

The Booneville Baptist

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A place to belong... a place to become.

APRIL 11, 2010

OPPORTUNITIES

April 11 - 17, 2010

Deacon on Call: C. L. Davidson

Sunday, April 11: CHILDREN'S DAY

- 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Children's Breakfast (CLC)
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship (WBIP-AM 1400)
- 1:30 p.m. Bridal Shower and Tea for Aaron Ford and Kristy Groff
- 5:00 p.m. Youth Choir
- 5:30 p.m. Mission Kids, Moms-in-Touch
- 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship (WBVV-FM 99.3), Children's Bible Drill

Monday, April 12:

- 6:00 p.m. WOM Helping Hands (home of Sue Oaks)
- 7:00 p.m. VBS Planning Meeting

Tuesday, April 13:

- 8:00 a.m. Ladies Handbells
- 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study, WOM Sunshine Servants
- 2:00 p.m. G.R.O.W., WOM Rosalie Hunt Group
- 6:30 p.m. G.R.O.W.

Wednesday, April 14:

- 5:30 p.m. Children's Rec, Children's Church Drill (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study
- 6:15 p.m. Adult Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Choirs, Wednesday YT, College Bible Study, Prayer Meeting
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal, Youth Church Drill (Sanctuary)

Friday, April 16:

- 8:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service Broadcast (Cable 16, www.ubntv.org)

Visit our church website (www.fbcbooneville.com) for upcoming events and previous editions of the newsletter.

CHILDREN'S DAY Sunday, April 11, 2010

Breakfast in the CLC—9:45 a.m.



“Let the little
children come to me ...”

Luke 18:16

Putting Big Things Together

By: Dr. Lynn Jones

Erik and Erin Dukes have four boys, all of whom are 7 years of age and younger. I suggested one time that if they had another boy then a few years from now they could all be playing high school basketball for the Booneville Blue Devils, and we could call them the "Duke Blue Devils." Since Erik is a North Carolina fan, he was not inspired by the idea.

When you are around these four Dukes, if you are quiet enough you can actually hear them growing. They are not only growing in stature, but also in wisdom and in favor with God and man.

The Dukes' second son, James Christofer, is in Becky West's Sunday School class. On a recent Sunday they had a lesson on the boy Samuel helping the old priest Eli in the Tabernacle. Becky asked the children if they could think of ways they could help around the church. James Christofer said that maybe they could help me. He said that I was old but my hair wasn't completely white—just a little white on the sides. "And," he added, "he can still throw a ball and jog." I was glad he thought I still had a little life in me.

Yesterday was Easter Sunday. For the first time, James Christofer wore a suit complete with a tie. As he was getting dressed in his new suit, Erin said that he asked, "Do you think Dr. Jones wears a belt? He probably does so I'd better wear a belt."

You never can tell what kind of influence you're having on a child. I had no idea that I might even be influencing a boy on whether to wear a belt or not. I've got to be more careful.

Of course, Erik's influence is more important than mine. In our Easter musical and drama last weekend, Erik played the part of Jesus. The most dramatic part of the drama is at the end, when Erik, playing the part of Jesus, is placed on the cross.

Erik said that one afternoon last weekend James Christofer came to the back door of their house crying. Erik assumed that James Christofer and his older brother Joshua had gotten into a fuss about something. That wasn't it at all. Instead, James Christofer said through His tears, "Daddy, I don't want Jesus to die." So, Erik had to sit down and talk to James Christofer a long time about Jesus' death on the cross.

It's a hard reality. It is heart-breaking, but it is also the source of our deepest joy. Putting all of that together is a challenge—for James Christofer and for us.

On the evening before the second performance, as Erik and I were talking in the hallway, James Christofer came running to Erik with another concern. "Daddy," he asked, "how does Jesus get out of the tomb, and who rolls back the stone?"

The resurrection is a mystery, and it is also the greatest demonstration of God's power. We're still working on that also, James Christofer.

When you are around the Dukes boys, and other boys and girls, be careful. They're paying attention and putting a lot of big things together.

--Sunday's Sermons:

AM: "Our Ultimate Security"
2 Timothy 1:8-14

PM: "Where Are You on the Lord's Day?" – Revelation 1:9-20

COUNTING COMMITTEE:

Webster Cleveland, Ricky Ford,
David Jones, JoAnn Long

USHERS:

AM

Mark Pitner, Jerry Keeton,
Buddy Smith, Hubert McDaniel,
Ernie McCoy, Todd Dickerson,
Jimmy Cobb

PM

Travis Browder, Dan Volk,
Jackie Smith

EXTENDED SESSION:

April Coordinator

Heather Matthews (728-7941)

April 11:

Tammy Jackson
Todd Dickerson
Erik Dukes

April 18:

Wendy Scott
Collin Billingsley
Heather Matthews

IN SYMPATHY

Christian sympathy and our prayers are extended to Chester and Sissy Grisham and family in the death of his brother, Mr. Jackie Grisham.

GIFTS RECEIVED

Gifts have been received by

First Baptist Church in
memory of

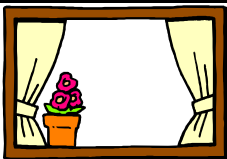
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Mrs. Effie Pharr
Mrs. Mary Ann Ward
Mrs. Vonceil Pounds
Mr. Ryan White
Mrs. Peggy Williams
Mr. J. G. McCoy
Mr. William Guy Spain
Ms. Rhonda Spain
Mr. Howard Gibson
Mrs. Ann Lindsey

and in **honor of**
Keegan and Camden Vernon.

MUSIC NOTES

April 4, 2010

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| Sunday School | 312 |
| Budget | \$15,844.00 |
| Designated Offering | <u>1,814.00</u> |
| Total | \$17,658.00 |



Pray for Our Homebound:
Mr. John Curlee
Mrs. Jean Alexander

Youth Choir

Sunday, April 11

5:00 p.m.

Choir Meal: Becky West and Stephanie Williford
Important information about Choir Tour!!

Young Musicians Festival

April 9 - 10

Mississippi College

Young Musicians will ring and sing this Sunday morning!

EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

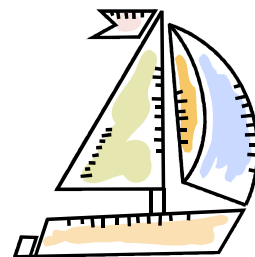
Children's Day Breakfast

Sunday, April 11th

in the gym

For: Pre-Kindergarten through 6th grade
Special Guests: Mrs. Connie and JK

"Lessons at the Sea with Jesus"



OUR NEWEST ARRIVALS!!



Mike and Dawn Vernon are pleased to announce the birth of their sons, Keegan James and Camden Clark!

They were born Friday, April 2, 2010 at 12:35 p.m.

Proud grandparents are James and Peggy Vernon!

Please join us for a
bridal shower and tea honoring

Kristy Groff
and

Aaron Ford

Sunday, April 11, 2010

1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

in the Fellowship Hall
First Baptist Church



WMU Spring Meeting

April 20th—6:30 p.m.

Prentiss Baptist Assoc. Office

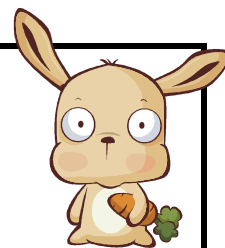
VBS Adult Training Workshop

Monday, April 12

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

in the fellowship hall

Rabbit Night



When: Friday, April 23—6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Who: Babies through 6th grade

Games: Bunny Throw, Pass the Rabbit, Through the Rabbit Hole Crawl, Hot Bunny, Munchin' Carrot Race

Menu: Coney Dogs, Rabbit Mix, Bunny Cake

Movie: "Alice in Wonderland"

Bible Lesson: "God's Care for the Rabbit" (Proverbs 30 and Psalm 104)

Sign-up: by Wednesday, April 21st at bulletin boards by the church office, Young Adult Sunday School Class or 2nd floor Sunday School desk.

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Our Goal: \$11,000.00

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*Dear Friends,
Thank you so very much for the food, flowers, calls, and especially your prayers following Mother's death. She loved her church, friends very much. Your concern for our family is greatly appreciated.*

*Sincerely,
Carolyn Downs*

Janeil Stutts' temporary address while she is away receiving rehab is as follows:

Belmont Village
6605 Quail Hollow Road, Room 303
Memphis, TN 38120

Please continue to keep her in your prayers.

Please be in prayer for our children and youth as they prepare for upcoming Bible Drills:

Children's Church Drill

Wednesday, April 14

5:30 p.m.

Youth Church Drill

Wednesday, April 14

7:30 p.m.

Associational Bible Drill

Sunday, April 18

4:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church

State Bible Drill

Thursday, April 22

Harrisburg Baptist Church

More details later.

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