

# The CHRONICLE

**JULY 2014** 

# MoneyLife PERSONAL FINANCE STUDY

Beginning September 10, 6:30-7:25 PM, Rick Clore will be facilitating *The MoneyLlfe Personal Finance Study.* 

The study will run for 10 consecutive Wednesday evenings following Evensong worship. Individuals or couples can participate.

The cost for the workbook is \$47.45.

The study will be limited to the first 12 who register by August 20.

The MoneyLife Personal Finance Study will help you:

- · Understand God's financial principles
- · Obtain hope and deepen your faith
- · Grow in your generosity
- · Ditch debt permanently
- · Create a solid, reasonable financial plan for your life
- · Make confident financial decisions
- Develop new attitudes and habits related to money and possessions
- · Save and invest for the future
- Impart financial wisdom to your children

Did you know that more than 1/2 of U.S. adults, 56 percent, admit that they do not have a budget.

Source: 2012 Financial Literacy Survey, National Foundation for Credit Counseling and the Network Branded Prepaid Card Association.

#### **Summer Sermons**

July 6--A Lesson on Humility, Philiappians 2:1-11

Alan Miller preaching

July 13--Art from God-Symbols of our Faith

July 20, 27, August 3--*Spiritual Transformation,* Lessons on Getting Healthy, Romans 12:2

#### **BUSINESS MEETING**

Sun., July 20 following morning worship the tabled motion to sell the church van will be considered.

Call me Axl.





Shred is my name

and I am Iggy.



Join us at Vacation Bible School Sun., July 20 - 24, 2014 6-8:30 PM

My name is Fern.



Please register at:

https://www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/obcvavbs.



I am Milton!



Don't forget me... I am Ozzy!

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Thur., July 3:** Ruth Kersey circle, Noon, Dogwood Village with Alice Jacobs. Bring lunch.

Fri., July 4: Church Office closed.

**Mon., July 7:** Valirie Payne circle, 10:20 am in the church parking lot to depart at 10:30 am for Stonefire Kitchen in Barboursville for meeting/lunch and then to Grelen Nursery.

**Sun., July 13:** VBS teachers and volunteers will meet following morning worship.

**Mon., July 14:** Kay Culpeper circle, 11 am, in Pine Room. Julia Lloyd will provide lunch.

Tues., July 15: Finance meeting, 6:45 PM.

**Sun., July 20:** Business meeting following morning worship service.

Tues., July 29: 7 PM Deacons meeting.

#### **NURSERY HELPERS**

- July 6 Molly/Graham Crouch, Christina Bowles, Sara Whiteside
- July 13 Tracey Newman, Garlene Daniel, Tiffany Graves/Jason
- July 20 Samantha Reynolds, Brenda Morris Lovedy Papproth
- July 27 Carolyn/Mark Herndon, Gina Sedwick

## **CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS**

July 13 Dave & Meg Camp

July 20 Brenda Morris

July 27 Cindy McDaniel

## **COUNTERS -- July**

Dotty Bradley, Vicky Morris, Martha Jeen Jacobs

## LOVE OUTREACH FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:

Month of July -- toothbrushes and toothpaste. Please check the expiration dates of the items you donate.

# **HAPPY AGERS**

Tues., July 15 - Meet at Food Lion parking lot ready to leave at 7AM. We will travel to Pennsylvania to see "MOSES" at the Sight and Sound Theater. The Roy Rogers meal is not included in the cost of the play. Returning home around 10:15 PM.

Tues., Aug. 19 - Boat rides and picnic on Lake Anna. Cost is \$15 for meal and travel. Contact Doris or Cornelia.



Feel free to call us with your ideas for a Happy Agers outing, Doris, 672-4139 or Cornelia, 672-4705.

## **MUSIC AND MISSIONS**

As we complete one year, planning begins for another.

Kitchen team members are needed for Wednesday night meals for Music and Missions and Evensong.

Preparation and serving is one night per month. We specifically need help on the 1st and 4th Wednesdays, and an occasional 5th Wednesday.

Contact the church office, Patricia Coleman, Lovedy Papproth or Martha Jeen Jacobs if you can help.

#### **OFFERING**



We want you to enjoy your summer and vacations. Take time to be with family and have fun in the sun. But please, take time to drop your offering off at the office or mail it in: P.O. Box 167, Orange, 22960.

:You may take vacation, but our financial obligations don't.:

#### **DAWNINGS LEADERSHIP TEAM**

Your *Dawnings* Leadership Team attended an introduction to *Dawnings* led by Harry Rowland and Bo Prosser with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship at Eagle Eyrie, June 5-7. We were inspired to consider a process of prayerful discernment of God's vision for our congregation.

Why do we need to discern God's vision for us? Because our church, any church, exists solely for the purposes of God. We have no other purpose.

Your *Dawnings* Leadership Team will be prayerfully seeking God's direction about ways God will have us individually and corporately become more focused on what God wants us to be and do.

Will you pray for us, with us? You will be hearing more about *Dawnings* over the next few weeks and months. Members of your *Dawnings* Leadership Team are Karen Jarrell, Mary Beth Miller, David McRae, Vickie Morris, Alan Miller and Rick Clore.

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## **FAMILY CAMP**

Are you looking for something fun for your whole family to do together this summer? Come to Family Camp at Young Life's Rockbridge in Goshen, VA, August 22-24.

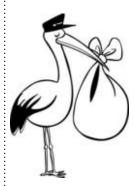
Email or call Mary Beth Miller (<a href="mailto:mebsmiller@gmail.com">mebsmiller@gmail.com</a>, 434-249-5303) to sign-up.

Adults 11 and up-\$140

Kids 3-10-\$90

Kids 2 & under- free!

## **NEW ARRIVALS**



Tom & Samantha Reynolds are proud and pleased to announce the arrival of their granddaughter, Anna Frances Martin, born on June 16, 2014, weighing 7 lbs., 9 1/2 ozs. and 20 inches in length.

Ryan, Jenny & Luke Clore are proud to announce the arrival of Shannon Marie Clore on June 20, 2014, at 8:31 am, weighing 8 lbs.1.5 ozs. Proud grandparents are Rick and Karen Clore.

## **THANK YOU!**

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Thank you so much for the delicious meal you prepared for my family and friends after Otis Lee's funeral. We appreciate all that you did.

Shirley Gooding

#### **MISSION FOCUS**

Partnership. What is it??

"A partnership is an arrangement in which parties agree to cooperate to advance their mutual interests" (from Wikipedia). Religious organizations may partner together to increase their chances of each achieving their mission and to amplify their reach. Aaron Weaver, editor of *fellowship!* magazine states, "Partnerships are central to our identity as Cooperative Baptists. Partnerships expand our witness as we seek to fulfill God's mission as 'the church in the world' allowing us to do far more together than could be done alone."

An example of partnership is the story of "Rick" and "Susan" who have served as field personnel in the Middle East for 14 years. Christian persecution is a daily reality for them. "Rick" and "Susan" open their home regularly to residents to nurture relationships. Strengthening relationships often leads to other ministries. Because their work is sensitive it is risky to publicize details about their work. Giving to the Offering for Global Missions enables individuals to partner with "Rick" and "Susan".

Another exciting partnership is that of Central Baptist Theological Seminary (Shawnee, Kansas) and surrounding CBF churches. Master of Divinity degree students at Central are required to complete an internship which provides opportunities to implement what they are learning. CBF churches provide internship opportunities. Local CBF churches host seminary events and call upon seminary faculty and staff to host and lead church events. This seminary-church partnership strengthens relationships between the institutions.

Read about other inspiring mission partnerships in South Africa, Uganda, Macedonia, Belize and Kentucky Baptist Fellowship in The Partnership Issue of *fellowship!* magazine (June/July), the first annual issue highlighting mission and ministry partnerships. Copies are in the church vestibule and the "Commons" area outside the Pine Room.

Remember that partnerships are sustained through gifts to the Offering for Global Missions. Give prayerfully and generously!

#### THANK YOU!

Pastor and Members of Orange Baptist Church, My family and I thank you all so much with deep appreciation from our heart for "everything" you all did while work was being done on my home and the nice driveway.

You all did so many nice things for me and my family.

May God bless each one of you in a very special way.

Mary Lindsay & family

#### **RURAL LOVE**

Rural Love, part of the Goshen Baptist Association, is in urgent need of small kitchenettes, microwaves, dressers, twin, full, queen mattresses (separates or sets - they will match), bed frames, pots and pans, electric stoves, washing machines, dryers, refrigerators, good vehicles, etc. Please make sure all appliances work properly and are clean.

OBC needs volunteers (young, strong, youth and adults) to make deliveries and pick up items. If we get enough volunteers we can pair up and put on rotating basis with our present volunteers. Truck is helpful, but not necessary. This outreach can be done daytime, evenings or weekends. Contact the church office if you wish to volunteer.

Also, Goshen Baptist Association is collecting any leftover skeins of yarn, and cotton quilting fabric. Bring to church office and we will deliver it to them whenever we have a pick up or delivery for Rural Love.

#### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Illness within church family:

James Arthur Sue Dofflemover Tom Reynolds Madeline Reeves Tom Travers Bart Daniel Mary Wright Erma Boyles Raymond Strickland Spurgle Herndon Doris Samuels Shirley Reynolds Charlene Schweikert Phyllis Saintclair Paige Rogers Wilkes George Shifflett

## Other concerns:

Samantha Clarke Matthew Rogers Dawnings Leadership Team:

Mary Beth Miller Karen Jarrell Vickie Morris David McRae Alan Miller

Rick Clore

Illness of friends & family:

Lisa Muller Cook Charles Arruda Rosalie Modena Nadia Anderson Chris Jones Savannah Cox Brooke Wheeler Allen Shands Robin Banas Roger Dunevant Sherry McGhee Rev. Olin Herndon Travis Keyser Betty Landrum Sherri Brown Kari Brown Rev. Bruce Hunter Susan Hunter Tammy Waters Mike Ćritzer Matt Woods Charles Sprouse Rev. Jerry Harris Dan Harrer Nancy & Ashley Hicks

Shelton Cameron

#### **STEWARDSHIP - MAY**

#### **Unified Budget:**

Receipts \$ 20,475.62

Paid Expenses \$ 19,887.68 Unpaid Expenses \$ 4,541.32

Unpaid Mission Partners for 2013 \$ 4,474.50

Capital Campaign:

Receipts \$5,293.17

Two Stewardship Models

What does all this thinking about owning things have to do with biblical stewardship? Everything. There are two basic models to consider when analyzing North American life today. One is the ownership model to which most North Americans are introduced at birth. The other is the biblical stewardship model. When vou become a Christian, you have the opportunity to learn about and the practice the biblical model. Paul said that at first Christians are "babes in Christ" but that we grow in our understanding of God's will for our lives and our partnership with God. This growth inevitable involves growth in stewardship.

> A Workbook on Biblical Stewardship Richard E. Rusbuldt