

April 4, 2010

**WELCOME TO
MOUNTAIN LAKE INDEPENDENT
BAPTIST CHURCH**



We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors today! If you have small children, we invite you to take advantage of our pleasant nursery & children's ministries. We want to help you in your walk with the Lord. If there is anything we can do for you, please let us know.

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45 a.m.

We have a class for everyone.
We welcome Dr. Bill Behrens this morning.
He is teaching the combined classes today.

MORNING PREACHING SERVICE 10:45 a.m.

**KING'S KIDS DOWNSTAIRS IN THE
KING'S KIDS CASTLE**

A Easter Bible Message By

DR. BILL BEHRENS

Cassettes or CDs of Sunday messages are available after each service.

SOUL WINNING VISITATION 5:00 p.m.
CHOIR PRACTICE 5:45 p.m.
MEN'S PRAYER MEETING 6:30 p.m.

EVENING SERVICE 7:00 p.m.

**SINGING, FELLOWSHIP
SPECIAL MUSIC!**

A Revival Message by

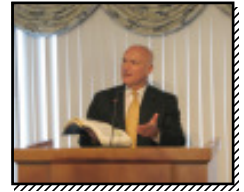
DR. BILL BEHRENS



THIS WEEK AT MTN. LAKE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH

SPRING REVIVAL

*With Evangelist
Dr. Bill Behrens*



Schedule:
Monday- Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

- ☛ Powerful Revival Preaching
Straight From God's Word, The Bible!
- ☛ Soul Stirring Revival Singing That
Honors The Lord Jesus!
- ☛ Sweet Revival Fellowship That
Encourages Believers!

SATURDAY

MORNING 8:00 A.M.
**LADIES' PRAYER
BREAKFAST**

MORNING 10:00 A.M.
**TRACT DISTRIBUTION:
WESTERNPORT**

EVENING 10:00 P.M.
PRAYER MEETING WITH PASTOR

LAST WEEK'S REPORT

Sunday School.....101 Evening Service..... 60
 Morning Service..... 139 Wednesday Service..... 59
 Last Week's General Offering.....\$2,759.47
 Last Week's Faith Missions Giving \$1,233.79
 Weekly Faith Promise Commitments (2009-2010).....\$2,200.90
 Building Fund Given Last Week \$0.00

RADIO "WAR CHEST" TO DATE\$570.00

NURSERY SCHEDULE

April 4	Sunday	a.m. Tammy Burdock, Heidi Bittenger p.m. Brenda Maffett, Kelly Maffett Becky Heath
April 7	Wed.	
April 11	Sunday	a.m. Jan Morgan, Mildred Harvey p.m. Sue Teagarden, Debbie Coddington Robin Bonner
April 14	Wed.	
April 18	Sunday	a.m. Ashley Ringer, Carolyn Davis p.m. Connie Wagner, Carol Brant Joy Wagner
April 21	Wed.	
April 25	Sunday	a.m. Denise and Cierra Rowan p.m. Jodie Thomas, Paula Browning Jackie Hinebaugh
April 28	Wed.	



And'e Overstreet 4-4
Sarah Honner 4-5
Nina McRobie 4-6 *Josh Ringer 4-6*
Donna Wilson 4-7
Todd & Tammy Burdock Anniversary 4-8
Phra Daugh 4-10

COMING EVENTS

April	15	SUPER SENIOR'S LUNCHEON
April	17	TRACT DISTRIBUTION - Cumberland, MD
April	24	TRACT DISTRIBUTION - McKeesport, PA
April	24	GOODWILL NURSING HOME MINISTRY
April	30	MOTHER/DAUGHTER BANQUET
May	1	MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST
May	2	TRACT MONTH FINALE
May	6-8	MEN'S MTN. GET-A-WAY
May	7-8	"SWEET TO THE SOUL" Ladies' Conference
May	9	MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST/SERVICE
May	19-23	ANNUAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE - Dr. Pat Creed
May	31	TEEN MEMORIAL DAY OUTING
June	6	BABY DAY
June	20	FATHER'S DAY SERVICE

"Looking Unto Jesus . . ."

MOUNTAIN LAKE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH

1005 Broadford Road, Oakland, MD 21550

Dr. Dennis Leatherman, Pastor

MTN LAKE INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Preaching 10:45 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Preaching 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer & Preaching . . 7:00 p.m.

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MISSIONARY DAILY PRAYER SCHEDULE!

SUNDAY

- 1.
2. Baptist International Missions Inc. - Missions Agency
3. John Baker Family - Missions Supply
4. Mike Bardon Family - Mormon Missions
5. Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries - Tract Printing
6. Dr. Ron Bragg Family - B.I.M.I. Director, Africa
7. Jacques Brind'Amour Family - Quebec
8. Daniel Canavan Family - Ireland
9. Christian Law Association - Legal

MONDAY

10. Brian Collins Family - Singapore
11. Scott Cornoyer - Church Planting, Maryland
12. Chris Corrigan Family- Church Planting, Maryland
13. Dr. Pat Creed Family- B.I.M.I. Director, Caribbean
14. Dan DeLong Family - Australia
15. Samuel Eastep Family - Mexico City
16. Faith Baptist School of Theology - Preacher Training
17. Fellowship Tract League - Gospel Tract Printing
18. Ken Fielder Family - FirstBible International

TUESDAY

19. Graham Forbes Family - Scotland
20. Dr. Gary Forney Family - Points North Baptist Mission
21. Byron Foss Family - Bible Truth Music
22. Fundamental Broadcasting Network - Radio/Shortwave
23. Dr. Anthony Fusco Family- Troubled Girls Homes
24. Mark Gage Family - CLAIM
25. Dr. James Gardner - Amazing Grace Missions
26. Daniel Garlick Family - La Espada
27. Matt Goins Family - Honduras
28. Allen Hamilton Family - Puerto Rico

WEDNESDAY

29. Justin Hayes Family - Ireland
30. Tony Hess Family - Ukraine
31. Lewis Howell Family - New Zealand
32. James Huckabee Family - Uganda
33. Robert Huffman Family - France
34. Dr. Dan Hummel - Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries
35. Tim Ingram Family - Brazil
36. Fredrick Kearney Family - Ghana, Africa
37. Paul Lint Family - Church Planting

THURSDAY

38. Sean Lunday Family - Brazil
39. Gary May Family - Indians, South Dakota
40. Neighborhood Bible Time - Youth
41. Ed O'Brien Family - Spanish Church Planting
42. Joe Passaro Family - Military, Germany
43. Chip Paugh Family - Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries
44. Jeremy Pittman Family - Uganda
45. Dr. Jerry Reece Family - Caribbean
46. Jason Ritchie Family - Mongolia

FRIDAY

47. Dave Robinson Family - FBN
48. Dr. Jimmy Rose Family - B.I.M.I. Brazil Director
49. Dr. Fred Schindler Family- First Bible International
50. Michael Schrimshire Family - Great Britian
51. Jim Shelton Family - Puerto Rico
52. Shepherd's Home - Wisonsin
53. Dr. Clayton Shumpert Family - C.L.A.I.M.
54. Barney Schwanke Family - Church Planting, VA
55. Sword of the Lord - Literature/Evangelism

SATURDAY

56. Dwight Talbot Family - Norway
57. Robert Vance Family - Missions Supply
58. Jerry Vogel Family - Missionary Helps
59. Chris War Family - Military Church Planting
60. Shannon Whitaker Family - Canary Islands
61. Duey Whitfield Family - Spanish America
62. Ray Witmer Family - Prison Ministry
63. Jeff Williams Family - New Zealand

APRIL'S MEMORY VERSE

*Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them...
Exodus 20:4-5
(Commandment #2)*

APRIL 5 - 11 BIBLE READING SCHEDULE

APRIL 5 ☐ 1 SAMUEL 22-24

APRIL 6 ☐ 1 SAMUEL 25-27

APRIL 7 ☐ 1 SAMUEL 28-31

APRIL 8 ☐ 2 SAMUEL 1-3

APRIL 9 ☐ 2 SAMUEL 4-7

APRIL 10 ☐ 2 SAMUEL 8-11

APRIL 11 ☐ 2 SAMUEL 12-14

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS:

*AS YOU MEDITATE ON THESE
PASSAGES OF SCRIPTURE, ASK, "IS THERE:"*

- *A SIN I SHOULD AVOID?*
- *A PROMISE I CAN CLAIM?*
- *A COMMAND TO OBEY?*
- *A BLESSING I CAN ENJOY?*
- *A FAILURE FROM WHICH I CAN LEARN?*
- *A VICTORY FOR ME TO WIN?*
- *A THOUGHT ABOUT GOD, THE LORD JESUS, THE HOLY SPIRIT, SATAN, MAN?*
- *A TRUTH IN THIS PASSAGE THAT HAS GREATLY AFFECTED ME?*

"FISHERS OF MEN" CAMPAIGN!
FISHERMEN ANGLERS

Jim & Cindy Atzenhofer
Alvin & Susan Beeman Family
Denver & Heidi Bittinger Family
Holly Bouman
Ronnie & Carol Brant
Todd & Tammy Burdock Family
Andy & Vickie Clemons Family
Bill & Lesa Cole
Billy Cole
Justin & Brandy Conner Family
Dave & Shirley Crawford Family
Edd & Carolyn Davis
Billy & Beverly Demastes
Dennis & Betty Fike
Wilda Fitzwater
Betty Gallaher - Morgan
Anthony & Paula Glover Family
Cody Hardesty
Charlie Harsh
Stuart & Melissa Harvey Family
Mr. Tim Hinebaugh
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kight
Kathy Leatherman & Daniel
Jamie & Rhonda Lewis Family
Nina McRobie
Donna Miller
Bob & Glenda Morgan
Mary O'Brien
Chip & Vicki Paugh Family
John & Cheryl Ringer
Paul & Denise Rowan Family
Tom & Cindy Sharon Family
Paul & Charlette Sines
Deanna Slaubaugh - Victor
Mike Stubler
Cindy Tasker
Sue Teagarden
Jody Thomas & Sam
Larry Thompson
Jerry & Connie Vogel
Ron & Connie Wagner
Shirley Warnick

Cheri Ashby Famly
Curtis & Robin Bonner Family
Patrick & Paula Browning Family
Naomi Clemons
Ron & Debbie Coddington
Chuck & Clare Coddington, Arty
Pam Crosco
Michael & Marissa Deems Family
Chuck & Pam DeGasperi
Vick & Kathy Dilgard
Phyllis Field
Runetta Field
George & Tommi Futch Family
Joe & Jennifer Graham Family
Jessie & Helen Harsh
Paul & Mildred Harvey
David & Becky Heath Family
Mark & Jackie Hinebaugh Family
Jim & Carol Kent Family
Lonnie & Karen Lewis Family
Mark & Brenda Maffett Family
Charles & Sharron McCubbin
Andrea Miller
Brenda Mellon-Miller
Harry & Ruth Miller
Jan Morgan
Randy & Ande Overstreet Family
Phra & Betty Paugh
Clark & Sue Reams Family
Josh & Ashly Ringer Family
Brian & Sandy Schofield
Kathy Schrock
Chester & Linda Sines
Joann Sisler
Tim & Rhonda Sisler Family
Dana Slaubaugh
Darlene Steyer
Darene Swartk
David & Joy Wagner
Jeff & Jacinta Wagner
Jim & Kris Walker - Macy
Dale & Donna Wilson

Matthew 4:19 "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."



APRIL IS TRACT MONTH
Our Goal is 15,000 tracts distributed in the month of April!

CHURCH TRACT MONTH DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE:

April 10 - in BLOOMINGTON/
 WESTERNPORT, MD

April 17- in CUMBERLAND, MD

April 24 - in MCKEESPORT, PA



RADIO FUND "WAR CHEST!"

As we wait on the FCC, we are preparing for the next stage of the process. As soon as we hear from the FCC or gain any more information, we will pass it along to you, our church family and faithful listeners and supports of FBN.

OUR "WAR CHEST" GOAL:
\$35,000.00

RECIEVED TO DATE:
\$570.00



MEN'S MOUNTAIN GET-AWAY

*Bergoo, West Virginia,
May 6-8*



WORLD WIDE FAITH PROMISE MISSIONS CONFERENCE

May 19-23

*Luke 10:2,
"The harvest truly is great,
but the labourers are few:
pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest,
that he would send forth
labourers into his harvest."*



MEASURE OF THE HEART

MOTHER DAUGHTER BANQUET



April 30 @ 6:30 p.m.
Church Fellowship Hall
Speaker: Sandy Schofield

"SWEET TO THE SOUL"



*Ladies' Conference
May 7-8
Emmanuel Baptist Temple
Hagerstown, MD*

LADIES' PRAYER

Saturday, April 10 at 8:00 a.m. BREAKFAST

SUPER SENIOR'S TAX MAN LUNCHEON



Don't let the tax man get you down!! Super Senior Fellowship, Thursday, April 15 at 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a covered dish, the church will provide beverage & dessert

NURSING HOME MINISTRY

6:30 p.m. Saturday Evening (April 24)
at Goodwill Nursing Home.



THINGS TO REMEMBER WHEN PASSING OUT TRACTS

Giving out tracts is something every born again believer can do, young or old.

1. **Remember that it is each believer's responsibility to give out the gospel** (see Mat. 28:19-20; Mk. 16:15; Lk. 24:45-48; Acts 1:8; 2 Cor. 5:17-21; Phil. 2:16; 2 Tim. 4:5).
2. **Remember that by giving out the gospel you are offering the greatest gift in the world.** When we give out the gospel we are offering dead people life; we are offering poor people riches; we are offering sick people healing; we are offering lost people salvation.
3. **It is wise to read the tracts first yourself before giving them out to others.** This way you will know exactly what it says and you can refer to it when you talk to people..
4. **Make a commitment to give out so many tracts each week.**
5. **Always be pleasant and polite.** Remember that you are a complete stranger to most of the people you are approaching. Ask kindly, "May I give you something special to read?" or "I have some Good News for You" or "May I give you something that has been a blessing in my own life?" If they are busy ask them to put it in their pocket and read at home.
6. **Keep in mind that the goal is not merely to give out tracts but to find opportunities to witness to people about the Lord Jesus Christ with the goal of leading them to salvation.** Use the tracts to open the conversation, and when you find someone who is interested take the time to talk further with him and see if he or she is willing to meet again. Remember, the objective is to see people come to Christ and baptized and discipled (Matt. 28:19-20).

7. **Don't get upset or discouraged if someone says something against Jesus and the Bible or they mock you and what you are doing.** *"For unto you it is given in the behalf of Christ, not only to believe on him, but also to suffer for his sake"* (Mat. 5:11-12; Jn. 15:20; Lk. 9:26; Phil. 1:29).
8. **Give out tracts to EVERYONE, those who look like they might be interested AND to those who don't.** We cannot look upon the hearts of men and we cannot know who God might be dealing with. Jesus said preach the gospel to every creature (Mk. 16:15). *"In the morning sow thy seed, and in the evening withhold not thine hand: for thou knowest not whether shall prosper, either this or that, or whether they both shall be alike good"* (Ecc. 11:6). Ecclesiastes 11:1 says, *"Cast thy bread upon the waters: for thou shalt find it after many days."* This refers to the custom of casting seed on the marshy ground after a river such as the Nile had overflowed its banks, trusting that the seed will take root and bring forth a crop. *"When the waters receded, the grain in the alluvial soil sprang up. 'Waters' express the seemingly hopeless character of the recipients of the charity; but it shall prove at last to have been not thrown away"*
9. **One of the most important things about tract distribution is faithfulness and persistence.** Some may be thrown away but others may find them. God wants faithful workers. Don't get discouraged if nothing seems to be happening. We must do this work by faith, not by sight. Keep your eyes on the Lord and trust Him to accomplish His will and to give fruit and just continue to give out the gospel. *"But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully"* (2 Cor. 9:6). *"Moreover it is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful"* (1 Cor. 4:2).
10. **Remember that our real enemy in tract distribution is not people but the devil.** He is the god of this world who is blinding the minds of the unbelievers (2 Cor. 4:4). Thus we must have on the whole armor of God as we go about this important work (Eph. 6:11-12).
11. **Pray much for your tract distribution, both before and after.** Pray that God will open the eyes of the people so that they desire to know Him and that they will read and understand the tracts.



"The best thing I can do is enjoy the pleasures of this world, for there's no hope for me beyond the grave." That is what a 16 year old boy named James thought to himself. Although he had been raised in a devout Methodist home, he was frustrated by his growing feelings of doubt about God. He had tried *acting* like a Christian by doing the right things and associating with the right people, but he failed miserably. James thought to himself, "For some reason I cannot be saved."

Then, one afternoon, James found a Gospel Tract on a bookshelf in his home. While reading through the tract the phrase "the finished work of Christ" stuck out to him. "What does that mean?" he questioned.

In a moment he remembered something from his religious training: *"And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins and not for ours only but also for the whole world"* (1 John 2:2).

Then he thought to himself, "If the whole work was finished and the whole debt paid, what is there left for me to do?"

Years later James wrote these words about that moment when the truth finally hit him: "With this [thought] dawned the joyful conviction...that there was nothing in the world to be done but [to]... accept this Savior and His salvation."

It was not long after this eternal decision that James - James Hudson Taylor that is - now called one of the pioneer missionaries of the 19th century, received his call from God to take this same Gospel of grace to China.

God's heart for the lost explains why He has so often used gospel tracts not only to carry the Gospel where men sometimes can't go, but also to motivate men and women to join Him in seeking to save that which is lost.

