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HOORAY FOR FATHER'S DAY!...



A Houston newspaper asked readers to send in thoughts about their fathers.

Letters flooded in, and what people wrote about their fathers is most inspiring.

A few comments:

- Dad was always there for me. He sacrificed to make sure that we had what we needed.
 - When disappointment came my way, Dad said, "Son, real life ain't about getting what you want but more about doing something with what you get."
 - My dad was disabled, but he worked hard to make sure we children had a good education and lived moral lives. He would say, "I want you to succeed more than I did."
 - My dad wanted us to be Christians and took us regularly to church.
- What would you write about your father?



THE POWER OF PRAISE...

Psalm 150

"Hallelujah! Praise God in His sanctuary. Praise Him in His mighty heavens. ² Praise Him for His powerful acts; praise Him for His abundant greatness. ³ Praise Him with trumpet blast; praise Him with harp and lyre. ⁴ Praise Him with tambourine and dance; praise Him with flute and strings. ⁵ Praise Him with resounding cymbals; praise Him with clashing cymbals. ⁶ Let everything that breathes praise the LORD. Hallelujah!"

Just in case you did not know it, there is power in praise. As I write these words they are a reminder to me to praise God with all that is in me, regardless of my surroundings! I need to praise Him in the morning, praise Him in the evening, praise Him when I am down, and praise Him when I am up. I need to praise Him even when I don't feel like it!

For most of us we are soooooo blessed and have soooooo much to praise God about in our lives'. Yet for many of us, including myself, it is soooooo easy to focus on the negative and what is not good instead of looking at who God is, what God has done, is doing and is going to do in the midst of our lives'! I am not saying we do not sometimes face difficult situations, troubles, trials, tribulations, discouragement, frustrations and such things that make praise difficult. Nor am I saying that we need to all become unrealistic optimists. What I am saying, is that there is genuine power that is produced in our lives as we praise God. It is

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All about VBS
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for all the
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PASTOR'S CORNER CON'T...

WHAT IS A FATHER?...

VBS IS COMING SOON!...

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PASTOR'S CORNER..

this power of praise that can get us through the good times, bad times and even the worst of times. When you don't know what to do, find something to praise God about and it will bring the power of God to your life and situation.

There truly is so much to praise the Lord about! May we never forget that God is good, all the time, and all the time, God is good! The character of God is good; and His faithfulness and love endures to all generations; and His blessings are upon His children. May we learn to praise God and see all the good things He has brought into our lives through all the circumstances of our lives'. I believe the power of praise can move us through the valleys of darkness, help us climb to the highest mountain tops and even soar like eagles.

"Let everything that has breath, praise the Lord. Hallelujah

-Pastor Chris

WHAT IS A FATHER?...

Being of the male species does not make a man a father, for a dad is a special blend of hero, disciplinarian, a friend, someone to look up to, someone to model ... someone with a touch of the "mother" in him, someone who is big enough to say, "The fault was mine" ... someone who lives the kind of life that makes you want to say, "I, too, shall follow him!"



Pack your bags for Down Under!



**VBS 2009 JULY 19-24
BOOMERANG EXPRESS**

SERVANTS & MORE...

SATISFIED SERVANTS...

According to a survey conducted by the National Opinion Research Center at the University of Chicago, clergy members rank highest in job satisfaction. More than 87% of pastors report being satisfied with their jobs. Firefighters are second (80%), and physical therapists are third (78%).

The survey collected data from more than 27,000 people for almost two decades. At the bottom of the job-satisfaction scale are roofers, waiters and gas-station attendants.

Survey director Tom Smith admits he was surprised that pastors topped the list. "Apparently the rewards of spiritual guidance and leadership outweigh the burdens of being a religious leader," he says.

Job satisfaction is highest in professions that involve "caring for, teaching and protecting others, and creative pursuits," Smith adds. Prestige and happiness aren't necessarily linked.

If you want to be happy in your work, seek out a career or volunteer opportunities that allow you to make

a difference. Pray that God will show you ways to use your gifts to help others.

JOB OPPORTUNITY...

Sadly, Melia & Wayne Nichols will be leaving us in August. Wayne has been transferred by his employer and will be moving to Texas. Melia has been a member of the church office staff for several years. She fulfilled the position of Secretary II Special Projects Organizer. She has served with excellence and will be missed by all. This however does open up a job opportunity. If interested in applying for this position, see the job posting on the church bulletin board, then submit your resume to the church office by June 20th.

ON GIVING & GETTING...

British author Elizabeth Bibesco said, "Blessed are those who can give without remembering and take without forgetting."

Can we follow her advice? Do we really need to keep a mental account of our sharing? Of course, we must keep financial records for tax purposes, but why dwell on

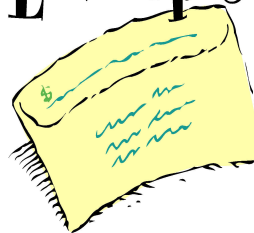
-ing derived from giving. Dwell on that joy rather than on the amount or the service given. Never forget what others have done for you. A grateful heart blesses you as well as the people you help.

WHY USE OFFERING ENVELOPES?...

They enable the church to provide you with statements of your giving. Not only do they serve as information for you, but also are useful for tax purposes.

Boxes of envelopes, available on the kiosk, back sanctuary table and foyer, can be used for any giving pattern you choose — occasional, weekly, bi-weekly or monthly.

Offering Envelopes



RECIPE OF THE MONTH...

NICOLE'S TAIL GATE PARTY CHICKEN SALAD



INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups shredded cooked chicken meat
- 2 cups chopped celery
- 2 cups sliced almonds
- 2 cups small seasoned croutons
- 1 cup shredded sharp Cheddar cheese
- 2 cups creamy salad dressing, e.g. Miracle Whip™

DIRECTIONS

In a large bowl, toss together the chicken, celery, almonds, croutons, Cheddar cheese and eggs. Mix in salad dressing until the ingredients are evenly coated. Cover and refrigerate overnight before serving for best flavor.



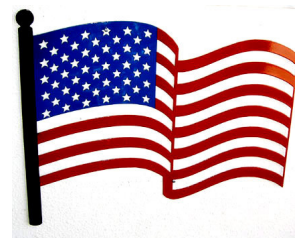
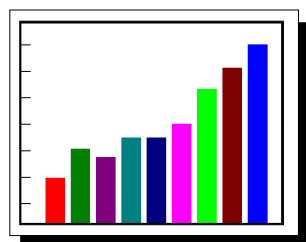
Quote of the Month

To love deeply in one direction makes us more loving in all others.

-Anne-Sophie Swetchine

TRACK OUR ATTENDANCE...

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May 3.....	161
May 10.....	171



FLAG DAY
JUNE 14TH 2009

FIRST DAY OF SUMMER
JUNE 21, 2009



BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES & MORE...

JUNE

• **Christian Symbols +**



TRIQUETRA...

This early symbol for the Holy Trinity is formed from three equal arcs. The arcs represent equality, the continuous line expresses eternity and the interweaving represents indivisibility. At the center is a triangle, another symbol of the Trinity. Because of its beauty and simplicity, the triquetra is often used as a design element in church architecture.

FOCUSING ON THE TRINITY...

Christians are monotheists, meaning we believe in only one God. Yet we talk about the doctrine of the Trinity. In the church year, the Sunday after Pentecost is known as Trinity Sunday. It's a day for focusing on what theologians call the Triune God – the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Someone said about the concept of the Trinity, "You will lose your soul if you don't believe it, and you will lose your mind if you try to explain it."

The bottom line is this: God (one Person) has been revealed to mankind in three ways. He is our Creator, who then came to Earth as our Savior (in the person of Jesus) and is eternally present with us as the Holy Spirit. On Trinity Sunday, we praise our Triune God for meeting all our needs.

BIRTHDAYS

- 6/1 FOSTER PATTERSON
- 6/9 LOGAN CHAPMAN
- 6/9 DAVALEE DICKINSON
- 6/12 JODI CROUCH
- 6/12 SCOTT GEISTWEITE
- 6/13 NOAH CAFFELLE
- 6/13 LILLIAN SOLOMON
- 6/14 DEAN BARKER
- 6/15 JOCELYN CAFFELLE
- 6/16 CAROLYN (LYNN) GEMBICKI
- 6/16 MICHELLE WORTMAN
- 6/23 LEANNE RZESZOTARSKI
- 6/28 LARRY TAYLOR
- 6/29 JESSICA THOMPSON
- 6/30 CAROLYN (SUE) BARKER

ANNIVERSARIES

- 6/7 AARON & LIZ WILKINSON
- 6/9 NATE & ALLISON BEETLER
- 6/16 GARY & MARJORIE EVANS
- 6/21 KEVIN & VIVIAN BRIGHT
- 6/28 LARRY & LYNETTE TAYLOR



DATES TO REMEMBER

- Trinity Sunday, June 7
- Flag Day, June 14
- Father's Day, June 21
- First day of summer, June 21

A HUMBLE THOUGHT...

I clearly recognize that all good is in God alone, and that in me, without Divine Grace, there is nothing but deficiency. The one sole thing in myself in which I glory, is that I see in myself nothing in which I can glory.

—Catherine of Genoa

CHOIR SCHEDULE...

HELP PAGES...

GFS...

WB WEDNESDAYS...

BIBLE QUIZ...

BROADMAN HELP PAGES...

Do you need help with yard work? Are you looking for a painter, or someone to help with projects around the house? Is your car in need of service? How about someone to walk your dog, house sit, baby sit, or clean your house? Need dental care or eye care? The Broadman Help Pages is at your service!! We have listings for all of the services listed above and then some. Just get on the Broadman web page and click help pages. It will take you directly to the listing of individuals recommended by our church members. Also, we can still use some more listings so just contact Pastor Chris, Millie Castillo, or Meila. Millie can be reached at milliecastillo1873@msn.com.

New Vendors have been added!!

Check it out at:

http://www.broadmanchurch.org/spiritual_helps/bbc_help_pages.html

CHOIR REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

JUNE-AUG 2009

- WED., JUNE 3, 8:00 P.M.- CHOIR ROOM
- SUN., JUNE 7, 9:15 A.M. – SANCTUARY FOR SOUND CHECK
- JUN., 10:45 A.M. – CHOIR ROOM WARM UP
- JUN., 11:00 A.M. – SING IN SERVICE
- WED., JUNE 24, 8:00 P.M.-CHOIR ROOM
- WED., JULY 1, 8:00 P.M. – CHOIR ROOM
- SUN., JULY 5, 9:15 AM. – SANCTUARY FOR SOUND CHECK
- JUL., 10:45 A.M. – CHOIR ROOM WARM UP
- JUL., 11:00 A.M. – SING IN SERVICE
- WED., JULY 29, 8:00 P.M.- CHOIR ROOM
- WED., AUG., 5, 8:00 P.M. – CHOIR ROOM
- SUN., AUG., 9 - 9:15 AM. – SANCTUARY FOR SOUND CHECK
- AUG., 9, 10:45 A.M. – CHOIR ROOM WARM UP
- AUG., 9, 11:00 A.M. – SING IN SERVICE
- WED., AUGUST 26, 8:00 P.M.-CHOIR ROOM

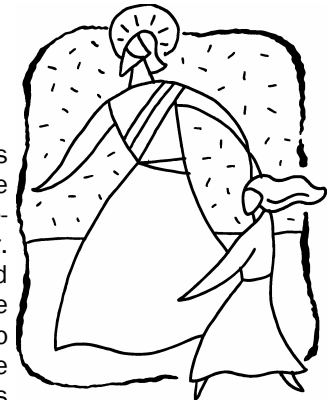
GORDON FOOD SERVICES:...

“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 could 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. IT IS FREE!!!!



Bible Quiz



One of Jesus’ miracles was prompted by a synagogue ruler who approached Jesus as a concerned father. This man’s 12-year-old daughter had just died. He pleaded with Jesus to come touch her so she would live. When Jesus arrived at the man’s house, he took the girl by the hand, and she got up. What is the name of this father who had reason to rejoice?

- A. Cornelius
- B. Zacchaeus
- C. Crispus
- D. Jairus

Answer help (See Luke 8:40-56.)

Answer: See pg 7

JOIN US FOR SUPPER

Every Wednesday

Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:15 pm

June 3: Rigatoni & Salad

June 10: Baked Potato Bar

June 17: Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich & Potato Salad

June 24: Hot Dogs & French Fries



After a delicious meal stay for the WBI

ALL THINGS VBS 2009...

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2009...Boomerang Express



"IT ALL COMES BACK TO JESUS" is what we will learn this summer as we take the Boomerang Express to the Land Down Under, July 19-24, 2009.

Your VBS Director, Mary Reagan has been working hard to make VBS 2009 a great success. Most of our leadership and volunteer positions are filled, but we still have some vacancies and we can never have enough helpers. One area that needs a lot of help is babies, toddlers and preschool. If you can help out, please let either Pastor Chris or Mary Reagan know ASAP.

Important dates:

July 4, 2009 – Stow 4th of July Parade, mark your calendars and plan on celebrating the 4th of July with the family of God as we worship God during the parade, we have fellowship, pass out outreach materials, and candy, and celebrate our independence as a nation. We have to be at the assembly area **NLT than 8:30 a.m.** in the Stow-Kent Plaza. You can park next to Macy's and then find our location in parade line up. See Jen Jarosz for more details.

T-SHIRTS: Please sign up for your T-shirts for VBS now so I can have them ordered in time for the parade.

June – July - VBS Workdays every Saturday in June and July...we need you! Each Saturday, starting in June we will gather from 9 – noon to work on VBS decorations. It is an all out effort of the church. Simply come, hang out, and have fun...you don't even have to be a worker or participant in VBS. Please come out and help. These work days set the tone and creates the exciting atmosphere for a successful VBS.

Please pray for the "Boomerang Express" after all "it all comes back to Jesus." Good day mates!!!

VBS NEEDS...

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CRAFT NEEDS

We need the following items for VBS crafts

125 CD's

125 miscellaneous seed packets

A collection box will be available in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you.

Sandy Nickle and Pat Groetz, Co-Chairs, VBS Craft Team

VBS SNACK ITEMS NEEDED...

The VBS Snack Team is in need of some donations. If you can buy an item or two or even donate money it would be greatly appreciated. If you can help in any way please see **Melia Nichols** or **Sandy Mouser**.

- 5 Boxes Trix Cereal
 - 5 Boxes Teddy Grahams
 - 3 Bags Pretzel Sticks
 - 9 Boxes White Cake Mix
 - 5 Tubs White Frosting
 - 4 Bags Mini Marshmallows
 - 3 Bags Chocolate Chips
 - 3 Boxes Junior Mints
 - 5 Bags Mini Oreos
 - 12 Boxes Graham Crackers
 - 4 Bags White Chocolate Chips
 - 8 Bags Marshmallows
 - 10 Bags Pretzel Rods
 - 5 Bags Melting Chocolate
 - 10 6 oz. Boxes Cherry Gelatin
 - 10 46 oz. Cans Pineapple Juice
 - 10 Packages Cherry Kool-Aid
 - 30 Packages Orange Kool-Aid
 - 30 Packages Lemon Kool-Aid
 - 30 Packages Invisablue Kool-Aid
 - 5 Large Bottles Hi-C Wild Berry Fruit Punch
 - 20 2-Liters Gingerale
 - 10 46 ounce Cans Pineapple Juice
 - 10 2-Liters Cherry 7-Up
- Money is always good too!



EYE ON CULTURE...

WHEN ON VACATION.....

KEEPING AN EYE ON CULTURE...



AMERICA'S HEROS

Throughout the years the Harris Poll has surveyed Americans asking them to rank their top 10 American heroes and throughout the years Jesus has always been the #1 American hero. That is until 2009 when this all changed. Some of you may not think this is a big deal. But I want you to know that this is huge in my eyes. It shows the mentality of America and where they place their hope and how they define their heroes.

The results of the 2001 Harris Poll of Heroes was as follows: #1 Jesus Christ, #2 Martin Luther King Jr., # 4 JFK, #6 Ronald Regan, #7 Abraham Lincoln, #19 George W. Bush. Barack Obama was not even ranked as a hero in America in 2001. However, the results of the 2009 Harris Poll of Heroes was as follows: #1 - Barack Obama, #2 - Jesus Christ, #3 - Martin Luther King Jr., # 5 - George W. Bush, #7 - John McCain.

This should scream "danger Will Robinson" for I believe this poll speaks volumes about our culture. But sadly I don't think it matters to a majority of Americans including some who call themselves Christians. Don't misunderstand me, it is a good thing to honor the position of the president and in many ways presidents who lead with integrity and morality can and should be American heroes. If Barack Obama proves to be a president who follows God's way with integrity and clarity; then he will gain my respect and be a hero in my eyes; but he will never take the place of my Savior.

America has chosen a new # 1 hero to take the place of Jesus Christ in America's list of heroes. It is true that some view our president as someone who can do no wrong and view him with a savior type of mentality. Do not miss this crucial point, America thinks more highly of Barack Obama than they do of Jesus Christ and they have replaced the Savior of the world. Can any God fearing American please rise up and say, "Houston, we have a problem!"

The new American hero, Barack Obama, is the one who is supposed to save us from our current condition, he is America's hope. Does anyone else have a problem with this type of mentality...doesn't the Bible say that Jesus "will save His people from their sin" not Barack Obama! I realize that America is trying to find hope. However, we are looking in the wrong place for we are seeking hope in mankind. In the end the hope we have in Barack Obama has produced policies and philosophies that are in many ways anti-God and anti-Bible. But this is what America has chosen.

Perhaps eventually America will stop viewing Obama as the hero who will save us and return to Jesus, the real Savior. I know it seems highly unlikely, but then again, my hope is in the Lord not man. I truly believe that it is through Jesus Christ that we can find unity, not division; righteousness, not immorality; prosperity, not economic collapse; and dare I say that if we follow God's teachings and commands we just might find God's ways are best and that God's blessings are what this nation was founded upon and what we need today. Maybe then America can find true hope.

As a believer and follower of Jesus Christ I already have a Savior and He is my hope. Jesus will always be my # 1 hero no matter what the rest of America thinks.

—Pastor Chris

When on vacation

When on vacation, be with us in spirit.
The rest of the summer, be with us in person!



BAPTISM CERTIFICATE...

STATE CONVENTION OF BAPTISTS IN OHIO

April 29, 2009

Broadman Baptist Church

Dear Brother Chris,

Greetings in the blessed name of the Risen One, Jesus Christ. I pray He is increasing your faith, strength, and wisdom. Truly it is joy to know Him, to be in His service, and to partner together.

I wanted to drop a line to you and say "congratulations" to you and your congregation for having the high baptism total (of 27) in the Summit Baptist Association for 2007-2008. I value your partnership in ministering effectively and consistently to the lost people in and around your community. It is a joy to know that God is rewarding your faithful diligence in making evangelism a priority in your ministry.

Please except this small token of appreciation as an expression of our heartfelt gratitude for a job "well done." I trust it will convey our friendship, partnership, and cooperation in reaching the masses of people in Ohio for the cause of Christ.

There Is Victory In Jesus,

Mission Ohio 2020 Vision: 1,000,000 believers in 2020 congregations by 2020

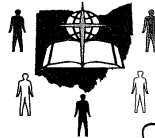
Evangelism Resource Group

**State Convention of Baptists in Ohio
Evangelism Resource Group**

Extends Congratulations To

Broadman Baptist Church

**For having a high baptism total of 27 in the
Summit Baptist Association of the
State Convention of Baptists in Ohio
during the 2007-2008 church year.**



Jack Kwok
Dr. Jack Kwok
Executive Director-Treasurer, SCBO

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Evangelism Resource Group Leader

4th OF JULY PARADE

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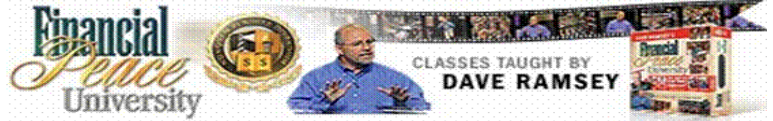
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VBS 4th OF JULY PARADE...

It's that time again!!! We are gearing up for our annual VBS 4th of July Parade! We appreciated everyone's support last year and hope for another great turn out this year. We are beginning to collect candy donations! This candy will be handed out along with fliers telling children and parents about our VBS this year. If you can help we ask that you bring 2-3 bags of candy, candy must be individually wrapped (no chocolates please). We need 45,000 pieces of candy for the Stow 4th of July Parade. Please bring your candy donations to the Kiosk. Your donations help make this event possible. Candy will be picked up at the end of service by Carla Patterson or Jen Jarosz. Thank you!

-Carla Patterson and Jen Jarosz



The next Financial Peace University course will be offered as follows...

Class Schedule

Preview Thursday, July 30, 2009, 7:00 PM

Preview Sunday, Aug 2, 2009, 12:45 PM

Super Saving Thursday, Aug 6, 2009 7:00 PM

Relating With Money Thursday, Aug 13, 2009 7:00 PM

Cash Flow Planning Thursday, Aug 20, 2009 7:00 PM

Dumping Debt Thursday, Aug 27, 2009 7:00 PM

Credit Sharks In Suits Thursday, Sep 3, 2009 7:00 PM

Buyer Beware Thursday, Sep 10, 2009 7:00 PM

Clause and Effect Thursday, Sep 17, 2009 7:00 PM

That's Not Good Enough Thursday, Sep 24, 2009 7:00 PM

Of Mice and Mutual Funds Thursday, Oct 1, 2009 7:00 PM

From Fruition To Tuition Thursday, Oct 8, 2009 7:00 PM

Working In Your Strengths Thursday, Oct 15, 2009 7:00 PM

Real Estate and Mortgages Thursday, Oct 22, 2009 7:00 PM

The Great Misunderstanding Thursday, Oct 29, 2009 7:00 PM

Anyone wishing to attend the class can register on-line through the Dave Ramsey website, www.daveramsey.com. Go to "find a class" and enter their zip code (44223 for Broadman) then look for Broadman Baptist Church. If you have question see or call Joyce Lape 330-920-3756

PARKING METER...

Feeding the meter

Great Job Broadman!!!!!! I thank each of you for your faithfulness to pay the meter!!!! We just recently reduced our parking lot debt to under \$47,000; that is amazing considering it was \$57,000 in October 2008. Let's continue to make it our goal to pay off the debt in less than five years or sooner, if possible. So long as we can pay at least \$1,000 a month or more we can accomplish this easily. Because the parking lot debt is not included in our budget we ask that you please give to the purposes of the church budget first with your tithe; then give above and beyond your tithe to help reduce the parking lot debt. All I could ever ask of anyone is to do what I am willing to do myself, give something prayerfully and regularly to this fund. **I realize our gifts may not be equal, but we can have equal sacrifice.** That is all any pastor could ever ask of his flock and it is all God asks of us as His People. So what sacrifice can you make? Please seek God's face and ask what you are able to give beyond the tithe. May God do wonders through our obedience and use the new parking lot for His Glory!!!

SALT & LIGHT...

T.A.S.S.E.L....

HUMOR CORNER...



MISS CALIFORNIA...

What does it mean to be salt and light in our world? A good example is the response and unfolding events surrounding the Miss California controversy from the Miss USA Pageant. During the pageant Miss California, Carrie Prejean, was asked during the final Q & A session if she believed gay marriage should be legal or not? She answered the politically motivated question according to her beliefs to the dislike of the judge, which cost her the crown. It seems clear that this question alone cost her the pageant because she was the clear front runner going into the final five. Miss California herself said, it "did cost me my crown, but I wouldn't have had it any other way... I was raised... that you can never compromise your beliefs and opinions for anything."

In addition to her losing the crown and being the runner up in the Miss USA Pageant; those who are a part of the homosexual agenda movement have tried to degrade, belittle and discredit Miss California. Despite all of these attempts, her moral conviction to defend marriage has remained. She is a good example of being salt and light to all of us. She used the circumstances of life that God placed before her for His glory by being a voice of truth! Her example to us is that we should use whatever plat-

form or opportunity God brings our way to advance God's truth to our culture; thereby, being salt and light.

Often times being salt and light might bring persecution along with it. That is why Jesus said, "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake." Truly Miss California is blessed for standing up for God's view of marriage. She may have lost the Miss USA Crown, but the Heavenly Crown she shall receive and the potential impact she will have on our culture are worth it!

-Pastor Chris

A TIME FOR RETREAT...

Just as we need physical breaks from daily activities, our spirits need renewal as well. We often think of physical survival, but we should also consider that we need to practice spiritual survival. In a world that both boldly and subtly attacks our spiritual health, Christians need to be inwardly strengthened. June, which is often a vacation month, might be a perfect time for you to spend some time away from the pressures of daily life.

Ask your pastor to recommend any denominational or local retreats.

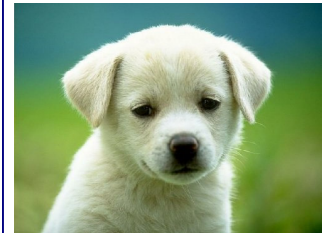
HUMOR CORNER...

►Bride: How can I keep my wedding ring clean?

Mother: Soak gently in dish-water three times a day!

►After a junior high school class toured the White House, the teacher asked each student to write impressions of the visit. One boy wrote: I was especially glad to have this opportunity to visit my future home.

►A little boy and his daddy were looking at a litter of puppies, planning to buy one, and the daddy asked the boy which one he wanted. The lad pointed to a pup whose tail was wagging furiously and said, "The one with the happy ending."



►"Grandma" asked a youngster, "were you once a little girl like me?"

"Yes, dear".

"Then," continued the child, "I suppose you know how it feels to get an ice cream cone when you don't expect it".

►I was trying to teach arithmetic reasoning when I asked, "If you know the price of seven hats, how would you find the cost of one?" "Ask the clerk," replied one ten year old.

►Teacher asked Wally how he would divide 10 potatoes equally among 20 people. Wally promptly replied, "I'd mash them."

T.A.S.S.E.L. SUNDAYS

Teens After Service Serving Elegant Lunch



The next T.A.S.S.E.L. is scheduled on

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2009

Enjoy lunch after the worship service

SUMMER COOKOUT

BBQ Chicken

Baked Beans, Potato Salad & Dessert

Love Donations Accepted!

Profits from these lunches will be used to defray the cost of youth activities.

Sign up at the Kiosk & Support Our Youth!!

MISSIONS PAGE...

FAITH RANCH.....

MISSION OF THE MONTH...

AND MORE...

FAITH RANCH
MISSION PROJECT
JUNE 7 - 13, 2009



Faith Ranch is a non-denominational Christian Ranch Camp in Jewett, Ohio which our youth visit 2-3 times a year. The Ranch's 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.

This year we plan to continue rehabilitation work started last June by finishing the remodeling of the farmhouse where the youth and many others stay during spiritual retreats. There is still much to be done: tile floors, put up ceiling tile, plaster & repair walls, paint 4-5 bedrooms, 2 hallways and many metal bunk beds. We will sleep at the farmhouse and the Ranch will provide all meals for the volunteers.

EVERYONE AT BROADMAN HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE INVOLVED!!

PRAY for God's blessings upon the workers, the weather, provisions of supplies, and completion of the project.

Make a monetary donation to help defray the cost of supplies or donate/loan supplies

Plan to attend as many days as possible. Even one day of labor would be welcomed!

Enjoy time in the country, take a horseback or hayride, and relax

This is a great opportunity for families to serve the Lord together!

Sign up at the kiosk.

See **Jackie Forcina** or **Terry Sneed** if you have any questions.

MISSION OF THE MONTH...

The mission for the month of June will be collecting stuffed animals, coloring books and crayons for patients at Akron Children's Hospital. Bring your donations of new items and put them in the box at the kiosk.

July's mission will be the Vacation Bible School mission.

Thank you to all who contributed to the Annie Armstrong Easter offering and the Mali Hunger Project. We collected over \$500 for each.



-Pat Groetz and Jackie Forcina



MISSION UPDATE... Mali People from "S" Village

People of Broadman I am amazed at how God continues to do mighty things through His people. I want to personally thank each of you for giving to help this village in Mali survive. Our church alone gave over \$500 to the Mali people. That is awesome! The disturbing news is that the "S" village of Mali needed nearly \$7,000 to plant their crops and survive this year. And the good news is that God through His people decided that \$7,000 wasn't enough because the combined effort of God's people raised over \$10,000 for this cause...Praise the Lord! Rejoice in knowing you were a part of something supernatural; a true God-thing!

Remember to pray for the short-term missionaries that are traveling to Mali to bring this good news to the people of "S" Village. The mission trip is from May 28 through June 9, 2009. May God receive all the Glory!!!!

-Pastor Chris

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Scripture of the Month

Worship Schedule

9:00am Prayer in Sanctuary

9:30am Coffee & Fellowship

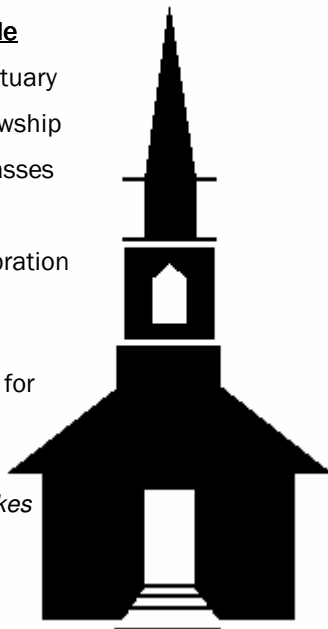
9:45am Life Impact classes
for all ages

11:00am Morning Celebration
Service

Wednesdays

6:30pm WB Something for
everyone

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a Difference!*



John 16:23 (HCSB)

...I assure you:
Anything you ask the Father in My name,
He will give you

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