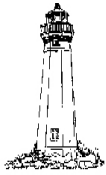
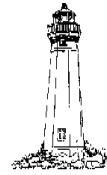


**CONTRIBUTION GOAL: CONGREGATIONAL AVERAGE OF 5%
(EVENTUAL GOAL 10%) OF OUR GROSS INCOME, \$3,622/WEEK!**



THE BEACON

The Hardin church of Christ
<http://www.hardincoc.com>



Sunday, June 7, 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.

THIS WEEK AT HARDIN

- **Teachers meeting** tonight after evening services. See Trice Dunn for details.
- **Summer Youth Series** hosted by Hardin. Worship services begin at 7pm. If you are helping cook, please be here at 4pm.
- **Work day** at West KY Youth Camp. Hardin's assignment is the cleaning of the dining hall. We will head over there and work on it this Saturday morning, for details or a ride see David Smith.
- **Door knocking** this Saturday for VBS. More details to come!

NEW IN THE FOYER

There are several new publications for you in the foyer. Take one, read it and pass it on to a friend!

Today's Memory Verse:

As a father shows compassion to his children, so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.
(Last Week: Psalms 118.1) ^{ESV} **Psalms 103:13**

Prepare for Next Week:

AM: Bible Characters: Naaman (2Kings 5.1-8)

PM: "Hold Back Your Foot" (Proverbs 1.10-19)

CALENDAR

(Hardin Activities)

June 9: Hardin hosts SYS
(Cliff Goodwin will speak)

June 15-18: Joint VBS
Union Hill—Hardin, @ U. H.

Aug 28-30: Fall Meeting
(David Powell)

(Other Activities)

June 7-9: Meeting @
N. Marshall (G. Colley)

June 7-10: Meeting @
Pottsville (John Dale)

June 12: Sing@Eddyville

June 14-17: Meeting @
U. Grove (Lexie Ray)

June 16: SYS@Parkway

June 23: SYS@N.Concord

July 24-26: Meeting at
Sharpe (John T. Polk)

July 25-28: Meeting @
Coldwater (Roger Scully)

Bus Drivers:

June 7, 10—Mason T.
 June 14, 17—Mark R.
 June 21, 24—Trice D.
 June 28, July 1—Jim H.
 July 5, 8—Neil V.

MISSION WORKS

CHINA \$300/month
 AFRICA \$300/month
 T.R. WEBB (MSOP) \$200/month
 NEW PATHWAYS \$150/month
 GBN-TV \$100/month

Record

	Actual	Goal	Last Yr
Sunday School	82	125	106
Worship AM	117	150	130
Worship PM	81	125	97
Midweek	95	125	102
Offering	\$2158	\$3000	\$2478
<i>Weekly Budget:</i>	\$2550		

Double Puzzle

Instructions:

Write the answers to the clues in the boxes to the right of each clue. Copy the letters in the numbered boxes to the other boxes in the phrase below with the same number.

HINT:

Solution to bottom puzzle is a verse in Romans chapter 13.

Worker of the Week

WHO: Ricky Collins

WHAT: maintains and operates audio/visual equipment AND MUCH MORE

THANK YOU!!!

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



Birthdays/Anniversaries

June 7 -- Louzane Carr	June 10 - Daniel & Ruia Walker	June 14 - Ronnie & Nancy Black
June 8 -- Dig Hutchens	June 11 - Anna Gay	June 17 - Jeff Lofton
June 8 -- Dub Thorn	June 13 - David & Vickie Smith	June 18 - Danny & Patty Higgins
June 9 -- Greg & Amy Neson	June 13 - Louis Hendrickson	June 19 - Nick Smith
June 10- Jim & Carol Holland		June 21 - Nicky Smith

Double Puzzle

astonishment, marvel

2	31	30	25	35
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four fingers and a _____

12	13	6	17
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apprentice, beginner

10	5	24	14	28
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to put oil on in a ceremony

7	15	1	27	32
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despair, morose

16	22	21	23
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boy, girl (examples)

11	26	18	19	33
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orderly, tidy

4	34	9	20
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no fat

3	29	8
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1	2	3
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4	5
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6	7	8
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9	10	11
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12	13	14	15	16
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26	27	28
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29	30	31	32	33	34	35
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Imitation

Bill Morgan writes - "On a wall near the main entrance to the Alamo in San Antonio, Texas, is a portrait with the following inscription: 'James Butler Bonham--no picture of him exists. This portrait is of his nephew, Major James Bonham, deceased, who greatly resembled his uncle. It is placed here by the family that people may know the appearance of the man who died for freedom.' No literal portrait of Jesus exists either. But the likeness of the Son who makes us free can be seen in the lives of His true followers."

How is the world going to know who Christ? The Bible paints the true portrait. It tells us who He is and what He has done and where He now resides. The apostle John wrote near the end of his gospel - "And truly Jesus did many other signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name" (John 20:30-31).

Beyond the Bible, Christians have the responsibility of bearing His image as well. To be like Christ, to look like Christ in everything we do, is the highest and most noble goal of Christianity. Eph. 5:1-2 says, "Therefore be imitators of God as dear children. And walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma." Paul also wrote, "Imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ" (1 Cor. 11:1).

The greatest of challenges lies before God's people. The very idea that we could be anything like the Son of God is humbling. Sometimes it seems like such an unachievable goal. But nothing is impossible with God's help. Throughout the New Testament, verse after verse commands that those who are children of God must be disciples of Christ. Peter wrote, "For to this you were called, because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that you should follow His steps" (1 Pet. 2:21).

Jesus is our example. He is our Lord. He is the one who we should walk like, talk like, and act like in everything we do. How is the world ever going to know Jesus? He is not here in the flesh anymore. There are no pictures of Him. But He has relatives that are supposed to look just like Him. He has given us the key to bearing His image.

Jeremiah Tatum
<http://backtothebible.blogspot.com>

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another." ~ John 13:34-35

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)

Spring Creek:

Deloris Pritchard (113)
 Perry Cornwell (326)
 Margaret Grogan (314)

Stilley House:

Emma Powell (201)

At Home:

Sharon Brewer
 John Grogan

Ricky York, Jene Henderson, Margaret Grogan, Tia Lovett, Kenita Sutherland, Dawn mays, Ruth Ann Carr, Becky Hendrickson, Ruth Armstrong family, Vena Jones family

DEACONS

RICKY COLLINS	354-9362
Missions (Africa)/Media/Visitation	
TRICE DUNN	753-9163
Education Ministry/Bldg. Maintenance	
DANNY HIGGINS	474-2728
Worship Ministry/Van Maintenance	
STEVE HIGGINS	527-5752
Fellowship & Functions/Audio & Video	
JIMMY HOLLAND	354-8616
Treasurer/Worship Ministry	
HAROLD JONES	437-4571
Beneficence	
GREG NELSON	527-5870
Pee Wee Camp/Maint. & Insurance	
DWAYNE OAKLEY	437-4314
Youth Ministry/World Bible School	
MARK REYNOLDS	527-2986
China Mission/Van Maint./Disasters	
TIM REYNOLDS	703-4380
Visitation/Education Ministry	
GARY SCHROADER	437-4513
Fellowship & Functions	

Service Times:

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

OVERSEERS

DENNIS REDDEN
 437-4758 (H); 252-5734 (C)
DAVID SMITH
 437-3026 (H); 559-5014 (C)

MINISTERS

DWAYNE OAKLEY (Youth)
 437-4314 (H); 205-1382 (C)
DANIEL WALKER (Pulpit)
 437-4413 (H); 748-6746 (C)

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

THIS Week—June 7, 2009:

AM Announcements: Trice Dunn
Song Leader: Mason Thompson
Scripture Reading: Terry Henderson
Opening Prayer: Louis Hendrickson
Lord's Supper Devo.: Danny Higgins
Lord's Supper:
 Mark Hendrickson Jeff Lofton
 Dub Thorn Neil Vick
 Bobby Outland Gary Schroader
Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie
Closing Prayer: Steve Higgins
Greeter: Harold & Trish Jones
PM Song Leader: Mason Thompson
Opening Prayer: Jim Holland
Scripture Reading: Logan Oakley
Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins
Closing Prayer: Leon Lovett
Wed Song Leader: Mason Thompson
Opening Prayer: Erick Mackie
Closing Prayer: Greg Nelson
Devotional: Dwayne Oakley

NEXT Week—June 14, 2009:

AM Announcements: Trice Dunn
Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Scripture Reading: Jordan Holland
Opening Prayer: Ron Owen
Lord's Supper Devo.: Dennis Redden
Lord's Supper:
 Dale Newport Bobby Outland
 Mark Hendrickson Jeff Lofton
 Dub Thorn Neil Vick
Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie
Closing Prayer: Josh Reynolds
Greeter: Joe & Patsy Redden
PM Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Opening Prayer: Mark Reynolds
Scripture Reading: Ryan Nimmo
Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins
Closing Prayer: Tim Reynolds
Wed Song Leader: Jeff Edwards
Opening Prayer: Nick Smith
Closing Prayer: Steve Starks
Devotional: Daniel Walker