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# Bartlett Hills Baptist Church MESSENGER

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*"Loving God, loving people...serving the world, reaching people."*

## Annual Men and Boys Wild Game and Fish Dinner



**Saturday, February 18**

**6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall**

\$10 a ticket or bring a wild game dish to get in free  
(you bring side dishes and desserts)

Boys 12 and under no charge

Dr. Chuck Halford, Veterinarian and Hunter, Guest Speaker

**Bartlett Hills Baptist Church**

**Silent Auction and Dinner**

**Sunday, February 26 at 5 p.m.**

**Cost: \$7 per person**

**\$12 a couple**

**"Hawaiian Theme"**



You may bring donated items to the Welcome Center.  
(Dinners, Vacations, Babysitting, Yard Care,  
Furniture, Jewelry, Tutoring to name a few.)

These items will be on display all day on  
Sunday, February 26.

(All proceeds benefit our Youth Ministry!)



## FROM YOUR PASTOR'S HEART

### **I am still smiling . . . about our mission trip to Nicaragua.**

We had 15 from our church join the Way of the Cross Ministries and it was an exciting adventure. We had folks who did dental, medical, construction and children's evangelism. The people there are very gracious and loving. They were very responsive to the gospel. The gospel message was shared well over 2000 times and many decisions were made for Christ. Our group came back pumped up and ready to go again next year. You have heard and will be hearing from the group over the next few days. We are planning to take a group again next January 9-15. Be praying about how you will be involved in missions this year.

**And speaking of mission trips . . . we are planning a "youth/adult trip" to Gallup New Mexico at the end of May.** This will be our third trip to Gallup to do mission work on the reservation with the Native Americans. This will be a "world changer" type of trip. We will be doing construction and working with children in VBS. The dates for the trip are May 26-June 2. Sign up will begin in the next few weeks so watch for more information. Contact Nick or Steve for more details.

### **We have some "big" events . . . planned for February.**

- (1) **Super Bowl parties** are on Sunday, Feb. 5. We will have an afternoon worship service at 4:00 p.m. and then many of our Bible Study groups are planning parties about 5:15 p.m. This can be a great opportunity for both fellowship and outreach.
- (2) **Movie Night** is Sunday, Feb. 12 at 4:15 p.m. We will be showing the movie "Courageous" and it will be free. Invite a friend to join you for the movie, popcorn and soft drinks.
- (3) **Men's Wild Game Night** is Saturday, Feb. 18 at 6:00 p.m. This annual event is sponsored by our Men's ministry. There will be lots of good food, fellowship and many free gifts. Dr. Chuck Halford will be our speaker. I am looking forward to this time together.
- (4) **The Silent Auction** and dinner will be held this year on Sunday, Feb. 26. All the proceeds go to support our youth ministry. Contact Linda Reed for more details.

**Looking for more opportunities for Bible Study and fellowship?** I want to remind you that if you have not joined us on Wednesday night or on Sunday night for Bible Study, you are missing opportunities for both. We are studying through the book of Genesis on Wednesday nights. We are studying about worship on Sunday nights and will soon be entering a series on the Psalms. Both times offer a meal (we are Baptists) and plenty of time to meet new people and build strong relationships. One of the best ways to grow in your faith is to gather with fellow believers and learn together.

### **35+ Singles - February**

On Saturday, February 4, the 35+Singles will meet at 9 a.m. at the Cracker Barrel on Shelby Oaks Dr. for breakfast. On Sunday, February 19 they will go to lunch following the late Bible Study. (place to be determined) and on Saturday, February 25 at 4:00 p.m. matinee movie and dinner afterwards. (Movie and place TBD.)

### **Women on Mission Group Meetings - February 7**

**Jane Boston** - 9:30 a.m. in room 221

**Pauline Reese** - 10:00 a.m. at the home of Ruth Laminack, 5081 Austin Peay Highway. Bring food items for the Baptist Childrens Home.

### **Beth Moore Study Opportunity**

There are be two opportunities to be involved in the Beth Moore study of the book of James, "Mercy Triumphs". An evening class on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in the conference room, facilitated by Nikki Collins. A morning class on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. in the library, facilitated by Ruth White. Join Beth Moore as she explores such concepts as joy, hardship, faith, wisdom, single-mindedness, the tongue, humility, prayer and more. Books are \$15 and available in the Welcome Center.

### **Golden Circle - February 28**

The Golden Circle will meet on Tuesday, February 28 at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a covered dish to share.

**We extend our Christian Sympathy to...**Jennifer Blair and family in the death of her grandfather, and Steven and Megan Blair in the death of their great-grandfather, Lawrence Byrne; Danya Beloate and family in the death of her granddaughter, Donna Essary, and Lorree Rowland in the death of her niece; the family of Mrs. Daisy Powell in the death of their loved one;

## Churchwide Outreach - March 4



On Sunday, February 26, we will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 4:15 p.m. to make visits, send cards and minister wherever needed.

## Mother's Day Out Registration for Summer and Fall 2012

Go to [bartletthills.org](http://bartletthills.org) for more information.

A thank you note was received from Sam Wilson at Brinkley Heights Ministries. Because of your generous gift of toys, one hundred and eighty-seven children received nice Christmas gifts who most likely would have had nothing. Each family represented had the opportunity to visit with a caring counselor. Fourteen of these families represented were saved. Thank you again for your partnership and support.



## Movie Courageous - February 12

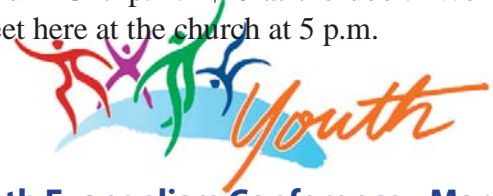
We will show the movie "Courageous" on Sunday, February 12 at 4:15 p.m. (no snack supper)

**Sympathy's continued from page 2...** Jack and Charlotte Potter in the death of his father, Layman Potter and grandfather of Tiffany Cockman and Scott Potter; Helen and Grady Morgan in the death of their daughter, Cheryl Crutcher; Rebecca Crouch in the death of her grandfather; Gartha Herring in the death of her sister, Inez Hord and Beverly Burton's aunt; Margaret Eckstein in the death of her granddaughter, Sharon Condon and Mary Sikes' niece; and Kim and Ronnie Henderson in the death of his father, and Rachel and Rebecca in the death of their grandfather.

## Youth Ministry

### Winter Jam 2012 - March 2

On Friday, March 2 Winter Jam at the FedEx Forum @ 7 p.m. \$10 at the door. We will meet here at the church at 5 p.m.



### Youth Evangelism Conference - March 9-10

The Youth Evangelism Conference will be held in Nashville on Friday and Saturday. This two day conference is for all students grades 6-12.

## Children's Ministry



**Sundays at 4:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.**

### AWANA Grand Prix - February 4

The AWANA Grand Prix will be held in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 4 from 4:30 - 8:00 p.m.

### Parent/Grandparent Night - Feb. 19

### AWANA Final Friday - February 24

### Kickball Tournament - March 24



## Music Ministry

### All Men's Choir - February 18

Rehearsals are on Wednesdays beginning the 8th, and 15th at 7 p.m. We practice about 20 minutes. Ages 16 through 99 join us!!! See Stephen St. Clair or Robbie Jordan for details.

### Handbell Festival - March 2-3

Friday and Saturday, March 2-3 in Mt. Juliet, TN We will leave Friday at noon and return around dinner on Saturday.

### Easter Music - April 1

## Sunday Report

### December 25, 2011

Bible Fellowship 8:15 a.m. ....  
 Bible Fellowship 11:00 a.m. ....  
 Total Bible Fellowship.....  
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....301  
 Budget Receipts.....\$18,599.20  
 Weekly Budget Needs.....\$20,196.00  
 TWG.....\$2,785.00  
 TWG Needs.....\$5,242.00  
 Lottie Moon to Date.....\$8,635.98

### January 1, 2012

Bible Fellowship 8:15 a.m. ....47  
 Bible Fellowship 11:00 a.m. ....271  
 Total Bible Fellowship.....318  
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....377  
 Budget Receipts.....\$27,787.01  
 TWG.....\$13,571.00  
 Lottie Moon to Date.....10,720.73

### January 8, 2012

Bible Fellowship 8:15 a.m. ....63  
 Bible Fellowship 11:00 a.m. ....402  
 Total Bible Fellowship.....465  
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....517  
 Budget Receipts.....\$18,709.11  
 TWG.....\$2,854.70  
 Lottie Moon to Date.....\$10,765.73

### January , 15, 2012

Bible Fellowship 8:15 a.m. ....53  
 Bible Fellowship 11:00 a.m. ....383  
 Total Bible Fellowship.....451  
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....482  
 Budget Receipts.....\$19,325.61  
 TWG.....\$4,187.00  
 Lottie Moon to Date.....\$10,805.73

### January , 22, 2012

Bible Fellowship 8:15 a.m. ....59  
 Bible Fellowship 11:00 a.m. ....393  
 Total Bible Fellowship.....452  
 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....515  
 Budget Receipts.....\$18,540.30  
 TWG.....\$2,986.00  
 Lottie Moon to Date.....\$10,809.73

## Wednesday Menus for the month of February

### February 1, 2012

Chicken (grilled or fried)  
 Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad  
 Bar and Dessert

### February 8, 2012

Hamburgers,  
 Hot Dogs,  
 French Fries,  
 Baked Beans  
 Ice Cream

### February 15, 2012

Breakfast Meal

### February 22, 2012

Spaghetti, Vegetable,  
 Bread, Salad Bar and  
 Dessert

### February 29, 2012

Soup, Salad, Pizza  
 and Baked Potato  
 Dessert



Trivia Night, Friday, March 23. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m. We will play eight to a table. Cost is \$5 in advance and \$6 at the door. Bring refreshments! Free Popcorn! Can drinks will be for sale for a donation!

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**Web Site: [www.bartlettthills.org](http://www.bartlettthills.org)**

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