



Mount Hermon Baptist Church

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Power Lab starts this Sunday!

Summer Bible Fun begins each night at 6:00 PM for children age preschool thru grade 5. July 22-27. As they discover Jesus' miraculous power, they will enjoy... making new friends, amazing crafts, wacky snacks, mind-blowing Bible adventures, hyperspeed games, incredible music!

If you have not pre-registered for Summer Bible Fun at <https://www.groupvbs.com/webtoybox/myvbs/MountHermon>, on site registration begins at 5:30 PM this Sunday

Friday night – 6:00 PM is Parents & Family Night, which includes a BBQ dinner. **Parents, please bring a dessert to share for this dinner. Thanks!**

Some photos from Parent-Child Dedication on Father's Day



**Judd & Bridget George
with Hyla**



**Scott & Heather Szczesniak
with Scarlett, Tyler & Emilee**



**Jason & Heather Mitchell
with Kaylie**

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- **Passport/Passways information meeting:** this Sunday, June 22, in the youth rooms immediately after worship. All forms and fees to be turned in at this time.



Youth Pool Days

Every **Wednesday, 2:00 to 4:00 PM** at the Godseys'
17400 Genito Road. -- Bring a friend



Reminder for those going to Nationals game June 28: be at church by 3:15 PM at the latest. Bus leaves at 3:30 PM sharp.

Softball Games...

Ladies – Mon., June 23, 7:00 PM at #7

Men – Thur., June 26 , 6:45 PM

New and Updated Prayer Concerns...

Sympathies to Billy Bare & family in the death of his uncle in NC last week

Shannon Abernathy, daughter of Gerri Abernathy and granddaughter of Marguerite Bendall, is in serious condition at MCV

Viola Morris, declining health, at home

Sundays

Children's Ch. June 22 - Scott & Julie Bass
June 29 – Terri, Lindsey & Becca Matthews

Nursery Care June 22 - Aurelia & Jim Moniz, Kim Robben
June 29 – Chip & Becky Hancock, Scott Green

Ushers June 22 - Woody Carter, David Cox, Roger Mann,
Vincent Russell, Joanne Hall
June 29 - Ken Paul, Chris Edwards, Charles Payne,
Rachel Boothe, Mary Ann Mann

Beth Moore - *Living Proof Live 2008*
August 1&2, at Second Branch Baptist Church
Tickets \$40.00 (includes snacks)

”This past weekend I had the opportunity to attend a Beth Moore retreat called "Loving Well" organized by several of our sister churches. It was Fantastic! Our time together was spent in great Bible study, worship, songs, small group conversations, and plenty of good food. We began Friday evening with the first part of our study and finished in the early afternoon Saturday. It was an incredible experience being with so many women: laughing, sharing, and worshipping together (and yes we did shed a few tears together.) Several Mount Hermon ladies were there and are planning to attend the *Living Proof Live 2008*. We'd love to have more MHBC ladies share in this event. -- If your interested, contact me for details and ticket information.” – Susan Prather

Middle District will be collecting **school supplies** for local public school systems. Mount Hermon is one of the drop off locations **Hand sanitizer, tissues, marble notebooks, three-inch 3-ring binders, and Ziploc bags (quart and gallon) are especially needed, along with the normal supplies.** (Chesterfield County has requested no crayons or glue be collected, as they have plenty.) These items are needed by August 24.

Church Yard Grass will be in concert on Sunday, June 29, 6 p.m. at Elkhardt Baptist, 6715 Hull Street Road. Everyone is invited.

Bethel Baptist Church, 1100 Huguenot Springs Rd., invites you to a concert by The Dove Brothers – Thursday, July 31, 7:30 pm.

There is no charge, but a love offering will be received

Quotes for Today

A moment's insight is sometimes worth a lifetime's experience.

- Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr.

Success: Big shots are only little shots who keep shooting.

- Christopher Morley

Silent gratitude isn't very much use to anyone. - Gertrude Stein

Happy Birthday this Week!

June 23 – Jason Garber	June 24 – Keelani Waldrop
June 23 – Austin VanHouten	June 27 – Ellie Eungard
June 23 – Lindee Brevard	June 27 – Bill Hall, Sr.
June 24 – Bea Gallier	June 27 – Shannon O’Neill
June 24 – Kevin Nichol	

Sunday – June 15, 2008

Worship	141	Contributions	\$ 3,932.00
Sunday School	68	Avg. weekly needs	4,009.00
Building Fund	\$ 75.00	Year to date:	\$ 90,792.58
		Avg. Budget needs:	96,216.00

From the Pastor *The Basic Task*

In the June 2008 issue of *Context* are some insights from Princeton theology professor Ellen Charry on the role of music and theology. One brief sentence jumped out at me: “The basic task of theology is to help people know, love, and enjoy God better.” How simple, how true!

I could not help but transpose the statement a bit to say that “**the basic task of a church is to help people know, love, and enjoy God better.**”

What better way to “keep the main thing the main thing”? And if we are not doing this, what ARE we doing?

Give God the glory... that is, make God look good. We do that by our kindness and genuine love for each other, and for all people. We do it by stepping up and doing our part with a positive attitude and willingness. We do it by taking attention off ourselves so as to lose ourselves in God. MHBC is a great church when it helps people *know, love, and enjoy God better*. Agreed?

In His love,

Lee

Worship – June 22, 2008

Choral Call to Worship	“King of Kings”	Choir
Scripture Call to Worship	John 14:15,20-21	Pat Bentley
Invocation Prayer		
* Praise Song # 4	“To God Be the Glory”	

