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MEMORIAL DAY...

One Memorial Day, some children were asked what the holiday meant to them.


"That's the day the swimming pool opens!" answered one eager boy. What he didn't realize or appreciate was that he can freely go to the pool because more than one million people have put their lives on the line to preserve America's democracy. Many of them have died so citizens of other countries might also enjoy the privileges of political, social and economic freedom.

Memorial Day is our opportunity to pause and remember the sacrifices of many of America's best citizens. They made the supreme sacrifice on our behalf, so please remember to honor these heroes on May 26.



Special Points of Interest

- Faith Ranch
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MILESTONES...


Last month I spoke about Vision in my pastor's corner. This month I want us to see the importance of milestones. A milestone is "a significant point in development" according to Webster's Dictionary. In my five years of ministry at Broadman we have seen a lot of milestones met as a church, in many of our ministries, and personal spiritual lives. Most significantly are the milestones of salvations, baptisms, membership, finances, VBS, attendance records, ministry involvement and so forth. It seems like every year we are reaching new milestones with God's help. Can everyone who has breath say, "Praise the Lord!" (Psalm 150)

Milestones are important to our vision to be and become a "Spiritual Hub" for our community by striving to be a Christ-centered church with ministries meeting people where they are, emphasizing salvation, encouraging spiritual growth, and equipping people for ministry." If we are truly going to

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CHILDREN IN ACTION...

CHILDREN IN ACTION FOR BROADMAN KIDS (BK)...



This summer & fall Broadman is offering something special for kids in grades K - 5 called Children in Action (CIA). I want to encourage every kid to become a CIA agent for Jesus. Every kid will be placed on mission for God called "Mission Possible." Matthew 19:26 "With God all things are possible."

What Is Children in Action?

Children in ActionSM is a discipleship program offered to our boys and girls in grades K-5 at Broadman. This discipleship program includes praying for

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PASTOR'S CORNER CON'T...

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be a "SPIRITUAL HUB" we have to continue to reach new and greater milestones. As we do this, with each of these milestones, we become more of who God is calling us to be as His people!

Let me specifically speak of three milestones we have crossed this last month. We had the largest ever Wednesday night attendance (100), we averaged 200 in worship attendance (200+ three weeks in a row in the month of March), and averaged over 100 for Sunday School (having 100+ five weeks in a row.) Again I say, can everyone who has breath say "Praise the Lord!" (Psalm 150)

I am excited about what God has done through us over the last couple of months. These are huge milestones for our church and are predictors of what God has in store for us in our future as we remain faithful to Him. Even though these are not our averages yet, they are indicators of God's blessing and growth.

Can I please get a "Praise the Lord!!!" (Psalm 150)

-Pastor Chris

THE BROADMAN 500...

May is the Broadman 500. Our goal is to have 125 people each Sunday of this month in Sunday School. That would give us a total of 500 people in Sunday School for the month of May. The Broad-

man 500 may not be a race, but it is a time for God's people to unite and rally together to accomplish something great. Everyone is encouraged to attend and wear their favorite NASCAR shirt



every Sunday.

As a little incentive...any person with perfect attendance during the month of May will be eligible to join me in the winners circle for a dinner with me and my family. If there is a tie the person with the best attendance for the year will receive the honor, or I will pull a name from a hat. Again, this is a time to unite, rally and have fun in Sunday School! I hope you will ZOOM on in to Sunday School for the Broadman 500!

**HUMOR CORNER...****VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

We're looking for volunteers for our prison ministry. You can help put the "con" in "congregation".

OUR CHURCH TODAY

We pray that our people will jumble themselves before God.

CHURCH NEWS

Missing: a purple lady's bicycle from the church parking lot.

DEAR GOD

Is there any way I can do ex-

YOUTH NEWS...

YOUTH HIGHLIGHTS...

A lot of things are going on with the Youth. Of course we always have Sunday School on Sundays and "The Zone" on Wednesdays.

One big event that is coming up is on May 18th. The youth will be leading all the Church that Sunday. They will be teaching the Sunday School Classes, being Ushers, being Greeters, Praise Team, Helping with the Lord's Supper, Signing a Song by Casting Crowns, Putting on a Skit, and Serving a TASSEL. Practices will be May 7th and 14th. We might practice on May 4th and/or 11th.

Another big event is Faith Ranch - Mission Project. June 8-14. This is a Church wide event. We have adopted the old Farm House. The Farm House was built in 1891 and needs a lot of work. Sign up at the kiosk.

Listed below are more events all the way through Christmas.

June 18 - 21 - Alive - We will pick one day

July 13 - 18 - VBS

July 21 - 25 - Summer Camp

August 16 or 23 - Back to School Blast

September 14 - TASSEL

October 12 - TASSEL

October ? - Judgment House

November 9 - TASSEL

November 23 - 29 - Mission Project in North Carolina

December 14 - TASSEL

December ? - Christmas Party

Other events that we could do but dates have not been set:

NEW TO THE FAMILY OF GOD...

Car Washes, Camping & Canoeing, Miniature Golf, Bowling.

Come and join us for fun, work, and studying God's Word.

-Terry Sneed

NEW TO THE FAMINLY OF GOD...

Anthony Murphy - Anthony lives in Cuyahoga Falls and is an 8th grader at Bolich Middle School. His favorite subjects are algebra and math and he loves football. Anthony has four sisters.

Mike & Christy Ries - Mike, a native of Stow and Christy, a native of Massillon live in Cuyahoga Falls and have 6 sons and a daughter. Mike is a JV baseball coach in Stow-Munroe Falls; Christy is working toward a degree in psychology through the University of Phoenix and is with Kohls at Stow-Kent.

Eric Slabaugh - Eric is a native of North Hill and a product of North High. He and his wife Tiffany have two children -- Britain and London. Eric is a warehouse manager and likes swords and wrestling.



BRANDED FOR CHRIST...

RECIPE OF THE MONTH...



Branded for Christ

Howdy Y'all! Have ya heard the news?
There's gonna be a Shindig fer
Mothers and Her Youngens. Yee Haw!
So saddle up fer some fun, it's gonna be a rip roarin'
good time!
We'll serve hotdogs and burgers
enough fer every cowboy and cowgirl!
All we ask is fer you to bring some
grub to go along side.
So grab your hat and boots and join us fer some country
hoots!
The Shindig will be Saturday, May 31
at high noon.
If you are plannin' on attendin'
you can buy yer tickets
at the Merchantile (kiosk).
The cost is \$5 fer folks 12 and up.
\$3 fer folks 11 to 3.
Youngens 2 and under are free.
We'll have music and ministerin'
as well as games and grub.
Hope ya'll can mosey on over.



**BRIDAL SHOWER
MONTH**

**MAIDS OF HONOR
TARTS**



INGREDIENTS

- 1 recipe pastry for a 9 inch double crust pie
- 1/4 cup raspberry jam
- 1/4 cup butter, softened
- 1/4 cup white sugar
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/4 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon almond extract
- 2 teaspoons confectioners' sugar for dusting

DIRECTIONS

Move oven rack to bottom position and preheat oven to 375 degrees F (190 degrees C). Lightly grease 12 2-inch tart tins.

Roll out pastry and cut 12 3-inch circles. Fit one pastry circle into each tart tin. Spread one teaspoon of raspberry jam into the bottom of each tart shell.

In a medium mixing bowl, cream together softened butter or margarine and white sugar until light and fluffy. Mix in egg. Add flour, baking powder, and almond extract and mix until all ingredients are thoroughly combined. Pour 1 tablespoon of batter into each tart shell.

Bake in preheated oven for 20 minutes, until risen and firm. Dust tarts with confectioners' sugar.

<http://allrecipes.com/Recipe/Maids-of-Honor-Tarts-I/Detail.aspx>



Short Notes...

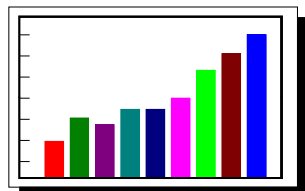
QUOTE OF THE MONTH

The appetite of the lazy craves and gets nothing, while the appetite of the diligent is richly supplied.

Proverbs 13:4

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MEMORIAL DAY



MAY 26TH, 2008

CHILDREN IN ACTION CONT...

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missions, engaging in missions, learning about missions, living a missions lifestyle, participating in the mission work of the church and denomination. CIA develops our kids into CIA agents for Jesus as they go on mission for Him.

Children in Action Pledge:
As a member of Children in Action, I will pray for missions, give to missions, learn about missions, and do missions through the power of Christ.

Children in Action Motto:
Send Me!

Children in Action Scripture Verses:

"I can do everything by the power of Christ. He gives me strength" (Phil. 4:13) and "With God all things are possible." Matthew 19:26

What will the kids do in Children in Action?

The kids will go through the CIA Academy held every Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. June through October. There CIA training will consist of the following:

Special Assignments:

Special Assignments is an individualized achievement plan where kids earn special assignment badges and pins. These assignments have to be done outside of the normal Wednesday evening activities.

Live Action Project

Each month's *Children in Action Leader* material includes a Live Action Project suggestion. These hands-on experiences help the children apply what they

learned throughout the month to their daily lives through mission action and witnessing.

CIA Mission Badges:

Badges are a great way to recognize, encourage, reward, and motivate your Children in Action. This year we will be earning the following badges: "CIA" badge for every kid who attends at least one month straight and has 2/3 attendance, "Action" badge for every kid who memorizes the two scriptures verses and motto, the 2008 Chevron for everyone who successfully completes the program, and other special assignment badge opportunities "

Secret Reading Assignments:

The purpose of "Explore God's World" Reading Club for Children is to assist children to explore God's world through books about missions, missionaries, people groups and cultures; and to help children live out the Christian faith through word and deed. The secret reading assignments will be offered throughout the summer for anyone who wants to earn the "Reading" badge.

Mission Notebook:

Throughout the year every CIA Agent will have a mission notebook. This notebook will help every child keep up with their mission tasks. This notebook will include worksheets, pictures, Live Action Projects, notes/letters, special assignment investigative reports and secret reading assignments. Additionally there will be the Action Motto, Pledge, Scripture, and Song. Completing these books is part of earning the

coveted "2008" Chevron and graduating from the 2008 CIA Academy.

Recognition Event Service:

We will plan on having a CIA recognition event early November. During this event we will recognize the CIA Trainers, CIA Agents, and CIA Parents. We will then give out all the special assignment badges and review on the missions accomplished throughout the year

CIA starts this June on Wednesday nights and will go through the last Wednesday of October where we will celebrate with a CIA recognition banquet. It is important that the kids get on mission from the very beginning. Your kids won't want to miss this awesome discipleship process. As kids become CIA agents for Jesus they will have opportunities to earn badges and pins for a variety of things.

Parental Responsibilities: Commit to bringing your kids to the CIA meetings every Wednesday at 6:30, help your kids be involved in the special assignments, encourage you kids to earn CIA badges, help your child fill out the Mission Notebook weekly and participate in the recognition banquet at the end of the CIA semester. Beyond your commitment we are also asking for each parent to give a suggested \$25 donation to the church to help cover the costs of sashes, badges, and curriculum. This is not required but encouraged. If you would like to do this make your check out to Broadman Baptist Church (CIA).

ASCENSION DAY...

Upcoming CIA Events to remember:

Mission Project: Faith Ranch, June 8- 14 to earn a mission badge.

Reading Program: Kids can participate in a reading club over the summer and earn a reading badge.

Vacation Bible School: VBS 4th of July Parade and July 13-18th for VBS.

Christmas In August:

Kids will help NAMB missionaries prepare for Christmas and earn a Christmas in August badge.

**ASCENSION DAY...**

Forty days after each Easter, many Christians around the world celebrate the Ascension. It's the day when the resurrected Jesus was raised up from the earth into heaven. The Ascension is the prelude to Pentecost, when the Holy Spirit came upon a gathering of people, including the apostles, in Jerusalem.

The Ascension is more important than many Christians realize. In his human body, Christ could be in only one place at a time. The risen Christ, however, can be spiritually present in any place at any time.

VBS & MORE...

VBS 2008 - OUTRIGGER ISLAND

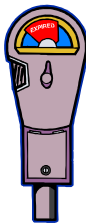


I know that spring is barely upon us, but it is time to get serious about VBS. Things are starting to come together. We have attended the VBS training clinic and have had our first VBS planning meet-

ing. Now it is time to register ourselves, family and friends online and start getting ready for the big event. You can go to Broadman's website at www.broadmanchurch.org and find the VBS REGISTRATION link on the bottom left side of the homepage. Click on this link and you can pre-register your family and friends for VBS 2008. Registration is for kids, youth and volunteers. I want to encourage everyone to do this ASAP. There are still some positions and areas available that need volunteers, simply sign up where you believe God can use you to make VBS 2008 the best ever as we learn how to live by God's Unshakable Truth at Outrigger Island Hawaii.

PARKING METER: Paving the way for our future

It should come as no surprise to anyone that we need more parking...PRAISE THE LORD! This is a great problem to have. We have been raising money for our parking lot and have nearly \$70,000. However, if the parking lot is going to become a reality we are actually going to need a lot more. The new estimation is \$150,000 or more to add adequate parking for our church. We hope to have contractual bids and city approval by June, and hope to pave the parking lot in July or August. In the meantime we need to do what we can, so that we can join God in His work and make this new parking a reality. There will be a **PARKING METER** by the entrance door each week. If everyone pays the meter for parking every week with spare change it will only help advance our efforts by helping pave the way for our future.



WHAT IF YOU COULD SHARE JESUS WITH 250+ KIDS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN ONE WEEK?!?...

YOU CAN!!!

Be a VBS sponsor:

Please consider giving, above your normal tithe, a monetary donation towards VBS.

If you would like your donation to go toward a specific VBS ministry, please designate on your check memo line or on the offering envelope.

Below are some VBS ministries available for sponsorship

Snacks - help strengthen the "wave riders"

Crafts - keepsakes for the "wave riders" to remind them to Live God's Unshakable Truth

Meals for volunteers (island guides) - make sure they are ready to show the "wave riders" The WAY!

Outreach - getting the word out that Broadman is THE PLACE to Ride the Waves this summer

Family Night - sharing Jesus with the "wave riders" families and friends

Specific item lists will be posted soon in the fellowship hall and Sunday bulletins, with additional opportunities to make 2008 the best Broadman VBS ever.

THANKS in advance for being part of this awesome outreach to our community!!



BIBLE QUIZ

Right after God granted Solomon his request for wisdom to govern, the wise king faced a dilemma about a baby. King Solomon ingeniously solved a dispute between two women who both claimed to be the child's mother (see 1 Kings 3:16-28). But who was the mother of Solomon?

- A. Zipporah
- B. Abigail
- C. Queen of Sheba
- D. Bathsheba

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BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES & MORE...

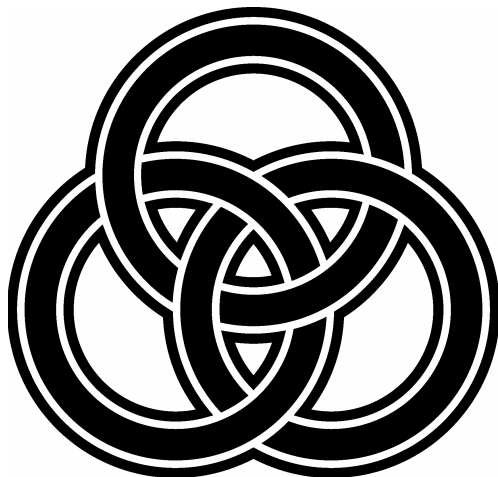
MAY

Dates to Remember

- Ascension of the Lord, May 1, 2008
- National Day of Prayer, May 1, 2008
- Christian Family Week, May 5-11, 2008
- Pentecost, May 11, 2008
- Mother's Day, May 11, 2008
- Trinity Sunday, May 18, 2008
- Memorial Day, May 26, 2008
- June VBS work days every Saturday (June 14, 21, 28, & July 5),
- 4th of July Parade,
- VBS Outreach July 6 and 9,
- VBS Set up July 12,
- VBS Sunday July 13,
- VBS July 13-18,

+ Christian Symbols +

THREE INTERWOVEN CIRCLES...



Each circle in this symbol represents one of the Persons of the Holy Trinity – the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. The circles, having no beginning and no end, signify the Trinity's eternal nature. The circles' interlacing symbolizes unity. In the center is a triangle, an ancient symbol of the Trinity.

BIRTHDAYS

- 5/3 PHOEBE BEETLER
- 5/3 JANE MASON
- 5/4 LILLIAN FAULKNER
- 5/6 WENDY BECK
- 5/6 MARJORIE EVANS
- 5/6 KURT GUTHRIE
- 5/8 ANN EPLING
- 5/8 MARILYN WORTMAN
- 5/13 CHERYL McCOMBS
- 5/14 LORRI BAUGHMAN
- 5/15 BETTY MORNEWECK
- 5/16 JOAN MILLER
- 5/16 SARA RUSSELL
- 5/18 KAYLA GIFFIN
- 5/19 AMANDA JOHNSON
- 5/19 GARY RZESZOTARSKI
- 5/20 STEVE PLUMLEY
- 5/21 VI HILL
- 5/22 MAGGIE KUBE
- 5/23 THERESA JOHNSON
- 5/24 REBECCA LALLATHIN
- 5/25 TYLER JODON
- 5/26 CHUCK LACONTI
- 5/30 EMILY WESEMANN

ANNIVERSARIES

- 5/20 TOM & JANIE LINDSAY
- 5/20 DAVID & LORRI BAUGHMAN
- 5/22 TOBY & APRIL JACOBI
- 5/23 ED & MARYANN FULLERTON



FAITHFULNESS...

2008 Theme: Faithfulness - "We desire to be faithful as God is faithful."

Signs of Faithfulness to which we commit:

- 200 + in Worship
- 120 + in Sunday School
- 100 + on Wednesday Night
- 30 New Families
- 50 Salvations & Baptisms
- Faithful Giving
- Faithful Ministry Leaders
- Faithful Nursery Volunteers
- Faithful Involvement



Throughout the year I want to address each of these signs of faithfulness, last month we addressed **Sunday School: Life Impact Groups** and I want to address this very important issue again this month because we are in the midst of the BROADMAN 500 and "I LOVE SUNDAY SCHOOL."

It is our goal to have 120 in Sunday on average by the end of the year. This last month we averaged over 100 in Sunday School and have four weeks in a roll with 100 + in attendance...way to GO Broadman!!!! There is really no reason why we should not have over 100 in Sunday School every week.

The BROADMAN 500 (see Broadman 500 article) is going to be a challenge but we can do it! It is a matter of making it a priority!!!! In order to win the BROADMAN 500 we have to have 125 in Sunday School each week in May. I know we can do it. We need to make our LIFE IMPACT GROUPS part of our vision to become a healthy "Spiritual Hub." Our LIFE IMPACT GROUPS are a key component for spiritual growth and belonging to the body of Christ. This is where people can really start to belong to the body of Christ. I realize not everyone currently is in one of these groups. That is why I want to encourage everyone to get involved in one of our Life Impact Groups. You may just discover the **IMPACT** it can have on your life. Our Life Impact Groups are as follows:

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONALS (GAP):

The GAP class is for anyone who has graduated from High School and is going in to college or is currently entering the workforce. No actual age limit exists but this class is well suited for a person in their early to mid 20's. This class is taught by Katie Daniels and Dave Baughman through a facilitator style of teaching and meets in the Library just off of the fellowship hall.

NEW BEGINNINGS CLASS:

This group is organized to reach the Life Stage of mostly young adults in their early 30's to mid 40's; but all are wel-

LIFE IMPACT CLASSES...

come. The class dynamic includes singles, single parents, young couples, young families and even families with kids through high school. This class is taught by Pastor Chris and is a facilitator style of teaching and meets in one of the adult classrooms in the education wing of the church.

TRUTH SEEKERS:

This class meets in the Choir room off of the Fellowship Hall. It is structured to reach the Life Stage of young to middle aged adults, but all are welcome. It would include singles, divorcees, families of school aged parents, and early stages of empty nesting. Rick Mangrum is the teacher and it is a teacher/discussion style of teaching.

HARVESTERS CLASS:

This class meets in the right baptistery room by the organ in the Sanctuary. This group is organized to reach the Life Stage of middle to older aged adults, but all are welcome. It would include singles, divorcees, widowed, older parents, young grandparents, and empty nesters. Bill Stockdale is the teacher and it is a curriculum style teaching.

FELLOWSHIP CLASS:

This class meets in one of the adult classrooms in the education wing of the church. The group is organized to reach the Life Stage of mature adults, vocationally retired, grandparents, widow/widowers, and seasoned saints, but all are welcome. Bill Moore and Ellis Solomon are the primary teachers and it is a curriculum style teaching.

I am sure one of the Life Impact Groups we offer will meet your spiritual needs. **REMEMBER:** Our goal is to average 120+ in Sunday School Life Impact by the end of 2008...may we be found faithful!!!

NEWCOMERS COURSE DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE

If you are relatively new to the church or have never gone through the Newcomers Course then this class is a must. It is intended to give important information to anyone wanting to become a part of Broadman Baptist Church or wanting to know more about who we are as a church. So if you have never attended this class whether you are brand new, have been in our church for while, or would like a refresher course about Broadman please plan on attending this class. Please RSVP by calling the church office at 330-923-6127 or email Pastor Chris at pastor@broadmanchurch.org.

The Newcomers Course is offered at church each Sunday Morning during the month of June at 9:45 in the fellowship hall. This course is required for membership at Broadman.

LIFE IMPACT!

GRADUATION....

GFS....

SUPPER IS SERVED...

CONGRATULATIONS TO THIS YEARS GRADUATES!

BETHANY MESSER

HS-CUYAHOGA FALLS –DIPLOMA

BRITTANY MESSER

JACKSON

CHASE HENDROCK

HS-HUDSON — DIPLOMA

EMILY STOCKDALE

UNIVERSITY NORTH CAROLINA WILMINGTON
MASTERS DEGREE - ENGLISH

KATIE DANIELS

UNIVERSITY OF AKRON
BACHELORS DEGREE - ENGLISH EDUCATION

KRIS PARKS

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS - MEDICAL ASSISTANT

MARIE BOURN

CUYHAOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS -
BUSINESS MGMT
HUMAN RESOURCE MGMT

RUTH DIEHL

UNIVERSITY OF AKRON
LAW DEGREE

SADIE MCCOY

HS-SCHEE LEARNING CENTER - DIPLOMA

SHANNON GEIB

HS-CUYAHOGA FALLS - DIPLOMA



GORDON FOOD SERVICES:...

“A Great Way To Give Back To The Lord!”

Are you a part of the GFS “Fun Funds” program for our church? Did you know you can buy some great food and products at a great price and give back to the Lord? Well you can! Find out more at the church information kiosk in the sanctuary.



JOIN US FOR SUPPER

Every Wednesday

Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:15 pm

After a delicious meal stay for the WBI

May 7:

Sloppy Joes & Tater Tots

May 14:

Salisbury Steak & Mashed Potatoes

May 21:



Hotdogs and Baked Beans



May 28:

Spaghetti & Salad



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES...

We hope these words, adapted from Phillips Brooks, will serve graduates well as they embark on their journeys...

“Do not pray for an easy life; pray to be a stronger person. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers but for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle, but you will be the miracle. Every day you shall wonder at yourself and the richness of life which has come to you by the grace of God.”

Answer to the Bible Quiz on page 7 is D

BROADMAN HELP PAGES...

REMEMBER!

BROADMAN BAPTIST CHURCH HELP PAGES...

We are about to embark on a church project that will provide Broadman Baptist Church members access to a list of community services that they can use as a resource when services are required. This resource will be posted on our website. We are initially calling this resource "Broadman Baptist Church Help Page. Categories currently identified are:

- Automobile Repair
- Household Cleaning Services
- Electrical
- Carpentry
- Plumbing
- Medical/Health
- Landscaping
- Dental
- House sitting
- Pet Grooming
- Veterinary Services
- Finance/ Accounting
- Painting
- Drywall
- Entertainment (catering, DJ, etc.)
- Personal Trainer

...just to name a few. In the future, we may also include a link to the Falls Chamber of Commerce.

In order to establish this resource, we will need your assistance in identifying individuals and/or businesses that you have used in the past, or will be using in the future for your projects. This resource will not only include church members, but also can include other businesses/services that you have used that have provided quality service.

Please fill out the below questionnaire and either send it to Pastor Chris via email at pastor@broadmanchurch.org, drop it in the offering plate, or email milliecastillo1873@msn.com. We will be providing you more information as the project develops. If you have any questions on this project, please feel free to either contact Pastor Chris or Millie Castillo at 330-940-2035.

Questionnaire:

Name of Individual/Business Name:

Telephone Number:_____

Address:_____

Services performed: (i.e., general maintenance, carpentry, electric, plumbing, handyman, List as many as you prefer)

Was the work satisfactory (yes/no)_____

Would you recommend this individual or business to perform work for our church members? (Yes/No) _____

How many times have you used this service?

SALT & LIGHT....

**WHAT EXACTLY IS A BIBLICAL WORLDVIEW?**

What is a Biblical Worldview is a very good question that every Christian should be asking these days. We should strive to clearly define what a Biblical worldview is so we can evaluate our own worldview against it. Please realize that I do not believe any one individual can truly, fully, and always live a biblical worldview because we are all sinners (Romans 3:23). Only Christ is a perfect example of what a Biblical Worldview looks like. That being said, it should still be our goal to strive to be as Biblical in our worldview as possible. Ideally we should want and desire to live for ourselves a Biblical worldview and encourage others to do so as well. If this is ever going to become a reality then it must start with everyone of us desiring to have a worldview that honors God. This will require each of us to have a greater understanding of what a Biblical worldview is and then be willing to acknowledge the areas of our current worldview that are not compatible with a Biblical worldview, and then be willing to make changes in our worldview to become more Biblical (Christ-like) in our approach to life.

A Biblical worldview has been defined throughout most of church history by four major components which I have discovered

through research. These four components are creation, the fall, redemption, and restoration. Let's come to an understanding of each of these four key components to the foundation of a Biblical worldview.

1. Creation: Creation implies that we believe in a Creator God who created the universe according to His will, pleasure and purpose. He recorded His creation account for us in the Scriptures. God is self-existent and eternal by nature thereby needs no beginning or end. He is the first cause of our existence by His spoken word. He created us in His image and likeness and desires to have a relationship with all of His creation. In the beginning God looked upon His creation and saw that "it was good."

2. Sin: All of humanity and creation are corrupted by the effects of sin. There was a time in which creation was not tarnished by sin. This would have been known as a pre-fall world. However, Adam and Eve rebelled against God and sinned. As a result we now live in a "fallen" world. We have fallen from our original status with God and are under the effects of a world tainted by sin. The results of sin have brought death, disease, tragedy, pain and much more upon all of God's creation. The sin of one (Adam) has been passed down to all of mankind thereby making man sinful by nature and in need of redemption and restoration.

3. Redemption: God has always planned to redeem His creation. Throughout history God has moved among His people to deliver and redeem them from their sin. The importation of redemption is that it demonstrates that all of creation is in need of rescuing

and saving. Ultimately God provided the ultimate form of redemption through the cross of Jesus. God provided us with a Messiah and Savior. The only way for mankind to live life as the Creator intended is to embrace His redemption through the blood of Jesus Christ and then live according to His ways. This does not perfect our sinful nature but changes our status before God and enables us to live in Harmony with the Creator. It is God's way of making right what was wrong.

Restoration: God will someday restore all of creation into its original intended order without sin in perfect harmony with Him and all of creation. All things will be restored, a New Heaven and a New Earth. The effects of sin will be no more.

These four founding components of a Biblical worldview should guide how we view all of life. The main focus of a Biblical worldview or God-centered worldview is that the Bible speaks and guides our worldview. In other words we start with the Bible and go from there when we form our scientific, philosophical, economical, political, social and other views. The Bible paints a perfect picture of creation, the effects of sin, God's process of redemption and God's plan of restoration.

If we have a Biblical worldview it will penetrate every aspect of our being. There will be no dimension of our being socially, economically, politically, emotionally, occupationally and so forth that conflict with God's will. If we live by a Biblical worldview it will affect how we live and view our world.

-Pastor Chris

THE FINEST HYMN...

Reginald Heber (1783-1826), a vicar and hymn-writer in England, was the first person to compile a hymnal based around the church calendar. He composed the beloved hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy" specifically for Trinity Sunday, with lyrics based on Revelation 4:8-11.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;

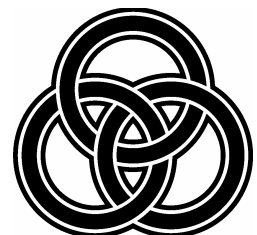
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!

God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

The joyful song celebrates the eternal, omnipotent Triune God. Throughout the verses, Heber used units of three to symbolize the Trinity (God is "perfect in power, in love and purity"; God is worshiped by saints, cherubim and seraphim; and he's praised "in earth and sky and sea").

Heber, who witnessed much idol worship while serving as Bishop of Calcutta, often reaffirmed God's holiness in his hymns.

British poet laureate Alfred Lord Tennyson so admired the uplifting language in "Holy, Holy, Holy" that he proclaimed it the finest hymn ever written.



MISSIONS...

FAITH RANCH MISSION ACTIVITY

June 8-14, 2008

Faith Ranch-Jewett, Ohio



For several years, Broadman youth have enjoyed spiritual retreats at Faith Ranch, a Christian Camp, Riding Stable & Retreat Center in Eastern Ohio.

Faith Ranch is a non-denominational Christian Ranch Camp whose purpose is to provide a wholesome Christ-centered environment in a ranch setting and to build friendships by using recreation and ranch activities as tools to aid in sharing Jesus Christ, His Love and His Word with any and all guests. Its mission is to model and encourage a Christ-centered life, to teach relationship with Christ as a foundation, to build mentoring relationships with campers, and to teach and model Godly character.

The youth have “adopted” a farmhouse on the ranch that is in need of some tender loving care. The farm house pictured above was built in 1891 and houses 44 in 6 bedrooms. There are two double and two single bath/shower rooms as well as a large meeting room for 20-30 people. The youth have volunteered to spend the week of June 8-14 painting inside and out and doing general cleaning and minor maintenance on the farmhouse.

All members of Broadman are invited to join the youth in assisting in the beautification of a lovely farmhouse that serves as a great location for the spiritual development of our youth each year. Fun activities like horse back riding and hayrides will be planned during the week as well.

Sign up at the kiosk if you can participate for a day or two or the entire week.

In Christ,

Jackie Forcina

Mission of the Month

The Mission of the Month for May is Ottis Denney Associational Missions Offering. Ottis Denney was committed to missions, new church starts and sharing the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ with the people of Ohio. To Ottis, every corner lot in a good location looked like a possible location for a new Southern Baptist Church! Please give as the Lord leads to help missionaries in Ohio.

JUNE'S MISSION PROJECT

FAITH RANCH

Faith Ranch is a Christian horse ranch near Jewett, OH. We have adopted a house at the ranch to fix up for the campers. The house was built in 1891. There is a lot of work to do on the house.

We are asking the members of Broadman to help support this Mission Project in several ways. One way is of course your prayers. Another way is financial. We would like to dry wall the house. This will cost between \$1,000.00 and \$1,500.00. Another way is physical workers. If you can come out for one day or for the entire week, anything will be appreciated. Faith Ranch is about an hour and a half from Broadman. Entire families can come out. We will also be able to take some rides on the horses.

There is no actual cost for the project. The ranch will furnish a place to sleep and food while we are there.

Below are some of the projects that are needed:

- Replace a small section of roof
- Paint the outside of the house
- Sandpaper and paint bunk beds (approximately 27)
- Dry wall
- Some plumbing
- Stain deck
- Polyurethane back stairwell and hall
- Install light fixtures
- Replace door
- Replace floor tile in small room and more

Please sign up at the kiosk. If you would like to see some pictures of the projects, go to the Youth room. If you have any questions, talk to Terry.

SERVICE, PLEASE...

A little girl who went fishing with her dad gave up after about 10 minutes of holding her pole. “Dad, I’m quitting,” she said. “I’m not being waited on by any fish.”

The child’s comments may have been echoed by the frustrated disciples in John 21:1-14, NRSV. The resurrected Christ stood on a beach and called to seven of his friends: “You have no fish, have you?”

They replied, “No.”

Jesus told his friends to cast their nets on the right side of the boat. Then they caught so many fish that they couldn’t lift them into the boat. They had to drag the net to shore to count their catch.

Isn’t it amazing what divine guidance can do for us?

I DON'T CELEBRATE DOT COM....

Let's keep "Christ" in "Christmas". Are you tired of hearing "Happy Holidays", "Holiday Lights", and "Holiday Tree", then tell your friends and family and make a statement by purchasing a sweatshirt, hoodie, t-shirt, hat, mug, bumper sticker, stationary, or any other item from:



www.idontcelebrate.com

This company was established with two goals in mind. First, let's help keep "Christ" in "Christmas", don't let people forget the reason for the season is Jesus! Second, it is to help advance God's kingdom through the ministries and vision of Broadman Baptist Church to build a new facility.

There is an old saying that goes, "You are preaching to the choir". This is said when you are telling members of the Church what is going wrong outside the Church. It is time the choir starts "SINGING". By wearing these t-shirts, hats, sweatshirt, and other items we are "singing" to those outside of the Church the Gospel message.

Waiting to order until the Christmas season is closer could delay shipment of your items. Make sure you get your items soon! Companies like WalMart, Target and other big companies are already preparing for their "Holiday" campaigns to start this fall, let's tell them now that we "Don't Celebrate the "Holidays" we Celebrate Christmas!"

If every family who receives the Beacon would purchase 1 item in May and tell 5 others and those 5 would buy in June then they tell 5 and they buy in July and so on and so on, by December we will have accomplished both goals. There would be a lot of people wearing the products to tell others that they don't celebrate the "Holidays" but we celebrate Christmas because of Christ and there would be enough revenues for the Church to build the new facility...AMAZING!

Terry Sneed and Carla Patterson have already started wearing their items and are getting a lot of people asking them where they can get one. It is our prayer that you will join us in this mission to save Christmas and see the vision of a new facility, with God's help.

If you have any questions, talk to Terry Sneed or Carla Patterson at Church or call Terry at (440) 655-9007. Don't forget to go to:

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Scripture of the Month

Worship Schedule

9:00am Prayer in Sanctuary

9:30am Coffee & Fellowship

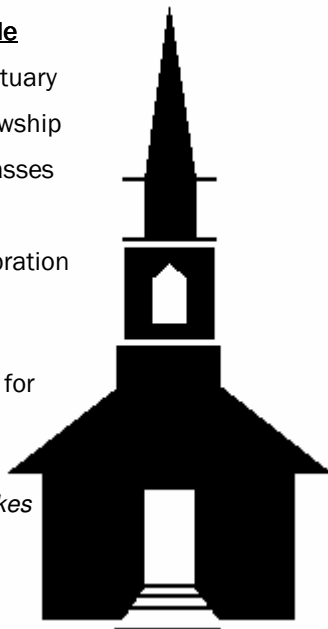
9:45am Life Impact classes
for all ages

11:00am Morning Celebration
Service

Wednesdays

6:30pm WB Something for
everyone

*A Church That Makes
a Difference!*



Proverbs 31:30 KJV

Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised.

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