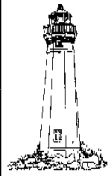
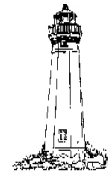


GOALS FOR 2009: GLARE, CARE, SHARE, BEAR, DARE, BEWARE



THE BEACON
The Hardin church of Christ
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Sunday, March 8, 2009

TO OUR VISITORS:

We welcome you as our honored guests and pray that you will come and see us again soon. If you have any needs that we can assist you with please let us know and we will do our very best to see to them. If you would like to add any names to the prayer list write them on the back of your visitor's card and we will be glad to pray for them.

CONGRATULATIONS

Yesterday evening Erick Mackie and Trish Dumas were joined as husband and wife. The church of Christ at Hardin wishes them well and many happy years in God's service. There will be a gift card shower for the newlyweds the afternoon of March 22 in the annex. For details see Holly R. or Christie O.

LADIES...TOMORROW NIGHT

Don't forget about the ladies devotional and planning session tomorrow night in the annex. This is a fellowship opportunity, as well as a time to think about the upcoming Ladies Night that will be hosted by the ladies of the Hardin church of Christ. Bring your Bible and some snacks for you and all to enjoy.

Today's Memory Verse:

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD. ⁹ For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.
(Last Week: Revelation 3.15) ^{ESV} **Isaiah 55:8-9**

CALENDAR

(Hardin Activities)

Tonight: PM Pulpit Swap,
Luke Puckett (Dexter)

Tonight: Elders/Deacons
Meet after pm services

March 9: Ladies Devo. &
planning session, 6.30pm

March 20: Sing & Snack
in the annex, 6.30pm

March 27-29: Spring
Meeting (Earl Edwards)

Apr 26: Bring a Friend Day

May 8: Ladies' Night
(Barbara Johnson)

Aug 28-30: Fall Meeting
(David Powell)

(Other Activities)

March 21: West KY Lead-
ership Workshop, 8-2.30,
Briensburg church

March 28: Sr. Adult Rally,
Henderson, TN, 10am-
1pm, lunch provided

May 8-9: Enlighten Youth
Rally, Henderson, KY

Bus Drivers:

Mar. 8, 11—Mark R.
 Mar. 15, 18—Trice D.
 Mar. 22, 25—Jim H.
 Mar. 29, April 1—Neil V.
 April 5, 8—Bill D.

BENEFICENCE

“...let us do good to everyone”

In February we helped our own and others with groceries, utility bills, etc with approx.

\$465. Who knows the impact it will make for the Lord!!!

Record

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Last Yr</u>
Sunday School	109	125	108
Worship AM	142	150	138
Worship PM	108	125	91
Midweek	106	125	92
Offering	\$2461	\$2600	\$2406
<i>Weekly Budget:</i>		\$2550	

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| AARON | HERBS |
| ANGER | HIGHLY |
| ANIMALS | ISRAEL |
| ASK | LAMB |
| BELT | LEAVE |
| BITTER | LISTEN |
| BLOOD | LORD |
| BOWING | MALES |
| BREAD | MIDNIGHT |
| BURN | MONTH |
| CARE | MORNING |
| CATTLE | MOSES |
| CLOAK | NIGHT |
| DAY | NUMBER |
| DEFECT | PASSOVER |
| DIE | PHARAOH |
| DOORFRAMES | PLAGUE |
| EGYPT | REFUSE |
| FAMILY | SILVER |
| FIRE | SON |
| FIRSTBORN | STAFF |
| GOATS | THRONE |
| GOLD | TWILIGHT |
| HARDENED | WONDERS |
| HASTE | WORSE |

Worker of the Week

WHO: Dawn Hopkins
WHERE: 35 Cherry Hill Drive, Hardin, KY 42048 (left side of auditorium, near middle)

WHAT: Bible School teacher (Wednesday nights, 4th-5th grade class), and MUCH MORE



THANK YOU!!!

(We don't see everything...To suggest someone for worker of the week talk to Daniel)

Last Plague of Egypt

Exodus 11 - 12:11

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If leading a public prayer, please use the microphone (one in back and one up front).

This Week—March 8, 2009:

AM Announcements: Dennis Redden
Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Scripture Reading: Jordan Holland
Opening Prayer: Erick Mackie
Lord's Supper Devo.: Ron Owen
Lord's Supper:
Neil Vick Jeff Lofton
Terry Henderson Harold Jones
Dub Thorn Nicky Smith
Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie
Closing Prayer: Leon Lovett
Greeter: Greg & Amy Nelson
PM Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Opening Prayer: Dwayne Oakley
Scripture Reading: Isaac Reynolds
Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins
Closing Prayer: Dennis Redden
Wed Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Opening Prayer: Mark Reynolds
Closing Prayer: Josh Reynolds
Devotional: Tim Reynolds

Next Week—March 15, 2009:

AM Announcements: Dennis Redden
Song Leader: Mason Thompson
Scripture Reading: Gary Schroader
Opening Prayer: Nick Smith
Lord's Supper Devo.: David Smith
Lord's Supper:
Joe Redden Bobby Outland
Neil Vick Jeff Lofton
Terry Henderson Harold Jones
Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie
Closing Prayer: Charles Bennett
Greeter: Liz Schroader & Carol Holland
PM Song Leader: SINGING
Opening Prayer: Dub Thorn
Scripture Reading: Bradley Dismore
Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins
Closing Prayer: Steve Starks
Wed Song Leader: Mark Reynolds
Opening Prayer: Mason Thompson
Closing Prayer: Mike Wyatt
Devotional: Daniel Walker

The "Write" Decision

Just getting through the day in this sinful world can sometimes be terribly difficult. As Christians, we must see the importance of encouragement, of inspiring one another to greater hope, love, and service in the Lord (1 Th 5:11; Heb 10:24). We should try to take advantage of encouraging others through every possible medium—our words, actions, and prayers.

After preaching a sermon on the value of written encouragement I received a note from a little girl named Micah, who is only eight or nine. She had not just written me, but several others too! I got another note from her just the other day, and it included this precious line: "You are doing better now than the first time I wrote you." I couldn't help but laugh. But you know she's exactly right! Written encouragement from Christians is like a spiritual blood transfusion—it lifts up and strengthens those who might be "running low" (Rom 14:19; 15:2). Surely this is one of the reasons why Paul mentioned so many people by name in his epistles. Why should we practice the art of written encouragement?

IT SHOWS PURPOSE.

Writing to someone shows the investment of time, doesn't it? (Ephesians 5:16). Often the mere thought and the expense of effort mean more than the actual words written. God Himself showed deliberate purpose in giving us His word, the greatest word of encouragement ever written (2 Tm 3:16-17; 2 Pt 1:19-21).

IT SHOWS PRACTICE.

How often have we had good intentions about writing others, but simply never got around to it? God blesses the faith that works through love (Gal 5:6). When written encouragement is done, it's done. There's something concrete about it.

IT SHOWS PRECISION.

Most of us cannot say things we can write. Written encouragement allows us carefully to choose our words and to say exactly what we desire to say. Written encouragement is powerful encouragement in the right direction! A postage stamp is still the bargain of the century for the encouragement it can give.

-Mike Vestal

PRAYER LIST

"The prayer of a righteous person has great power..." (James 5:16)

SHUT-INS

Britthaven:

Patsy Farris (111A)
Erlene Higgins (220B)
Nadine Peck (126B)
Pauline Shepherd (100)

Calvert Convalescent:

Fran Hendrickson (204)

Spring Creek:

Deloris Pritchard (113)
Perry Cornwell (326)

Stilley House:

Emma Powell (201)

At Home:

Sharon Brewer
John & Margaret Grogan

Austin Rogers, Nancy Black, Evalyn Jordan, Seth Nelson, Tammy Gildea, Sharon Clevenger, Jesse Bennett, Leroy Lyles, Van (Tinker) Sires, Charles Lovett, Frances Hendrickson, Sue Dumas, Tiffany Thompson, Diane Hon, Orville Ethridge family, Doris Duncan family

God's Plan For Your Salvation

1. Hear and understand the Gospel of Christ (Rm. 10.17).
2. Believe Jesus is the Son of God (John 8.24; Heb. 11.6).
3. Turn away from your sins and former life (Luke 13.3; Acts 3.19-20).
4. Confess to others your belief in Jesus (Mt. 10.32-33; Rm. 10.9-10).
5. Be baptized to have your sins forgiven (Acts 2.38; 22.16).
6. Remain faithful until death for an assured reward (Rev 2.10).

Service Times: Sunday School - 9.15am;
Sun Worship - 10am, 6pm; Wed. Bible Class - 7pm

Call 437-4413 if you need a ride.

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"Shepherd the flock of God...serving as overseers...being examples to the flock." (1 Pet. 5:2-3)

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DAVID SMITH

437-3026 (H); 559-5014 (C)

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TRICE DUNN 753-9163

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