



Please complete a Guest Card, and return to the Welcome Center; place it in the offering plate; or give it to the an Usher.

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE...

TODAY	7:00 pm	Children's Musical & Social
WEDNESDAY	6:00 pm	Wednesday Night Supper <i>*(menu below)</i>
	7:00 pm	Family Mission Opportunities & VBS Workers- Picnic Pavilion
Wed. May 27	7:00 pm	VBS Counselor Training- Faith Chapel

Deacons for May are **John Bosiger (476-1869) & Victor Crump (572-6782)**

Property Custodians for May are **Wes Bosiger & Billy Hanks**. Please report to them any church repairs.

* Wednesday Night Menu 6:00- 6:45 pm

Hamburgers, Corn on the Cob, Potato Salad, Dessert

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CD's are now available in the Welcome Center each Sunday. Cassette tapes are still available, also.

The **2009-2010 Nominating Committee** has been appointed: Fred Flinn- **chairman**, Debra Cage, Paul Kipps, Sandra Lewandowski, Betty Redd, and Don Williams. Feedback Lists are located in your bulletin and the Welcome Center. Please return them to Welcome Center or committee member by the **deadline**.



Please welcome today's guest preacher, Jerry Jones. Jerry is a commissioned missionary and the Glocal Missions & Evangelism team leader for the Virginia Baptist Mission Board.

ASH AVENUE PRAYER MINISTRY

* Please Use Prayer Cards to Submit a Request

Prayer-List Friends & Family cleared Monthly.
Long-Term cleared Quarterly

PRAISE & ANSWERED PRAYER

R.A.s & G.A.s Jenna Allen Mothers

CHURCH FAMILY

Delcie Cole Ronnia Furches Brenda Hancock
Lois Murray Pete Newton Austin Pulliam

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Unsaved	Jobs & Economy	Inez Adkins
Mark Allred	Karen Anderson	Mary Breeden
Ben Burnett	Vicky Cash	Tommy Clark
Cecil Clayton	Perry Conner	Gwen Dorsey
Steve Freeman	Mike Giordano	Bobby Gregory
Sonny Griffith	Jeanette Kendrick	Caroline Laughorn
Rev. Bill LaWall	Joel Layne	Ola Lloyd
Gwendolyn Martin	Don Moore	Nellie Moore
Chester Moorefield	Ed Murphy	Zack Myer
Kim Newby	Holly Oliver	Timothy Perry
Ginny Price	Lucille Puryear	Tommy Reagan
Johnnie Rice	Stefan Rogge	Cooper Simmons
Jesse Smith	Mattie Smith	Ruby Snyder
Cindy Starrow	Bruce Stuedly	Dawn Walker
Michael Whittington/Family	Marvin & Jennifer Williams	Amelia Willis
Gloria Wills	David Wilson	Naomi Young

LONG TERM

Spc Wade Barton (Iraq)	Mary Bass	Ophelia Brogden
Milton Chandler	Irene Clay	Zack Cole
Dinky Conner	John & Shirley Conner	Pam Crenshaw
Richard Crowder (Iraq)	Nellie Ford	Kathryne Foster
Mary Furches	Jimmy Gregory	Arlene Grimes
Barbara Hailey	Connie Lowery	Megan (Iraq) & Kendall Haskins
Elna Martin	Alice Meeler	Emma Gray Meeler
Justin Morgan (Iraq)	Keith & Mary Morris	Dustin Phipps
Jean Powell	Lutie Pugh	Elizabeth Simmons
Cassie Snead	Brian & Michelle Stephens	Joe Stewart
D.J. Thaxton	Ruby Wade	Anne White
Renay Wilborn		W.H. & Louise Witcher

➡ Want an appointment with the Pastor? Contact John Eure at the office- **572-2006**; home- **572-8798**; or email, pastorjohn@aabc900.org
➡ Contact our Administrative Assistant, Liz Price, for Prayer List updates or any other assistance. You may call her at **572-2006**; fax- **572-2043**; or by email, office@aabc900.org

Ash Avenue Baptist Church

May 17, 2009



R.A. Recognition

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. Galatians 2:20

Jesus Is Lord!

MINISTERS, Every Member!

John D. Eure	Pastor
Don Williams	Deacon Chairman
Gail Bosiger	Music Director/Organist
Debra Cage	Pianist
Cora Cliborne	Sunday School Director
Liz Price	Administrative Assistant

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Church Office Hours:
Monday-Friday, 8:30am-2:30pm

Sunday Worship at Ash Avenue

May 17, 2009

* The congregation is invited to stand

10:45 AM

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship Hymnal or Projector
347 *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*
638 *For the Beauty of the Earth* (sts. 1, 3, 5, 6)
326 *Your Name*

11:00 AM

Call to Worship Children's Choir
Arkeology chorus

Welcome to Worship

R.A. Recognition Bros. Paul Kipps & Don Gainey

Opening Prayer

VBS Presentation *The Phone Call*

*Offertory Hymn # 379 *Trust, Try, and Prove Me*
Collection & Blessing of the Offering

Musical Message Bro. Jerry Jones

Morning Message Bro. Jerry Jones

*Invitation # 545 *Living for Jesus*

Sharing the Church Life

*Benediction

Please Remember.....be courteous to other worshipers.

- ▶ Please take your children out of Worship as necessary.
- ▶ Turn off cell phones off or set to vibrate; and refrain from texting during worship.



Ash Avenue's Children's Choir will present the musical, **Ark-e-ology**, at 7:00 pm TONIGHT.

Plan to stay for the homemade ice cream social following the performance.

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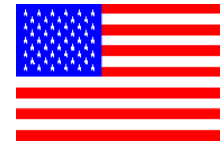


Vacation Bible School registration has begun for children and helpers. Find more information at the *Welcome Center*, contact VBS Director- Faye Gainey, or register online at www.aabc900.org

VBS 2009 begins on Sunday, June 7th !!!

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During Worship on **Sunday, May 24th** pictures will be displayed of those who died in military service for our country and other deceased veterans, also.



Please bring pictures to church **by May 22nd**.

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During Worship on **May 31st** we will recognize our **High School & College graduates**. This is for our members and those who attend regularly. If you wish to participate, contact church office by 2:30pm on Monday, May 18th.



For Children & Parents

For Safety, please **REGISTER** your Children before leaving them in the **NURSERY or CHILDREN'S WORSHIP**.

The **Nursery during Morning Worship...** is available for **Ages 3 & under**.

TODAY - Faye Clark & Tom Ward

May 24 - Hogan McCarty & Jackie Carter



Children's Worship

Ages 3 – Grade 2

May 24th

Children will gather in the Fellowship Hall

HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

During the *Invitation*, you are encouraged to come forward to share your decision to accept Jesus as your Savior & Lord, or learn more on how to become a Christian. **To surrender yourself to Jesus:**

- Admit to God you are a Sinner. (Rom. 3:23; 6:23)
- Believe in Jesus as God's Son. (John 3:16)
- Confess your faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord. (Rom. 10:9-10)

Be sure to share with others your decision to follow Jesus!

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HOW TO JOIN ASH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Pastor & Deacons are glad to schedule a time to discuss membership with you. Those desiring membership should present themselves during the Invitation.

Requirement:

- Become a Christian and be baptized by immersion.
- Transfer a Letter of Membership from another Baptist Church
- By statement of prior salvation experience in a Baptist Church.
- Transfer a letter of Membership from a non-Baptist Church and be baptized by *believer's baptism* through *immersion*.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES **and ACTIVITIES Sign-up**

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Please check opportunities that you have interest in participating:

I would be interested in:

- Volunteering as a *Feed My Lambs Food Ministry* worker at Ash Avenue.
- Volunteer with the *Daily Bread Ministry* distributions.
- Serving as a helper during *Vacation Bible School*, June 7-11, 2009.
REGISTER in the Welcome Center.

Summer Mission Trip for Adults & Youth

When ? July 18-24, 2009

DEADLINE for sign-up: June 1, 2009

Where ? *Clintwood, VA*

What ? Lead Backyard Bible Clubs in multiple communities. Other opportunities may include: prayer walking, minor home repair, food pantry & distribution.

Who ? The team will partner with *Clintwood Baptist Church* through the *Appalachian Regional Ministry* (A.R.M.).

How ? Volunteers will have hands-on training during Ash Avenue's VBS in June.

A deposit of **\$50 is required** to secure your place on the trip.



We are looking for adults to help bring our VBS decorations upstairs on Sunday, May 31st.
Please **see Faye Gainey** if you can spare about 30 minutes following Worship on that day



In addition to taping our Worship service each week we are now making more **CD** copies, as well. These are available in the **Welcome Center**.