

*"The Lord gave the word;
great was the company of
those that published it."
Psalm 68:11*

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Back-To-School for the Academy-August 22/TBBCS Fall Trimester Classes Begin September 6

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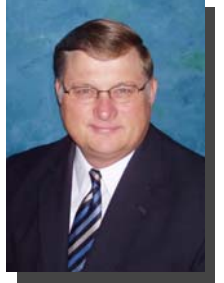
A Word From The Pastor - Dr. James W. Baker

It is that time of year again . . . school bells are ringing! Do you feel the excitement in the air? Children and parents alike are excited about the opportunities of a new year. New teacher, new classroom, maybe even some new classmates . . . the kids can't wait!

Oh, that we as adults could be that excited about the work of God! We will continue to have *Won By One* visitation on Saturdays throughout the fall. I hope you will join us! We simply knock on doors and let people in our community know that we are here, that we care about them, and that we have a message for them. If you have never gone, we will put you with an experienced partner. God will bless your efforts!

The summer was a busy one. We have had VBS, visits from missionaries, trips for the young people, the pre-school bathrooms redone, and many folks who vacationed. We are ready to settle in for the fall. School for the academy begins on Monday, August 22; a new college semester begins Tuesday, September 6; the academy will go to camp September 7-9 and hear Evangelist David Cajuat; and we are planning a special Sunday service on September 11 with Jack Knapp. The week of September 25-30, Special Meetings with Evangelist Bill Hall are planned.

As you can tell, we are off and running! Come be a part of this exciting ministry! We appreciate your attendance, financial support, and prayers.



YOUTH IN ACTION!

Andrew P. Hoyle, Youth/Assistant Pastor

The summer months have gone quickly. We praise the Lord for the great missions trip the young people were able to take in late June. Our trip included visiting to the **Creation Museum**, visiting Grace Baptist of Kettering, ministering several days in the Chicago area, and ministering at **Shepherd's Bethel** in West Baden Springs, Indiana. It was a pleasure to have the opportunity to serve alongside the **Marshall family** and the **Weiss family**. I trust that the Lord will

continue to give fruit from the trip – both in the ministries which we visited and in our own lives.

Among other things, July included hot days of literature distribution in preparation for VBS. For VBS, many of the teens (as well as plenty of adults) served as the VBS staff. After the hard week of work, the teens took a much-deserved break for some fellowship over frozen yogurt on Friday night.

In just a few days our annual Back-2-School Bash will be recent history. We are looking forward to some area churches joining us. This year's Bash speaker will be **Doug Carragher**.

Special thanks goes to the **Kunderds and Wordens** for hosting SNACs as well as a hearty thank you to all who have donated soda/water for Back-2-School Bash and the upcoming Harvest Rally. We still need a few more sodas.

In closing, don't forget to pray for the youth of today – they are the leaders of tomorrow.

FAITH MOUNTAIN *Evening Vacation Bible School 2011* *...was held July 24-29* **for children 3years through 6th Grade!**

REPORT: The Lord gave us a great week of VBS this summer. This year the **Manka family** joined Tabernacle for a week at "Faith Mountain." In the classroom the young people learned about some giants of faith and God's requirement for each one of us to walk by faith. **The Mankas** provided special music. **Mr. Manka**, along with several of his guest puppets, told lessons from history and challenged us from the Scriptures.

We praise the Lord for the kids who came to VBS and heartily thank all the adults who had a part in helping this week go well.



The Ladies' Sunday School Class

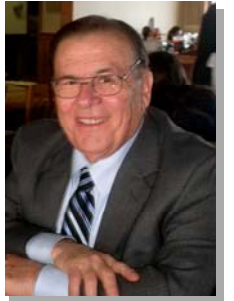
The Ladies' Sunday school class enjoyed working at the churchwide workday on Saturday and in the Vacation Bible School last month. We anticipate being able to serve in several church projects this autumn.

Keep the Shut-ins in your prayers: **Jim & Linda Bell, Alice Biser, Earlene Clark, Tom Dunlap, Glenn & Ruth Johnson, Doris Lee, Jean Linkous, Belle MacMillan, Lillian Mason, Nora Pace, Catherine Sauls, Brantley Walker, Eula Watkins, & Alma Williamson**

This is the AUGUST 2011 ISSUE. WRITE US! If you have enjoyed reading this paper, please drop us a line and let us hear from you. Thanks to all who have written! We appreciate hearing from you! If you have any church or Sunday school news, please let us know! **THIS IS THE FOURTH ISSUE OF SIX FOR THE YEAR 2011!** Please consider giving a donation to defray the production cost of the *Tabernacle Times*. Thank you!

MISSIONS AND MISSIONARIES

Dr. Carl D. Bieber, Missions Coordinator



Missions is our Mission. Tabernacle Baptist Church has had a busy two months of missionary activities. We finished the Faith Promise Year with \$151,130.00. That is \$1,130.00 over the goal. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!! We praise the Lord for His faithfulness in blessing His people and their willingness to obey. You know God could do it all without us, but He allows us to get in on the blessing. Our new Faith promise Goal is \$155,000.00 for the period July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012. It will be wonderful to see what God does through Tabernacle.

We were visited by two missionaries in July. The **Brian Horner Family** was with us on Sunday, July 17th. **Bro. Hornor** presented his vision for their work in Mexico. Pray for them as they raise their support. Our church auditor and missionary, **Dr. Bob Vallier** was with us for a week. Bob takes care of the official audit of the financial books.

The last weeks of our mission year are exciting. We know the yearly promises of support for our missionaries are already met. The question is how much will we have for special projects. Missionaries all around the world are building and expanding their ministries in hard economic times. As we met the goal and exceeded it, we now know there is extra money to send to the field. This is a great time for our people. We really can be "cheerful" givers. 2 Cor. 9:7

Tabernacle mission's giving goes around the country and the world. God enabled us to send five special gifts totaling \$2450.00 to projects in America. In addition to that we were able to send \$2550.00 to six other foreign missionary projects. All of this money will be used to win the lost and train the saints. Our God is so good!!

Another step of faith for our mission year was to increase support for eight additional foreign missionaries. God has provided for another year and the Tabernacle Family voted to assume partial support of six new missionaries. These are wonderful steps of faith for us. May our faith ever increase as we learn to trust Him. He alone is worthy. LET'S ALL BE MISSIONARIES AND WIN THE LOST.

NOTE: The following missionaries were recently added to our Missionary Family—**Kris & Rose Marie Blumer**, Lima, Peru; **Dave & Nancy Canedy**, BWM Deputation Director; **Jonathan & Angela Carl**, Brimpton, England; **Dr. Troy Manning**, Bibles International Chief Language Consultant; **Joey & Jenny Tacon**, Church Planters in Italy; **Mike & Susan Weiss**, President & Administrator of Shepherd's Bethel, West Baden, IN. Welcome to the Tabernacle Family.



THE OWLS-TBC SENIOR ADULTS July/August Events:

"The OWLS" held their annual Patriotic Picnic **July 2nd** at the **Melvin & Eva Phelps'** home, with approx. 45 in attendance!

Special Thanks to the Phelps!!! The weather was superb, the food was delicious, and the fellowship was great! On **August 28th** at 11:30 AM the OWLS 5th Anniversary Luncheon will be held in the school gym/cafeteria. A covered dish meal is planned. We are the "Older Wiser Loving Saints," and we are 55 years old and above! We are planning a day trip in the fall (tentatively October 6) during the season when the leaves change to a beautiful array of colors!

Check out our WEB SITE: www.tabernacle-vb.org

You can get our full schedule of activities from the calendars under Events on the WEB SITE!

Up-Coming Events!

Mark Your Calendars—Churchwide Visitation—9:30 AM
September 10th & 24th—October 1st & 15th
Church Blitzing—7:15 PM—September 18th

PLEASE NOTICE: If you have misplaced your monthly calendar, you can find the calendar for the church and schools activities on our web page: www.tabernacle-vb.org under Events

Volunteers Needed: Would you like to be a volunteer?
Contact the church office: 424-4673

Are YOU attending Sunday School? If you are not attending a Sunday School Class, there are many opportunities here at Tabernacle to find just the class that suits you — all the way from the nursery through adults.

Tabernacle Baptist Bible College & Seminary

Kenneth F. Sheets, Dean — Call: 424-4673, ext. 317 or 308;
E-mail: college@tabernacle-vb.org



Dr. Walter Yoho
Professor/Author

TWO OF THE GREATEST SUMMERS!

These two past summers—starting with our first summer trimester last summer—have been two of the greatest summers in the long and noble history of TBBCS. We are so thankful for the strong, solid, spiritual students the Lord is sending to us!

Registration for the fall trimester falls on Wednesday, August 31 and Thursday, September 1.

Classes begin the day after Labor Day (Tuesday, September 6). Some twenty-five courses are available to you and scheduled for your convenience. For more information contact the Dean of the College, Mr. Ken Sheets (extension 317) or the Assistant to the Dean, Mrs. Amanda Hoyle (extension 308).

In the light of current events, there are three kinds of people in our world today: there are those who are scared; there are those who are too stupid to be scared; and there are those who know their Bible. Read Luke 21:25-28. Do not let history run you over. Be on the cutting-edge of the Great Commission. Come to class—and know your Bible.

The Adult Auditorium Sunday School Class: The Adult Auditorium Sunday School Class is taking a scenic view through the New Testament. Please join us on our journey! As we come to the end of this study, there will be change in direction coming soon!—Dr. Walter Yoho



SUMMER TIME WITH THE S.S. CAREER CLASS! 2 TIM. 2:22

This summer, Jim Boorujy began an interesting study in II Corinthians. The Lord has been using this study to challenge the class in many areas.

Vacation Bible School was a busy week this summer! Many of the career singles were involved with helping in this ministry. Also, a few of the singles helped with Summer Bible Time, emphasizing missions with the young people.

In July, Miss Amanda Baker and Miss Suzanne Roberson visited Shepherd's Bethel in West Baden Springs, IN. They assisted Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weiss with landscaping the gardens and organizing the laundry facility.



Representatives from the class helped to pass out literature for a church plant in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania with Pastor Matt Manney and his wife, Amanda.

In September, eating out for Sunday lunch is planned for the Career Class. The Career Singles will be going to THE WILDS for the Singles' Conference in October.

Pictured: Tim Stalcup at VBS

AUGUST REPORT: : 7, Tract Sunday, Tabernacle Times articles are due; 7, Missionary Russell Bell, ; 8-12, TBBCS Final Exams; 12, Adventure Summer Ends, Last Day TBBCS Summer Trimester; 13, 8 AM-4 PM Churchwide Work Day, Garage Sale-sponsored by the Class 2012; 14, 3:30 PM Deacons' Mtg., 7:15 PM-Teen SNAC; 15-19, TBA—In-Service Days; 19-20, Teens' Back-2-School BASH; 20, 9:30 AM-Won by One; 21, Pastor & Mrs. Baker were recognized in the morning service for their 7th Anniversary of service here at Tabernacle, 21, 7:15 PM Teachers' Mtg.; 22, TBA Begins; 28, 11:30 AM-OWLS Anniversary Luncheon; 28, 6 PM— The Lord's Supper; 31-9/1, TBBCS Fall Trimester Registration—Classes begin September 6th. Every Wednesday—7 PM-Adults, Teen Chapel, Summer Children's Bible Time and Patch began the 24th

Blessing: The renovation of the restrooms located by the Nursery became a summer project. They were completed just in time for the beginning of school!

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE SERVICES AT TABERNACLE

Sunday School	9:00 AM
Sunday Morning Worship Service	10:00 AM
Sunday Evening Service	6:00 PM
Wednesday Service (Adults in the Auditorium)	7:00 PM
Wednesday: Patch-the-Pirate Clubs-7:00 PM; Youth Chapel-7:00 PM	

Tabernacle Baptist Academy

Mr. Curtis R. Tomlin, Administrator
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It has been a summer full of prayer and preparations as the 42nd academic year is about to begin. God has been teaching me the power of prayer as each day brought victory, defeat, or a combination of both. We have had some wonderful families that have been transferred to other places, and we will surely miss them. I am thankful that we have had the opportunity to be a blessing in their lives.

SUMMER ADVENTURE was filled full of events each and every day. Thanks to Mrs. Jessica Jewell, Mrs. Dianne Flitton, Mr. Dave Moffatt, and Miss Rochelle Labre, our camp leaders, for the excitement they brought each day. It was a blessing to see a great number of campers. We look forward to camp next year.

As we begin this school year, we are pleased to welcome Mrs. Lori (Shafer) Fredericks to our staff as our new K3 teacher. Lori is a Early Childhood graduate from Bob Jones University. For those of you who may remember, Lori is the daughter of Judy Shaffer, former staff member here at Tabernacle Baptist Church Ministries. Lori attended Tabernacle when she was a little girl. Her three children have been attending TBA for 2 years.

Our theme for the school year is "RECIPE FOR SUCCESS." Our theme verse is Joshua 1:8—"This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success."

Success for TBA will come by us blending in the right ingredients. We want to marinate positive relationships, add a bunch of love, a scoop of understanding, and a dash of biblical discipline. Our desire is that the students will have a thirst for righteousness and a zest for life.

Enroll Today! Call: 757-424-4697, ext.339

MINISTRIES

Drs. Ray and Sherrill Fulayter



TBBCS—Summer Trimester is full of challenges with regard to teaching a Bible and Science class. I personally enjoyed preparation and teaching it. Each student gave a report on different phases. We had a good number of students in several classes. We have eight students who are applying for NANC certification, and we enjoyed getting them started with their applications and exams.

Our **Sunday School Class** finished Jude and now we are studying the Book of James.

COUNSELING MINISTRY: God is continuing to bless our counseling ministry for His glory. It is great to see growth in the lives of those with whom we have the privilege of giving them the Truth that sets them free from the power of sin as well as the penalty of sin. Pray with us for God's continued blessing. Hampton Roads Biblical Counseling (HRBC) has received a 501C3 status and we are planning to use this as a tool to reach more people through this ministry and train other counselors to fulfill this responsibility in their churches. Pray with us as we develop materials to use to promote the HRBC and strive for excellence in ministering the Word of God to many who are hurting from the problems they face in life.

JULY REPORT: 1, Summer Teens' Mission Trip returned today; 2, 4 PM-The OWLS Picnic at the Phelps; 3, TRACT SUNDAY; 4, INDEPENDENCE DAY, Offices closed, TBBCS in session (Monday); 8, Youth Activity; 9, 9:30 AM Won By One Visitation; 10, 7:15 PM: Teen SNAC; 11-14, Dr. Bob Vallier-Audit Books; 11-15, VBS Literature Distribution (M, T, W, Th, F, 9 AM - Noon; M, T, & Th, 6:30-8:30 PM); 13, 8:15 PM-VBS Training; 17, 6 PM-Missionary Brian Horner - Mexico (Family too); 24-29, TBC VBS w/Dan Manka Family 6:30-8:30 PM; 24, 7 PM-Adult Evening Service (Aud.); 27, 7 PM-Adults Evening Service (aud.); 29, Youth Activity-Late Night Get-Together; 31, Benevolent Offering. Every Wednesday—7 PM-Adults, Teen Chapel, & Summer Children's Bible Time. VBS-27th

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The next articles are due OCTOBER 3, 2011. If you have church or Sunday School news that would be of interest to our church family and friends, please submit to Mrs. D. Bieber before this date!