

THE NEWSHERALD of HARTFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

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January 22, 2018

**Church Family,
Job 11**

The book of Job reads like a long-winded story that winds through twists and turns like an old Alabama dirt road. Between the “friends” who were speaking words of what they would perceive to be wisdom and Job’s own self-loathing, the reader can find it tough to understand the message that God is trying to send to His children. The bottom line is that Job was struggling with great difficulty and hurt in his life. His children have died and he has lost most of what he had owned.

We learned earlier in the book that this was not Job’s fault. Job was a righteous man who had been righteous in the face of evil. His friends did not understand this and even believed that if Job were to go before the Lord and repent all would be well.

Hear me clearly. There are times in life when we experience difficulty because we live in a broken world. How you respond to these circumstances serves as a testimony to those who are watching. Speak about your struggle. Tell others about your Deliverer. Glorify God even in the darkest places so that light might shine to those around. In Christ, Bro. Les

NEW SUNDAY NIGHT CLASSES

Our new Sunday Night classes have begun. Classes offered are:

- *A study of Ephesians led by Lacey Hughes**
- *A study of Romans led by Bro. Les**
- *”Jesus Among Secular Gods” led by Bro. Bruce**
- *”Grace is Greater” led by Micah & Mindy Turner**
- *Regular Discipleship Training Class led by Charles Thomley**
 - *Robert Guilford is teaching the Youth**
 - *Chase Childs is teaching the Children**

Meet in the sanctuary at 5:30 p.m. You will adjourn to the different classes from there. THERE IS A PLACE FOR EVERYBODY!

GOD, GAMES AND FOOD - SOUPER SUNDAY NIGHT

FEBRUARY 4, 2018

5:00 P.M.

Please bring your favorite soup or sandwiches to share with everyone and your favorite board games. We will have games set up. For those who are interested, the Super Bowl will be shown as well. During “half-time” of all the games, a very important Gospel message will be presented. Most importantly please invite a friend, neighbor or new acquaintance who is unchurched.

Admission is one can of food. (Please check expiration dates.) These will be donated to the GBA Food Pantry.

GIFTS

GENERAL FUND

In Memory of Johnnie Tindell: Becky Tindell

In Memory of Louie Frank Bradley: Billy & Kathy Peacock

SYMPATHY

Our HBC family extends heartfelt sympathy to Leesa Fleming and family in the loss of her dad, Frank Bradley. May God Bless You during this time of sorrow and bereavement.

****Ladies' Exercise will meet this Monday at 6:30 p.m. ALL ladies are invited to come! If you can't do a particular exercise, alternatives to that exercise are given. Come out and get moving in this new year!**

2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES

If you still have not received your 2018 offering envelopes, you can drop by the office to pick up your box. Also, if you need us to deliver your envelopes, please contact the office!

2018 BIBLES

If you still would like a Chronological One Year Bible, please call the office. We have received a new shipment.

CENTRIKID 2018

It's time to gear up for CentriKid 2018 in Panama City Beach, FL! If you would like your child to attend this year, please see the sign-up sheet in the vestibule. This is for grades 3-6 only. Cost for attending camp this year will be \$175.00 and a \$50.00 deposit is due by February 1st. If you have any questions, please see Chase Childs.

****Our first Quarterly Business Meeting of the year will be next Sunday, the 28th, at 5:15 p.m.**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Our VBS this year will be June 3rd - 8th. Please start praying for this very important week in the life of our church. If you will help in any way, please contact Connie Walker or call the church office.

****Our new Church Directories are in and are now available, one per household please.**

NEW HBC PHONEBOOK

Because phone numbers were not listed in our new directory, we are planning to publish a phonebook of our HBC members. We will only publish the numbers with your permission.

There will be sheets placed in Sunday School classrooms and around the church for you to list your number or numbers on. Many of you have landlines and cell phones or cell phones only. This will be a valuable ministry tool for our teachers and staff, and to keep in touch with each other.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

Thank you to everyone who had any part in making our D-Now weekend such a great success. We appreciate every prayer, the food, the host homes, the devotion leaders, and every other thing that was done to help our youth grow closer to the Lord.

Robert & Coleen Guilford and all Youth Workers and Helpers



SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 2018
DEACONS OF THE WEEK
Chase Childs/Billy Peacock

USHERS

Kenneth Kinman, Chmn.
Brandon Thorne
Brent Justice
Tony Messick

SOUND SYSTEM

Doug Bailey

MEDIA SHOUT OPERATOR

Darin Moseley

TELLER COMMITTEE

Archie & Sue Fondren
Alternate-Daphne Harrell

PRESCHOOL CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Teacher: Stephanie Bowden
Helper: Lauren Fountain

FLOWERS

In Memory of James & Lola Shields and
Bobby Tindell
Given by Connie Walker and family

ELEVATOR OPERATOR

Aubrey Bright

RETIREMENT VILLAGE

Joe Craig

GREETERS OF THE WEEK

Betty McGill/Mark Williamson

NURSERY-A.M.

Paul & Debbie Blount/Sherry Wright

NURSERY-P.M.

Dianne Nicholas

OUR RECORD-1-21-18

Sunday School - 146
Evening Programs - 112

OUR HOSPITALIZED

Myra Nell Jerkins-Extencicare

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

JANUARY 28, 2018

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER PRAYER

TIME-8:55 A.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL-9:15 A.M.

LIBRARY OPEN-9:50-10:10 A.M.

WORSHIP SERVICE-10:15 A.M.

LIBRARY OPEN-5:00-5:20 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING-5:15 P.M.

EVENING WORSHIP-5:30 P.M.

FINANCIAL REPORT-1-21-18

Budget Receipts - \$6,373.00

Maintenance 3% of Undesig. - \$197.00

WEEKLY BUDGET REQUIREMENT

\$8,146.15

REC'D THIS WEEK

\$6,570.00 (-\$1,576.15)

These totals include Budget Receipts and Maintenance
percentage.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE

January 24, 2018

6:00-6:25 p.m. - Library Open

6:30 p.m. - Mid-Week Prayer

Meeting/Children's & Youth Activities

7:45 p.m. - Adult Choir Practice



ACTIVITIES/PROJECTS TO REMEMBER

IN PRAYER!

***ALL HBC MINISTRIES!**

***SEARCH COMMITTEE**

