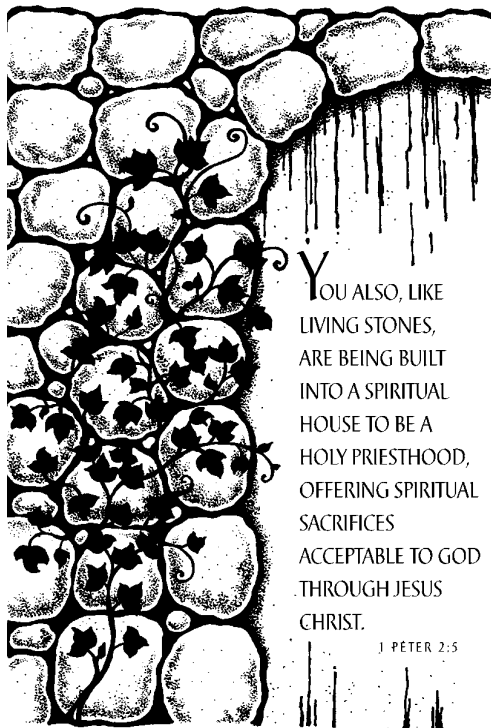


January 26, 2009



The Vision

BAPTIST CHURCH



YOU ALSO, LIKE LIVING STONES, ARE BEING BUILT INTO A SPIRITUAL HOUSE TO BE A HOLY PRIESTHOOD, OFFERING SPIRITUAL SACRIFICES ACCEPTABLE TO GOD THROUGH JESUS CHRIST.

1 PETER 2:5

WORSHIP WITH US
THIS SUNDAY,
February 1

Pastor Danny will begin his series on holiness with a message entitled "Holiness: The Necessity."

Trent Landrum will be presenting the special music in both morning services.

**Ty Lochridge
will be here at Mt. Hermon this weekend.**

Ty is being recommended as our
new Minister of Education.

He will share his personal testimony
in both morning services and a
congregational vote will be taken in regard
to calling Ty to this vital ministry role.

Please don't miss out on this important weekend in the life of our church.

From Our Pastor. . .

Ty Lochridge, our **Minister of Education candidate**, will be at Mount Hermon this weekend to meet our church family. Our search committee is delighted to recommend and introduce him to you. Ty 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 (which includes David Satterfield, Betty Boswell, Alisa Gillispie, Shannon Jones, George Harper, and Carroll Yeaman)** has found Ty to be a creative, highly relational and humble servant of God with a caring heart. He possesses a passion for local missions and outreach. Furthermore, in addition to his obvious educational and

administrative skills, he has strong experience and expertise in the areas of senior adult ministry and singles ministry. Ty is 50 years of age and has never married. I, along with the committee, believe that Ty will be a great addition to our team.

Several events have been planned in order to give everyone an opportunity to meet Ty Lochridge.

Friday, January 30th

7:00 PM
"Dessert Fellowship"
Fellowship Hall
Deacons & Spouses

Saturday, January 31st

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

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
"Open House"
Fellowship Hall
Open to all Church Members

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

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

Pastor Danny



BLOOD DRIVE

Thank you to those of you who donated blood on Wednesday, January 21. We had 17 donors which included some first time givers as well as youth. This will greatly help Mount Hermon's account.

“Youth News”

The youth ski retreat last weekend was great. We all enjoyed the skiing and time of fellowship we had on the slopes, but for me and a lot of the participants I think the real highlight was our spiritual retreat day. Saturday was set aside as our day to eliminate distractions – no cell phones, no Ipods- in order to get real with God. We met together for three worship services in which we praised Jesus in song and message. Following each of the worship services we all took time alone with God. I challenged the students to think through tough questions, and they took me up on the offer and dug deep to find the answers. This was a refreshing time for all of us. I had many of the students and leaders tell me how much they enjoyed their time on Saturday. I am looking forward to experiencing this again at future ski retreats.

Another ongoing growth opportunity for our youth is approaching quickly. Our annual True Love Waits campaign will begin in Sunday School on February 15th. This year we will be doing something different. We will split the youth into groups based on age and gender. We will go through “Every Young Man’s Battle” and “Every Young Woman’s Battle”. Although this is not True Love Waits curriculum, it still deals with sexual purity. These studies will give the students strategies to help them fight sexual temptation. Another thing that we are doing differently this year is that we will be holding a Parents’ training session prior to going through this study. On Sunday, February 8th from 4:30-6:00pm, we will meet to help you learn current trends our youth are facing, and how to speak to your students about sex. This session will be open to everyone, youth parents, non-youth parents, grandparents, and friends. Please mark it on your calendars, and plan to attend. Invite your friends who do not go to our church, as well, as I am sure it will help in our efforts to have our students live a life of sexual purity.

I also want to remind everyone about the youth Super Bowl party that will be held this Sunday in the fellowship hall. We will meet at 3:30pm to play flag football and games, followed by the “Big Game.” Plan to have some fun, and to bring some food because let’s face it – what good is a Super Bowl party without food? Looking forward to seeing you there.

In Him,
Josh

The Pursuit of Holiness

An upcoming sermon series
by Pastor Danny Davis

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| 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

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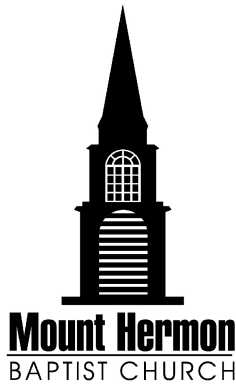
New DVDs

The Cross and the Switchblade
The Wild Pony
The First of May
The Last Sin Eater



Children’s DVDs

The Not So Golden Calf: Commandments 1 & 2
The Rest is Yet to Come: Commandments 3 & 4
A Life and Seth Situation: Commandments 5 & 6
Stolen Jewels Stolen Hearts: Commandments 7 & 8
Toying With the Truth: Commandments 9 & 10



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Servants of the Week

Counting Committee

Raymond Crane, Patti Merricks,
 Robert Rimmer

Deacons

Dan Raines & Lawrence Wilson

Repairs and Maintenance

Lawrence Wilson

New Member Team

Rachel Martin

Prayer Team Ministry

8:30 am Steven Harper & Anacin King
 11:00 am Virginia Carter & Glenn Dalton

Childcare

Sunday, February 1
 8:30 am Eileen Clark, Jason & Sharon
 Yeatts, Melissa Clarke, Tim &
 Gretchen Clark, Earl & Lori Glass
 11:00 am Linda May, Margaret Raines,
 Frances Harper, Hannah Cassada,
 Marie Stewart, Susan Hylton, Mark &
 Renée Sheets
 6:00 pm Whitney Clarke

Children's Church

Anne Goins & Charlene Harris

Wednesday, February 4

6:45 pm Neal Meyer & Heidi Irvin

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Opportunities of the Week

February 1
 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
 Youth Super Bowl Party 3:30 pm
 Creative Arts 4:00 pm
 Children's Handbells 4:30 pm
 Children's Choirs 5:00 pm
 Youth Choir 5:00 pm
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Adult Handbells 7:00 pm

Tuesday, February 3
 New Generation Choir 9:30 am

Wednesday, February 4
 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

Friday, February 6
 Fireproof movie in FH 7:00 pm

Saturday, February 7
 Youth Mission Danville 8:30 am

THANK YOU



We have received thank you notes from
 Jennifer Atkinson, Elnora Garcia,
 Butch Cassada, and Keith Jones.
 Look for them on the bulletin board in
 the Children's Lobby.

For the Record

January 25, 2009

Sunday School	Enrollment	Attendance
Gen Officers	6	6
Preschool	82	53
Children	129	72
Youth	139	61
Adult	866	271
TOTAL	1222	463

Worship

8:30 am	272
11:00 am	325
TOTAL	597

Budget Receipts \$12,854.50
 Building Fund (to date) \$178,336.17

**Menu for Wednesday,
 February 4**

Hamburger Steak with
 grilled onions and peppers
 Potato Salad
 Lima Beans
 Tossed Salad
 Rolls & Cornbread
 Pound Cake

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!

Welcome !

New Sunday School Member

- 15. Teresa Torborg - New Direction
- 16. Tim Torborg - New Direction