

November 2009

Weekly Activities


Sundays

9:45 am—Sunday School; 11:00 am—Worship Service
6 pm—Choir Rehearsal and Youth Group Fellowship

Wednesday

7:30 pm—Bible Study (parsonage)

First Baptist Church of Deep Run—Birthdays, Anniversaries, and other events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Lisa Lancaster Men's Prayer Breakfast @ 7:30 am	2 Mary Davis Mike Deriso	3 Kathy Ham	4 Kent Hardison Shelba Hill Coley Ledford	5	6 Hilary Hardy	7 Treasured Friends to Mike's Farm @ 5 pm
8 Kendall Taylor	9 Logan Hardy Derek Hunter Nick Hunter	10 Rose Davis Curtis & Dannette Harper Visitation Ministry @ 7 pm	11	12	13 Laura Sheppard	14 Betty Davis
15 Youth Progressive Supper @ 5:30 pm	16 Johnny Stroud Clara Taylor	17	18 Andrew Beamon	19 Spencer Harrison Ginger Raines	20 Kalen Bryan Dempsey Hill Judy King Linn Mills	21 Ronnie Powell Ginny Smith Burr & Kaye Stroud
22 Thanksgiving Service @ 5:30 pm	23 Jimmy & Becky Smith	24	25 Patsy Pittman	26 	27	28
29	30			<p>Additional Important Dates 1—Daylight Savings...Fall back one hour 10—Movie <i>A Christmas Carol</i> for all ages @ 4:15 pm</p>		

Deep Run Quarterly Business Meeting...Held on October 11, 2009

The quarterly business meeting of the First Baptist Church of Deep Run was held on October 11, 2009 at 6pm. The meeting was called to order by Pastor Dave and Randy Smith gave the opening prayer. We then sang the congregational hymn, *Count Your Blessings*. Kathy Darden, Church Clerk, read the minutes from the previous business meeting. There were no corrections or additions and they were approved. Randy Smith, church treasurer, gave the treasurer's report of a balance totaling \$48,766.17. He also stated that building debt will hopefully be paid off by Homecoming of 2010. There were no questions regarding the treasurer's report.

Old Business--

Ditch and tile situation—No further comments.

Walk of Fame bricks—Curtis Harper was not present and thus, unable to provide any information.

Harper house traffic—Johnny Stroud reported that Tim Hardy had spoken to Mr. Harper. Mr. Harper stated that he had spoken to those who were using the church property. He stated that the church could take appropriate actions to stop traffic such as putting up barriers and so forth. Gerald Smith stated he would place post and rope to stop traffic.

Playground—Steve Saind-Amand reported that Curtis Harper and Kevin Wiggins had put equipment together. Cost was approximately under \$3,500. It was also addressed that mulch was needed and Curtis Harper is checking cost. Also addressed that gate was needed and Johnny Stroud is checking on cost.

Fireproof movie and fellowship—Successful.

New Business--

Bill Taylor was contacted by Lenoir County Emergency Management to use the church parking lot as a distribution site for emergency supplies in case of a crisis. The church will be asked to sign a one year agreement. Lenoir County Emergency Management will deliver emergency supplies to the church and clean up afterwards. Our church could help man the site if we so desired or the county will provide man power. Approximately 10 people would be needed to man the site. Pastor Dave asked for approval with an "Amen." None opposed.

Johnny Stroud reported the TV in the fellowship hall needed a converter box. Deacons approved that this situation could be handled within their spending limit of \$500.

Building committee can now spend up to \$500 for maintenance as approved by Deacons.

Membership—Linda Smith Pollock transferred membership to Temple Baptist in New Bern. Steve and Kim Grissom transferred membership to Albertson. Chris Combs and family transferred to Albertson. New members: Tyler Wilson and Sue Hunter.

Harper House—Discussion was brought up regarding vacancy in house for two years. If house is kept, maintenance issues need to be addressed. Selling house or giving it away was also discussed. Suggestions discussed were keeping house for storage, missionaries, a family in need, etc; however maintenance issues were reiterated. Other suggestions were having the Fire Dept. burn the house, advertising the house for sell or give away. Shelba Hill brought up a discussion regarding giving church members first option for the house. Decision was made to advertise in the November newsletter regarding Harper house discussion. In December, a called business meeting will take place after church services to make final decision. Motion was made by Shelba Hill regarding the above discussion and second was given by Mavis Smith. Motion was carried.

A motion was made to adjourn by Pastor Dave and Randy Smith made the second.

Pastor Dave offered our closing prayer.