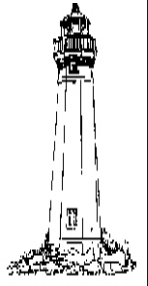


# THE BEACON

## The Hardin church of Christ

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**Nov. 29, 2009**

### SHEPHERDS

"Shepherd the flock of God which is among you, serving as overseers...being examples to the flock." (1 Peter 5:2-3)

#### DENNIS REDDEN

437-4758 (H); 252-5734 (C)

#### DAVID SMITH

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

### DEACONS

"For those who have served well as deacons obtain for themselves a good standing..." (1 Timothy 3:13)

#### RICKY COLLINS 354-9362

African Mission Work/  
Audio & Video/Visitation

#### TRICE DUNN 753-9163

Education Ministry/Building 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

Benevolence

#### GREG NELSON 527-5870

Pee Wee Camp/  
Maintenance & Insurance

#### DWAYNE OAKLEY 437-4314

Youth Ministry/World Bible School

#### MARK REYNOLDS 527-2986

China Mission/Van Maintenance/  
Disaster Relief

#### TIM REYNOLDS 437-4414

Visitation/Education Ministry

#### GARY SCHROADER 437-4513

Fellowship & Functions

### MINISTERS

#### DWAYNE OAKLEY (Youth)

437-4314 (H); 205-1382 (C)

#### DANIEL WALKER (Preaching)

767-7059 (H); 748-6746 (C)

### PRAYER LIST

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

#### SHUT-INS

##### Britthaven:

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

Neil Vick, Jesse Bennett, Kerri Pagareski, Louzane Carr, Joe Nimmo, Sue Beard, Deanna Friend, Maria Muniz, Paula Marani, Ella Collister, Marsha Harper, Wayde Wood, Terry Hopkins, Josephine Rudd, Pat Gal-loway, Gaye Johnston, Mike Carey, Kerry Higgins, Sandra Lyles, Gerald Thompson, Frank Walker family, Rae Ellen Jensen-Carey family

**PLEASE HELP US KEEP OUR SICK LIST UP TO DATE. YOU MAY ADD NAMES TO THE CLIPBOARD IN THE FOYER OR GIVE THEM TO THE MAN MAKING ANNOUNCEMENTS! LET US KNOW WHEN NAMES CAN BE REMOVED. THANK YOU!**

## Welcome Visitors!!!



We are happy that you came. Please let us get to know you and fill out a visitor's card for us.

### \* HOLIDAY MEAL SATURDAY \*

Our annual Holiday Meal is this Saturday night at 5pm. You are invited to come fellowship and to invite others. Ham (and beverages) will be provided, however you are asked to bring the fixings and desserts. See you there!

### \* FIFTH SUNDAY SCHEDULE \*

Regular Bible study and worship times in the morning. Potluck meal following morning services. Early and abbreviated afternoon services at 12.30. JOIN US!

### \* FOR YOUR INFORMATION \*

Dru McWane (whom we have had on our prayer list for some time) is doing much better! He is not "out of the woods" yet, but is beginning to get some memory and speech back. Write him if you'd like:

*Comprehensive Care Services*  
927 Tipton Drive  
Paducah, KY 42001

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSERIES

Nov 29—Trish Mackie  
 Nov 29—Sadie Starks  
 Dec 1—Canaan Dunn  
 Dec 1—Nathan Smith  
 Dec 2—Jene Henderson  
 Dec 2—Mark Reynolds  
 Dec 4—Taylor Collins  
 Dec 5—Seth Nelson  
 Dec 6—Dawn Hopkins  
 Dec 7—Ray & Sandra Henderson  
 Dec 7—Andrew Reynolds

## MISSION WORKS

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

## CALENDAR

TODAY: Fifth Sunday—early pm worship and potluck

December 5: Holiday Meal, 5pm (meat provided)

December 10: Ladies Chinese Auction, annex, 6.30 (\$5-10 gift), soups and sandwiches

December 31: New Years Eve Fellowship in the annex

Look at the bulletin board for other local happenings.

### Bus Drivers:

This Week—Bill Dale  
 (270) 704-0029  
 Next Week—Greg Nelson  
 (270) 527-5870

## THIS Week—November 29, 2009:

**AM** Announcements: Mark Reynolds  
 Song Leader: Mike Wyatt  
 Scripture Reading: Terry Henderson  
 Opening Prayer: Louis Hendrickson  
 Lord's Supper Devo.: Trice Dunn  
 Lord's Supper:  
 Bobby Outland Jordan Holland  
 Donnie Birdsong Bobby Travis  
 Jeff Lofton Dale Newport  
 Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie  
 Closing Prayer: Jim Holland  
 Greeter: Jordan & Alex R. & Markie H.  
**PM** Song Leader: Mike Wyatt  
 Opening Prayer: Harold Jones  
 Scripture Reading: Bradley Dismore  
 Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins  
 Closing Prayer: Leon Lovett  
**Wed** Song Leader: Mike Wyatt  
 Opening Prayer: Greg Nelson  
 Closing Prayer: Dwayne Oakley  
 Devotional: Steve Higgins

## NEXT Week—December 6, 2009:

**AM** Announcements: Tim Reynolds  
 Song Leader: Steve Higgins  
 Scripture Reading: Ronnie Owen  
 Opening Prayer: Mark Reynolds  
 Lord's Supper Devo.: Bill Dale  
 Lord's Supper:  
 Joe Redden Don Pringle  
 Bobby Outland Jordan Holland  
 Donnie Birdsong Bobby Travis  
 Rear: Ethan & Keaton Guthrie  
 Closing Prayer: Nick Smith  
 Greeter: Erick & Trish Mackie  
**PM** Song Leader: Steve Higgins  
 Opening Prayer: David Smith  
 Scripture Reading: Logan Oakley  
 Lord's Supper: Danny Higgins  
 Closing Prayer: Steve Starks  
**Wed** Song Leader: Steve Higgins  
 Opening Prayer: Dennis Redden  
 Closing Prayer: Steve Starks  
 Devotional: Daniel Walker

## Holy Bucket

A story is told about a young man who approached an old Christian preacher and said, "I'm finished with reading the Bible. I'm tired of trying to understand it!"

The old preacher picked up a very dirty bucket with a whole in the bottom and asked the young man to go to the creek and bring back some water. The young man did so, but of course the water had leaked out by the time he returned.

The old preacher told him to return to the creek and try again. The young man repeated this exercise several times and each time by the time he returned to the old preacher the bucket was empty.

Frustrated, the young man said, "I'm quitting! What's the point? The water always leaks out!"

The preacher replied to the young man, "Look at the bucket...it's clean from the repeated fillings of water. Sure, you lose the water, but each time the bucket is filled it becomes a little cleaner."

"It works the same way with reading the Bible. You may not understand everything you read, plus some of what you learn always leaks out. But, each time you're exposed to God's Word you become a little cleaner, wiser, and stronger. So if you're reading, continue to do so. If you're not, get started. If you need help, find it! It's that important.

~Stephen Seaford

## MEMORY VERSE:

**Leviticus 19.2 (ESV)** You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy.

(Last Week: Exodus 34.7)

## Record

	Actual	Goal	Last Yr
Sunday School	96	125	101
Worship AM	135	150	133
Worship PM	71	125	103
Midweek	86	125	92
Offering	\$2708	\$3000	\$2743
Weekly Budget:	\$2550		

## Number of Visitors You Brought Last Sunday

# 17

## THANK YOU!!!

By inviting and bringing visitors you are making this church grow!

Call 437-4413 if you need a ride.

Let us know how we can serve you.