



Do you remember January 31, 2010? You were probably snowed-in and praying for warmer weather. **YOUR PRAYERS HAVE BEEN ANSWERED !!**

As you check the thermometer and adjust the thermostat, consider this question. "Are you a thermometer or a thermostat?" There is a big difference.

A thermometer merely reflects what is going on around it. It adjusts to every situation equally and without concern.

On the other hand, a thermostat makes a difference in its environment. A thermostat works to change its world to reflect the conditions it has set as right.

As believers we ought to be busy making a difference in our world. Be the spiritual thermostat where you are.

Your co-laborer,

Bro. Mike T.

P.S. If you find who is praying for hot weather, I have some prayers I would like him to pray. God is really listening to him.

RG LEE FALL SEMESTER

The Johannine Literature

John, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John

8 Tuesdays 6:30– 9:30

August 10 September 28

Cost \$115.00 (includes books)

Taught by Dr. G. M. Thrower

All are welcome to attend this class.

Three hours credit can be applied to Union Univ.



CHURCH CLERKS

Please join us August 5 for the Church Clerks Clinic. ACP material will be available at that time.

The Executive Board

will meet

Thursday, August 19, 2010,
7:00 p.m. at The Resource Center.

Moderator Michael Crandall encourages you to be present for this time of business and fellowship.



VBS is not finished until the report is in the office.

Thank you for your reports:

Bath Springs	Decaturville	Salem
Bear Creek	Flatwoods	Twin Oaks
Bible Hill	Mt. Ararat	Union
Calvary	Pine Grove	Union Grove
Chapel Hill	Rock Hill	

Operation Christmas Child

We will be a drop off point **August 20-22** from **1:00—3:00** for shoeboxes collected during **VBS**.



It is time to be making plans for the annual fall shoe box evangelistic ministry. Begin buying now with the school sales and the Tennessee Tax Holiday. Fall Collection dates for our Relay Center will be **November 15-21**.



BALANCE SHEET

July 31, 2010
General Budget

Initial Bal.	\$ 13,792.87
Church Rec.	10,628.61
Other Rec.	+ 1,295.80
	\$ 25,717.28
Expenses	9,731.42
Budget Bal.	\$ 15,985.86

Other Funds

Designated	\$ 13,328.69
DOM Disc.	\$ 896.97
Missions Fd.	\$ 3,477.49
Contingency	\$ 15,410.37
Cent. Fund	Variable

YTD Activity

Inc.	\$ 72,612.36
Exp.	73,269.34
Bal.	\$ - 656.98

BIRTHDAYS

6 Lisa McCord	
6 Tammie Todd	
7 Jewell Sanders	
11 LaVaughn Moody	
15 Tammie Chumney	
26 Jimmy Wallace	
29 Ashley Crandall	

ANNIVERSARIES

7 The Jason Varnick's	
10 The Marty Comer's	
10 The Jimmy Donaldson's	
15 The Tommy Crocker's	
16 The Hoyt Wilson's	
18 The Michael Adams'	
18 The Ronald Long's	
29 The Charles Brewer's	
30 The Glen Kolwyck's	

CHURCH RECEIPTS

(January 1, 2010 — July 31, 2010)

CHURCH	MONTH	YTD
Barren Springs		120.00
Bath Springs	150.00	900.00
Beacon		375.00
Bear Creek	198.53	1,460.75
Beech Lake *	100.00	350.00
Bible Hill	110.00	770.00
Bunches Chapel*	219.55	766.35
Calvary		1,594.49
Chapel Hill	1,303.09	3,897.89
Corinth	100.00	700.00
Cross Roads	282.78	833.85
Cub Creek Hall	22.80	133.33
Darden		300.00
Decaturville, 1 st	150.00	1,050.00
Fellowship		
Flatwoods	240.56	1,627.82
Hopewell	200.00	1,400.00
House of Wor. *	64.11	320.46
Huron		744.89
Judson	100.00	300.00
Lexington, 1 st	1,666.66	11,666.62
Mt. Ararat	237.21	1,781.71
Mt. Gilead	320.00	1,854.00
Mt. Zion		288.52
New Beech G.		
New Hope	100.00	400.00
Parsons, 1 st	620.69	5,180.76
Perryville, 1 st	71.76	464.00
Pine Grove *	650.61	3,120.99
Poplar Springs	353.00	2,332.00
Ridge Grove		
Rock Hill	181.05	1,482.30
Salem	96.83	272.79
Saltillo *	577.00	1,267.00
Sand Ridge	1,062.41	7,169.45
Sardis	177.21	1,455.23
Sardis Ridge		158.00
Scotts Hill	329.47	2,457.16
Southside	50.00	150.00
Twin Oaks	274.38	1,142.19
Union	400.00	800.00
Union Grove		800.40
Wildersville	218.91	1,669.45
TOTALS	\$ 10,628.61	\$ 63,557.40

* multiple checks

Church News

BIBLE HILL - Our Fall revival will be August 2nd - 6th nightly. We invite you to join us. Danny Ray, pastor.

HOPEWELL - Our pastor & wife have purchased a new home. In July we gave them a house warming party. We participated in a county-wide VBS this year. There was a record attendance of 195 kids! Aug. 1st at 2^{pm} a worship service was held at Decatur Co. Manor. Our youth will be going on a water park trip to Nashville Shores Sat. Aug. 7th. Tracy McCormick, pastor.

LEXINGTON, 1st - We have recently completed a week of local missions. This included construction projects, VBS, & a block party at a housing development. During Aug. 2 summer concerts will be presented by 4 Ever His and Marc Ivey. Michael Adams, pastor.

MT. GILEAD - Our VBS had a total enrollment of 258 with an average attendance of 185. We have baptized 5 new members. A love offering was taken for TBC Adult Homes. A video Library is being organized & a special display of our servicemen is being put together. Homecoming was Aug. 1st with

Bro. Greg Stanford. Dale Gravatt, pastor.

NEW HOPE - Bro. Carmac is our new pastor. We have 8 new members, some by letter & some by baptism. Revival services will be at 6pm nightly Aug. 8th - 11th. There will be special music each night. Speakers will be Sun., Bro. Carmac; Mon., Bro. Roy Wyatt; Tues., Bro. Greg Stanford; Wed., Bro. Brad Moore. Pray for us. Great things are happening. Carmac Daugherty, pastor.

PINE GROVE - Our Saddle Ranch VBS was great. Total enrollment was 170 with an average attendance of 127 and 9 professions of faith. We recognized & honored 26 people for perfect S. S. attendance. Dr. Mike Thrower supplied for our pastor while he was on vacation. We received 1 new member by baptism. Special patriotic services were held on Independence Day. Our revival was in July with Bro. Brent McMinn. Jimmy Burroughs, pastor.

SALTILLO - Madison White, Madison Funderburk, & Sydney Burton were saved & baptized. Lunch was provided by the families in honor of their children's decisions to serve The

Lord. Bibles were presented to the new members by the church. Mr. Clyde Mooney went home to be with The Lord after a long illness. Mark Burton, pastor.

SARDIS RIDGE - June have had a happy month for us in many ways. We have had great services, & anniversary & birthday celebrations, complete with a delicious fish fry. In Aug. we are doing some renovations and updating to our church. We also have had a sad announcement. Our pastor, Bro. Donald Bain, has resigned effective the end of Aug. He has been our excellent God called pastor/leader for the past 9 years. We are very sad to lose him, but we realize God is in control. Please pray for both Bro. Bain & our church. Donald Bain, Pastor.

TWIN OAKS - Our July 11th - 15th VBS was well attended with 73 registered & an average of 64 nightly. July 16th our youth met for fellowship & an overnigher. July 18th were parables with Jeremy. Our subject was unconditional love. After our study we had homemade ice cream. Bobby Crowe, pastor.

CHURCHES SEEKING PASTORS

Barren Springs	Salem
Cub Creek	Sardis Ridge
Mt. Ararat	Scotts Hill

OUR CALENDER

August

- 2 Pastors' Conference
Dr. Randy Davis, Ex. Dir. TBC
- 5 Church Clerks' Meeting
- 9 Pastors' Conference
Rev. James Chumney
- 10 R G Lee Class, Session One
- 14 DR Golf Tournament
- 15 Personnel Committee Meeting
- 16 Pastors' Conference
Rev. Lynn Walker
- 17 R G Lee Class, Session Two
- 19 **Executive Board @ Res. Center**
- 20 VBS Shoebox Collection
- 20/21 Equipping Missions'
Leaders, Calvary, Jackson
- 21 VBS Shoebox Collection
- 22 VBS Shoebox Collection
- 23 Pastors' Conference
Dr. Walter Taylor, TBC
- 24 R G Lee Class, Session Three
- 30 Pastors' Conference
Rev. Michael Crandall
- 31 R G Lee Class, Session Four

SEPTEMBER

- 6 No Pastor's Conference
- Labor Day Holiday
- Office Closed.
- 7 R G Lee Class, Session Five
- 10 Literature Round-up
- 13 Pastors' Conference
Rev. Dale Gravatt
- 14 R G Lee Class, Session Six
- 17 Women's Prayer Retreat
@ Pickwick
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- 20 Pastors' Conference
Rev. Greg Stanford

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