



Mount Hermon Baptist Church

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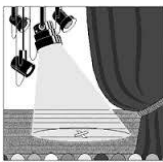


Tonight at church, we welcome **Brenda Evans**, who will share information about the great mission work done by **Operation Christmas Child** and how local collection efforts move the shoeboxes we donate to needy children all over the nation and the world.



is a united national effort for people to care for people in their local communities who are hungry and in need. Each year on Super Bowl Sunday, youth across the nation help serve and encourage everyone to give. On this Super Bowl Sunday, Mount Hermon youth are asking you to give to help support the ministry of **Richmond Friends of the Homeless**. Mount Hermon Youth will be in the commons area to accept your donation after the worship service.

No Youth Gathering on Super Bowl Sunday - enjoy the game!



Talent/Variety Show-Silent Auction

Sunday, Feb 22 - 5:00 pm

A fun fundraiser to help our youth go to Passport camp in July. *If you are interested in sharing your talent, donating an item, or preparing a gift basket, please contact Susan Prather.*



Health screenings

at MHBC – Friday, Feb 20

Life Line Screening offers a variety of important preventive health screenings. Printed info is available at church. – **To register** and receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners. – **Here are some commonly asked questions:**

Will it hurt? No. They use Doppler, color flow ultrasound, which is painless and considered the gold standard in uncovering early stroke and vascular disease. It is the same equipment commonly used on pregnant women.

How accurate are results? Very. They have been classified as hospital-grade and state of the art.

How old should someone be to get a baseline test? 40 with family history. Those over 50 should be screened so if there are findings, they can get under a doctor's care and receive treatment as early as possible.

For a video about this, go to <http://www.lifelinescreeningblog.com/introduction/>



Passport Kids! July 29-August 1

at Eagle Eyrie in Lynchburg, VA

Four children and 3 adults are already registered for this minicamp for children grades 3-6 (children must have *completed* 3rd grade.). Cost is \$260 per person. Susan Prather has information, so contact her.



Men's Weekend!

March 13-15 at Kiptopeke State Park, Eastern Shore

A time of good fellowship, spiritual enrichment, and recreational activities.

Cost is only \$50 + food expenses to be determined on the trip. Sign up now, or by Feb 15, with Lee Thompson: ljtelk@verizon.net or 337-0269



Washington Nationals vs Pittsburgh Pirates

June 19, 7:05 pm

Section 132 (same good section as last year)

Mark your calendars

Wednesday – Feb 4



5:45 pm – Dinner: Beef taco set-up, Mex-Tex chicken casserole, dessert

6:45 pm – Prayer Time & Bible Study

Handbells

Children's activities

7:30 pm – Choir Rehearsal

Prayers appreciated for...

- **Margaret Crump**, Johnston-Willis, 327
 - **Mike Abernathy**, at the Laurels of Bon Air, 104
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Happy Birthday! February

1 Daniel Hall
2 Niki Pettus
2 Christie O'Neill
4 Bill Hall, Jr.
4 Rick Witt
7 Sarah Perrot

Thoughts for Today

**It is easier to leave angry words unspoken than to mend
a heart these words have broken.**

**God has given you one face, and you make yourself another.
- William Shakespeare**

Sunday – Jan 26

Adult classes: 37 Worship: 93

Children: 8 Nursery: 7

Contributions – \$3,881.00

Avg. weekly need – 3,922.00

Budget needs to date: \$15,688.00

Contributions to date: 18,283.00

The Mount Hermon Memorial Association gratefully acknowledges
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From the Pastor...

WORK: A Four-Letter Word?

Work is the meat of life, pleasure the dessert.

Bertie Charles Forbes

It is the quality of our work which will please God and not the quantity.

Mahatma Gandhi

To some, their job is merely a necessary evil; a curse to be endured.

To others, work is everything and they are workaholics.

For others, it is a joy, pleasure, and passion.

So what is work or your job like for you?

We live in a time where very few of us know the rigors of hard labor. So many jobs are mental rather than physical. They tax and test us in ways other than sweat and heavy lifting. And yet, we can grow tired of our jobs and long for something else to do, or for what we think is the blessing of doing nothing.

All positive work is valuable and honorable. The trash collector is as needed as the CEO. The nurse is often more helpful than the doctor. We need not sneer at any honest occupation, and each worker should always give his/her best. – As the Bible says...

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters... Colossians 3:23

Now get back to work!

Lee

February 1, 2015 – 10:30 am



Call to Worship	<i>Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty</i>	Choir
Scripture & Prayer	Psalm 145:10-18	Bill Green
*Song of Praise 572	I Love to Tell the Story	
*Greeting Each Other		
Welcome & Highlights		
<i>Souper Bowl of Caring</i>		Katie Corbitt
Old Testament Scripture	2 Kings 4:42-44	Susan Prather
	<i>Feeding 100</i>	
*Offering Song 601	Teach Me, O Lord I Pray	
*Offering Statement & Prayer		Bill Green

Solo
New Testament Scripture John 6:1-14 *Feeding 5,000*
 Brandon Garrett, Jacob Dix, Savannah Wright, Tyler Kowalewski
Prayer Brandon Garrett
Message **What Will We Eat?** Susan Prather
**Gathering at the Table* Hymn 366 Let Us Break Bread Together
Communion
*Commitment Song 390 We Are Called to be God's People
Following Jesus