

MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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“Every member a STUDENT, a SERVANT, a SOWER, and a STEWARD”

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FROM OUR PASTOR

Rev. David Hall

Outstanding Ministers and Conferences Ahead: Reserve Some Dates

In April of 2008, Midway hosted the Philadelphia Conference on Reformed Theology. It provided an outstanding opportunity for our congregation and our region to hear the likes of Joel Beeke, Phil Ryken, Bob Godfrey, Paul Jones, Rick Phillips, and others. We are blessed to have some fantastic guest speakers lined up for the coming cycles, and I wanted to tell you about these now and suggest that your reserve these dates.

2009 Reformation Heritage Conference with Dr. Paul Jones, Organist of Tenth Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia. One of the churches in our presbytery (Grace PCA, Douglasville) has an annual conference that features top international speakers (Iain Murray, Darryl Hart, Michael Horton, etc), and this year, we're combining with them and others for the Reformation Heritage Conference, **Oct 30-31** at Midway. Dr. Paul Jones, a hymnwriter, musician, and godly scholar will lead us and have times to learn some new hymns. This should be an invaluable aid to assist us in growing in our praise. Please plan to be with us on Friday evening and Saturday, October 30-31.

For more details on the conference, see:

<http://www.grace-pca.net/GenericPage/DisplayPage.aspx?guid=22B49CAE-635C-4970-A2B6-F37F9CFB31B3>

And each Midway member may attend free; the conference fee will be waived for you. So enjoy! And glorify!

2009 Missions Conference with Rev. Carl Robbins (Woodruff Road PCA near Greenville, SC) is **November 6-8**. Along with visiting missionaries, Pastor Robbins—once a mentor to Joel Smit and now pastor to Bobby and Terri Negron—will bring us stirring expository messages on the call to missions. This is an outstanding opportunity.

Christian Life Conference, April 16-18, 2010, with Steve Lawson as Guest Speaker. Steve Lawson is an in-

credible preacher and one of the younger Reformed Baptists, disciplined by John MacArthur and being groomed by R. C. Sproul (he's at several Ligonier conferences this year: <http://www.ligonier.org/conferences.php>). We chose him to be one of the conference preachers for Calvin500 and were not disappointed. He's one of the finest expository preachers of our day. He's also the author of *The Expository Genius of John Calvin* (http://www.amazon.com/Expository-Genius-John-Calvin/dp/1567690858/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&s=books&qid=1250175053&sr=1-1) and *The Unwavering Resolve of Jonathan Edwards*, among other works (for his other works, see http://www.amazon.com/Steven-J-Lawson/e/B001JS0M82/ref=ntt_dp_epwbk_T1_0).

Steve is a frequent speaker at Ligonier, Philadelphia Conference on Reformed Theology, and Shepherds' Conferences. He is a leader in the SBC, seeking to return to the Reformed roots. If you wish, please further familiarize yourself with Dr. Lawson's church and pastoral ministry at: <http://www.cfbcmobile.org/>. We will also invite all the churches in our presbytery for this outstanding opportunity.

Dr. R. Albert Mohler, President of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary said: “Dr. Steve Lawson is one of the most committed and capable biblical expositors of this generation. The intensity and clarity of his commitment to biblical preaching to true expository preaching is the hallmark of his ministry. Beyond this, Steve Lawson understands that the text of the Bible presents a consistent witness to God's sovereignty and the panoramic display of God's glory. All this is evident in his preaching ministry and in his writing ministry as well. Dr. Lawson is a remarkable man driven by a remarkable passion.”

Put these dates down and reserve the time! It will be a blessing.

From the Pastor cont. / A Special Thank You

Christian Life Conference 2011 with Michael Horton. It sounds like a long time off, but to host some of the finest speakers, Midway's 2011 Christian Life Conference speaker will be Dr. Michael Horton of Westminster Seminary California on **April 8-10, 2011!** Mike's latest book, *Christless Christianity*, is a huge best seller and for good reason. Several Sunday School classes are viewing it in DVD form now, and he is also the founder and host of the White Horse Inn radio program. Plan now to hear one of our nation's finest preacher and theological mind.

Why pay for a great national conference, when you have the message brought here?!? Our Session is seeking to serve and build our flock up in the Word. Please mark these dates on your calendars and invite some friends!!

Can you help with the General Fund?

Most churches have a traditional giving-lag over the summer months when folks are often on vacation. Ours normally does, too. As we are watching our expenses, shouldering an ambitious debt-retirement, and seeking to keep all our commitments, may I ask you to remember our General Fund, perhaps with an additional gift? We all know businesses, churches, and charities that are in grave need, and the Lord is providing here, but please remember your church first.

Thank you for all your faithfulness and generosity.

CUTTING FLOOR

As you may know, I'm sort of a big John Calvin fan (and not only in this year that marks his 500th birthday). His commentary on Acts is helpful. Enjoy a few of his insights below, which I have been as I prepare sermons.

"Wherefore, seeing that our dullness is so great, that we ascribe less authority unto the Scriptures than we ought, we must diligently note such manner of speeches, and acquaint ourselves with them, that we may oftentimes remember that authority of God to confirm our faith withal."

"God did not only foresee that which befell Christ, but it was decreed by him. God not only to know before things to come, but of his own will to determine what he will have done."

"They were pricked in heart. Luke doth now declare the fruit of the sermon, to the end we may know that the power of the Holy Ghost was not only showed forth in the diversity of tongues, but also in their hearts which heard. And he noteth a double fruit; first, that they were touched with the feeling of sorrow; and, secondly, that they were obedient to Peter's counsel. This is the beginning of repentance, this is the entrance unto godliness, to be sorry for our sins, and to be wounded with the feeling of our miseries. For so long as men are careless, they cannot take such heed unto doctrine as they ought. And for this cause the word of God is compared to a sword, (Heb. Iv. 12,) because it doth mortify our flesh, that we may be offered to God for a sacrifice. But there must be added unto this pricking in heart readiness to obey. Cain and Judas were pricked in heart, but despair did keep them back

form submitting themselves unto God, (Gen. iv. 13; Matth. xxvii. 3.) . . . We see many oftentimes pricked, who, notwithstanding, do fret and murmur, or else forwardly strive and struggle, and so consequently, go furiously mad, Yea, this is the cause why they go mad, because they feel such prickings against their will. Those men, therefore, are profitably pricked alone who are willingly sorrowful, and do also seek some remedy at God's hands."

"Doctrine and of the ministry in the miracles which God doth work, so that we be not blind. And whereas it is not of sufficient force among the wicked, because they may now and then be deceived with the false miracles of Satan, this must be imputed unto their own blindness; but whosoever hath a pure heart, he doth also know God with the pure eyes of his mind, so often as he doth show himself. Neither can Satan otherwise delude us, save only when, through the wickedness of our heart, our judgment is corrupt and our eyes blinded, or at least bleared through our own slothfulness."

Thank You!

I want to thank all who had a part in the reception held following the August 16th presbytery wide 6 pm worship service where we all enjoyed delicious cupcakes and ice cream and I was presented a beautiful floral arrangement and a sumptuous chocolate birthday cake to help me celebrate my 85th birthday. In addition, a beautifully engraved plaque of a resolution adopted by the elders, deacons and congregation of Midway and Northwest Georgia Presbytery was read and presented to me by Pastor David Hall in honor of my 52 years of preaching God's Word by establishing the Todd W. Allen Scholarship Fund for Pastoral Studies, to be a perpetual fund for providing financial assistance to men desiring to enter the preaching ministry, to be managed by a Board of Trustees.

What a blessing! The Todd W. Allen scholarship fund will extend beyond my lifetime to help men desiring to enter the preaching ministry. It truly was the most significant and precious birthday present I have ever received or ever expect to receive.

My heartfelt thanks to all who participated in this special occasion and a sincere thank you to all who gave one of the many birthday cards I received containing such kind and gracious words that I will treasure forever.

In Sincere Appreciation and Thanksgiving to God,

Todd W. Allen

Youth / Young Adults Group

Without A Hint

Pastor Joel Smit

We live in an image driven society. All you have to do is turn on the television or pick up the magazine or log on to the internet to recognize this reality. A certain image is portrayed as what is “in” or “stylish” or “the latest”; and according to the advertisers, the more racy, scandalous, and sexy the ad is the better.

This constant bombardment of advertisement attempts to portray a worldview in which every individual is self-governing, choosing to do whatever they feel or please. This attitude carries into every area of life – how I dress, how I speak, how I act, how I spend my free time, etc. As long as it is not hurting or bothering others, (we are told) you are free to engage in it, and no one or nothing can tell you differently. The slogan of this worldview is, “if it’s good for you – do it!!”

The Bible knows nothing of this aberrant worldview, for the Christian must be God-governed, not self-governed. He is not free to do whatever he pleases, he is to do as God pleases. Therefore he must conform to what God says and dictates in His word. When it comes to our conduct, the overall message of the Bible is that the Christian is to be modest and chaste in word, actions, and thoughts.

Our youth get caught being pulled between the standard of the world and God’s standard. The pressure of being “cool” or “fitting in” weighs heavy on them. For our teenage girls, it means dressing and looking the part, having the latest styles and fashion. Unfortunately the “latest” is very rarely modest. For our teenage boys, it means having seen the latest movies, tv shows, and videos on the internet. Often these are filled with obscenities and sexually explicit material.

Our youth need to be taught that the Lord has standards that do dictate how we live, act and think, and it is imperative that we live according to this truth. It is their duty to adorn the gospel in every area of life. *“Christ loved us and gave himself up for us... But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God’s holy people”* (Eph.5:2,3).

This Fall, in the High School class we are going to spend about 5 weeks talking about being pure, modest, and chaste in our thought, speech, and action. We will split up the girls and boys for this series of lessons with me (Pastor Joel) teaching the girls, and Jonathan Jackson teaching the boys. We hope that this format will give opportunity to address the issues that our young men and women face on a daily basis.

The Psalmist asks (and then answers) the question, *“How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to your word”* (Ps.119:9). We will look to God’s word to give us the answers to live pure and holy lives according to truth. Please have your youth be a part of these very important lessons beginning Sept. 13th.

CALENDAR OF YOUTH

FALL EVENT:

Weekly Events

-Sun. School – 9:45AM

-High School in Youth Assembly

-Middle School in Gym Room

-Wed. Night -7:00 PM (Starting Sept.2)

Monthly

Sept. 7 (Mon.) -MS Labor Day Swim Party
@ Cooper’s; 11AM-3PM

Sept. 12 (Sat.) -HS Whitewater Rafting
-Meet at Church 12PM. \$35, plus dinner money.

Sept. 13 (Sun.) -MS “Grand Slam

Sept. 20 (Sun.) -Bible Study Begins

Sept. 27 (Sun.) -“Homerun” @ TBA

Oct. 3 (Sat.) -Youth Service Day

Oct. 9 (Fri.) -MS Movie Night
-7PM at Church

Oct. 11 (Sun.) -MS “Grand Slam”

Oct.23-25 -HS Fall Retreat
-Meet at Church at 4PM.

Nov. 2 (Tues.) -MS Trip to the Corn Maze
-Meet at Church; 12PM.

Nov. 8 (Sun.) -MS “Grand Slam”

Nov. 14 (Sat.) -HS Bon-fire

Nov. 21 (Sat.) -Youth Service Day

Nov. 22 (Sun.) -“Homerun” @ Peterson’s

Dec. 16 (Wed.) -MS Christmas Party

Dec. 19 (Sat.) -HS Progressive Christmas
Dinner

Please check the Youth Calendar on the Church web page for up to date calendar info:

<http://www.midwaypca.org/youthcal.html>

Young Adults

SUNDAY LUNCH

All Midway young adults, college students home for the weekend, and RUF students making Midway their church home are invited to a lunch following the 11:00 service on Sunday September 6th. We will meet in the kitchen and classroom by the gym for a time of fellowship. Bring a friend!

Women in the Church / Music Ministry

Midway Women's Fall Bible Studies

All day groups meet from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
Nursery provided each week for infants through 3-years
and Cubby Bears ministry for 4 & 5 years olds

Every Tuesday

The weekly Tuesday Morning Bible Study will begin the study of Hebrews 11 on September 1st. Along with the Bible, this group will study *Treasures of Faith* written by Chuck & Sharon Betters. They meet in the Be-rean S.S. classroom. The life stories of the struggling saints in Hebrews 11 will help participants track God's presence in their own lives and discern how He uses difficult circumstances to build the faith of believers and strengthen His church. Contact person: Sandra Westerfield, 770-427-2336

Twice Monthly

LYDIA CIRCLE – Will meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesday mornings in the conference room from 10:00 – 12:00 to study the Parables of Christ. Please pick up your materials on the WIC table or in class. Nursery and child-care are provided.

LYDIA @ NIGHT - We will meet every 1st and 3rd Thursday evening beginning on September 17th in the church conference room at 7:00 p.m. to also study the Parables of Christ.

Monthly

Ruth Circle meets the third Tuesday of each month in the Fellowship S.S. classroom. They will be studying a book by Fran Sciacca entitled *To Love with All Your Heart*. This in-depth study of Scripture will re-educate participants on the subject of salvation resulting in a deeper appreciation for the process of repentance and sanctification. Contact Person: Ann Tippins, 770-427-3607

From the Music Director . . .

Recently Pastor Brock was asked a question about the postlude; specifically, what is its purpose and what should the congregation do during the playing of the postlude? I thought I would take the opportunity of this newsletter to address this question, in addition to providing a little information about other musical elements in our worship services. The three instrumental parts of our worship service are the prelude, offertory and postlude. Each serves a distinct function, and should possess certain characteristics.

The prelude, by definition, is something that comes before something else. In this instance, the prelude is the music played before the worship service. Each Sunday, our minister comes to the pulpit a few minutes before 11:00 and asks us to prepare our hearts for worship. The function of the prelude music is to allow the congregation to do just that. Paul Jones, in his book *Singing and Making Music* says, "The prelude provides musical clothing for the sanctuary, so that the arriving worshiper can more easily comprehend a sense of place and purpose as being different from that of the world. Prelude music should either turn the mind toward God directly or provide a setting in which one can focus on the important and serious work ahead – the worship of God. . . It is time to pray, to listen, and to think." Occasionally, I will choose to play a hymn or hymn arrangement for the prelude, bringing to the mind of the congregant the words of that particular hymn. Most often, I will choose a quiet classical composition. Certain Sundays in the year call for a bolder musical prelude, announcing a specific event which we are celebrating, such as Advent, Palm Sunday, and Easter, or simply to celebrate the majestic God we have come to worship.

The offertory is just that, a musical offering, which in this particular church coincides with the collection of tithes and offerings. It would be very easy for this to become little more than a pleasant musical interlude. However, the musicians who play the offertories are encouraged to make this a musical offering from their hearts, and the congregation is encouraged to continue the worship of God that has taken place thus far in the service, contemplating on the words of scripture and hymns of praise that have occurred. For this reason, hymns and hymn arrangements are especially appropriate for this part of the service. Playing a classical selection is also a good choice here, as it is an offering of musical excellence.

Finally, to answer the question originally posed to Pastor Brock, a postlude is music which comes at the conclusion of the worship service. The character of the postlude is celebratory, in that we are celebrating the great God who loves us and keeps us in His care. But what do you do during the postlude? Again, quoting Paul Jones, "Listening to the postlude with a thankful heart for having been in the presence of God with one's brothers and sisters and having received his Word is appropriate. One is exiting the service of worship with this music, not necessarily the building. . . There are always the few organ enthusiasts who linger to hear what is probably the most technically challenging music of the morning for the organist, but it would be fitting if the majority of worshipers took these last few minutes to stand and listen, or to remain seated and reflect on the service, or on the nature and attributes of God ."

We are very, very thankful for the excellent new pipe organ and piano at Midway, and their ability to enrich our worship services. However, there is a line which we must be careful not to cross, and that is the demarcation between leading in the musical elements of worship, and giving a concert. We should not be about the latter, but always, with a thankful heart, seek to please God with our musical offerings. The nameplate on our organ gives the name of the organ builder, and includes the words *Soli Deo Gloria*. We should strive to make all music, be it instrumental, choral or congregational, to God's glory alone.

Nursery Ministry

Welcome to Midway Nursery Ministry

Midway Presbyterian Church

*4653 Dallas Highway
Powder Springs, GA 30127*

*WWW.MIDWAYPCA.ORG
(770) 422 -4974 Nursery Extension: 1114*

Times:

Nursery is provided for Sunday Worship Services, and Sunday School, for Wednesday evening Bible Study & Choir Practice and Tuesday morning Bible Study & Ruth Circle.

Ages:

The nursery is provided for newborns to three-year old children. Care of children four years of age (by Sept. 1 of the year) and older is provided by the Children's Ministry through their educational programs.

Special Opportunity:

CPR & FIRST AID TRAINING

Come Saturday, Sept. 19 at 9am to Noon.

Learn by doing through hands-on CPR practice.

Two year certification earned. \$20 per person. Everyone is welcome.

Please reserve your place by calling Jennifer Nichols, Nursery Ministry

Nursery Needs!!

Volunteers for Infant Nursery

Any Sunday, 9:30 AM or 10:45 AM

Must have rocking chair skills, lullaby voice and loving arms.

"For I know the plans that I have for you declare the Lord.

Plans to prosper you and not to harm you;

plans to give you a hope and a future." **Jeremiah 29:11**

Nursery Volunteers

SEPT 6 LABOR DAY WKND

9:35 Celise Bell, Janice Furlong, Cheryl Marsh, Elizabeth Taylor, Kelly Stout, Shelley Remington, Kim Matthews

10:50 Chris Cowley, Amy & Sam Griffith, Mallory, Mattie & Sam Jr., Katy & Ryan Howell, Laura & Lexi Keesee, Jen Nolan, Jean Ross, Allie & Katherine Peterson, Grace & Greta Taylor

5:50 Laura, Austin and Tyler Joseph, Becky Lewis

SEPT 13

9:35 Catie & Carol DeMar, Dina Dropp, Melissa Klein, Susan Brookins, Chris Spicer, Jennifer Pursley

10:50 Jill & Lucy Barrett, Whitney Brookins, Heather & Anna Kate Cartwright, Leila Chumley, Amy & Derek Spicer, Katie Wichterman, Christy, Julia, Mari-beth Wichterman, Sue & Jessica Dudd

5:50 Julie & Joseph Bell, Claire & Courtney Pursley Stefanie Smit

SEPT 20

9:35 Tom & Anna Campbell, Gail Griffin, Mary Katherine Keel, Bob Tango

10:50 Anna & Libby Hankal, Nathan, Zach & Drew Bohannon, Anna & Sarah Dudd, John & Brandy Marchant, Tammy, Nick & Noah Robertson, Richard & Polly Vogh, Keira Hall, Emily Keesee

5:50 Barbara Bokhoven, Julie & Leah Knox,

SEPT 27

9:35 Nikki Allen, Lisa Brock, Doug & Dena Clapp, Jeannie Fair, Kim Matthews

10:50 Jeffrey Baxter, Bryant & Charles Brock, Priscilla & Tabby Brock, Samantha Clapp, Maggie Eller, Bobbi & Michelle Mitchell, Christina Rodriguez, Shari & Allison Purdue, Ann Kistner, Jocelyn Pharr, Erin Fair

5:50 Barbara Kline, Michael & Katherine Matthews, Paula Wilson

OCT 4

9:35 Cliff & Christie Cook, Ruth Dewhurst, Theresa & Jeremy Fix, Jonathan Jackson

10:50 Lindsay Moss, Jeffrey & Sophia Siewert, Anne & Emily Hart Herbert, Lori & Chris Cowley, Kendall Butler, Gabe Bostwick, Max & Emma Jeffries, Terri & Melody Kayler, Ken Dewhurst

5:50 Kimberly Smith, Charles & Kirt Moore

OCT 11

9:35 Susan Brookins, Lance & Sonja Cooper, Mary David, Julie Dykstra, Caron Hobson

10:50 Larry & Mary Judy, Whitney Brookins, Kimberly Burton, Emily Keesee, Leila Chumley, Rebekah & Michelle, Asa & Aaron Cooper, Becca Leslie, Jennifer & Jackson Siewert, Connor & Kate Worley, Julie, Elizabeth & Joseph Bell

5:50 Jerry & Becky Blades, Becky Lewis

OCT 18

9:35 Shelley Remington, Joel & Sandy Kroese, Katie Edwards, Christopher Braaksma

10:50 Rachel & Sarah Howard, Katy & Ryan Howell, Jennifer Nolan, Jean Ross, Allie & Katherine Peterson, Charles & Kirt Moore, Sara & Tracy Miller, Madison Braaksma, Michael & Katherine Matthews

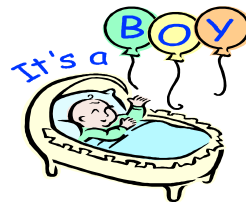
5:50 Dave & Sandra Westerfield, Breanna Robinson

OCT 25

9:35 Celise Bell, Cheryl Marsh, Kelly Stout, Elizabeth Taylor, John & Jennifer Nichols

10:50 Amy & Sam Griffith, Mattie, Mallory, Samuel Griffith, Leslie & Taylor Nichols, Samantha Clapp, George, Kim & Emily Jones, Laura & Lexi Keesee, Christina Rodriguez, Grace & Greta Taylor

5:50 Nancy, Phoebe & Calli Pritchett



Our expectant families: Krystal & Kyle Tigar, Sarah Beth (Chumley) and Matthew Wilson, Mercy & Emmanuel Chebe, Stefanie & Joel Smit, Laura (Bursi) and Matt Cobb, Catie and James DeMar, Amber & David Stout, Shelley & Evanda Remington, Emily (Jordan) & David Vreken, Anna & Tom Campbell, Allison (Walker) & Jonathan Ferro.

Missionaries / Report from the Diaconate

MIDWAY-SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES

Stanley and Donna Armes - MTW, South Africa
 Peter and Diane Bakelaar - MTW, Japan
 David and Stacy Bergmark MTW National Associate – Sweden
 Roy and Kristy – Restricted, Asia
 Benji & Ester Campbell
 David and Sue Cunningham - MTW, Australia
 Rob and Angie Edwards - RUF, University of Georgia
 Alan and Chinglien Fiol - MTW, Taiwan
 Dan and Rebecca Gregoire – MTW, Slovakia
 Tim and Lois Hunter - WBT Nigeria
 Gary and Linda Johnson – MTW, Sweden
 Scott and Tracy Ketrow - CCC, Italy
 Dale and Nancy Knudson - MTW, Cambodia
 Albert & Jennifer Kona – MTA, Albania
 Endi and Kati Kovacs - CRM, Hungary
 John and Kathy Lesondak - MTW, Slovakia
 Steve and Ann Lutz – SIM
 Tim and Nicole - Restricted, Europe
 David and Jill Martin - MTW, Ukraine
 Demetrios Marmaras - PEF, Greece
 Mike and Robin McMahan - MTW, Ecuador
 Bob and Patty Meredith - NAV, Kenya
 Harry and Julie Miller - PEF, Atlanta/Bulgaria
 Wayne and Amy Newsome - MTW, Japan
 Young and Soon Park - MTW, South Korea
 Andy and Sue Peck - WBT, Orlando
 Clay and Darlene Quarterman - MTW, Ukraine
 Palmer and Joanna Robertson - ABU, Uganda
 Guillermo and Jeannie Salinas - PEF, Mexico
 Chuck and Wyema - Restricted, Europe
 Roger and Dianne Smalling - MTW, Latin America
 John and Liz - Restricted, West Africa
 Jan – Restricted, Europe
 Linda Summer - PEF, The Agape Puppets
 Jim and Catalina Tate - MTW, Ecuador
 Johan and Stephanie Van Der Westhuizen, MTW
 Bruce and Barbara Wannemacher - MTW, South Africa
 Becky White - MTW, Taiwan
 Linda Wixon - MTW, Japan
 Steve and Kathy Womack – WBT, Waxhaw / Africa
 Pat Wood - PEF, Freedom Ministries

Mission Organizations supported by Midway

ABU -- African Bible University
 CCC -- Campus Crusade for Christ
 CRM-- Church Resource Ministries
 MTW -- Mission To the World
 MIA - Missions to Albania
 NAV - The Navigators
 PEF - Presbyterian Evangelistic Fellowship
 Restricted – due to sensitive ministry
 RUF - Reformed University Fellowship
 SIM - Serving in Mission
 WBT -- Wycliffe Bible Translators

DIACONATE REPORTS

June-09 Year to Date

Undesignated Receipts	\$82,395.48	\$716,204.19
Over / (Under) Budget	(\$48,056.00)	(\$66,504.66)
Missions over and above	\$881.00	\$9,378.17
Ministries & Misc.	\$2,527.00	\$42,705.00
Expenses	\$187,658.47	\$843,725.03
(Over) / Under Budget	(\$25,418.16)	(\$58,016.18)
Cash on Hand	\$79,707.20	
Building Fund	\$2,762.64	\$191,266.28
Building Fund Since Inception		
Daughter Church	\$0.00	\$140.00
Daughter Church (Since April 2003)		\$13,380.00

July-09 Year to Date

Undesignated Receipts	\$76,877.64	\$793,089.12
Over / (Under) Budget	(\$53,573.84)	(\$120,071.21)
Missions over and above	\$1,933.00	\$11,311.17
Ministries & Misc.	\$1,057.00	\$43,762.00
Expenses	\$115,682.04	\$958,907.07
(Over) / Under Budget	(\$374.98)	(\$57,891.16)
Cash on Hand	\$44,400.09	
Building Fund	\$3,761.32	\$195,027.60
Building Fund Since Inception		
Daughter Church	\$0.00	\$140.00
Daughter Church (Since April 2003)		\$13,380.00

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Happy Birthday to our Senior Saints!!



September

2 Kathleen Morris
8 Tasker Russell
18 Mary Ann Allen
23 Delores Rader

October

3 Dave Whitener
12 Dot Haddox
14 Frances Wardlaw
16 Mary Grace Greenway
19 Margaret Vermeer