

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 TEACHER PRAYER

9:30a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45 a.m.

Sunday school is an important part of our church's Bible teaching ministry. Bring your Bible and a friend to Sunday School next week!

MORNING PREACHING SERVICE

10:45 a.m.

KING'S KIDS DOWNSTAIRS IN THE KID'S CASTLE!

Scripture Reading: Nahum 1:1-7

A Bible Message By Pastor Dennis Leatherman: "THE LORD IS GOOD!"

CDs of Sunday messages are available after each service.

CHERRY HILL NURSING HOME

CHOIR PRACTICE 5:45 p.m.

MEN'S PRAYER MEETING 6:30 p.m.

EVENING PREACHING SERVICE

7:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m.

FELLOWSHIP, SINGING, **TESTIMONIES**

A Bible Message From The Book Of Ephesians By Pastor Leatherman:

"FINALLY!"

MONDAY

EVENING

6:30 P.M.

BIBLE INSTITUTE - Bible Survey VII

8:00 P.M.

BIBLE INSTITUTE - Bible Doctines VII

WEDNESDAY

MORNING

10:00 A.M.

LADIES "SUNSHINE" VISITATION

EVENING

7:00 P.M.

MIDWEEK PRAYER

& PREACHING

We begin a new series on PRINCIPLES FOR SPIRITUAL MATURITY.

This week's message is entitled:

WHAT IS A MATURE CHRISTIAN?

THURSDAY

EVENING

7:00 P.M.



SOUL WINNING TRAINING

See God change lives through your witness!

MORNING

10:00 A.M.

BUS MEETING & VISITATION

EVENING

6:30 P.M.

GOODWILL NURSING HOME MINISTRY

See Mike Stubler for information.

EVENING

10:00 P.M.

SATURDAY NIGHT PRAYER

LAST WEEK'S REPORT

Sunday School	103 Evening Se	ervice100			
Morning Service	155 Wednesday	/ Service 75			
Last Week's	General Offering	\$2,754.29			
Last Week's Faith Missions Giving \$965.35					
Weekly Faith Promise Commitments (2008-2009)\$1,744.85					
Build	ing Fund \$59	5.00			
Building Fund Last wee	k\$0.00 Radio	Fund \$0.00			

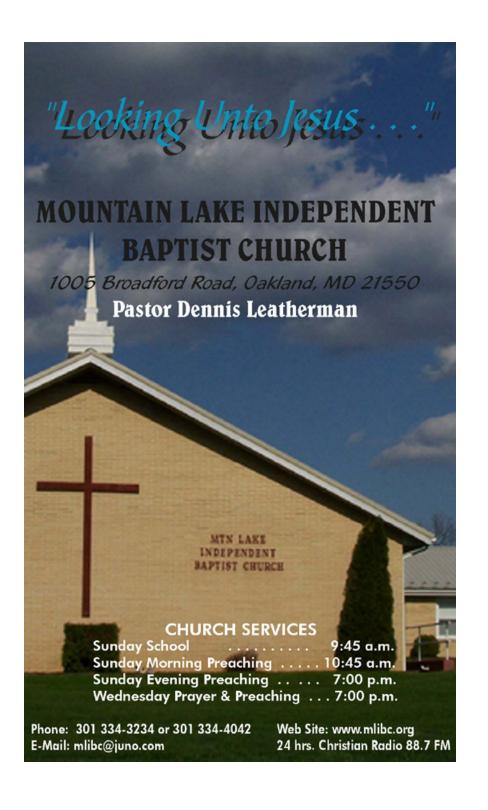
		NUR	SE	RY SCHEDULE
Sept.	21	Sunday	a.m.	Tammy Burdock, Heidi Bittenger
-			p.m.	Brenda Maffett, Kelly Maffett
Sept.	24	Wed.		Becky Heath
Sept.	28	Sunday	a.m.	Jan Morgan, Mildred Harvey
			p.m.	Connie Wagner, Carol Brant
Oct.	1	Wed.		Kathy Leatherman
Oct.	5	Sunday	a.m.	Vicki Paugh, Casey Paugh
			p.m.	Sue Teagarden, Debbie Coddington
Oct.	8	Wed.		Joy Wagner
Oct.	12	Sunday	a.m.	Denise and Cierra Rowan
			p.m.	Jodie Thomas, Paula Browning
Oct.	15	Wed.	-	Jackie Hinebaugh

Mary &'Brien - 9/21 Rhonda Lewis - 9/22 Chuck & Pam DeGasperi Anniversary - 9/22 Alex Durst - 9/23 Robin Bonner - 9/24 Cindy Tasker - 9/24 John Gay 9/24 Darene Swartke - 9/27 Alora Beachy - 9/27 ANNIVERSARIES

COMING EVENTS

BIRTHDAYS

Sept.28-30	WESTERN MD SWORD CONFERENCE
Oct. 5	KAZAKHSTAN REPORT
Oct. 9	SUPER SENIOR'S TRIP TO FLIGHT 93 CRASH SITE
Oct. 19	EVANGELIST/CHURCH PLANTER STEVE SWANKE
Oct. 22	SALVATION PRAYER MEETING
Oct. 23-25	EAST COAST SWORD LADIES'S JUBILEE - NJ
Oct. 25	MEN'S STEAK OUT
Nov. 2	KAZAKHSTAN REPORT
Nov. 16-21	FALL REVIVAL - Dr. Don Williams
Nov. 22	TEEN THANKSGIVING RALLY
Nov. 25	THANKSGIVING PRAISE BANQUET
Dec. 15	BIBLE INSTITUTE FINALS
Dec. 21	CHOIR CHRISTMAS CANTATA
Jan. 11-14	FAMILY CONFERENCE - Dr. Bill Behrens



SEPTEMBER'S MEMORY VERSE

"All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness."

2 Timothy 3:16

SEPTEMBER 22-28 BIBLE READING SCHEDULE

SEPT. 24 JONAH 1-4

SEPT. 25 MICAH 1-4

SEPT. 26 MICAH 5-7

SEPT. 27 NAHUM 1-3

SEPT. 28 HABAKKUK 1-3

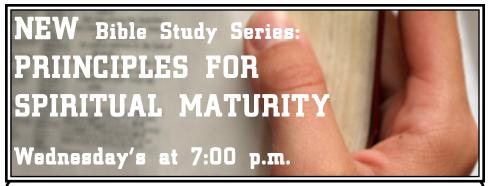
BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS:

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?

MISSIONARY DAILY PRAYER SCHEDULE!

		2CHEDOLE:
	SUNDA	
1.	Juwa Adams_Family	- Kazakhstan
2.	Steve Arce Family	- Venezuela
3.	B.I.M.I. Baptist Mid-Missions	Missions Agency
4.		- Missions Agency
5.	John Baker Family	- Missions Supply
6. 7.	Mike Bardon Family	- Mormon Missions
8.	Beacon of Truth Baptist Mini	stries - Tract Printing - B.I.M.I. Director, Africa
9.	Dr. Ron Bragg Family Jacques Brind'Amour Fan	
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10	Daniel Canavan Family	- Ireland
	Christian Law Association	
	Brian Collins Family	- Singapore
	Scott Cornoyer - Ch	nurch Planting, Maryland
	Dr. Pat Creed Family - B.I	.M.I. Director, Caribbean
	Dan DeLong Family	- Australia
	Samuel Eastep Family	 Mexico City
17.	Faith Baptist School of Theo	logy - Preacher Training
18.	Fellowship Tract League	- Gospel Tract Printing
	TUESDA	AY
19.	Graham Forbes Family	- Scotland
	Dr. Gary Forney Family - F	
21.	Byron Foxx Family	- Bible Truth Music
	FBN	- Radio/Shortwave
	Dr. Anthony Fusco Family	- Troubled Girls Homes
24.	Mark Gage Family	- CLAIM
	Daniel Garlick Familly	- La Espada
	Matt Goins Family	- Honduras
27.	Brian Greene Family	- Church Planting
	WEDNES	
28.	Allen Hamilton Family	- Puerto Rico
	Justin Hayes Family	- Ireland
30.	Tony Hess Family Lewis Howell Family	- Russia - New Zealand
	James Huckabee Famiily Robert Huffman Family	
	Dr. Dan Hummel	- France - Printing Tracts
	Tim Ingram Family	- Brazil
	Fredrick Kearney Family	- Ghana, Africa
	THURSE	
37.	Paul Lint Family	- Church Planting
	Sean Lunday Family	- Brazil
	Gary May Family	- Indians, South Dakota
	Neighborhood Bible Time	- Youth
41.	Ed O'Brien Family	- Mexico
42.	Joe Passaro Family	- Toronto, Canada ssisting Church Planters
43.	Chip Paugh Family - A	ssisting Church Planters
44.	James Payne Family Jeremy Pittman Family	- Dominican Republic
		Uganda
46.	Dr. Jerry Reece Family	- Caribbean
 	FRIDA	
	Dave Robinson Family	- FBN
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	Michael Schrimshire Fam	
	Jim Shelton Family	- Puerto Rico - Wisonsin
52.	Shepherd's Home Dr. Clayton Shumpert Fa	
	Barney Swanke Family	- Church Planting, VA
	Sword of the Lord	- Literature/Evangelism
.	SATURD	
56.	Dwight Talbot Family	- Norway
57.	Andy Tuttle Family	- Peru
58.	Robert Vance Family	 Missions Supply
	Jerry Vogel Family	- Missionary Helps
60.	Chris War Family -	Military Church Planting
	Ray Weekly Family	- Kenya, Africa
62.	Shannon Whitaker Family	- Canary Islands
63.	Duey Whitfield Family	Spanish America
64.	Rav Whitmer Family	- Prison Ministry
65.	Jeff Williams Family	- New Zealand



MEN'S STEAK OUT!

6:00 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 25, 2008 Cost: \$10.00



NEW THIS YEAR
GIANT GAS GRILL
IS OUR DOOR PRIZE!
Speaker:
DR. LARRY AIKENS.

Emmanuel Baptist Temple, Hagarstown, MD

THE BIBLE & SPEAKING IN TONGUES



A 5 part series preached by Pastor Leatherman
Individual message cd's - \$3.00 each
Entire Album - (all five messages on cd) \$10.00.
All messages on one disk in mp3 format - \$5.00
For more information, see Daniel Leatherman or Dave Heath.

THE MERCY OF THE LORD

"The LORD is gracious, and full of compassion; slow to anger, and of great mercy." (Psalm 145:8)

Not one of us **deserves** God's mercy, for "we have turned every one to his own way" (Isaiah 53:6), and "all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). What we deserve is death and eternal separation from the God who made us. Nevertheless, "It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not" (Lamentations 3:22). "He hath not dealt with us after our sins. . . . For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him" (Psalm 103:10-11).

It is by His mercy, not our merit, that we are saved. "Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us" (Titus 3:5). "God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us, Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;)" (Ephesians 2:4-5). It is "according to his abundant mercy" that He has "begotten us again unto a lively hope" (1 Peter 1:3).

In fact, one of the very titles of God is "the Father of mercies" (2 Corinthians 1:3). Over and over the psalmist assures us that "His mercy endureth for ever" (26 times in Psalm 136:1-26; also Psalm 106:1; 107:1; 118:1; etc.). His mercy is not only infinite, but eternal.

How can one possibly reject His mercy? "Despisest thou the riches of his goodness and forbearance and longsuffering?" (Romans 2:4). Sadly, most do. Instead, the divine challenge is: "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind" (Romans 12:1-2). This is our logical response to God's great mercy!





GOODWILL NURSING HOME MINISTRY

Saturday, September 27 at 6:30 p.m.

Psalm 71:9, "Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth."



