

WELCOME TO MT. ZION!

We rejoice in having you here today. If you're a guest, please complete the guest information on your worship guide and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like to request prayer or visit with someone about spiritual decisions or the opportunities here, please mark the space provided and either put the card in the offering plate or hand it to a staff member upon leaving. *Have a great day with us at Mt. Zion!*

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 3

- Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
- Nursing Home Services 2:00 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... 5:00 p.m.
- Evening Worship & Business Meeting 6:00 p.m.
- Children's Ministry Team Meeting..... after p.m. services
- Church Fellowship..... after p.m. services

Monday, May 4

- Evening "Esther" Bible Study..... 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 5

- Morning "Esther" Bible Study..... 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, May 6

- Pictures taken for the Special Graduate Bulletin 6:15 p.m.
- Awana (2 1/2 yrs—6th grade)..... 6:25 p.m.
- ~~2-4:5~~ (Youth Ministry)..... 6:30 p.m.
- Bible Study..... 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 10

- Pictures taken for the Special Graduate Bulletin 8:45 a.m.
- Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... Dismissed
- Evening Worship..... Dismissed

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Information packets for tonight's **business meeting** are in the foyer.
2. We will have **fellowship** tonight following business meeting.
3. **Just a reminder:** Please take time to fill out the **Ministry Survey** forms we distributed a few weeks ago in your Sunday School class and in the bulletin. If you did not receive a form, there are extras in the foyer. You can put your completed forms in the Education Committee mailbox.
4. It's time to get ready for our annual **"Teens vs. Adults" softball game** on Monday, May 25 at Morrison Park at 9:00 a.m. If you would like to participate sign the list in the foyer.
5. The **Children's Ministry Summer program** is in need of soccer balls. They need 5-size 3 and 5- size 4 balls. If you would like to donate soccer balls to this ministry, see Jennifer Rood.



Doug and Sherri Curtis invite you to share in celebrating the marriage of their son Andrew Curtis to Meredith Goodson on Saturday, May 16, 2009 at 4:00 p.m. at Victory Baptist Church in Russellville, Arkansas.

Reception immediately following at Summit House atop Mt. Nebo

TODAY IN WORSHIP

- Special Music..... Sanctuary Choir
"I've Just Been With Jesus"
- Fellowship Chorus Congregation
"All Hail King Jesus"
*As our musicians continue to play,
please take this time to turn and greet those around you.*
- Chorus Congregation
"His Name Is Wonderful"
- Welcome and Prayer Bro. Donis
- Hymn..... Congregation
"Revive Us Again"
*As we sing, the ushers will receive our tithes and offerings.
the second offering will be for our yearly Camp Offering*
- Hymn..... Congregation
"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"
- Special Music..... Cindy Prince & Jill Green
- Worship Chorus Congregation
"In His Presence Medley"
- Message from God's Word Bro. Donis Smead
- Time of Reflection and Response Congregation
"Softly And Tenderly"
- Dismissal Prayer Fellowship

SERMON NOTES

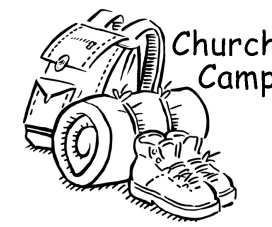
SERVICE TO OTHERS SCHOLARSHIP DONATIONS

In May of this year Mt. Zion will be awarding scholarships to two deserving seniors from our Youth Ministry. The recipients are determined by their community service hours, character, and other information. We will be awarding one scholarship for \$500.00 and another for \$250.00. This will be a help to them in purchasing books, paying tuition or other college fees.

These scholarships are funded entirely by donations. At this time we have \$0.00 in this fund. If you would like to make a donation to this fund, please see Bro. Paul. Tax deductible receipts can be given as needed.

AFTER CHURCH THIS MORNING

.....we will take down all the chairs and set up 20 tables for fellowship tonight. *Thanks for your help!*



CAMP OFFERING

We will be receiving our yearly Camp Offering **this morning**. This offering helps cover the expense of sending our kids to church camp over the summer. We need about \$5,000.00 to meet this need. Please pray about your giving.

CHURCH FAMILY—FUN DAY!

The Children's Ministry is sponsoring our second annual **Church Family—Fun Day** at Family Farm in Glen Rose, Sunday, May 24 beginning at 3:00 p.m. until sundown. We'll grill hamburgers and hotdogs, play games and have a devotional at sunset. Plan to attend—it's gonna' be a lot of fun!

We'll eat around 4:30 or 5:00 and we will be asking the different adult Sunday School classes to bring certain items to help complete the meal.

There will be games for all ages, so come join your church family for an evening of fun and fellowship. If you have questions, see Debbie Jackson.

TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW...

for the Youth Ministries 7th Annual Cookout and Silent Auction. You can see any teenager or adult youth leader to purchase your tickets. We'll be having Smoked Chicken and Ribs with all the fixin's. Tickets are \$12.00 for Adults, \$6.00 for ages 4-11 and free for those 3 and under.

TEEN SUMMER MISSION TRIP

The Youth Ministry will be going to help Missionary, Aaron Holt at New Hope Baptist Church in Rogers, Arkansas on June 8-13. Teens and sponsors need to sign the list in the foyer by Sunday, May 10 if you plan to go.

Check out the
SILENT AUCTION ITEM OF THE WEEK!
Located in the foyer.

GUEST INFORMATION—MAY 3, 2009

Mr./ Mrs./ Miss (circle) _____ () Married () Single

Age (circle) 0-21 22-40 41-60 61-up

Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best Phone #: _____ (Circle) Work Home Cell

E-mail address: _____

Church Member? Yes ___ No ___ What church? _____
Where? _____

How did you learn of our church? _____

I am a guest of _____

Name & ages of children at home: _____

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER ADDITIONS

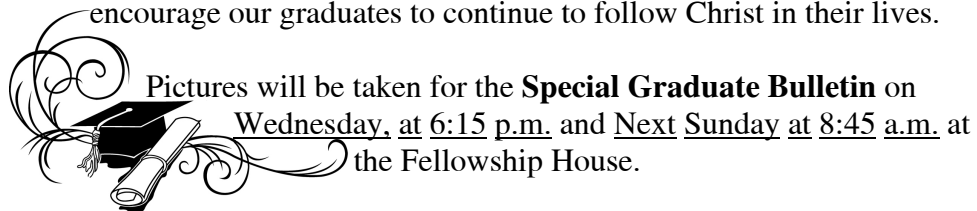
1. Prayer was requested for Lorinda Harper and family; Flatwoods MBC staff; Kelli & Chase Reynolds; Linda Pake; Johnny Hathcock (starting chemo treatments); Bro. Paul and family in the death of his cousin Brenda White; Stewart Norris; Don Rood's aunt; Phillip Williams (abnormal blood levels); Brenda Key (cancer, UAMS); Bro. Hollis McDermott and family in the death of his brother Gene; the family of Norman Burton; Jerry Don Jenkins; Harlan Burris (beginning chemo treatments in two weeks).
2. Also, please pray for Bro. Donis, Missy and family that they will sell their house in Sheridan soon.

GRADUATE SUNDAY INFORMATION

We will be recognizing all of our **Fall 2008 - Spring 2009 graduates** on Sunday night, May 17 with a special banquet in their honor. College and high school graduates alike are asked to pick up an information form from the foyer of the MPB and **return the form and your 10 pictures** to the church secretary's box by **NEXT SUNDAY**.

We will meet at 6:00 on the evening of the 17th to recognize our graduates and their accomplishments and also have a potluck dinner in honor of them and their families. We are asking our church family to sign the list in the foyer to bring meats/casseroles, salads, vegetables, desserts, breads and drinks.

Come and join us that night as we celebrate the blessings of God and encourage our graduates to continue to follow Christ in their lives.



Pictures will be taken for the **Special Graduate Bulletin** on Wednesday, at 6:15 p.m. and Next Sunday at 8:45 a.m. at the Fellowship House.

SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS

We are still taking donations for this years Youth Ministry Silent Auction on Saturday, May 30. If you have something you would be willing to donate for this event, please contact Nita Wingo by Sunday, May 24.

PRAYER REQUESTS

We will be glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs. Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:

() Please keep this name on the prayer request list.

Requested by: _____ Telephone _____

DECISIONS

- () I'd like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about my relationship with God.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about getting more involved with this church.

LOOKING AHEAD

- May 3 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
 -- Business Meeting; p.m. services
 -- Church Fellowship; after p.m. services
 -- Children's Ministry Team Meeting; after p.m. services
 10 -- Mother's Day; Evening Services Dismissed
 11 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
 13 -- Awana Closing; 6:30 p.m.
 14 -- Prime Timers Fellowship & Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
 17 -- Graduate Banquet; p.m. services
 24 -- Church Family-Fun Day at Family Farm; 3:00 p.m.
 25 -- Annual "Teen vs. Adult" Softball Game
 30 -- Youth Ministry Cook-Out & Silent Auction
 31 -- Building Usage Policy Committee Meeting; 4:00 p.m.
 -- Joyfest!!
- June 1 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
 7 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
 -- Children's Ministry Team Meeting; after p.m. services
 8-13 -- Teen Mission Trip
 8 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
 11 -- Prime Timers Luncheon; 11:30 a.m.
 14 -- Education Committee Meeting; 4:00 p.m.
 -- Monthly Business Meeting; p.m. services
 -- Father's Day Ice Cream Fellowship; after p.m. services
 18 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
 21 -- Father's Day; Evening Services Dismissed
 23-25 -- ABA Meetings; Springfield, MO
 28-July 4 -- Mexico Mission Trip
- July 8-10 -- Vacation Bible School
 13-17 -- Teen Leadership Church Camp
 27-31 -- West Central Church Camp

NURSERY WORKERS

This Week

MW Casey O.; Mary R.
EW Sara J.; Pat H.

Next Week

MW Casey O.; Betty B.
EW Services Dismissed

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

April

Jennifer Rood
 Ellen Busch
 Chris Aaron

May

Jill Green
 Dottie Crites
 Wanda Buck

SPECIAL MUSIC

May 10

a.m. Mary & Bro. Paul
p.m. Services Dismissed

May 17

a.m. Lisa Gilmore
p.m. Graduate Banquet

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School attendance—131; Morning Worship attendance—211
 General Fund offering—\$8,892.80
 Building Fund offering—\$1506.00
 We had 138 children, teens, and adults here Wednesday night!

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Cheryl Finley, Secretary

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