



## Mount Hermon Baptist Church

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### Bible 101 – Genesis 5-6

The Bible genealogy (Gen. 5) records people living *very* long lives  
Then, God decides to place the limit on human life to \_\_\_\_ years.

God decided to wipe out mankind because:

- a) God was in a bad mood and just felt like it
- b) they had invented rap music
- c) mankind was so wicked and evil
- d) God got such a kick out of wiping out the dinosaurs,

He thought he'd do it again with mammals

But God found one guy who was righteous; his name was \_\_\_\_\_.

God told this good man how to build an \_\_\_\_\_.

When this man heard such instruction, he:

- a) thought his buddy Ernie was playing a practical joke on him
- b) asked a lot of questions
- c) made up some really good excuses
- d) did exactly as God commanded

[see end of Enewsletter for answers]

### Youth had a blast Sunday night!





### Operation Christmas Child

Pack a shoebox or two with small toys and gifts. Samaritans Purse ministries will give these shoeboxes to children who will have nothing else for Christmas as a way of sharing God's love and the good news of His gift to us, Jesus Christ all over the world.

**(Shoe box preparation instructions can be emailed to you on request, or are available at church.)**



**House for Rent**, 18001 Genito Road

(church parsonage) 3 bedroom, 2 bath, basement

Call 837-8114 or 739-3760



**Wednesday dinner Menu, Oct 28 - 6:00 PM**

**Covered-dish, everyone bring some good food!**

**Music & Missions for Kids - 6:45 to 7:30 PM**

**Handbells – 6:45 PM**

**Bible Study – Job: *Longing For Help***

**Choir – 7:30 PM**

## Sunday ministers

**Children's Church** – Christmas practice

**Nursery Care**

Oct 25 – Debbie Ellison, Darian Spivey

Nov 1 – Heather & Scott Szczesniak, Lindsey Matthews

**Ushers**

Oct 25 – Woody Carter, David Cox, Roger Mann,  
Vincent Russell

Nov 1 – Brian Nichol, Bill Hall, Chip Hancock,  
Levis Crump, Gary Carpenter

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## New & Updated Prayer Concerns...

- **Anna Mae Dickson**, home from hospital
  - **Mitchell Heath**, outpatient surgery on knee today
  - **Rick Pratt**, tests for facial pain
  - **Mavis Allen**, Ken Paul's mother, in hospital in Belhaven, NC
  - **Carol Bass**, Valerie Mann's mother, health problems
  - **Martha Fletcher** Cheryl Crump's mother, home from hospital
  - **Nancy Hamacher**, wife of our association leader Jim Hamacher, in Johnston-Willis, broken leg
  - **Melvin Rudd**, Craig Rudd's father, in Chippenham recovering from surgery
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## Happy Birthday this Week!

Oct 25 -Wendy Lindberg	Oct 29 - Bonnie Manley
Oct 26 - Benjamin Moniz	Oct 29 - Joey Capps
Oct 26 - Evan Thompson	Oct 29 - Ron Hatcher
Oct 27 - Holley Tarkenton	Oct 30 - Herb Dodrill

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### *Quotes for Today*

**Weave in faith and God will find the thread.** - Proverb

**Some people, no matter how old they get, never lose their beauty—  
they merely move it from their faces into their hearts**

**- Martin Buxbaum**

In every season there is significance. For time is a gift sprinkled with stardust and blessed with nature's wonder. –Flavia

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**Sunday – October 18, 2009**

Sunday School – 45	Contributions	\$ 4,436.00
Worship – 87	Avg. weekly needs	3,765.00
Building Fund - \$410.00		
	Given to date:	\$ 151,186.30
	Total budget needs:	158,130.00

**Special gifts...**

To the Mount Hermon Mission Offering in memory of Barbara Bass  
by her family

To the Building Fund in memory of Barbara Bass by Jim & Ann Bernard  
in memory of Bob Hatcher by Mary Hatcher

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**From the Pastor**

*Who Said That?*

As you read the *Quotes for Today* that appear in our church newsletter each week, it is likely that many of the quotes are from people familiar to you. On the other hand, there are many others quoted whose names don't ring a bell. – "I know who Mark Twain is, but who is Langston Coleman? Ivern Ball? Antonio Porchia?"

Hey, I don't know either. But does that matter? It seems the more important questions would be: "Is this statement true?" "Does that insight resonate or illustrate?" "Is this a valid point or baloney?"

If an observation rings true, does it matter who said it? Truth stands on its own feet, not on the character or reputation of the one saying it. And yet it works the other way around, too. Because of the excellent character or accomplishments of the speaker, what he/she says has much more value to be worth hearing.

We Christians revere any direct quote from Jesus, the Son of God, and we try our best to understand what He says. We do the same with the writings of Paul. Their insights are invaluable precisely because they are from God's spokesperson. Because of Who He Is, we know that whatever Jesus says is true... helpful... powerful.

And you can quote me on that.

In His love,

**Lee**

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**Worship – October 25, 2009**

*What's In YOUR Heart?*

