

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING AT BHCC...

- 01/08 ... **Sonshiners' Tour of the Hermitage.**
Sign up at the Information Center.
- 01/09 ... **Room in the Inn** – Volunteers needed.
Contact Jeff Hazelip at 371-0408
- 01/10 ... **Dynamic Marriage Course begins...**
See inside.
- 01/14. ...**Sonshiners' Pot Luck**, 6:00 p.m., foyer
- 01/17 ... **New Member Orientation**, 4:30 p.m.,
reception room. Childcare provided.
- 02/14 ... **GriefShare Class begins.** See inside.
- 02/19-21...**Winterfest**

JANUARY COMMUNION HELPERS
SUNDAY MORNING 1ST WEEK
Duncans
SUNDAY NIGHT COMMUNION HELPERS
Larry Mullins
Greg Slagle

EMS Schedule for Sunday, January 3

- 8:00 a.m.** Tom Whitfield
Back up: Chad Edwards/Jill Gray
- 9:15 a.m.** Ann Stowe/Carol Lowrance
Back up: Lawrence Freund/Corrie Hignon
- 10:30 a.m.** Barbara Jordan/Cheryl Hazelip
Back up: David/Pam Hughes
- 6:00 p.m.** Eric Grogan/Brian Cromwell
Backup: Leah Bradshaw

KEEPING THE NURSERY

- 8:00 A.M.**
0-6 months - Lisa Gaw, DeShea Blue, Terri Brewer
6-12 months - Kaye Burton, Alisa Peters, Natalie Griffith
12-18 months - Candie Bowen, Angela Bell, Sherri Gearlds
18-24 months - Ruth Smitherman, Angie Wesley, Amanda Davis
- 10:30 A.M.**
0-12 months - Brooke Semanchik, Dede Slagle, Dianne Mayo
Toddlers - Sharon Dorris, Carol Leaver, Emily Stephens
- 6:00 P.M.**
0-12 month - Sheree Brooks, Andrea Staggs, Melissa Ezell
Toddlers - Rachael Stiles, Sherri Gough, Leanne Hall

IF YOU ARE A SUBSTITUTE, PLEASE CHECK THE NURSERY TO SEE IF YOU ARE NEEDED.

OUR MISSION

The Brentwood Hills Church of Christ seeks to worship God and obey His will by preaching the gospel, loving and edifying each other, and ministering to those in need.

IMPLEMENTING OUR MISSION

Following Jesus as Lord, we strive to do this by...

- Studying diligently the word of God and making prayer a way of life;
- Putting the word into practice in our lives and developing our personal faith;
- Praising God in our public assemblies and private lives, offering ourselves as living sacrifices;
- Identifying and employing our individual spiritual gifts, relying on God's Spirit within us;
- Strengthening our families and serving as extended family to one another;
- Strengthening loving/serving relationships within this Body, our church family; and
- Leading, participating in, and supporting missions of teaching, evangelizing, and caring for others.

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Our Mission

We seek to worship
God and obey His will
by preaching the gospel,
loving and edifying
each other, and
ministering to
those in need.



Sharing Light and Love on our Journey to the Son

We are the clay.



God is the Potter.

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

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| | 8:00 a.m./10:30 a.m. |
| Welcome | Frank McCreary |
| Song #438 <i>My Hope Is Built</i> | Andy Flatt |
| Song <i>Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty</i> | |
| Song #934 <i>Hosanna</i> | |
| Prayer | Clarence Dailey |
| Song #916 <i>Come, Share the Lord</i> | |
| Communion Comments | Ronnie Hunter/Dick Garner |
| Prayer for Offering
<small>(Visitors, please place your attendance card in the collection basket.)</small> | |
| Song <i>Salvation Belongs to Our God</i> | |
| Song <i>Lord Most High</i> | |
| Message | Walt Leaver |
| Song #655 <i>There's a Fountain Free</i> | |
| Family Matters | Jonathan Seamon |
| Closing Prayer | Tommy Clevenger/David White |
| 6:00 P.M. Evening Assembly | |
| Leading Singing | Andy Flatt |
| Opening Prayer | Charles Frasier |
| Message | Walt Leaver |
| Family Matters | Jonathan Seamon |
| Closing Prayer | Jerry Kennedy |



Our elders want to be available to pray with you anytime you have a need. At least one elder will be in our prayer room (#302) at the end of each Sunday service. If you would like to pray, just leave the auditorium during the invitation song and come to the prayer room. At other times, feel free to call the office to arrange a meeting.

A WORD FROM WALT

*And I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year:
"Give me a Light that I may tread safely into the unknown!"
And he replied: "Go out into the darkness and put thine hand into the hand of God. That shall be to thee better than light and safer than a known way."*

This morning, for the forty-ninth consecutive first Sunday of the year, our beloved Clarence Dailey will quote these opening lines from Minnie Louise Haskins' poem *"The Gate of the Year."* This wonderful New Year's tradition began in January, 1962, at the Union Avenue congregation in Memphis and has continued at Brentwood Hills since January, 1983.

After the familiar words that are quoted above, Haskin's poem continues with three additional verses, which include these thoughts:

*God knows. His will is best.
The stretch of years which wind ahead,
so dim to our imperfect vision,
are clear to God.
Our fears are premature.
In Him all things have full provision.*

*Then rest:
Until God moves to lift the veil
from our impatient eyes ...*

These words help to set the stage for a new series of sermons that begins this morning -

2010 Vision
What God wants and enables us to see!

I am absolutely convinced God is eager to *"lift the veil from our impatient eyes"* - enabling us to see the exciting purposes He has for our lives and the invincible power that is available to all of us. Clearer vision will enrich every aspect and every area of our lives!

We are honored and thrilled you are here this morning, on this first Sunday of 2010. We'll be delighted to have you with us for the entire series in January - and throughout the year!

WELCOME VISITORS!

It is a pleasure to have you worshipping with us today! Please take a moment to sign an attendance card and place it in the collection plate so we can acknowledge your visit. In order to provide a meaningful worship experience for our members and guests, we remind you that our nursery is available for little ones who may become restless or require some other attention during the service. Also, **Children's Worship Training** will not meet at the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services due to the holiday weekend.

SUNDAY MORNING BROADCAST (10:30 A.M.): WNQM-AM 1300
Web Audio (All Services): www.brentwoodhills.org - Click "BHCC Live"

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OUR FAMILY NEWS

JONATHAN'S JOURNEY

2010 VISION

A New Year – A New Decade – and a 2010 Vision for Brentwood Hills! Walt will begin casting that vision today! During the next month we will be breaking down our vision statement, "Sharing *Light* and *Love* on our *Journey* to the Son."

As the year continues – we will be repeating it over and over again. We want "Sharing *Light* and *Love* on our *Journey* to the Son" to be reflected in our *lifestyle*. We have to **LIVE** it! Then we will **CELEBRATE** it!

During 2010, we want to do all things for the Glory of God. During this month we will be sharing new information about our Ministry Teams, Involvement Plans, possible renovations in our facility, Stewardship Plan for 2010, Ministry opportunities, Mission efforts, and other plans that will impact our church family in the coming year.

TASK FORCE AND STAFF CHANGES

Recently our elders appointed a Task Force to study short-term and long-term changes that could be implemented to help with some of our over-crowded and space issues. The elders have reviewed the Task Force report and have decided to move forward with a couple of the recommendations.

One of the first changes relates to our staff. Effective this weekend, Michael Linn's duties are changing. As you are aware he has served as an on-site caretaker since joining our staff in 2001. The Task Force recommended and the elders agreed that the space presently occupied by the apartment and the basement storage should be converted into class rooms or some other use. In the very near future a design team will begin to look at the best use of this space – taking into consideration cost, codes, etc.

Michael will be moving off-site within the month, and his work hours and duties will be changed. He will be working Monday-Thursday from 7:30 am until 4:00 pm. He will also work a half-day on Friday and Sunday mornings. He will no longer be responsible for after hour events, weeknight or weekend lock-up. We will be using a contracted service to lock the facility each day. We will be publishing new guidelines and policies for "after hour" use of our facilities – including responsibilities for groups that plan Sunday events. We will publish and post the policies and guidelines on our web site.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

On Sunday, January 17, all of those who placed membership in 2009 are invited to attend a special orientation session to become acquainted with the ministries of Brentwood Hills. The orientation will be held at 4:30 p.m. in the Reception Room. Childcare will be provided. I hope you will make plans to attend!

Sharing Light and Love on our Journey to the Son!

BECOME PART OF OUR FAMILY!

If you are interested in becoming part of the Brentwood Hills church family, please indicate on your attendance card, stop by the Information Center, or see or call Jerry Kennedy at 832-2541 ext 228 or email jerry@brentwoodhills.org. He will contact you and discuss the process for being identified with Brentwood Hills.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Brad Fitch and Katie Landon are engaged to be married July 10, 2010 in Knoxville, Tennessee. Brad is the son of **Jenny Fitch**.

WE'LL MISS THEM!

Matthew and Jodi Wiley, children of David and Debi Tucker and Mike and Betty Wiley, are moving to Cincinnati, OH this week. Matthew will continue to work for ING, and Jodi will be working for Frontgate.

SPECIAL THANKS

Kind notes of thanks have been received and posted from **Chris and Micalynn Barker, Amy Moon, and Irene Neal**.

NEW ARRIVALS!

Darren and Rachel Hardeman were blessed with a baby boy, **Evan Gabriel**, on December 23 in Nashville. Proud paternal grandparents are **Tommy and Suzanne Hardeman** and great-grandparents are **Clarence and Mary Dailey**.

Congratulations to **Steven and Emily McCoy** who welcomed their new son, **David Wallace**, on December 28 at Baptist Hospital weighing in at 6 lbs. 2 oz.

We are also thankful and pleased that **Scot and Heather Baker** have a new baby girl, **Emory Mai**, born December 28 at Baptist Hospital. **Judy Tuttle** is the proud paternal grandmother.

Wendy and Ken Kaukau have a new healthy grandson, **Nathanael Alan Karkau**, born December 29 weighing 9 lbs. 9 oz. Proud parents are **Eric and Jami**, and David and Laura Kaukau are uncle and aunt.

ROOM IN THE INN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR JANUARY 9

Two men are needed for the 6:30 p.m.-11:00 p.m. shift, two men for the 11:00 p.m.-7:00 a.m. shift and drivers to pick up and deliver the men. If you can help, contact Jeff Hazelip at 371-0408.

CHILDREN'S ITEMS NEEDED:

Boys: 18-24 mo., 4-T; **Girls:** 5T, 6-6x; Double Stroller; **Man's** coat: size 48. Contact **Diane Bauer** at 373-3854 or 506-7518.

WEDNESDAY EVENING FELLOWSHIP MEALS RESUME!

January 6, 2010
5:00-6:00 p.m., Family Life Center
MENU
Taco Bar

Ages 12 & up \$5.00, 4-11 \$3.00, 3 & under free

SINGLES MINISTRY

January Devotional, January 17th at the home of Kelly Sparkman. More details to come.

Sunday Morning & Wednesday Night Classes (Wednesday classes will meet in Room 501 beginning in January).

[www.brentwoodhills.org>group pages>singles](http://www.brentwoodhills.org/group/pages/singles)

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Tuesday Morning Ladies' Class, 10:00 a.m., Rec. Rm.

Wednesday Night Sanctuary Class, 6:30 p.m. #304. Different "every day life" topic each week.

Wednesday Evening Ladies Bible Study, "Life Rules: Instructions for Life", 6:30 p.m., #504-506 Facilitators: Janina Tiner/ Ann Stowe

Women's Prayer Group, Friday, 6:30 a.m.

Baby Shower for Vanessa McAfee, January 24, 4:30 p.m., Reception Room. It's a boy! Gift Registry: Babies R Us

MEN'S MINISTRY

January 4 Monday Morning Quarterbacks, 6:30-7:30 a.m.

January 6 Men's Class, 6:30 p.m., #306.

February 6 Sweetheart Banquet, "Remember When", 6:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE MINISTRY

The Dynamic Marriage Course

will be offered this winter beginning January 10, 2010--March 7, 2010 from 4:30-7:00 p.m. William and Harriet Belle Tucker will be the facilitators for the class. We encourage you to share this information with others that do not attend Brentwood Hills who might also benefit from the class. Please contact Aaron Kelley at 830-9106 or email aaronkelley@bellsouth.net or the Tuckers at 298-5927 or email hbtucker@comcast.net for registration and further information. Cost for the class is \$130 and limited to 12 couples. Childcare will be provided.

Enjoy life with your wife, whom you love, all the days of this meaningless life that God has given you under the sun—all your meaningless days."

Ecclesiastes 9:7

Sacred Times



John 13:34-35

This article & all forms can be found on the web. Financial assistance available for youth activities.

BHYG REPRESENTED!

11th grader, **Wesley Johnson's** Bowling Team at DLHS won the District 12 Championship & qualified for a seed in the Region 5 tournament in January. Way to go Wesley!



NO MORE WEDNESDAY NIGHT ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Starting **January 6th** there will be no announcements before Wed. night class. Parents, please encourage your teens to get to class which will start promptly at 6:30. Thanks!

SENIOR BREAKFAST

Sunday, January 7 at 6:30AM at Waffle House off of Old Hickory Blvd. & Franklin Pike Cr.

JUNIOR HIGH DEVO

Sunday, January 10 meet in Sacred Ground at 6PM for a night of eating, hanging out, & singing at Maddie Hartman's house. Pick-up at BHCC is at 8:30. See ya there!

12TH GRADE PARENTS

Sunday, Jan. 10 please come to Rm. 402 in the youth wing for a short meeting at 10:15-10:30. You will get important info on the upcoming Senior Events!

SENIOR HIGH DEVO

Sunday, January 17 at Grace Mullins' home!

SUMMER MISSIONS

SUNDAY

Sunday, January 31 Mark your calendars for our big parent and teen meeting where you learn all about the summer events!



NEW SISTER!

5th grader, **Hope Rice**, was baptized on Sunday, December 13! We love you, Hope! You can send a note to her at: 2244-A S. Berry's Chapel Road Franklin, TN 37069



"Foot" Notes from "Miss" Suzanne

the journey begins here...



JANUARY SCHEDULE

January 3 – Bible Hour resumes

January 10 – 1st Grade Parent Project due

January 10 – Acts Class resumes

January 10 – Children's Ministry Team Meeting – 4:30 p.m.

January 17 – 1st Grade CWT Graduation

January 17 – First Grade Bible Presentation - Sunday night

1ST GRADE TOP PARENT PROJECT - DUE JANUARY 10

Drop off boxes for finished projects are available outside my office door and in the supply room behind "Grand" Central Station. **Please be sure to have your completed project turned in by next Sunday.**



CWT

Beginning this month we are asking young adult Sunday school classes to be responsible for getting volunteers for CWT at **both 8 and 10:30 a.m. services**. We need all parents to participate. **Please take a turn helping to monitor the children.** Your only responsibility is to be there and help with training young children to worship just as you would with your own children. Thanks!



HUNGRY TUMMIES

Let's fill the Hungry Lion and feed the hungry!

Cross Class – Jelly or Jam
Animals Class – Peanut Butter
Smiley Face Class – soup
Ladybug Class – Tuna
Pre-First – Soup
1st Grade – Peanut Butter
2nd Grade – Jelly or jam
3rd Grade – Cereal
4th Grade – Cereal



Please help us keep our pantry stocked with food for the hungry! Each week we distribute sacks of groceries to help those in need.

PRAYER LIST

SPECIAL REQUESTS:

- Jackson Parker**, four-year-old son of Andy and Rebekah, is recovering from surgery at Children's Hospital.
- Vicki Rhodes** is improving in a step-down unit at St. Thomas awaiting rehab.
- Douglas Ray Roberson**, Bob's brother, is gravely ill at Baptist Select.
- Irene Neal** is awaiting radiation treatments.
- Bob Ellis** underwent double knee replacement surgery on December 28 at St. Thomas and is awaiting rehab.
- Sue McIntosh** remains at West Meade Place on Hwy. 70 for rehab. Her address is: 1000 St. Luke Place, Nashville, TN 37205
- Please pray for **Kevin Sparkman** who is undergoing new treatment.
- Dianne Gower**, sister-in-law of Dan, received good news from her pathology report.
- Nestor Stewart**, Ella Wilson's father, is now recovering at NHC Cool Springs.
- Wilma Gilmore**, Stephanie Forrester's grandmother, remains under Hospice care at St. Thomas.

AT HOME

- Al Bradshaw** is doing well following an outpatient procedure on Monday.
- Mac Rochelle** (call before visiting)
- Kaye Barker**, Chris' mother, will be undergoing additional tests this week.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:

Zane Burns, Charlie Hale, Ken Caruthers, Chris Youngblood, Howard Cover, Dianne Gower, Mary Stewart, Susan Paul, Bob and Susan Roberson, Pam Bishop, Richard Pennington, Mary Cope, Tina Bean's brother, Sandy Hamlee



CLASS BEGINS SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2010

A new 13-week GriefShare class will begin Sunday, February 14, at 6:00 p.m. in Room 501. If you or someone you know has lost a loved one and would like to participate in the class, contact Judy Crumbliss (832-2541, Ext. 230; judy@brentwoodhills.org) to reserve a space in the class. Class size is limited.

RECENT BAPTISM

Philip Hazelip was baptized December 27 by his father, **Pat**, and his grandfather, **Harold Hazelip**. Pat and Angela Hazelip live in Dallas, Texas. We rejoice with the Hazelips!

CHRISTMAS TREE

TO DONATE? If anyone has a pre-lit, 9-foot or taller Christmas tree they would like to donate to the church, please email katie@brentwoodhills.org.