



January 19, 2009

The Vision

BAPTIST CHURCH



In our morning service January 25. . .

Lee Bradley, IMB Missionary to



From Our Pastor. . .

Our guest speaker on **Sunday morning, January 25th**, will be **Lee Bradley**, IMB missionary to Albania. Lee serves as the Director of the **Albanian Bible Institute**. Lee is no stranger to Mount Hermon, having fellowshipped with our congregation on a number of occasions. In 2008, our church family provided significant financial assistance to ABI's construction project in order to create added dormitory space to service their expanding student body. Lee will be giving us an update on all the great things God is doing at ABI. Don't miss this special opportunity!

On the weekend of **February 1st**, our search committee will be presenting and recommending to the church family **a candidate to serve as our new Minister of Education**. **Ty Lochridge** is a native of Waco, Texas. After a successful business career in advertising and marketing, Ty sensed God's call to vocational ministry and enrolled at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. Upon completing his seminary degree, he went on to serve churches in South Carolina and Louisiana. He also worked for a time on the staff of the South Carolina Baptist Convention. The last congregation he served was in North Augusta, South Carolina (right

across the river from Augusta, Georgia). Currently, he is the executive director of a homeless shelter in that same area. Our search committee has been impressed with Ty as being a very creative, highly relational and humble servant of God with a caring heart. He possesses a deep passion for local missions and outreach. On top of that, he has strong experience and expertise in the areas of senior adult ministry and singles ministry, in addition to his educational and administrative skills. Ty is 50 years of age and has never married. I believe he will be a great addition to our team.

Several events are being planned in order to give you every opportunity to meet Ty Lochridge. Ty will meet with our deacons of Friday evening, January 30th. Then, on **Saturday, January 31st**, our Hostess Committee has planned the following slate of opportunities:

10:30 AM to 12 Noon
"Blue Jeans Brunch"
Fellowship Hall
Open to Senior Adults

4:30 PM to 5:00 PM
"Reception"
Open Door Sunday School
Class Room
Open to Sunday School &
Discipleship Training Teachers

5:30 PM to 7:30 PM
"Open House"
Fellowship Hall
Open to all Church Members

Then, on Sunday morning, February 1st, Ty will be sharing a word of testimony in each of our morning worship services. We also will vote on Sunday morning as to whether to call Ty as our next Minister of Education. Please don't miss out on this important weekend in the life of our church.

This week, I'll be at the State Capitol in Richmond to pray for the opening of Wednesday's session of the Virginia House of Delegates. Bill Soyars will be leading prayer meeting in my absence.

God bless you. Have a great week in the Lord!

Pastor Danny



BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, January 21, 2009

4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Please note: 16 year olds can be a donor with parents permission. You may pick up the permission form in the children's lobby or the church office.

Sign up in the Children's lobby!!

“A Musician’s Heart”

Just being there . . .

Don’t you often wonder if just “showing up” makes a difference? A lot of times we think if we just “show up” we’re not really contributing. Maybe we didn’t have any great insights to share, no earth shattering revelations. But you showed up anyway.

Showing up may not seem significant, but it does allow for availability. You become usable at that time and place and you may not even be aware of what God is doing. Over the past month I’ve had some opportunities to be somewhere and something significant happened. It certainly didn’t happen *because* of my presence, but God allowed me to be a part of something that had an impact.

When you visit with a grieving family, or sit by a hospital bed, or hold someone’s hand through a traumatic event, you have made yourself available. I believe that’s what God is calling us to do - be available. Show up . . . let God do something . . . look for Him at work . . . thank Him for allowing you to be a part. We never know how our presence will encourage someone . . . or change us!

Serving with you,
Jana

Early Reminder for **Deeper Still**

Registration is underway for the women’s conference **Deeper Still: The Event with Beth Moore, Priscilla Shirer, and Kay Arthur**. This event will take place at the Greensboro Coliseum, Friday evening, July 31 and all day Saturday, August 1, 2009. For more information and registration, go to www.lifeway.com and click on Events/Women/Deeper Still for the Greensboro, NC location. The cost is \$75. The website provides information about hotels offering special conference rates. Now is the time to invite friends, make plans, and register to go! This will be a time of encouragement, challenge, and direction to everyone who attend!

*Special note: In late January, MHBC will offer Bible study small groups for women that go hand-in-hand with the **Deeper Still** conference. This newly released series **Anointed. Transformed. Redeemed: A Study of David** is a 6-session study taught by Priscilla Shirer, Beth Moore, and Kay Arthur.*

The Pursuit of Holiness

An upcoming sermon series
by Pastor Danny Davis

February 1	<i>Holiness: The Necessity</i>
February 8	<i>Holiness: The Struggle</i>
February 15	<i>Holiness: The Key</i>
February 22	<i>Holiness: The Implementation (Part 1)—Body & Mind</i>
March 1	<i>Holiness: The Implementation (Part 2)—Emotions & Will</i>
March 8	<i>Holiness: The Challenge</i>

“Be ye holy for I am holy”
1 Peter 1:16

“...holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord”
Hebrews 12:14

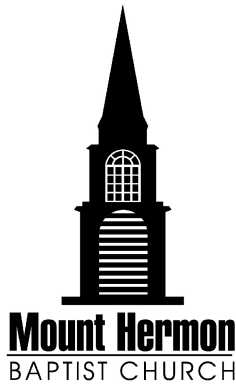
Younger Children:

Spunky’s Diary by Janette Oke
The Prodigal Cat by Janette Oke
The Impatient Turtle by Janette Oke
This Little Pig by Janette Oke
Ducktails by Janette Oke
New Kid in Town by Janette Oke
Henry and the Great Flood by Gary Richmond
My Youngest, There’s No One Like You by Kevin Leman
My Only Child, There’s No One Like You by Kevin Leman
My Grandchild, There’s No One Like You by Kevin Leman
My Firstborn, There’s No One Like You by Kevin Leman
God is My Shepherd and I’m His Lamb by Dandi Mackall
I Can Be Happy Because God Blesses Me D. Mackall
Grandpa Grumpy’s Family by Katherine O’Neal
Sarah’s Grandma Goes to Heaven by Maribeth Boelts
When Pete’s Dad Got Sick by Kathleen Bostrom



Older Children:

Clash by Rick Brundschuh
Burned by Rich Brundschuh
Storm by Rich Brundschuh
Crunch by Rich Brundschuh
The Book of the King by Jerry B. Jenkins
The Sword of the Wormling by Jerry B. Jenkins
The Changeling by Jerry B. Jenkins
The Minions of Time by Jerry B. Jenkins
The Author’s Blood by Jerry B. Jenkins
The Door Within by Wayne Batson
The Rise of the Wyrmlord by Wayne Batson
The Final Storm by Wayne Batson



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Opportunities of the Week

Sunday, January 25
 Morning Worship 8:30 am
 Media Library Open 9:30 am
 Sunday School 9:45 am
 Morning Worship 11:00 am
 Media Library Open 12:00 pm
 Praise Band 3:30 pm
 Creative Arts 4:00 pm
 Children's Choirs 5:00 pm
 Youth Choir 5:00 pm
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Youth Bible Study 6:00 pm
 Adult Handbells 7:00 pm
 Youth Fellowship 7:00 pm
 Deacons' Meeting 7:00 pm

Tuesday, January 27
 New Generation Choir 9:30 am
 Repairs & Maintenance in FH . 7:00pm

Wednesday, January 28
 Prayer Time - Prayer Room . 10:00 am
 Church Supper 5:30 pm
 Youth Handbells 6:00 pm
 Media Library Open 6:15 pm
 RAs, GAs, Mission Friends . 6:30 pm
 Gentle Spirit 6:30 pm
 Mid-Week Worship 6:45 pm
 Refuge 6:45 pm
 Adult Choir 7:30 pm

For the Record

January 18, 2009

Sunday School		
	Enrollment	Attendance
Gen Officers	6	4
Preschool	82	48
Children	129	68
Youth	139	35
Adult	864	249
TOTAL	1220	404

Worship

8:30 am	262
11:00 am	399
TOTAL	661

Budget Receipts Banks Closed
 Building Fund (to date) Banks Closed

Servants of the Week

Counting Committee

Barbara Cassada, Bobby Pace, Wray Ware

Deacons

Doug Stovall & D. Ware

Repairs and Maintenance

Ronnie Plaster

New Member Team

Lawrence Wilson

Prayer Team Ministry

8:30 am Ronnie & Betty Dillon

11:00 am Bobby & Sue Pace

Childcare

Sunday, January 25

8:30 am Todd & Tiffany Lancaster, Darrin & Angie Hudgins, Kay Parrish, Henry Crider

11:00 am Lori Hanks, Charlotte Dodson, Joann Atkinson, Alisa & Kathryn Gillispie, Ellen Vernon, Ray Dodson, Carlton Mitchell, Robin Crutchfield

6:00 pm Whitney Clarke

Children's Church

No Children's Church

Wednesday, January 28

6:45 pm Neal Meyer & Jennifer Williams



We have received thank you notes from Hope Reasor, Jason Jones, Ruby and Robert Jones, and the families of Cathy Edwards, Mary Rowland, and Dorothy Chandler. Look for them on the bulletin board in the Children's Lobby.

Welcome !

New Sunday School Member

- 13. Bonnie Brown - Families for Christ
- 14. Christopher Miller - 5 year olds

Menu for Wednesday, January 28



Roast Beef Dinner

Roast Beef & Gravy
 Roasted Red Skin Potatoes
 String Beans
 Tossed Salad
 Cornbread/Rolls
 Assorted Pies
 Tea

Cost \$7.25 for adults and \$3.60 for children.

The family maximum is \$20.00.

Call the church office by Tuesday at noon or fill out the reservation card in the pew rack on Sunday!