

# Last Week's Report

Sunday School Attendance	167
Budget Receipts	\$4,662.80
Building Fund Receipts	\$0.00
Property Fund Receipts	\$62.00

# Church Staff

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## Sunday Schedule

Morning Worship: 8:00 AM  
Sunday School: 9:15 AM  
Morning Worship: 10:30 AM  
Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

CONGRATULATIONS  
TO OUR  
GRADUATES!



## High School

Melissa Bradley	Adam Hopper
Justin Clark	Joanna Krisle
Nicole Denney	Melanie Lohman
John Evangelist	Morgan Mills
Erica Freeman	Ross Pendergrass
Ryan Gautreaux	Andy Ramos

## College

Melissa Lohman, Maryville College  
Stacey Preston, Tennessee State University

## Recognition of Graduates

Sunday, May 18

Second Morning Worship Service

Luncheon for Graduates and their families in Fellowship Hall following the Worship Service

## Baccalaureate

Greenbrier High School

Sunday, May 18, 6:00 PM

May 13, 2008

## Hospitalized

Eldredge Dorris, Baptist  
Frank Ellis, Skyline

## Sympathy

We express sympathy to Judy Stambaugh on the loss of her mother, Dusty Wilson; also, to Russ Mann on the death of his Father, Charles Mann.

## Wednesday Night Supper

May 14

Hamburgers and Hotdogs  
French Fries, Fruit

## Kid's Menu

Peanut Butter Sandwiches, Chips, Fruit

## Ladies' Salad Luncheon

Sunday, June 1

It's time once again to decorate a table for the Ladies' Salad Luncheon. There is a sign-up sheet in the hallway by the Sunday School office. Get your themes ready, invite ladies to sit at your table and plan what type of salad you will bring. For any questions, please contact Carole Evans at 643-1163 or 268-1441.

## Dorcas Room Foods of the Month

Canned Fruits

Rice

Boxed Cereal

Entrees (such as tuna and hamburger helper)

Boxed complete meals

Boxed Pizza

## Pastor's Paragraphs

Jan and I took two of our grandchildren, Collin and Cate, to McDonald's last Saturday afternoon. They had a great time. It was a good marketing idea for Ronald McDonald to decide to give away free ketchup. Because the kids insist on buying something to scoop up the ketchup. Chicken nuggets and french fries were their "scoop" selection. We stayed busy opening those little pouches.

After the ketchup, we had the idea of taking them to buy Mother's Day presents. We discovered that the best gifts for mom were the things which brought the giver the most satisfaction. What finally caught their eye was a display of flower and vegetable seeds. We selected several colorful packets of flowers and Collin decided Mom needed some vegetable seeds, so he chose pumpkin seeds.

There was little to no time to reflect the deeper implications of the moment; just keeping the kids within sight was about as deep as we could think. However, now that they are safely back to mom and dad, I realize there will be beauty around their home that would not have been there if not for the seeds. Our lives are a lot like a garden. We can only grow the seed we plant in our minds. Godly thoughts bring about the beauty of God. Self-centered thoughts will only grow weeds of selfishness. Choose your seed wisely!

Is your thought life producing a beautiful garden? Will God admire it?

*"For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he"*  
Proverbs 23:7 (KJV)

*"For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks."* Matthew 12:34 (NIV)

## A Word from John

Sunday is our day of prayer for Vacation Bible School, but you do not have to wait until Sunday, nor stop then. Please drench VBS in prayer. It is tremendously important. Pray for our leaders and their preparation. Pray for children who need to come, that we will reach them with an invitation and they will respond. Pray for the Holy Spirit to fill the school with His presence, His joy, and a good learning atmosphere. Pray for lost children to be saved and unchurched families to be reached. God reaches more children and families through VBS than any other activity Southern Baptists have. Pray for good weather. Pray and spread the word about VBS.

The children's musical presentation Sunday was precious. I want to thank our TeamKid leaders for their excellent work this year, and the parents for their great support, and thank the tutors for their excellent work in the tutoring ministry. These have been great for the kids and their families. I also thank the men for the great meals on Wednesday evening.

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**Vacation Bible School**  
**Sunday, June 22—Thursday, June 26**  
**6:00-8:30 PM**  
**Ages 4 through Adult**

### Items Needed for VBS

large baby food jars, paper towel cardboard rolls, empty water bottles with lids, small boxes with lids (shoeboxes or wet wipes boxes, etc.), anything Hawaiian for decorating

### For Refreshments

Little Debbie Oatmeal Pies	Goldfish
Large Marshmallows	Canned Peaches
Blue Jello (Dry)	Fruit Roll-Ups
Cookies (No Peanut Butter)	Kool-Aid

A box is located in the Welcome Center hallway for you to leave these items.

## Notes from Bro. Wade

The Children's Choir and I really enjoyed singing "Down by the Creek Bank" this weekend. A number of adults mentioned how the music took them back to their childhood when they sang it twenty-five years ago. I was shocked and saddened when I read this morning that the writer of this classic musical, Dottie Rambo, was killed Sunday morning in a bus accident in Texas. She was on the way with her band to a Mother's Day performance in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, when the private bus she was riding in left the road and struck an embankment in stormy weather. Dottie, 74, published an estimated 2,500 songs, with entries in nearly every hymnbook. Included in the 1991 Baptist Hymnal, for example, are "We Shall Behold Him" and "Behold the Lamb." These two songs and a third, "Holy Spirit, Thou Art Welcome," are included in the 2008 hymnal to be released this summer by LifeWay Christian Resources. Let us lift up Dottie's family in our prayers as we reflect on her life and tremendous contributions as a Christian singer and songwriter. Also, pray for the other passengers that were injured or hospitalized.

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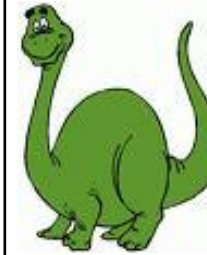
### Red Cross Blood Drive

FBCG Fellowship Hall  
Monday, May 19, 2:00-7:00 PM  
For faster registration, please bring your Red Cross donor card or ID.

### Scrapbooking Get-Together

Saturday, May 17, 4:00-9:00 PM  
Call Christy Suter for more information  
643-8126

## Kid's Korner



### Dino Detectives (Digging for God's Truth)

begins Wednesday, May 21 from 6:15-7:30 p.m. in fellowship hall. For five weeks, the kids ages 4 - grade 5 (completed) will have a great time learning and studying in the book of Genesis.

### A Missions Weekend For Girls 1st-6th Grade

June 13-14, 2008  
Linden Valley Baptist Conference Center  
Linden, TN  
Registration ends May 30  
Cost: \$50 per person  
One adult leader for every 6 girls  
Sign up next to the missions  
bulletin board in hallway  
(travel by church van)

For more information contact Annette Highley

### MEMBERS IN SERVICE Sunday, May 18

#### Extended Session Workers

**8:00 AM:** Christy Suter, Gina McNeil,  
Judith & Dave Meyer  
**10:30 AM:** Paula Smith, Martha Jansen,  
Nancy & David Frye

#### Children's Church Leaders

**8:00 AM:** Annette Highley  
**10:30 AM:** Stacey & Tim Preston,  
Annette Highley, Leah Lima

#### Deacon of the Week

Bill Holt