The

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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.

Bible Classes 10:15 a.m.

Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.

Monday Night For The Master 1st & 3rd Monday 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Ladies' Bible Class 10:00a.m. (Sept. - May)

Step It Up 3:15 (During School Session)

Devotional 6:30 p.m.

Bible Classes 6:45 p.m.

2011 Theme
"Do all in the name
of the Lord"

How I See It. By: Brian Gregory

As many of you know, last week I got to spend a total of eight days on a mission trip to the Caribbean island of Bonaire. What a privilege it was to be part of this group. Our efforts were led and coordinated by our Youth Minister, Jody Pritchett. Although Jody has personally made twenty-five – thirty missions trips, this was his first time leading and organizing a group. Jody did a fantastic job and I am thankful for his efforts and hard work.

Our group left Columbia Friday morning around 1:45 A.M. and then drove to Atlanta where we boarded a plane for Aruba. From there we flew to Bonaire where we finally arrived around 8:30 P.M. where we met up with a small group from Parsons Church of Christ. The next day we began the task of completing many work projects around the church building. Over the next few days we poured a side walk and completed several big painting projects. On Wednesday night we helped to conduct a VBS. Overall about fifteen children came and each of them had a great time.

The church in Bonaire is very small. Not including Martin Klamm (the Missionary) and his family of five, there are less than ten adult members with several children attending also. On the Sunday we were there only two of those adults came to worship. When the Klamm's first moved to Bonaire, a few Christians were meeting primarily under a tree in one sisters yard. Soon they moved to the community center, but were often forced to worship at his house if someone else was using it. This instability over where to meet each week hindered the work for a while. The local government approached Martin about giving him some property to build a church building on. Over the past two years, Martin has been forced to focus upon the completion of the building and do a lot of the work himself. With groups coming occasionally to help him, every project completed puts him one step closer to being finished. In the next few months he will be finished and be able to focus upon evangelizing the island.

Overall this trip really opened my eyes to a lot of things. It made me look at how others live throughout the world. Believe it or not you can live and live quite well without "most" of the things we think we must have to survive. It also made me think seriously about my personal commitment to Christ. As I heard about and saw some of the frustrations and setbacks of the work there, I have to say I would likely have left by now. The Kalmm's have given up lots of things we take for granted (i.e. A.C., T.V. channels, extended family and friends, etc. . .) to go live in a place where they did not speak the language, know anyone or even have a place to worship in doors all for the cause of Christ. With this in mind ask yourself what I have been forced to ask myself, "What have I given up for Christ?" "How committed am I to Christ?"

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Recovering from surgeries/procedures: Greg Norman (Roberta Bolton's brother & Robert's son), (stents); Peggy Wilson (back); Ruby Prince & Patsy Long Rieves (Sarah Churchwell's nieces); Herman & Willene Willis (Charlie's brother & sister-in-law); Beverly Dawson

Various illnesses/health/personal problems:

Martha Wilson; Dixie Fisher (brother-in-law of Corrine Goetz); Cindy Hargrove (viral meningitis); Sandy Humphrey (terminal cancer); Joshua Massey (Linda Rochelle & Charline Gossett's grandson) stomach tumor; Sammy Cooper (Patrick Lankford's grandfather) terminal cancer; Frances Fitzgerald-Life Care 233-B (broken leg); Darlene Church NHC-Hillview 112-A; Linda Bell treatments for bone cancer (Clyde Farris' sister); Coleen Pilkinton (undergoing cancer treatments); James Ed Pollard; Larry Derryberry (Libby Moss' brother & Lisa Kelley's uncle) clinical trail drug program; Betty Allen (Mary Chumbley's daughter); Cherry Bolles 221 Turnbrook Ln.Franklin,TN 37064

In The Hospital: Barney Roland - MRMC 350; Barbara Acuff (Blake & Blair Beckham's grandmother) Hospital in Chattanooga; Tony Harris (Jan Thomason's brother) Vanderbilt



Pray for our Servicemen & their families:

Kevin Mick (Afghanistan) Kevin.eric.mick@us.army.mil CPT MICK,KEVIN TNARNG JFHQ FWD 83 APO AE 09355

Brandon Hubbard, (Afghanistan) Clayton & Myrna Jett's grandson

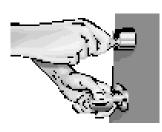
LCpl Brandon Hubbard 2nd Battalion, 8th Marines (No Mail or packages) Coming Home end of July

> Brad A. Morgan, (3rd time to Iraq) Nell Hood's grandson

Maj. Brad A. Morgan, HHC, 326 ENG.BN., A.P.O. AE 09391

Clay Morgan, (2 trips to Iraq now in Afghanistan) Nell Hood's grandson

> Maj. Clay Morgan, HHC, 25TB 2/4 ID., FOB SARAH, A.P.O. AE 09382



If you are a key holderplease be sure to lock the doors to the building and annex when you exit.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



<u>July 13th</u> - Summer Series 6:30 p.m. Clint Patterson speaking about Jesus our Example in Prayer.

<u>July 20th</u> - Ladies' Bible Class meets at Hardees on Hampshire Pike at 9:00 a.m. for breakfast.

<u>July 20th</u> - Summer Series 6:30 p.m. Mike Greene speaking about Jesus our Example in Conflict.



Our deepest sympathy is extended to **Johnny Smith** and his family in the death of his mother, Florence Smith whose

funeral was Sunday in Winchester.

Our deepest sympathy is also extended to the **Graham and Tate families** from Mt. Pleasant, who are suffering the loss of their teenagers, Sarah Graham and Kyle Tate who died in a tragic accident last week.

Building Fund Campaign:

GOAL= \$600,000 August 31, 2011 - March 31, 2012 July and August have been designated as commitment months. The elders need to know how much the congregation is willing to commit to the building project to be able to make decisions on which stage of completion they will pursue. They are asking that you print your commitment on the envelopes provided and place in the collection plate when it is passed around. (Name is optional)

THE RECORD SPEAKS July 3, 2011

Morning Worship	232
Bible Study	170
Afternoon Worship	117
Wednesday Evening	210
Budget	\$7,000.00
Contribution	\$7.378.65



MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER

Next date to meet TBA



Summits of the Psalms

By: Joe Macer Psalm 78

78:4 We will not hide them from their

children; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, his power, and the wonders he has done.

This Psalm recalls much of the history of Israel as they were led by Moses. The plagues are recalled as well as God's leading in the wilderness and the Psalm concludes with David on the throne. The writer has two purposes in mind as he wrote. The first was to remember what God had done and the second was to warn against rebellion towards God.

We have an obligation to tell each and every generation what God has done throughout the ages. Even today we need to tell about the ten plagues that God brought upon Egypt through the hands of Moses. Much is to be learned by seeing how God dealt with his people and other nations. Today we need to add to these Old Testament accounts the information about Jesus and his life on earth as well as his gift of salvation. We have the responsibility to pass this on from generation to generation. The Apostle Paul told Timothy to pass the gospel on to reliable men who would pass it on to others. Mothers and fathers are we impressing God's word upon our children?

We also must warn every generation about leaving God. Many would say that if they had seen these things with their own eyes then they would believe. Since they have not seen with their own eyes they do not believe. This is not sound reasoning. The children of Israel who saw the miracles in a short time rebelled against God by building the golden calf. People saw Jesus perform miracles and refused to believe. Seeing isn't always believing. Are we warning this generation about rebelling against God? Do we present the consequences shown within God's word? Let's always make it our goal to tell of God's good deeds and warn about failing to follow him.

July Theme: Let the word dwell in you. Goal: Share the scriptures. Read, study, and apply the scriptures that inspire your fellow Christians.

REJOICE! We rejoice with Shelby Anderson who was baptized Sunday morning. We commend her for her love for the Lord, tender heart, and

desire to be a Christian.

Youth News by Jody Pritchett



July 3 - 8th - Horizons

July 22nd - JUG Night

July 24th - Young men to conduct the p.m. service.

Summer Rewind in annex after p.m. service

<u>July 28th</u> - Teen boys swim day at Jerry & Peggy Wilson's house.

<u>July 29th</u> - Teen girls swim day at Jerry & Peggy Wilson's house.

July 31st - Area Wide at Graymere church of Christ Review each Sunday night.

BIBLE BOWL 2011

Read chapters and answer questions prior to class. Schedule:

July 10 - Revelation 3. 4.& 5

July 17 - Revelation 6,7, & 8

July 24 - Revelation 9,10 & 11

July 31 - Revelation 12 & 13

August 7 - Revelation 14, 15 & 16

August 14 - Revelation 17 & 18

August 21 - Revelation 19 & 20

August 28 - Revelation 21 & 22

September 4 - Review

September 10 - Bible Bowl 2011!!!!!

Helpful websites to check out:

http://sunsetbiblebowl.blogspot.com

http://bible-bowl.com./category/2011/revelation

-resources/

http://www.highvolt.com/page16.html



Happy Birthday

July 10th - Erick Mick & Virginia Staggs
July 11th - Tommy Lentz
July 12th - Alex Jones, Frances Petty &
Joe Williams, Jr.

July 13th - Mike Hubbell, Chase Thomason & Ben Fronczek

July 14th - Clifford Johnson, Jr.

July 15th - John Ryan Massey & Isaak Mick

July 16th - June Crigger & Jackie Hargrove

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WORSHIP LEADER July 10, 2011

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Invitation

Welcome & Song Leader	Jerry Wilson
Prayer	Jimmy Dawson
Lord's Supper: Presiding	
Serving:	
Barry Cross	Ronnie Skelley
Jason Kelley	Bobby Hunt
Danny Lasater	Ryan Massey
Offering	
Read (2 Timothy 1:12)	Richard Farris
Sermon: "Convinced or Converted"	Brian Gregory

Announcements/Closing Prayer......Gary Boyd

Ushers: Byran Farris, Joe Williams, Blake Hight Greeters: Edith Burgess, David & Rita Gray & Linda Porter Audio/Visual Room: Jonathan Macer

SUNDAY 5:30 p.m.

Welcome/Song Leader	Greg Lusk
Prayer	Clyde Farris
Read (I Peter 5:1-4)	
Speaker "The Elders Among You"	Brian Gregory
Invitation	
Lord's Supper Presiding (In Deacon Room)	Johnnie Johnson
Announcements/Closing Prayer	Mike Lyle

Building Fund Contribution July 31st

If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (379-5560) or Joe Williams (388-9183).

Kelly Lusk

NURSERY CARE

A.M.....Glenda Hunt Linda Lasater P.M....Rhonda Farris

WEDNESDAY 07/13/2011

Song Leader	Sam Quirk
Prayer	
Announcements	
Summer Series Speaker	Clint Patterson