



# Family News

## Responses

*Baptized:* Stephanie Sund  
*Prayer:* T’Rose Maze  
*Restored:* Catherine Whitaker

## Hospital List

Baptist Hospital  
George White, Room 6615

Hendersonville Medical Center  
R. D. Whittle, Room 320 (husband of Betty Whittle)

Skyline Medical Center  
Henry Lance, ICU (father of Joy Hudson and Don Lance)

## Men’s Softball

If you are interested in playing men’s softball, meet with Mike Lyle **today** immediately after 10 a.m. worship in the Library.

## Women’s Softball Sign-up

Women’s softball sign-up will be today and next Sunday after 10 a.m. worship at the stage in the auditorium. If you have any questions, contact Tammy Webb at 866-8074.

## 60th Wedding Anniversary

Paul and Shirley Krantz will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary February 18. Congratulations!

## Mother/Daughter Banquet

“Mothers And Delicate Daughters”  
Mothers-in-Law and Daughters-in-Law included  
Don’t miss the chance to create a lasting memory. All daughters grade 5 up to any age, join us Saturday, February 21, at 6 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. Photos begin at 5:30 p.m. Dress is casual to dressy. Cost is \$10 each to be paid by today in the front lobby. Please bring a photo of you and your daughter and leave it at the front lobby with your registration fee. For more information, contact Judy Tedder (822-0342) or Shellie Tucker (838-0022).

## ADULT EDUCATION 9 a.m. Sunday • January - March

Classes	Location	Teachers
New Christians	TBA	Nathan White Jimmy Robinson
College-Age Singles <b>Ecclesiology</b>	Room B-2	Sean McPherson Rod Stamps
Young Professionals <b>Portraits of Christ as Seen in the Gospel of John</b>	Room B-1	Richard Swint John Young
Young and Married <b>Meet the Family</b>	Room 419	Tim Bewley Owen Slaughter
Homebuilders <b>The Christian’s Everyday Problems</b>	Room 420	Mark Hayes Barry Potts
Young & Restless <b>Grace, Faith, Works</b>	Room 421	Rodney Cloud
Baby Boomers <b>Parables</b>	Room 201	David Swanger
Seekers <b>Jesus’ Apostles and Other Disciples</b>	Room 204	Doug Brown John Kester
Keenagers <b>Jesus and His Teachings</b>	Room 422	Joe Jackson Clyde Head
Empty Nesters <b>Miracles</b>	Room 101	John Groves Karl Wagon
Special Class <b>Lamplighters</b>	Room 203	Jan Blackwell
Auditorium Class <b>1 Timothy</b>	Auditorium	Bill Ruhl Larry Graham

## Baby Showers

The congregation is invited to a baby girl shower for Melody Sheppard on Sunday, February 22, from 1-3 p.m. in the Tea Room. Melody is registered with Babies R Us and Target. She is the daughter-in-law of Brian and Amy Sheppard. Families are invited.

The ladies are invited to a baby boy shower for Rachel Peden on Sunday, March 8, from 1-3 p.m. in the Tea Room. Rachel is registered with Babies R Us and Target. She is the daughter of Bobby and Mary Jo Williams.



### Morning Worship 7:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.

Song Leader ..... Greg Marlin  
Song #213 ..... He Gave Me a Song  
Song #929 ..... Glorify Your Name  
Scripture: Luke 9:23-26 ..... Nathan White  
Opening Prayer ..... John Groves  
Song #562 ..... Savior, Lead Me  
Song #299 ..... I Stand Amazed  
Song #916 ..... Come, Share the Lord  
*Lord’s Supper - Communion*  
*Dismissal for Children’s Worship Ages 2-5*  
Song #515 ..... On Zion’s Glorious Summit  
Sermon: ..... Jerrie Barber  
“Cross Bearing - How Can I Deal with the Embarrassment?”  
Song #50 ..... Are You Washed in the Blood?  
Song ..... Since Jesus Came into My Heart  
Closing Prayer ..... Larry Parker

### Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Song Leader ..... Bob Shannon  
Song # 299 ..... I Stand Amazed  
Song #822 ..... Heaven Came Down  
Song #885 ..... Something Beautiful  
Scripture: Luke 4:16-21 ..... Jack Welch  
Opening Prayer ..... Jim Pedigo  
Song #855 ..... God’s Family  
Healing Hands International Update ..... Ron White  
Song #779 ..... Without Him  
Song #743 ..... We’ll Work Till Jesus Comes  
Closing Prayer ..... Ralph Morgan

**Church Office Hours**  
Mon.–Fri., 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
**Email Us**  
HendCOC@aol.com  
**24-Hours News Line**  
615.824.0808  
**Day School**  
615.264.0308

**Pier 511 Youth Ministry**  
www.Pier511.com  
**Singles Ministry**  
www.SingularConnections.com  
**Life of Christ Study**  
www.StudyJesus.com  
**Sermon Broadcasts Channel 3**  
Wed., 5:30 p.m., Sat., 7 p.m.

## Help Plan the Summer Series

Please help us plan the Summer Series by suggesting speakers you would like to invite your friends to hear. Who would challenge and encourage us spiritually? Who would you be glad to invite your friends to hear on Wednesday nights during June, July, and August?

You can write these suggestions on your attendance card **today** or email to [jerrie@barberclippings.com](mailto:jerrie@barberclippings.com). Jerrie Barber will compile the suggestions, submit the speakers to the elders for approval, and invite them to speak for us this summer.

## One Heart

Our first One Heart small group Bible study for 2009 will be on Sunday, March 8. For those not currently connected to a group, you will have the opportunity to sign up **today** and next Sunday. If you would be interested in leading a group or have additional questions, contact David Swanger in the church office.

## Transition Monitoring Team Meeting

The *Transition Monitoring Team* will meet in Room 101 following services **tonight**. We will be out in one hour.

## Premarital Counseling Available

Is a wedding in your plans for 2009? Premarital counseling services are available from Brian Sheppard, Family Minister, and will help you begin your marriage relationship on a solid foundation. If you would like to schedule an appointment for premarital counseling, please call Brian at 824-6622.



# Barber Clippings

## Preparing for the Preacher Search

I appreciate each one who stayed Sunday night for the *Family Meeting*. We discussed several items that are important to this congregation.

Craig Callis informed us of the hard work and good progress of the Youth Minister Search Team.

We talked about other projects that will help us reflect on us and the preacher we will seek.

### Time Line for the Hendersonville Church of Christ

We want to observe and reflect on the growth of this congregation. One way we will do this is to graph the attendance and contribution for the past 46 years. We have bulletins from 1963. We already have the averages from 1992. We have volunteers who will enter data on a spreadsheet for 18 of the 29 years. If you would be willing to complete one of the 11 years remaining, please call me at the office, 824-6622; home, 824-5548; cell, 584-0512, or email me at [jerrie@barberclippings.com](mailto:jerrie@barberclippings.com).

### Introduction to Hendersonville

Another project that will be helpful to the prospective preachers is *An Introduction to Hendersonville: Church and Community*. We will apply the Golden Rule. If you were considering and being considered as the next preacher for this congregation, what would you like to know to help make a wise decision? We want to include that information in this package. If you would be willing to work on that team, please contact me.

### Self-Study

Others are working on the Self-Study. This will be valuable for us and the preachers considering this work. Who are we? How do we view this church and its mission? What are we expecting of the next preacher? What do we expect of ourselves as Christians? What are we doing to take the Lord's message to our community and to the world? How will we work with the next preacher to accomplish the Great Commission and live the Great Commandments?

Jerrie W. Barber



# Children's Ministry News

## Mark these dates:

Sunday, March 29 - Easter Eggstravaganza  
Sunday - Wednesday, July 26-29 - VBS

**VBS DVDs** are still available for purchase at the information desk in the back lobby. The cost is \$10.

## Mother/Daughter Day Out

"Girls Just Want to Have Fun"  
All girls age 4 through grade 5, join us Saturday, February 21, from 10-12 a.m. in the Adult Annex. Cost is \$10 per family. Sign up today and next Sunday in the back lobby. If you would like to help, see Kim Bryant or Dana Craighead.

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## Food Donations Needed

The Hendersonville Samaritan Center (which serves our community) and Inner City Ministry (an effort by Churches of Christ to reach Nashville's inner city), like many helping organizations, are struggling to meet the needs of those they serve. Their food pantries are low and in immediate need of the following items: toiletries, baby food and formula, canned meats and vegetables, soup, macaroni dinners, canned fruit, peanut butter, jelly, instant potatoes, spaghetti sauces and noodles, canned juice, and cereal. Will you help replenish their pantries? Just bring any of these food items on Sunday, February 22, and drop them off in the back lobby beside the information desk.

## Medical Ministry

Are you a medically trained person, willing to volunteer to help others? On Thursday evenings in March, we plan to offer a class to help others be prepared with current medical information in case of an emergency. Each participant will receive a looseleaf notebook with their medical and emergency information. We need your help in completing contents of this notebook with their individual data. Please contact Mabel Jordan at 851-2014 or David Swanger if you can help with this ministry.

### February 15

Freda Frazor  
Christie Rochelle  
Monica Sartain  
Christi Towe  
Brad Towe  
Susan Whitehurst



### February 22

Emily Higgins  
Erin Higgins  
Sandy Higgins  
Louise McClure  
Shuhanna O'Bryan  
Tracie Thibault

# Calendar of Events

## February

- 15 Missions Meeting, 3:30 p.m., Room B
- 15 Lads to Leaders, 4-6 p.m., Room 202
- 15 Transition Monitoring Team, 7 p.m., Room 101
- 16 Ping Pong, 7-9 p.m., Pier
- 17 Ladies' Bible Class, 10 a.m., Room 420
- 17 Karate, 7-8 p.m., Pier
- 18 Senior Moments, 9 a.m., Community Room
- 19 Men's Bible Class, 9 a.m., Community Room
- 19 Karate, 7-8 p.m., Pier
- 20 Rookie Rook Club, 5:30 p.m., Community Room
- 20 Singular Connections, 7 p.m., Pier
- 21 Mother/Daughter Day Out, 10-12 a.m., Adult Annex
- 21 Mother/Daughter Banquet, 6 p.m., MPR
- 22 Baby Tea for Melody Sheppard, 1-3 p.m., Tea Room
- 23 Ping Pong, 7-9 p.m., Pier
- 24 Ladies' Bible Class, 10 a.m., Room 420
- 24 Karate, 7-8 p.m., Pier
- 25 Senior Moments, 9 a.m., Community Room
- 26 Karate, 7-8 p.m., Pier
- 27 Rookie Rook Club, 5:30 p.m., Community Room

## Singular Connections:

### Friday Night Live!

Our new Singles' Ministry, Singular Connections, will host a get-together Friday, February 20, at 7 p.m. in the Pier. All singles age 30+/- are invited to join us for Movie & Game Night, good company, and great conversation. Please bring a snack or appetizer, a 2-liter soda, and your favorite game. A coffee bar will be provided. For more information, please visit our website - [www.singularconnections.com](http://www.singularconnections.com).

## FOR THE RECORD

<b>Attendance:</b>	<b>2-8-09</b>
9 a.m. Sunday School .....	833
7:30 a.m. Worship .....	150
10 a.m. Worship .....	1248
Marriage Retreat .....	64
<b>Total AM Worship .....</b>	<b>1462</b>
6 p.m. Worship .....	391
6:30 p.m. <b>Wednesday 2/11</b> .....	562
Contribution .....	\$43,546.06
Weekly Budget .....	\$46,000.00
YTD Budget .....	\$276,000.00
YTD Contribution .....	\$259,982.00
Under Budget .....	\$16,018.00
<a href="http://www.StudyJesus.com">www.StudyJesus.com</a> .....	68,984

# FROM OUR ELDERS

Craig Callis	Larry Perry
Rick Fussell	Ron Ponders
Larry Graham	Glen Rodgers
Dennis Johnson	Bill Shannon
John Kester	Rod Stamps
Don Litchford	Karl Wagnon

# Love

Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. Honor one another above yourselves. Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with God's people who are in need. Practice hospitality.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse. Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.

Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the Lord. On the contrary:

"If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head."

Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

Romans 12:9-21 NIV

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If you have a special prayer request, attend our small group prayer session each Sunday morning at 8:45 in the Library, just before 9 a.m. Sunday Bible classes.

The Elders