OMC (May 26)
VBS Booth**

OMC tasks include, "ask a friend to spike your hair with shaving cream" or "ask an adult leader to squeeze a wet sponge over your head" or "chew up a cracker and then whistle for an adult" or "catch 3 cheetos puffs in your mouth". You and your children will not want to miss out. Join us May 26th at 6:00 for food, awards, and OMC!!

Beginning this Sunday evening, May 16, there will be a VBS booth in the CFC. If you have not already volunteered please make plans to visit the booth and see what kind of areas we need your help. If you have already volunteered please stop by and sign a block of the "volunteer pyramid" for our wall.

-Adam

We had an amazing Revival Rally last Wednesday. God doubled our portion! We were expecting about 150 and we had over 300. Praise God! We are expecting God to do more than we could dream or imagine. Please add the Revival May 19, 20 and 21 to your prayer list:

- Pray that God will open hearts and minds to His Gospel and that many would accept God's gift of salvation.
- Pray that we will be able to handle the outpouring of God's Spirit.
- Pray that there would be continued and increasing unity in the community of faith in LaRue county and beyond - over 15 churches are committed to being a part of the Revolution.
- Pray that our youth would step out in boldness and invite those at school that need to hear the Good News.

If you would like to be a part of the Revolution please let me know. There are many ways to be involved:

- Give financially
- Help in the kitchen
- Security
- Input names into the database
- Crowd control
- Prayer team
- Alter team
- Nightly clean up

Jesus was blunt: ***"No chance at all if you think you can pull it off by yourself. Every chance in the world if you let God do it."*** Mark 10:27 (The Message)

Blessings
Claude

**WOMEN OF WORTH 2010
LIFESTYLE EVANGELISM CONFERENCE**

Encounter Jesus Christ
Living Water for the Soul—John 4

Monday, May 17, at Severns Valley Baptist Church

Tony Evans - Speaker; Anthony Evans, Jr, - Vocalist
Carl Herrgesell - Musician; Cindy Winters - Testimony

3:30 p.m. Open for Pre-session Workshop Reg.
4-5:30 p.m. Pre-session Workshops
5 p.m. Doors Open for General Session Registration
5-6:15 p.m. Dinner featuring vocalist Chiquita Y. Ball, accompanied by Carl Herrgesell
6:25-9:15 p.m. General Session featuring a mini-concert by vocalist Anthony Evans

\$30 after May 10 and at the door; \$10 Boxed
Dinner (optional) \$4 Refreshments ONLY (optional)
You may register online at www.kybaptist.org/encounterwow

Eternal Security Team

We are in need of individuals to help out on the Eternal Security Team for the upcoming Youth Revival. The dates are May 19, 20, 21. Students will start arriving around 6 pm and the plan is to finish around 8 pm God willing. There is a sign up on the Youth bulletin board outside the Youth office adjacent to the Fireside Room. You can help all of the nights or one night that would be great! There are a variety of team opportunities: Set up, Tear down, Food, Registration, Security and Prayer to mention a few. There will be training times for those who want to work the altar, either May 12th or May 16th here at FBC. See Claude with questions and details. We have 13 churches involved so far and we hope to see more join as the Revival approaches. What a tremendous opportunity to reach our youth and change our community with the love of Jesus!

May 9 Financial Report	
Needed Weekly:	11,055.61
Budget Received:	9,235.00
19 Weeks Budget:	210,056.59
19 Weeks Received:	168,658.86
Designated:	
Annie Armstrong	330.00
Youth	290.00
Video	50.00
30 Hour Famine	120.00
Rental Fee	100.00
Youth Revolution	500.00
FBCU	9.00
Hispanic Pastor Support	25.00
Koins for Kids	5.38
Total:	10,664.38

May 9 Attendance	
Bible Study	
Sr. Adult	51
Adult	64
Youth	18
Children	21
Preschool	14
Visitors	4
Total	172
Morning Worship	337

The Revolution is coming...

Stead Fast

Brian Patterson

County-Wide Youth Revival held at
First Baptist Church Gym
730 Tonjeville Rd. Hodgenville
May 19 - 21
Starts at 7
Food Provided

Sunday, May 16

8:30 a.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. Praise Team and Praise Band Rehearsal
9:45 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
4:30 p.m. Magic Hands
5:30 p.m. Dinner
6:00 p.m. FBC University
7:30 p.m. Business Meeting

Monday, May 17

10:00-11:00 a.m. CFC Open for Walking
10:00 a.m. Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, May 18

8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Art Class

Wednesday, May 19

10:00-11:00 a.m. CFC Open for Walking
6:00 p.m. Prayer/Bible Study; Team Kid; Student Revolution
7:30 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

Friday, May 21

10:00-11:00 a.m. CFC Open for Walking

Sunday, May 23

8:30 a.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. Praise Team and Praise Band Rehearsal
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