

The Caller

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Thank You Very Much!

*"Dear Friends at HCBA,
"Thank you for your continued support and prayers for us in this adventure called Good News Jail & Prison Ministry. The help you send enables us to carry God's Word into the cells week by week... We are believing that the Lord will apprehend an inmate so strongly, that he or she can eventually become a leader, not just someone who barely "squeaks by" as a believer, constantly defeated... Thank you again for standing with us. We love you all!"*

John & Trudy Quinlan
Good News Jail & Prison Ministry



*"Dear Friends,
"Thank you for your donation to further Sports World's mission! It is because of your support and prayers that we are able to impact so many students! Your partnership with Sports World is making a difference!... Below you will view a comment sent to us by a 10th grader after hearing a Sports World Pro speak..."*

"My dad and family are well known for being alcoholics and I am making the choice today to never use alcohol and drugs!"

Devon McDonald, President



SPECIAL NOTE FROM HCBA!

The next issue of the Caller will cover the months of July & August.
News for this issue is due June 15th.

Come Join the **Ladies of the Horne Home**
For their Annual Fund Raiser!

Save The DATE!



**Saturday,
September 19th**

418 Mulberry Road
10 a.m. - noon

**Music Provided By
Jerusalem Way of the Cross
Church Choir**

Hotdogs and More!

Sponsored by:
**The Henry County Baptist
Association**

*Proceeds support Horne Home
maintenance & operational expenses*

Horne Home Services are provided
through HopeTree Family Services
Developmental Disabilities Ministry

Church News!

BLACKBERRY...Scott Bagwell was the speaker for Baptist Men's Day. April 26th: Janice Clingenpeel, Executive Director of MHC Pregnancy Center, was guest speaker at the Women's Ministry Meeting. May 9th: Children/Youth held Car Wash. Washing 40 vehicles and 2 Motorcycles. May 20th: Golden Agers regular meeting with covered dish lunch. June 5th: Blood Drive will be held at Blackberry. Time: noon until 6:00 p.m. Plans are being made for VBS Day at Blackberry, June 27th.

CHATHAM HEIGHTS...We celebrated Mother's Day with our Annual Child Dedication Service. Twelve children were dedicated by their Parents in two services. Our four High School Graduates will be honored in the 11:00 service on May 24th. The monthly Free Community Meal will be on Thursday, May 28th from 5:30 to 6:30. CHBC will mark our 71st year with our Annual Homecoming on June 7th. Guest Speaker will be Dr. John Chandler of the Spence Network.

FORT TRIAL ...Homecoming, June 7th - Guest Speaker: Dr. Tony Brooks, field strategist for the BGAV. Special Music by Joyful Sound begins at 10:30 am. Youth to M-Fuge, June 8-12, Charleston, SC. Red Cross Blood Drive, June 23rd, noon – 6 pm. Contact Betty for an appointment, 647-7641

FULLER MEMORIAL...Members attended the WMU Annual Meeting and the Associational Seniors Day. We celebrated Mother's Day with special music, gifts for each mother present, and gifts for the youngest and oldest mother present. We continue to urge all pastors and churches to support the planning for the 2018 city/county evangelist crusade and also support the History/Heritage Committee by sending your church historian and/or a representative to the HCBA history book planning meetings.

KEARFOTT MEMORIAL... In observance of Mother's Day, all mothers present were honored with a gift from the church and Pastor Bob. We hosted the Southern Gospel Group, The Anchormen, on May 9th. They were truly enjoyed by all who attended and we're looking forward to having them again soon. Pastor Bob recently received a Bachelor's in Theology and an honorary Doctorate in Divinity. Congratulations, Pr. Bob! We are very proud and thankful for you!

MARTINSVILLE, FIRST ... June 7-Ice Cream Social with Hot Dog Sale for Youth Mission Trip; June 9-WMU meets at Prillaman Farm for covered dish dinner; June 20-Newspaper Recycling; June 21-After Worship Reception.

MAYO ... We have been busy the last few months. We started a food pantry and have helped several families. We started collecting for Operation Christmas Child. In January. We have already collected 6 tubs full of clothing, toys and other things. Already planning for Homecoming and Revival in July. Our speaker will be Rev. Richard Harrison for Homecoming and Pastor Tony Beach for Revival.

McCABE MEMORIAL...participated in the Pregnancy Care Center baby bottle ministry during the month of May. McCabe will celebrate Baptist Men's Day on Sunday, June 7th. We will honor our graduates on Sunday, June 14th. McCabe's next "Free Community Meal" will be held on Wednesday, June 10th from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Our VBS, "Journey Off the Map", will be held June 22nd – 26th.

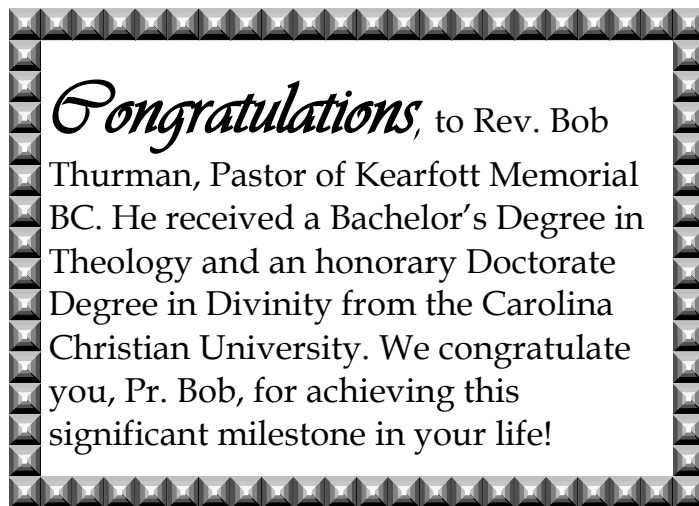
MOUNT VERNON...May 10th- 11:00 a.m. Mother's Day recognition
May 17th- 11:00 a.m. service- Celebrating 175th Anniversary & Special service for 2015 Graduates followed by Fellowship Meal 6:30 p.m. Presentation by the Beachy Family (Missionaries to Mexico) June 14-19 VBS 6:30-8:30 p.m. June 21- 11:00 a.m.- Father's Day recognition June 28- 11:00 a.m.- Youth leads 11:00 a.m. worship service

OAK LEVEL ... We have had several fundraisers, sponsored by youth, to help meet needs of various ministries, including Bland Ministry Center & Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion. The WMU has sponsored several mission projects to send items to people in need. We enjoy monthly community Outreach meals, Men's Breakfasts. Children's Sunday School class has begun. VBS, June 13, 8:30 a.m.- 2:00 p.m. A Carowinds trip is June 27. Log Sunday with outdoor worship is June 28.

ORCHARD DRIVE...Held May 17 Graduation Services to honor 6 graduates, Youth Fund Raiser Lunch held May 24, Community Meal held May 26, June 14 New members luncheon 12:15 pm, Youth to attend Centrifuge Camp June 15-19, 2015 at Carson Newman in Jefferson City TN, June 30 Community Meal 5:30-6:30 pm

POCAHONTAS BASSETT ...Wednesday Bible Study, 12 Noon. Showing three movies this summer with the first one on Friday, June 12, movie starts at dark. Community meal Thursday, June 18. Celebrating PBBC's 75th Anniversary Saturday, September 26 and Sunday, September 27.

SHILOH ...We will celebrate Homecoming on June 7. Pastor John W. Tinsley will speak at the 11:00 AM service; the 3:00 PM service will feature guest preacher Rev. Tony Dillard from New Design Missionary Baptist Church.



**News for the
July/August Caller
is Due June 15th!**

This & That...

June Birthdays

- 11 – Ruby Huff, Asst. Secretary, Collinsville, First
13 – Sarah Leamy, Music Director, Martinsville, First
17 – Michael Jordan, Pastor, Mount Vernon
21 – Debbie Griggs, Secretary, Starling Avenue
25 – Mary Helen Cameron, Min of Music, Pocahontas Bassett
28 – JoAnn Byrd, Minister of Music, McCabe

June Anniversaries

- 2 – Sheila Ramsey, Secretary, Oak Level, 1 yr.
27 – Daniel Reed, Assoc Pastor/Ch&Youth, Ft Trial, 5 yrs.

June Calendar

- 15 - News for the Caller due in Association office**
14-15 - National WMU Annual Meeting, Columbus, OH
15-19 - Cooperative Baptist Fellowship General Assembly, Dallas, TX
16-17 - Southern Baptist Convention, Columbus, OH
21 - Hope Tree Family Services Day
24 - Baptist Extension Board, Virginia Baptist Resource Center, Richmond
28 - Religious Liberty Sunday
28-July 4th - Virginia Baptist Heritage Week

Martinsville Mustangs

Two “faith based” events for our church families to enjoy this summer are being sponsored by the Martinsville Mustangs. Our church families receive a discount for these two events.

TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE AT THE HCBA OFFICE TO RECEIVE THE DISCOUNT.

The details are as follows:

☞ Friday, June 19—Faith & Family Night, includes a live Christian band (pre-game) from Liberty University. Tickets are \$5.00 (\$1 discount). Meal vouchers are \$4.50 and include hotdog, chips, and beverage (\$1.50 discount). Hat vouchers are \$5.00 (\$2.00 discount). Game starts at 7:17 PM.

Tickets can be picked up between June 4 and June 18. Email Sharon (spatterson3449@centurylink.net) or call 638-2951 to let us know when you are coming to pick up your tickets.

☞ Also, July 31 is “Fireworks & Faith” night. Same ticket discounts apply. We will advise you of ticket pickup dates near that time.

Several of our sister churches have participated and enjoyed these events in the past.

So come out and enjoy some fellowship, music, fireworks, hotdogs, perhaps see a Pastor you know with a pie in his face!! And maybe even some.....good ol’ American baseball!



With Deepest Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Rev. Ray Shelton, who died on May 12, 2015. He was a former pastor at Fontaine Baptist Church, and also served as Interim Pastor at First Baptist, Ridgeway.

**HCBA Monthly Financial Report
April 2015**

Receipts:

Church Contributions	\$6,629.61
Interest	<u>\$.77</u>
Total receipts	\$6,630.38
Total Expenditures	\$10,296.19*
Operating Balance	\$98,930.83

*Total incl \$5,000 donation to Fellowship Of Christian Athletes

Senior Adults

Aloha Seniors: Don't slow down too much this summer. Turn your AC off so that it will feel like a warm day in Hawaii. Turn a fan on and let it blow, so you will think it is an ocean breeze. Put on your lei and grass skirt, turn on the Hawaiian music and practice your hula. Mount Vernon Cruise line sails September 24...Don't forget. Check out Betsy Ivey's trips that she has planned. They are "real" trips. Have fun! Volunteer for VBS. See you in July!
God Bless the SENIORS

Dear HCBA Church Family

Please see the article below regarding the **Good News Bible Club**. Pr. Bill wrote this letter prior to his sudden home-going on June 4. We are certain he would still want us to carry this mission forward. Please continue to pray for his family and his church family during this difficult time.

Good News Bible Club

Dear Churches,

I am asking churches and volunteers to join us with the Good News Club. It is a Bible based study and activity time where the kids are evangelized and taught the Word of God after school. Four members from your church can be trained in time for the club to start this fall. All materials will be furnished at no cost. Each church can join with another church to sponsor the club in the elementary school closest to them. There are eight elementary schools in the county. Will you join with us to take the Word of God to these schools? In four weeks at (two) city elementary schools we gave out over 100 Bibles and saw 26 kids pray to receive Christ as their Savior. Together we can make a difference.

Bill Moss, Pastor
Hill Memorial Baptist Church

Congratulations!

Congratulations to the following HCBA churches who will be celebrating significant milestones during the year:

- Fairview**—105 years (1910)
- McCabe Memorial**—75 years (1940)
- New Vision**—25 years (1990)
- Pocahontas Bassett**—75 years (1940)
- Villa Heights**—55 years (1960)

May God continue to bless you in your ministry for many years to come!

A Note From the History/Heritage Committee

Instead of a meeting in June, there will be a **Drop-In Workshop Week from June 23 –25**. On Tuesday, June 23, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM and again from 6:00 to 7:30 PM. Janice will be at the HCBA office to assist you and answer any questions. You may also drop-in anytime Wednesday or Thursday from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.