

March 30th 2014



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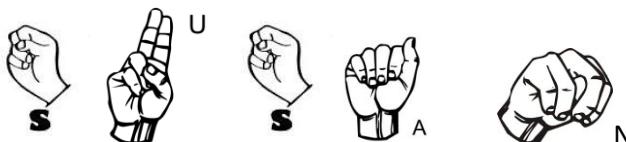
April 27th 6:00 pm Ethan Shrum



Terry and Lisa Parker
5th



Today is Larriyah Greer's
Birthday



Susan Coon will be participating in the Metro Parks Disabilities Program. They will present Songs through Sign, on Friday night, April 4 at the Looby Theater. This is a fund raiser for the program.

Pray without Ceasing

Mrs. Kemp has been in the hospital. She is doing better but not back at home yet.

Linda's Mother has a friend who recently lost his wife. There are many at that church who are unable to attend due to health issues.

Bro. Jr. Moore had surgery again Monday for two blood clots in his neck. On Tuesday they had to go back in to repair internal bleeding. Pray for his recovery.

Elder Rick Huskins, in Indiana has serious liver illness.

Bro. Rick Jones is much better but still has some seizures.

Mary Jo as been feeling better. Pray that she will be able to meet with us soon.

Last weeks Preacher asked prayer for his grandchildren that they will be saved when they become accountable.

Old Fashion Gospel Hour

Faith was to be featured this morning.

Old Pass will be featured April 6th

5th Sunday Dinner and Singing

TODAY Old Macedonia Boys



June	29th	Midstate quartet
August	31st	visiting group
November	30th	Wilburn and Wilburn

Jubilee 2014 April 11th

Longview Missionary Baptist Church
See details in the vestibule.

Saturday May 3rd at 9am.

Breakfast will be at Church. If you show up at Bert and Brenda's house you will be hungry (my fault). Everyone come hungry and bring someone with you.

God With Us Ladies Fellowship

Meets every 3rd Tuesday of the Month at the Church

Tuesday April 15th Sister Brenda Lanier will be our speaker. She will talk on whatever God tells her to talk about.

Tuesday May 20th Sister Lisa Parker will be our Speaker. She will speak on personalities.

Irene is in the mountains this weekend visiting her kids and grandkids. Kari and I were in Kentucky and the Mountains this past week doing the same. We got in late and my computer was not cooperating. Neither rain, nor sleet, nor lack of sleep will stop the Bulletin from being delivered. At least up until the end of MAY!

Revivals

Tonight at 7:00pm

Old Path in Smyrna, TN

Tonight at 6:00 p.m.

Grace MB Church in Gallatin

Ocana Community Center Bldg.

Tonight at 7:00 pm.

Hendersonville Missionary Baptist Church

John Michael Carver (evening service)

June 15th until June 21st at 6:30pm

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Elder Benny Maggart

I was saved on Monday night, July 3, 1961, at Mt. Tabor Missionary Baptist Church near Pleasant Shade, TN. For a year I had sought the Lord at the altar on numerous occasions, sometimes in earnest but, often, out of other's expectations.

Facing the pulpit, I was sitting at the end of the fourth bench from the front next to the middle isle. (If you go there now, it's the third bench back since the front seat was later moved to give more room in the altar area.) It was the second night of the second revival meeting in the new building.

Elder Robert Gregory, the pastor, preached, though I don't remember any of the message. Following his sermon, he came into the altar and said he felt the saints should pray. Brother Gregory dropped to his knees and began to pray as did others. No mention of an altar call for sinners had been issued. Out of habit, I had my handkerchief in my hand ready to go to the mourner's bench. For the first time the seriousness of condemnation gripped my soul. I was afraid an altar call would not be given and I might not be granted another chance. Hell seemed just one step away, and I could not see past that realization.

From my heart, the expression of need for the Savior was carried by the Holy Spirit to Jesus, who interceded to the Father for me. The answer came swiftly back to my soul; forgiveness was granted!

I waited while four people testified. Unable to contain it any longer, I arose and stepped into the isle, headed toward Brother Gregory, and exclaimed, "The Lord saved my soul, and I'm proud of it!"

For the next several minutes, my mother, father, an uncle and several others shouted and rejoiced in celebration of the new-born deliverance of another child into God's family.

Fifty years later, I am still proud of what God did for me through the shed blood sacrifice of His Son, Jesus. The joy and realization of what I have just keeps getting better the closer to home I get.

Elder Benny Maggart
July 18, 2011

Pastor's Comments

I missed being here last Sunday morning but was glad to return from Kansas City for Sunday night's service. This past week was the Old Union Minister's School near Bowling Green, KY. I attended the mission conference on Tuesday. The school was Wednesday through Friday. Due to illness, I didn't attend the school. Wed. till the present (Fri. evening) I've had a stomach infection, fever and chills. I'm aching now but pray I'll be recouped by the time you read this.

I'm looking forward to our fifth Sunday all-day service. The Old Macedonia Boys will be a blessing. Buffalo Springs Church is putting off their 5th Sunday afternoon service till next week so they have the opportunity to be with us.

Singing can be a great spirit lifter if we get absorbed in the message of the songs. The Bible says we should "sing in the spirit". That tells me the Lord endorses gospel singing as a way to worship Him and use our talents to share the blessed hope for salvation and heaven.

Spirit filled gospel singing has many times helped me when troubled, lifted my soul to heavenly heights when rejoicing, and renewed my spirit when life is dragging me down. I hope you enjoy the day as much as I expect to.