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# Informer

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*As I See It. . . By Brian Gregory*

## 2nd Annual

### MEN'S ADVANCE

Henry Horton State Park

April 17 and 18

Guest Speaker: Bryan McAllister

Theme: Moving Forward Together

Cost \$50

(Includes Room and Two Meals)

All men of the congregation are invited to come share this time of study of God's word and fellowship with one another. We have room for 30 people and will be finished by 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Please sign up in the foyer.

*Talking or Working?. . . By Joe Macer*

Proverbs 14:23 All hard work brings a profit,  
but mere talk leads only to poverty.

The book of Proverbs often compares the hard working person and the lazy person. This verse compares the hard worker and the talker. Have you met the individual that is always talking about the next major undertaking and the vast amount of money to be made but nothing ever materializes? I have met dreamers with high ambitions but poor work skills. It takes hard work to succeed. Without good old fashioned hard work, success is rare to come. Hard work will eventually lead to profit. It usually does not happen quickly but persistence will pay off. Talking is lacking in actions. Just simply talking will lead only to poverty. Boasting of what a person can do but doing nothing will lead a man to begging.

The farmer is an example of one that must think and plan for his crops. If all he ever does is to think and plan then he will not produce a harvest which means there is no income. The farmer who gets up early, stays after it late, works the soil, plants the crop, removes the weeds, fertilizes and does all he can will almost always find great satisfaction at harvest time. Hard work is important to success.

Finally, consider all the times that we think and plan for the future of our congregation. We may dream of a membership of 400 a year from now but it will not happen by talking. It will require a tremendous amount of hard work. Great effort by everyone and with the Lord's will success can be met. Let's dream big dreams, let's ask for God's blessings and leading and then let's get to work.

**5th Sunday  
Contribution  
March 29  
Goal - \$24,000**

## KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

### OUR MEMBERS

- Mike Andrews
- Charlotte Attkisson-NHC Hillview Rm. 221
- Ann Brady
- Bernice Bratton
- Joy Brown & Fred Brown
- Little Tatum Brown - home
- Rebecca Brown
- Bill Carroll - 2502 Shangrila Trail
- Ruth Childress
- Mary Chumbley
- Sarah Churchwell
- Athaleen Cox
- Clyde Farris
- Corrine Goetz
- Ila Goodman - NHC Columbia, Rm. 122-B
- Charline Gossett - NHC Hillview, Rm. 111
- Margaret Johnson
- Maetta King - Poplar Estates 215
- Linda Luna - Recovering from shoulder surgery
- Frances Petty - Brookdale, Rm. 403
- James Ed Pollard - NHC Hillview, Rm. 206
- Barney Roland - NHC Hillview, Rm. 101
- Betty Roland
- Rita Skelley - recovering from broken arm
- Albert & Ethel Spears
- Virginia Staggs-Poplar Estates 101
- William Warf
- Elaine Whitehead

## FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Sharon Hardison Terry - daughter of Edna Hardison, Tony Rummage - brother of Ray, Evan Gooch - friend of Ray Rummage, James Spires - father-in-law of Laura Spires, Linda Gemmell - cancer, Chris Allen - friend of Richard Farris, Kristy Carroll - friend of Jessica Daniels, James Bassett - friend of Ray Rummage, Billie Andrews, sister of Lorene Hickman, Clara Harvey - aunt of Ray Rummage, Hope Drake, Clarence Weaver - Poplar Estates, Rm. 219, Johnny Counts, Mike Zeigler, Kristy Keaton, Joan Hermsdorfer, aunt of Robin Weaver - recovering from broken leg and fighting cancer, Margarite Neil and Carolyn Curtis, friends of the Warfs, Stacey Brown - cystic fibrosis (to have double lung transplant), Little Gatlin Macer, Vona Hoeye, friend of Kayla Kirtley - cancer, James Mullins - nephew of Linda Porter - cancer, Joan Kittrell - recovering from heart & kidney transplants, Ken York - friend of Kathy Garner, Billy Oliver (Poplar Estates, Rm. 201) - brother of Corrine Goetz, Evan Rector, Gerald Boyd, Charles Stofel, Joan Van Hooser, Lou Miller - NHC Columbia, Rm. 132, Clara Totty - Poplar Estates, Rm. 102, Jackie McPeak - liver cancer, Travis Jett, Sherry Pritchett - mother of Jody, Teresa Warf Walkup - cancer, Shirley Woods - mother/Diane Upchurch, Mark Shaw, Bobby Wales, Patricia Luffman, Dorothy Rea - sister/Elmer Lusk, Earline Hensley - sister/JoAnn Coleman, Evelyn Felker, sister/Benny Bolton, Sharon Riley, Doris McKennon - sister/Edna Hardison, JoAnn Anderson, Alice Lovett - aunt/Cheyenne McNeese, Ann Graham - Morning Point, Rm. 113, Jenny Miller, Beverly Dawson, Jack & Daisy White, Paul Jackson - father/Rhonda Farris, Billy Dan & Betty Morrow, Bella Huey, Clara Griggs-cancer-aunt of Donna Altobell - 202 Nowlin Court, Columbia, Jane Davis - sister of Nell Hood, Allen Brown

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Angela Sensing and her family in the death of her grandfather.

## WORSHIP LEADERS MARCH 29, 2015

### SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Welcome.....Dennis Thomason  
Song Leader.....Kevin Mick  
Prayer.....Brian Gregory  
Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Tommy Hight  
    Johnny Smith                      Dave Coleman  
    Jerry Barber                      Johnnie Johnson  
    Barrow Brown                     Jonathan Macer  
    Terry Burgess                     Ryan Massey  
Read: Exodus 19:16-19.....Blake Daniels  
Sermon: The Voice Of The Lord.....Joe Macer  
Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Dennis Thomason

### SUNDAY 12:30 P.M. YOUNG MEN

Welcome.....Jim Pollard  
Two Songs.....Daniel Thomas  
Prayer.....Sam Quirk  
Two Songs.....Jacob Pollard  
Read: Isaiah 29:8.....Braxton Pace  
Lesson: Are You Hungry?.....Trent Hill  
Invitation Song.....Sam Quirk  
Closing Song.....Sam Quirk  
Lord's Supper Presiding.....John Massey  
Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Jim Pollard

Ushers: Duane Allen, Charlie Willis, Larry Nicholson  
Greeters: Tyler & Aubrey Brown, Linda Lasater, Lori Lee  
Audio/Visual: Jerry Thornton

Security Team: A.M. Jason Kelley, Benny Bolton P.M. Corey Massey, Greg Lusk

If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (446-0668) or Joe Williams (388-9183)  
Or go to our website and follow the "Unable to Serve" link and submit the information.

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1 - 6:30 P.M.

### NURSERY CARE

A.M.....Paula Gilliam, Rachel Farris  
P.M.....Cindy Hickman, Jadonna Hight

Song Leader .....Greg Lusk  
Prayer.....Byran Farris  
Announcements .....Brian Gregory  
Speaker.....Danny Camp