# KEEPING THE NURSERY:

6-9 months - Barbara Hunter, Melanie Ledford, Kristi McGimsey 9-12 months - Wanda Sisk, Dede Slagle, Melanie Smalling

12-18 months Melissa Tyree, Debbie Malone, Emily Hammond 18-24 months Karen Risley, Lauren Risley, Ruth Saunders

#### 10:30 A.M.

Barbara Seamon, Ruth Ann Blackwood, Michele Scott 0-12 months Toddlers Kim Barker, Jane Vanderburgh, Allison Moore

### 6:00 P.M.

0-12 months - Patti Daniel, Shonda Chaffin, Libby Colllins

Carmen Yates, Ashleigh Whitehorn, Jennifer Whitehorn Toddlers -Please contact your substitute if you cannot serve.

#### For the Record

Attendance Sunday, February 3, 2008	Contribution Sunday, January 27, 2008	
8:00 a.m. 697	\$52,746	
10:30 a.m. 922		
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Jim Arnett Dick Garner Ronnie Hunter Randy Perry Tom Whitfield	Elders Jesse Clayton Rick Harris Jon Lowrance James Redmon  Staff	Charles Frasier Junior High Frank McCreary William Tucker
Walt Leaver Robbie Forrester Norman Keener Johnsie Henderson Judy Crumbliss Sarah Wise	Clarence Dailey Mark McInteer Barry Estes Roberto Santiago Jane Forrester Michael Linn	Jonathan Seamon Nancy Parkinson Suzanne Martin Amy Bowman Diane Kennedy Ophelia Sliger

**Brentwood Hills Church of Christ** 5120 Franklin Road Nashville, Tennessee 37220-1899

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

... Room in the Inn, 7:00 p.m.—Men's clothing bin in the foyer

... Monday Morning Quarterbacks, 6:30 a.m.

.. Inner City Classes, Bus riders: 6:00 p.m.; Teachers: 6:30 p.m.

... English Classes at Iglesia de Cristo en Grandview, 6:30 p.m. ... FriendSpeak, 6:30 p.m.

2/13 ... Wednesday Evening Fellowship Meal, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

2/14 ... Senior Adult Pot Luck, 6:00 p.m.

3/1-2; 3/8-9; 3/15-16; 3/29-30... Habitat for Humanity—Help Build It!



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# Celebrating the Chinese New Year

Chinese New Year's Day is the first Lunar day of the Lunar month in the Chinese Lunar calendar. The first Lunar day is the New Moon Day, so different times zones might have a different Chinese New Year's Day. Dragons, food, gifts, decorations, red envelopes with cash, and lantern festivals are all part of the fifteen-day celebration (Feb. 7-22) of the Chinese New Year that ties their activities to their history and culture.

Brentwood Hills is pleased to have several members and regular attendees from Asia. Many of these people



have been part of our FriendSpeak Program on Tuesday nights and are now part of our Sunday School and Worship each week. This week, in recognition of the Chinese New **Year's holiday**, we would like to recognize and welcome them to Brentwood Hills.

This Sunday several of our Asian friends will be at our entrances greeting us with a "Happy New Year"! The picture below was taken in their Sunday School class one morning. We appreciate all of the work **Mike and Betty Wiley** do in leading this ministry. Below is a list of students attending our Sunday School: Nancy Wang, Lefty Zuo, Tiger Zuo, Dong Sheng Cheng, Ling Zhong, Julian Li, May Li, Gene Li, Gretta Li, Shuangli Guo, Hong Wu, Victoria Guo, Susie Yu, Shouqing Guo, Chelsea Guo, Jeong Sukk Kang, Bin Liu, Jian Li, and Bashan Liu. Sharon **Jones** also attends our FriendSpeak class.

# "Go, De..." UPDATE ON KENYA

As you may have read in the national news in the last days and weeks, recent events of political unrest have caused much bloodshed, fear, and fleeing in Kenya. We have recently received word from George Onchangwa with Nairobi Great Commission School (NGCS), based in Nairobi, Kenya, about the violence and atrocities that they are witnessing. George tells us of enrolling students unable to make it to NGCS because they are unable to travel because of the barricaded roads or fear of their lives. George also tells of the churches that have been affected by members being killed, injured or displaced. Regarding this news, George has made a heartfelt, specific request to us that we "please take this to all God fearing people, ask them to pray for peace in Kenya this Sunday; that no more innocent children and helpless women are going to be killed; that God may console the many homeless and hopeless bleeding souls in Kenya right now; and that the mediation process brokers peace for Kenya and Kenyans." Please keep this specific request in your prayers. Also, please feel free to let George (geochangwa@yahoo.com) know that you are praying for them and offer him your support as he "...goes into all the world and preaches the Gospel to every creature".

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<u>USHERS 8:00 am.</u>	GREETERS 8:00 a.m.	GREETERS 9:15 a.m.	GREETERS 10:30 a.m.			
Brian Robertson	Front Door	Front Door	Front Door			
J. Baugh	Amanda Baugh	Carinda Hicks	Carinda Hicks			
Gary Baker	Clayton Pickens	Larry & Carolyn Wilson	Larry & Carolyn Wilson			
Ken Caruthers	Leland & Margaret Powell	Rick Tamble	Rick Tamble			
Gary Gatten	-					
	Library Door	Library Door	Library Door			
USHERS 10:30 a.m.	Betty Dickerson	George & Sue McIntosh	Mike & Teresa Myers			
James Bridgeman	Peggy Benson					
Jeff Rice						
Brent Culberson	Office Door	Office Door	Office Door			
Trey Hartman	Sarah Baugh	Bob & Edith Keith	Woody & Mary Kate Fisher			
Jeff Whitehorn	Neely Baugh					
Communion Helper for Sunday nights in February: David Gleason Communion Helper 2nd Sunday: Cashes						
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# Remember in Prayer

### Hospitalized:

- Kay Miller is in ICU at Baptist with blood clots in her lungs.
- Justin Littrell, Vickie Gleason's four-year-old great nephew, is undergoing extensive treatment for lymphoma at Vanderbilt.

### Recovering at Home:

- Beverly Pearman is recovering from mononucleosis.
- Five-year-old **Jake Skidmore** underwent surgery on February 6.
- Janet Ellis is recovering from cancer surgery on her leg.
- Peter Mack Grubb is much improved.
- Jane Gough continues to recover from recent surgeries.

## Special Requests:

- Martha Frasier requests prayers for her sister, Kay Shepherd, who has been diagnosed with Paget's Disease, a form of cancer, and will be undergoing surgery at Vanderbilt in a couple of weeks.
- Betty Cooke has been diagnosed with lung cancer and is awaiting further test
- Lib Long's surgery has been postponed indefinitely.
- Mary Lou Owens, Nancy Parkinson's mother, began treatment on Thursday.
- Mike and Marilyn Boyette request prayers for 23-year-old **Jake Molder**, who is undergoing extensive treatment for cancer.
  - Pam Bishop continues to battle M.S.
- Continue to lift up in prayer Kevin Sparkman, Charlie Hale, Doris Dudney, Vicki Rhodes, Zane Burns, Daryl King, Bill Johnson, Robert and Patsy Butler, Sallye Crosslin

## With Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to John and Marcille Durham and daughters in the loss of Marcille's mother, Loretha Brown, on January 31, in Corvallis, Oregon.

### Baptized into Christ

Terri Smith was baptized by Garvin Claiborne through the Rains Avenue Christian Care Center on January 31. Terri is disabled

and will be worshiping with the

Central Pike congregation. Rains Avenue is a benevolent work that we support.

**Volunteers Needed:** If you have a heart for visiting with those who are confined to their homes or health care facilities, please contact Joy James or Alice Burton.

Wellington Place, a Brentwood assisted living facility, needs devotional leaders on the first and third Sundays of each month from 10:00-11:00 a.m. This would be a great class project! Call Guy Nerren at 791-7708 or 481-0195.

# Family Matters

## Congratulations!

The Tennessee Counseling Association has selected Jane Gough, Napier Enhanced Option Elementary school counselor, as the Tennessee Elementary School Counselor of the Year. We are so proud of Jane for receiving this statewide honor! (See the bulletin board for details.)



# A New Arrival!

Will and Shawna Tucker welcomed their second child, Ana Faith Tucker, on February 4 in Hendersonville, NC. She weighed 9 lbs. 7 oz.

Big brother **Gaines** is 2 1/2 years old. Proud paternal grandparents are William and Harriet Belle Tucker.

## Special Thanks

We have received and posted warm expressions of thanks from Hyde and Chris Harper and the Yvonne Mayo family (Burch/McKee).

### Wednesday Evening Fellowship Meal February 13, 2008 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Ages 12 and up \$5.00, Ages 4-11 \$3.00, 3 and under FREE Make reservations in the foyer February 10 or call the church office by noon on Monday. (Sorry, no refunds)

#### Menu

Barbeque Chicken Corn Baked Beans Slaw

### Johnsie's Journal

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS & YOUNG PROFESSIONALS.



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED Sign up now in the church foyer to work with other BHCC members to build a Habitat for Humanity home in Nashville, March 1 & 2, March 8 & 9, March 15 & 16 and March 29 & **30**. This is a great opportunity for us to build

relationships and to build a home for a deserving family. CLASSES & ACTIVITIES FOR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

Bible Classes - On Sunday morning at 9:15 a.m., Shawn Robichaud, Mike Sansom and Chris McGimsey are teaching a class in the balcony for university students on the subject, "When God Says Jump: Biblical Stories That Inspire You to Risk Big". On Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. the university students meet in rooms 501-505 for a Bible discussion led by Johnsie Henderson on the theme - "SPIRITUAL: Discovering the truth about God and my relationship with God".

On Wednesday, February 13, the university students will meet at BHCC at 6:30 p.m. and then go to Vanderbilt Hospital to deliver care bags and visit with the families of ICU patients.

On Sunday, February 17, after the 6:00 p.m. service, the university students will go to Pla-Mor Lanes for pizza and bowling.

The university students and other adults who are going on the Spring Break Mission Trip to HONDURAS on March 14-23 need to have their funds for the trip turned in by Wednesday, February 20th. ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Friday, February 8 - We will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Five Guys Burgers & Fries Restaurant in the Hill Center for dinner, and then go to the Green Hills Regal Cinema to see the movie "Fool's Gold" at 7:50 p.m. This movie opens on that date, so buy your ticket online in advance.

> Sunday, February 10 - We will eat lunch together after the 10:30 a.m. service and then deliver Valentine gifts to BHCC shut-ins.

Sunday, February 24 - The Young Professionals class will host a Wedding Shower Supper in the

reception room at 7:00 p.m. for Chrissy Thornton and Matt Eby who recently placed membership at BHCC and plan to be married on March 15, 2008. They are registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond, Target, and Macy's. All BHCC members are welcome to attend. The cost for the meal is \$5.00 per person. Please sign the list on Johnsie Henderson's office door (room #500) or RSVP to Johnsie@brentwoodhills.org if you plan to attend, so that we will be able to prepare enough food for everyone.

# What's Happening at Allen Arena?



"THINK PINK NIGHT" — On Monday, February 11, we are invited by the Lady Bisons to help promote cancer research and prevention. All adult tickets to the game are reduced to \$2.00, with special promotions and giveaways dedicated to cancer awareness. For information, contact Paul Nance at

966-5967 or paul.nance@lipscomb.edu

#### BHCC NIGHT WITH LIPSCOMB BASKETBALL is

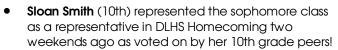
Saturday, March 1. Women's game: 6:00 p.m.; Men's game: 8:15 p.m. Tell the pass gate worker you are with Brentwood Hills and your family/group will

Email Brent High at brent.high@lipscomb.edu for more information.

## Robbie's Ramblings

#### **Check Out Our BHCC Stars!**

• Zach Bradshaw (10th) and his DLHS wrestling team competed in the TSSAA State Team competition this past weekend in Clarksville. It's the first time they've gone to state in 12 years!!



- **Devon Malick** (12th) was honored with a Gold Key and as an American Vision nominee in a Regional Scholastic Art competition for a drawing, "Hey, There's a Bird on My Head" at Hume Fogg Magnet.
- Jordan Wheeler's (12th) Ravenwood High Virtual Enterprise class participated in the state business plan competition, making the finals for the first time ever!



Senior Blessing Banquet This Sunday, Feb. 10th 7:00 p.m.—Family Life Center

### Backyard Mission Trip—Inner City—This Monday!!!

7th-12th graders are invited to come serve our inner city students by riding the bus with them this Monday, Feb. 11. You have three options:



- Come to church and eat with us @ 5:00 p.m. Bring \$.
- Meet @ church @ 6:00 p.m. to ride 1st route.
- Meet @ church @ 7:45 p.m. to ride return trip.



Summer 08 Mission Trip Applications are HERE! Be sure to check out mission opportunities for this summer for **7th-12th graders!** We would LOVE 100% of our students to be involved in at least one mission trip this summer. Check out the tables in the foyer & you can also download the applications off the youth page at www.brentwoodhills.org

### Operation Angel Buddies for 9th-12th Graders

We have a great opportunity to "Follow In His Steps" right here at BHCC for 9th-12th graders! Be an angel buddy @ 10:30 Children's Worship Training & you will help with crowd control, singing & hand motions, modeling praying & other tasks. No lesson prep required. Just sign up in class!





7th-12th Grade Girls Spring Retreat March 7th-9th "What To Wear"

**APPLICATIONS FOR** BOTH ARE IN SACRED GROUND!!!!

7th-12th Guys Spring Retreat March 7th-9th "The Fight of Your Life"



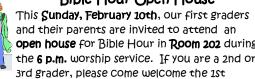
# Calendar Updates....

**VBS** - June 8 - 11

Bible Hour Open House - Feb. 10th - 6 p.m. Lads to Leaders Convention- March 21-22 Easter Egg Hunt - March 9 (date changed)



Bible Hour Open House



graders and their parents.

Bible Hour is a wonderful opportunity for 1st through 3rd graders to learn more about the Word and an opportunity to cultivate friendships. This fun, interactive program will help your first grader develop an overview of the books of the Bible and encourage them to use their new Bibles. Take advantage of this opportunity to preview our Bible Hour program and meet the leaders: Paul & Julie Craig and John & Kim Young..

If your child is not currently involved in Bible Hour, this would be a great opportunity to investigate. I hope anyone interested will visit this Sunday. Come check it out!

Hope to see you there! Remember to bring your Bible!

## Valentine Party for Room at the Inn Guests

This Saturday night, February 9th, the third graders and their teachers will host a Valentine party for our Room at the Inn guests. Third graders need to arrive at 5:00 p.m. They will have a pizza party before they decorate, make warm scarves, prepare the dessert, pack lunches, and serve

our guests. Parents may pick up their Child at 7:30 p.m. See you Saturday night!

#### February Hungry Tummies

Cross - 2 Cans of tuna Animals - 2 Cans of tuna

Smiley Face - 2 cans of green peas Lady Bugs - 2 cans of green peas First Grade - (2) 1 lb. box of spagnetti

Second Grade - Ravioli Third Grade - Ravioli Fourth Grade - cereal Fifth Grade - cereal



We are so richly blessed. Please remember to share with others who are not as fortunate! Feed the Hungry Lion! @

### Thoughts to ponder.....

- What would the coach say if your child neglected to come to practice?
- If your child wasn't at practice, would your child be able to play in the game?
- What would happen if your child didn't come prepared to play the game?
- Would you help your child remember his playing equipment?
- How would you feel if the coach was late to the game?
- Which is more important a game or church?







