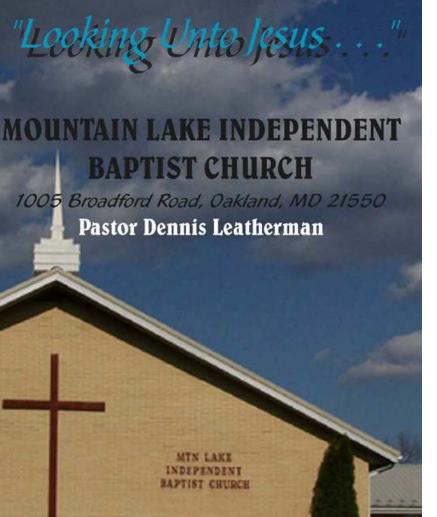




### LAST WEEK'S REPORT

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		В	uilding	ommitments (2008-2009)\$1,744.85   Fund \$595.00		
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		NUR		RY SCHEDULE		
Nov.	2	Sunday	a.m. p.m.	Vicki Paugh, Carolyn Davis Sue Teagarden, Debbie Coddington		
Nov.	5	Wed.	p.m.	Joy Wagner		
Nov.	9	Sunday		Denise and Cierra Rowan		
Nov.	12	Wed.	p.m.	Jodie Thomas, Paula Browning Jackie Hinebaugh		
Nov.	16	Sunday		Tammy Burdock, Heidi Bittenger		
Nov.	19	Wed.	p.m.	Brenda Maffett, Kelly Maffett Becky Heath		
Nov.	-	Sunday		Jan Morgan, Mildred Harvey		
Nov.	25	Wed.	p.m.	Connie Wagner, Carol Brant Robin Bonner		
				Cathy Crosco - 11/10		
<b>Paul Harvey</b> - 11/10 Kane Browning - 11/12 Mike Stubler - 11/14 Renee Harvey - 11/14						
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Nov.	16-2			AL - Dr. Don Williams		
Nov. 22 TEEN THANKSGIVING RALLY						
Nov. 25 THANKSGIVING PRAISE BANQUET						
Dec. 6 MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST						
Dec. 7 MISSIONS EMPHASIS SUNDAY - Ken Fielder						
Dec. 7 KAZAKHSTAN REPORT - Bro. Pat Browning						
Dec.				ITUTE FINALS		
Dec. 21 CHOIR CHRISTMAS CANTATA						
Dec.						
Dec.						
Jan.						
	Jan. 25-28 FINGERPRINTS MINISTRY					
Feb. 28 WILD GAME DINNER - Bro. Lee Bowman March 22-27 SPRING REVIVAL - Dr. Lou Rossi						



#### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School9:45 a.m.Sunday Morning Preaching10:45 a.m.Sunday Evening Preaching7:00 p.m.Wednesday Prayer & Preaching7:00 p.m.

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"As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God." *Psalm* 42:1  $\overline{z}$ NOV. 10-16 **BIBLE READING SCHEDULE NOV. 10** JOHN 10-11 **NOV. 11** JOHN 12-13 **NOV. 12** JOHN 14-16 **NOV. 13** JOHN 17-19 **NOV. 14** JOHN 20-21 **NOV. 16** ACTS 4-6 **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?** 

	MISSION	
	DAILY PRAYER	
1.	SUNDA Juwa Adams Family	- Kazakhstan
2.	Steve Arce Family	- Venezuela
3. 4.	B.I.M.I. Baptist Mid-Missions	- Missions Agency
5.	John Baker Family	- Missions Supply
6.	Mike Bardon Family	- Mormon Missions
7.	Beacon of Truth Baptist Mini	
8.		- B.I.M.I. Director, Africa
9.	Jacques Brind'Amour Fan MONDA	
10.	Daniel Canavan Family	- Ireland
	Christian Law Association	
	Brian Collins Family	- Singapore
	Scott Cornoyer - Ch	urch Planting, Maryland
	Dr. Pat Creed Family-B.	
	Dan DeLong Family Samuel Eastep Family	- Australia Mexico City -
	Faith Baptist School of Theo	
18.	Fellowship Tract League	<ul> <li>Gospel Tract Printing</li> </ul>
	TUESDA	
	. Graham Forbes Family Dr. Gary Forney Family - F	- Scotland
	Byron Foxx Family	- Bible Truth Music
	FBN	- Radio/Shortwave
	Dr. Anthony Fusco Family	
24.	Mark Gage Family	- CLAIM
	Daniel Garlick Family	- La Espada
	Matt Goins Family Brian Greene Family	- Honduras Church Plantino -
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	Allen Hamilton Family	- Puerto Ricc
	Justin Hayes Family	- Ireland
30.	Tony Hess Family Lewis Howell Family	- Ukraine New Zealand -
	James Huckabee Famiily	
	Robert Huffman Family	- France
		on of Truth Baptist Ministry
	Tim Ingram Family	- Brazil
36.	Fredrick Kearney Family. THURSE	- Ghana, Africa
37.	Paul Lint Family	- Church Planting
	Sean Lunday Family	- Brazi
	Gary May Family	- Indians, South Dakota
	Neighborhood Bible Time	- Youth
	Ed O'Brien Family	- Mexico Military Cormony
43.	Joe Passaro Family Chip Paugh Family - Bea	acon of Truth Baptist Ministry
	James Payne Family	- Dominican Republic
45.	Jeremy Pittman Family	Uganda
46.	Dr. Jerry Reece Family	- Caribbean
47	Dave Robinson Family	<u>Y</u> - FBN
49.	Dr. Jimmy Rose Family Dr. Fred Schindler Family	/- First Bible International
50.	Michael Schrimshire Fam	ily - Great Britian
	Jim Shelton Family	- Puerto Rico
	Shepherd's Home	- Wisonsin
	Dr. Clayton Shumpert Fa Barney Swanke Family	imily - C.L.A.I.M. - Church Planting, VA
	Sword of the Lord	- Literature/Evangelism
	SATURD	
	Dwight Talbot Family	- Norway
	Andy Tuttle Family Robert Vance Family	Peru - Missions Supply -
	Jerry Vogel Family	- Missionary Helps
		Military Church Planting
	Ray Weekly Family	- Kenya, Africa
	. Shannon Whitaker Family	<ul> <li>Canary Islands</li> </ul>
63.	Duey Whitfield Family	
63. 64.	Duey Whitfield Family Ray Whitmer Family Jeff Williams Family	Spanish America - Prison Ministry - New Zealand

# NEW MEMBER

## Rhonda Lewis <mark>Mtn</mark>. Lake Park, MD

## **TAKING HIS NAME IN VAIN**

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"Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain." (Exodus 20:7)

This is one of the Ten Commandments, of course, and is surely going to cause great consternation one day when men and women finally appear before God. Even Christians, too sensitive to use "God" or "Jesus" in careless or profane speech, often use such euphemisms as "gosh," or "gee," or similar expressions. Almost inadvertently, even conscientious Christians, when angered or pressed emotionally, feel constrained somehow to bring spiritual concepts into their exclamations—"for heaven's sake!", "son-of-a-gun!", etc., as well as other euphemisms such as "darn," "heck," and the like.

All of this, while deplorable, is nevertheless a sort of backhanded acknowledgement that God is real and biblical revelation is true. It is significant that adherents of other religions never take the names of their gods in vain! Who ever heard a Buddhist, or a Muslim, or a Hindu do such a thing? If they want to swear, they also will often inadvertently use the name of the true God, or His Christ, in vain. Even atheists frequently sprinkle their conversations with blasphemous Christian epithets, calling on God (who doesn't exist) to send someone to hell (which doesn't exist). "*He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the LORD shall have them in derision*" (Psalm 2:4).

In this day of loose and vulgar speech, Christians need especially to control their own tongues. Jesus said, "*But let your communication be, Yea, yea; Nay, nay: for whatsoever is more than these cometh of evil /or, perhaps better, 'the evil one'*]" (Matthew 5:37). Jesus has warned that "every idle word that men shall *speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment*" (Matthew 12:36). - HMM



#### WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

Brother Mike Bardon, Utah

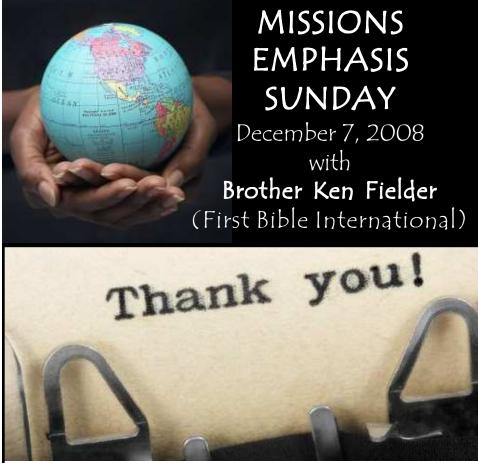
It is exciting to live at the end of the church age. It will be increasingly filled with distress, trial and opposition to God, His truth and His people. Christians in our country have enjoyed a measure of prosperity and a lack of persecution relatively unknown in most of the rest of church history. God has been so gracious, merciful and longsuffering to the USA. Especially since the 60s, many Christians and churches have displayed characteristics similar to those in Laodicea (becoming worldly, materialistic, and lacking fire and zeal for God and holy living). The salt has lost some of its savor and the lights have not been bright. As a result, there has been a decline in candidates for home and foreign missions from our country for several years. There has also been a decline in the number of students at many Bible colleges.

As changes take place in our nation over the next four to eight years it would not be surprising to see economic challenges and a shift in world economic leadership from this country to Europe (from the Dollar to the Euro). It would not be surprising to see less national support for Israel and more for their enemies. With the state approved murder of over 50 million children through abortion since 1973, we see the disastrous effects in our culture and society. We live in a perverse and ungodly nation that is accelerating its plunge into depravity (where evil is called good and good evil).

So, what should we do? (Though tempting, NOT flee to the mountains!) May I suggest a few things the Lord has impressed upon my heart for Neva and me to do. 1. "Fret not thyself because of evildoers, neither be thou envious against the workers of iniquity." (The entire 37th Psalm speaks to our situation). 2. Pray as never before for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. 3. Pray for national revival and that Christians might repent and be zealous. 4. The fields are white unto harvest and the laborers are few. Pray the Lord of the harvest will send forth laborers into His harvest. 5. Pray for souls to be saved and look for opportunities to love and minister to people in distress and share the Gospel with them. 6. Enjoy the Lord and praise Him for inner peace and purpose in troublesome times.



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Dear Church Family,

How do I adequately thank you for such an honor as you gave to me last Sunday? Thank you Connie for arranging and leading the day. Thank you all for the money, gifts, and of course for inviting my family! What a blessing! Thank you Bill and Lesa for the incredible meal and desserts! And thank you Pastor for allowing the day and giving me roses. I love you all. I am humbled and honored to be your Pastor's Wife and to be so loved. Kathy

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for thinking of me and sending the Wal Mart cards. They came in very handy. Sam