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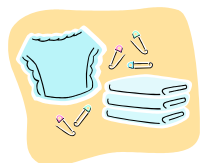


## FOOD AND SUPPLY DRIVE FOR THE TENNESSEE CHILDREN'S HOME

Highland View will have a Food and Supply Drive for the Tennessee Children's Home during the month of October. There are tubs in the front foyer for your donations. Also, there is a list of the items that are needed. Please have your donations in by Sunday, November 1st. **FOOD NEEDED:** green beans, baked beans, granola bars, chicken noodle soup, mac & cheese, spaghetti sauce, powdered milk, instant rice, canned pasta, ketchup, canned fruit. **OTHER SUPPLIES:** laundry detergent, diapers-size 3, diaper wipes, "Goodnights" for older children -size L-LX, paper towels, napkins, large trash bags. **NOTE:** Can you help to buy MILK on a continued basis? The home uses around 10 gallons per week. If you can help, please write a check to

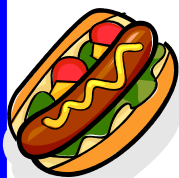
"Carrie Nygard" (group mom) and mail it to:

Tennessee Children's Home,  
P.O. Box 7347  
Knoxville, TN 37921.



## MAGI BOXES

We are again sending **Magi Boxes** for children in the Dominican Republic. Please pick up a box (and a lid) in the front foyer of the church building and follow the instructions that are in each box. When you fill the boxes with presents, please return them to the church building no later than Sunday, October 11, 2009. **Also, please enclose \$5 in the box to help cover shipping charges.**



## CHURCH IN THE PARK

**THIS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11th**

**AT CLARK CENTER PARK IN OAK RIDGE**

**5:30PM—COOKOUT HAMBURGERS AND HOT DOGS**

**EVERYONE BRING ONE SIDE DISH AND  
A DRINK TO SHARE**

**THE MEAT AND BUNS will be provided and  
to help with the cost we are asking for \$2 PER PERSON  
or \$5 PER FAMILY**

**To be collected at the park.**

**DEVOTIONAL— 6:30PM**

**Bring a lawn chair and invite a couple of friends!**



## From The Heart of Curtis McClane

### LUBRICATION FOR THE SOUL



Perhaps last week you were able to catch some of Ken Burns' special on PBS entitled "The National Parks: America's Best Idea." One comment by a writer really caught my attention: *"Beauty is the lubrication for the soul."* Certainly, when seeing the majestic views and outstanding vistas of landscape one is moved to a transcendent experience of beauty.

For centuries philosophers have tried to pursue and define the good, the beautiful and the true. The Bible has something to say about what is beautiful. In his search for the good life "under the sun," King Solomon recognized that *"God has made everything beautiful in its time"* (Ecclesiastes 3:11). This is a rather interesting observation because there is indeed an element of timing in describing what is beautiful. Think of a beautiful baby, think of a beautiful sunset—our perception of their beauty changes quickly in a short time.

Jesus warned against the sham and hypocrisy of trying to make everything look beautiful on the outside while the inside was rotten: *"Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You are like whitewashed tombs, which look beautiful on the outside but on the inside are full of dead men's bones and everything unclean"* (Matthew 23:27).

It seems that there are two legitimate kinds of beauty: one emanates from within a person, and the other is an appreciation for God's creation. Our progressive society has gotten it all turned around: beauty is ascribed to the outward person, and God's creation is often overlooked.

Think of how beauty is the lubrication for our soul: music, art, poetry, imagination, a sunset, a rainbow, the spirit of gentleness, the spirit of forgiveness, the spirit of love, etc. The apostle Paul put the highest compliment on those who share the Good News as having "beautiful feet." In the ancient world, a herald would run from battle field to city with the beautiful news of victory.

May our daily words be the beautiful Good News of victory in Jesus! May we recognize that God has made everything beautiful in its time! May we recognize the beauty in every person's spirit! May we allow the beauty of the moment, the experience and the person to lubricate our souls!

In Christian Love, Curtis

## NEIL'S NOTES

### WHAT WE ARE UP TO!



**FEAR FACTOR** We have rescheduled the special event at the Goodpasture's for THIS Saturday, October 10th (weather permitting) from 12:00 – 5:00 p.m. Food and drinks are provided. We will be doing some zip lining and rappelling, so please wear clothes that you do not mind getting dirty and some sturdy shoes. There is a sign up list on the bulletin board outside of my office.



### PURA VIDA AT CHEROKEE CAVERNS

Pura Vida will be at a special location on October 25<sup>th</sup>, the Cherokee Caverns in Solway from 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. The cost will be \$10 a person. We will have a tour of the cave and a devotional inside. We will provide drinks and a snack as well. This is a spectacular cave and a great experience. The inside cave temperature is 58 degrees so dress accordingly.

### Day of Prayer and Fasting for Manna DR

This year's Day of Prayer and Fasting for the Manna Dominican Republic will be Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. We are doing this in conjunction with the Magi Box collection this month. We are asking that everyone skip a meal on that day and donate what you would have spent on the meal in a separate check during the contribution on that day. The money will be used to support the well-drilling program, medical and dental checkups for the children in the Children's Home, and daily school feeding programs for the children in Haiti.

### NEW SISTER IN CHRIST

Please make welcome, Peggy Dorman. She was baptized on Sunday, October 4th. She resides at the Callahan Towers in room 408.

**WELCOME TO THE FAMILY!**



### HOMLESS VETERAN NEEDS




Caleb Wooten and Trent Lancaster will be collecting items for the homeless. The items needed for this year are indicated below. Please put the items you bring in the containers in the foyer. They will collect these items until November 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Clothing:** Winter Hats, Winter gloves

**Toiletries:** Deodorant, Lotion, Shampoo, Toothbrush, Toothpaste.

Weekly Worship Assignments	Sunday, October 11, 2009
<b>Greeter(s)</b> (Betty Wooten)	Don & Judy Cox
<b>AM Opening Prayer</b>	Brian Channell
<b>Preside—Communion</b>	Mike Henley
<b>Serve—Communion</b>	Robert Gross, Len Hart, Tom Haynes, Greg Jernigan, Lewis Jones, Trent Lancaster, Bruce Latham, Stuart Likens, J.D. Luigs, Joe McAmis
<b>AM Closing Prayer</b>	Ray Smith
<b>PM</b>	CHURCH IN THE PARK—Clark Center Park in Oak Ridge

**Interested on what's going on with LAURA MITCHELL while she is in Zambia? Check out her BLOG. The address is:**



<http://lauramitchellsblog.wordpress.com/>


Monthly Assignment (Coordinator)	OCTOBER 2009	NOVEMBER 2009
<b>Close Building</b> (Johnny Moore)	Kevin Spann	Kevin Reaves
<b>Communion Prep</b> (Phil McCulley)	Alva & Phil McCulley	Stacy Myers
<b>Bake Bread</b> (Sandy Mitchell)	Nancy Prater	Vickie Haynes
<b>Baptismal Care</b> (Teresa Reaves)	Paula Morgan	Mildred Goodpasture
<b>Sunday Prayer/ Table</b> (Dennis Connelly)	Jim Goodpasture	Jonathan Scott
<b>Prayer Requests</b> (Nancy Hensley)	Cathy Oldham (1&2) Shayna Scott (3&4)	Debby Spann (1&2) Steph Thompson (3&4) Nancy Hensley (5)



Highland View's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual family day at the farm. Please return to the church building at 1:00pm on Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup> for a wonderful day of fellowship and fun outdoors in God's most beautiful season in East TN. There is a signup sheet outside of Neil's office so that we may arrange proper transportation for the group's size. There are games and free activities set up to enjoy all afternoon, and a yummy snack bar. Take a hay-ride through fields and woods to the 10 acre pumpkin patch and pick your own special pumpkin. The return ride ends with a spectacular view of the mountains.

**The Pumpkin Patch Pricing:** Hayride and your choice of pumpkin - \$7; Just the ride - \$2 (under 12 ride free). **The Works** - Maze Admission, Hayride & Pumpkin - Adults (12 yrs. +) - \$14.00; Ages 6-11 - \$12.00.

**If we have 20 or more in attendance to this event, we will receive a \$2.00 discount.**



DATE	Children's Church Leaders 10:45am to 11:30am	Nursery Attendants 9:30am to 11:30am
<b>Oct. 11</b>	Rodney & Ginger Griffin	Erin Dodd
<b>Oct. 18</b>	Kevin & Teresa Reaves	Shayna Scott
<b>Oct. 25</b>	Paul & Amanda VanOver	Elaine Warren



**Trunk or Treat!**

Wednesday, October 28th at 6:00pm, come and enjoy decorating your trunks, sharing your treats and showing off those elaborate costumes. We will have our traditional meal of chili and hot dogs. Please let Erin Dodd know if you are able to contribute to the meal.

Attendance Records	9/27/09	10/04/09
<b>Bible Class</b>	110	75
<b>AM Assembly</b>	246	176
<b>PM Assembly</b>	Small Groups	Small Groups
<b>Wed. Bible Class</b>	71	81



**Happy Birthday!**

October 24.....Tanner Johnson  
 October 26.....Makenzie Goodpasture  
 October 29.....Dorothy Allmon  
 October 30.....Charles Maberry  
 October 31.....Mary Child  
 Dawn McAmis  
 Caleb Wooten

2009 40 Weeks	Average Weekly	Year to Date
<b>Budget</b>	\$9,252	\$370,080
<b>Actual Collection</b>	\$7,345	\$293,815
<b>Over (Under) Budget</b>	(\$1,907)	(\$76,265)

# Prayer Requests:

Contact Debbie at 483-7471 with requests and updates.



**WE ARE SAD TO ANNOUNCE THAT JOYCE MONCIER** passed away last week after a battle with cancer. There was a graveside service Monday. The family requests contributions to be made to Abigail Alliance, 1518518 N. Buchanan Street, Arlington, VA 22205.

**BILL TYE** is back in ICU and he is not doing well at all. Please pray for Bill to be healed so he can come home.

**RACHEL PYLE** had a routine mammogram and has been diagnosed with breast cancer. Surgery is scheduled for October 7th. She will then undergo chemotherapy and possibly radiation treatments. Please keep Rachel in your prayers and also remember Martin and the rest of their family.

**LEVI DODD** will be having two invasive surgeries done at once on his left knee on October 7th. He will face a 5-6 month recovery. Pray that the surgery will be successful and that he will have a quick and good recovery. Pray for Erin as she takes care of him.

**FRANCES MOWERY** had an MRI last week to see why she is having so much back pain. She will get the results on October 6th. Pray for a healing diagnosis.

**DENNIS HENDERSON** is having back pain. Keep him in your prayers.

**HAROLD STANDEFER** has been diagnosed with Hairy Cell Leukemia. It is treatable and there is an 80% recovery rate. The doctor is consulting with Vanderbilt for a second opinion so that the treatment can be determined. This may also be the cause of his back problems. Keep him in your prayers.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR RICK AND DEBBIE SLAGLE.** Not only is Debbie dealing with a brain tumor, Rick is scheduled for open heart surgery in November to repair a heart valve.

**MARTHA ANN HENDERSON** had back surgery last week and is still in the hospital. She will have a long recovery. Pray for a good recovery.

**BILL PRICE** has been attending Highland View for several months and is asking for your prayers for help with school and some family problems.

**CHARLES BOOTH**, Selba Scott's brother-in-law, is not doing well with his diabetes. Keep him in your prayers.

**Please pray for:** Carlon Brooks, Kendell Brooks, Sheila Brooks, Imogene Brown, Harold Cofer, Cora Cole, Virginia Collins, Dana Early, Ginger Griffin, Polly & Spurgeon Guy, Riley Hackworth, LaVonna Henderson, Nancy Hensley, James Hodges, Sue Hunter, Beth Jinkerson, Cameron Lowry, James Mangrum, Ginny

**Malling, Daphna McAmis, Dawn McAmis, Donna McPheeters, Joy Pryor, Lurlene Roper, Selba Scott, Famie Simcox, Fanny Smith, Harold Standefer, Cheryl Taylor, Justin Taylor, Melissa Taylor, Beata Taylor, Bill Tye, Randy Theisen, Charlestine Thrift, Renee Thomas, Elaine Waters, Evelyn Watson, Jo Wright.**

**Remember these with cancer:** Taylor Atkins (Emily Tye's friend); Jerry Baker (father-in-law of Ashley Baker) Margaret Blount, Charles Booth (Selba Scott's brother-in-law); J. V. Brock, Bill Burnham (neighbor of Ruby Bibbee); Mary Child, Jean Floyd (Anthony Wooten's cousin); Tom Jeffries (acquaintance of Tom Haynes); Lewis Jones, Sandra King (friend and co-worker of Pat Deems); John Lawry (Amanda VanOver's father); Hannah Lawson (friend of Karen Jemigan); Maureen Zinowski (Orma Barrow's sister); Jerry Malling, Erb Mowery; Jane McCosh (friend of the Mowerys); Roy Rollins (Tracy's father); John Schaveno (friend of Darline Adams); Peggy Sebring; Debbie Slagle; Carolyn Standefer; Etha Summey (Charlestine Thrift's sister); Alisa Ternes (Al & Ann Williams daughter); J. David Thompson (Neil's dad); David Wasilko; Mary Williams (relative of Melissa Johnson);

**Also pray for:** Verna Sue Bly (Elaine Warren's mother); Charles Booth (brother-in-law of Selba Scott); Gail Brown (daughter-in-law Imogene Brown); Earlene Cole & family; Cloyd & Betty Combs (Paula Tackett's parents); Dorothy Dismuke, Lorelle Flatt (Ginny Malling's mother), John Grizzell (Elaine Water's brother), Danny Guy; Annie Lee & Terry Hall (Teresa Reaves' mother & brother); Angela Hazen (friend of Dana Early); Taryn Hensley (Nancy Hensley's granddaughter); Arlene Kellum (Carol McAmis' sister); Wendy Kerr; Tommy Mathis (brother of Kathy Henley); Lillie McCullough (Pearl Robinson's aunt); Lisa Mitchell & Jim Chesney (Paula Tackett's friends); Ruth Mercer (sister of Ruby Bibbee); Arbutus & Elster Mullins; Tami Naillon (daughter of Earlene Cole); Grace Ollice Plemons (Brenda Leek's mother); Andrew Scruggs (the Tye's grandson); Leonard Smith (Ann French's brother); Willie Smith (Bill Smith's mother); Peggy Warren (Eddie's mother); Louise Welch (Don's mother); Sybil Waddle (Darline Adam's mother); Doris Wright (Wanda Mullin's mother).

**NURSING HOME:** Cora Cole (406), Flossie Huddleston (304) at Briarcliff; Selba Scott (156), Rose Holley (132) at Estates of Oak Ridge (734 Emory Valley Rd.); Earlean Lindsay (114) at Sardis Community Nursing Home (613 Lee St., Sardis, MS 38666); Beatrice Taylor (128B West) at Sevier Co. HCC (415 Catlett Rd., P.O. Box 5349, Sevierville, TN 37864-5349).

*The mission of the  
Highland View Church of Christ  
is to seek the lost and to teach  
Christ. We are intent upon  
following only Jesus' example  
in our daily lives  
through strengthening our faith  
in Him by serving others.*

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- Deadlines for Article Submission to Publications:**
1. Weekly Mail-Out Bulletin: Monday by 12 noon (illness updates can be called in by Tuesday at 11am)
  2. Wednesday Handout: Wednesday by 12 noon
  3. Sunday Handout: Friday by 11:00am

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Small Groups meet at various times  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Tuesday: Men's Prayer Breakfast ..... 5:45 a.m.  
FIRST Thursday of the month-Retired Men meet: ... 9:00 a.m.