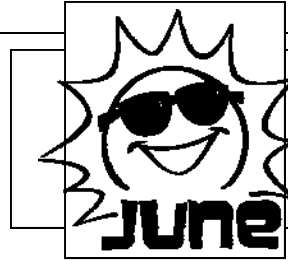


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June 2010



Business Meeting
Sunday, June 27



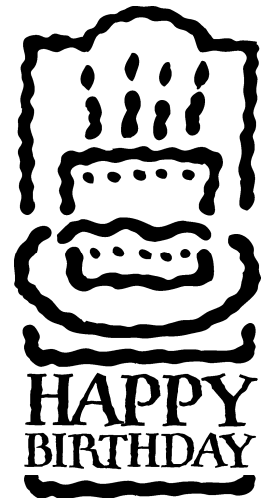
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Can you believe it is June already? Amazing! I can imagine all of our students and teachers were thinking it would never get here. But for me it is flying. I love summer. There are so many things to do. Everyone is going on vacations, having picnics at the lake, going to ball games, family reunions and unnumbered other things that are so much fun. God is so good, every good thing comes from Him. Remember that summer is also a busy time at church.

Historically we reach more people during the summer than at any other time of the year. Camps, VBS, Mission Trips, pool parties. They are all opportunities to reach new folks for Christ and the church. Always be aware of opportunities to be a witness and to invite friends to church. Also remember that during the summer people are often away for the weekend. It is so important that you be in church when you are in town. It is also important that we are faithful in our tithes and offerings. During the summer our expenses always are higher. With more air conditioning and so many activities our expenses really take a jump so be sure to be faithful. He is always faithful so be sure to pray for a tremendous summer for your family and for our church.

Bro. Russell

- June 1-Sharon Washburn
- June 2-Jeanne Ray
- June 3-Lynsey Testerman
- June 6-Chris O'Dell
- June 8-Jake Strandlien
- June 10-Lane Minchew
- June 12-Marshall McManigell
- June 15-Sandi Hemphill
- June 19-Katherine Dean
- June 23-Carol Crawford
- June 24-Gabby Ann Francis
- June 25-Carol Pace
- June 25-Janea Burkett
- June 28-Charlie Morton
- June 28-Leona Phillips
- June 28-Marijane Wilburn



VBS Workers Meeting
Sunday, June 6
Following the morning worship service



Budgeted Offerings:

- May 2-\$4,532
- May 9-\$3,418
- May 16-\$2,751
- May 23-\$2,255
- May 30-\$3,968

Vacation Bible School



July 19-23

6:00-9:00 p.m. nightly

**Family Night
Sunday, July 25**

See Stephanie Canaday if you are interested in helping with Vacation Bible School this summer. or, visit the church website at www.faithfellowshipbaptist.com to volunteer to work in VBS or to register your child for a great week!

Extended
Session
Volunteers



Babies

June 6-Cyndy Hancock
June 13-Marijane Wilburn
June 20-Carol Pace
June 27-Karen Harrington

Preschool

June 6-Crystal Clay & Kayla Lampson
June 13-Christopher Wilburn & Mikayla Testerman
June 20-Lea Minchew
June 27-Karis Windle & Rachel Windle



**News from
Rachel Powell**

Early Monday morning, we headed out to visit several villages. We stopped to pick up our friend and translator Yac. We arrived about 5pm, and did all of our greetings and then sat down with the chief to catch up. That night after dinner and baths, Yac, the chief, and another young man sat down and discussed how to study the Word. No one else gathered but later in the night the chief told Yac a man had come to hear stories because he had never heard them before. We looked at the man, who was now sleeping, and said we could tell him stories but he is sleeping. So, the chief woke him up. I told the story of the Demon Possessed Man, and we discussed it some. The next day we were able to visit with a couple of the believers who had been discouraged. The church is all new believers who are still trying to figure out how to be believers. We were able to discuss with them what it means to be a believer and encourage them that do not have to rely on others to be able to worship the Father.

The next day we went to a market via horse cart with the chief and another man. The chief's wife wanted me to go visit her friends and family. That night we had another opportunity to story, so we told two David stories, and discussed them. There was some good discussion but they were all very tired. The last full day in the bush we decided to go visit the other new believers. We walked for about an hour before reaching the village and when we arrived the believers from the other village had already set up and starting worshipping. They asked the new believers to stand up and 12 men did. Yac was able to tell the C2R story and asked if anyone wanted to follow. Five women came up and said they did, so we prayed with and for them, and then sang a few songs and were getting ready to leave when one woman stood up and said there are more that want to follow but were afraid to come up. Four more women came. It was getting late, and we still had an hour walk back so we asked for the road and headed out. That night everyone went to bed early because of the traveling, and the next morning we headed back to Bamako.

PRAYER Requests:

New Believers
Encouragement for the believers
Planting and Harvesting as the Rainy season is approaching



Wednesday Night Supper

- June 2-Red Beans, cornbread, fried potatoes, rice krispy treats
- June 9-Brisket, baked beans, potato salad, pies
- June 16-Taco salad, sandwiches, cake
- June 23-Mexican chicken, tacos, rice, beans, sherbet
- June 30-Spaghetti, green beans, salad, garlic toast, brownies



As summer begins, we need to send a huge thank you to our church body for all their support for our students' fundraisers. We have been able to raise close to \$2,000! This money is going to go along way in helping out students go to camp. Speaking of camp, we will be holding an all parent meeting (and we will be talking about all the camp information) on June 6 at 5:00pm. We ask all parents to be in attendance as we will be going over our entire summer schedule.

We have several events that our students will be taking part in this summer, and the first will be a trip to Hurricane Harbor. We ask that if any students are interested to please sign up in the youth room. Listen to all the coming announcements for more information on Hurricane Harbor and our other various trips. We look forward to having a busy, yet enjoyable summer!



Share the Warmth is a group that meets once a month to knit hats and scarves for needy children (distributed next winter). Everyone is welcome to participate, even if you have no experience. Also, donations of yarn are welcome. Next meetings will be June 12 and July 17.



Music Notes

The Summer is definitely here already as evidenced by things such as much warmer temperatures and the kids being out of school. The choir is now working on a short, mini-musical for the 4th of July, which happens to be on a Sunday this year. We need all choir members present on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 for rehearsal throughout the month of June as we prepare for this presentation.

Also, be in the choir loft on Sundays as we meet together for worship. You are definitely missed when you're not there.

Special thanks to those who provided special music for worship during the month of May: the Student Praise Team, Kristen Testerman and the choir.



Adult Mission Study
Tuesday June 8
10:30 a.m.

Men & Women are invited to attend the Mission Study.
A covered dish luncheon will follow.

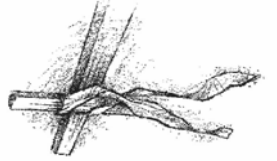
GREETERS SCHEDULE

- June 6-Jerry & Carol Pace
- June 13-Tim & Cindy Franklin
- June 20-Keith & Sylvia McBrayer
- June 27-Tony & Gloria Amerson

angelfood MINISTRIES

The Angel Food ordering deadline for the March menu will be Wednesday, June 16, 2010. Orders will be taken onsite each Wednesday evening from 4:30-6:30 p.m., before and after the morning service on Sundays, and on Saturday, June 12, from 1-3 p.m. Delivery will be Saturday, June 26. We are now also taking Angel Food orders online at: <http://www.angelfoodministries.com/host.asp?id=12424>.

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HONOR YOUR MAMMERS

**Sunday,
June 20**

**Remember to give faithfully to the
World Missions Offering**

60% goes to the Lottie
Moon Christmas Offering
for Foreign Missions
20% goes to the Annie
Armstrong Easter Offering
for Home Missions
20% goes to the Mary
Hill Davis Offering
for State Missions



Weekly Schedule

Sunday

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:30 a.m. - Morning Worship
5:30 p.m. - Discipleship Classes

Wednesday

4:30 p.m. - Acteens
5:30 p.m. - Family Supper
6:30 p.m. - Children's Missions Organizations
6:30 p.m. - Adult Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
6:30 p.m. - Youth Worship "Oasis"
7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal