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DERBYSHIRE BAPTIST CHURCH

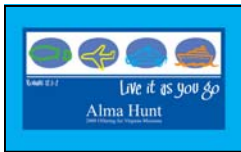
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THE WEDNESDAY DINNER AND PROGRAM ARE UNDERWAY! YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US.

- 5:00 - 6:00 PM Church-wide Dinner in Bryant Hall
(Reservation not required)
- 5:40 - 7:30 PM Young Musicians Handbells
- 6:00 - 6:45 PM Children's Choirs
- 6:00 - 6:15 PM Vesper service around the tables
- 6:15 - 7:30 PM Youth activities
Adult seminar
- 6:45 - 7:30 PM Children's Missions
- 7:30-9:00 PM Chancel Choir rehearsal

PASTOR'S CLASS

The pastor's class will resume on Sunday, September 7, 9:40 AM in room 122 (across from the church parlor). The teaching / learning topic is "The Biblical Revelation of God." Membership is open, especially to anyone who is not currently attending a Sunday School class.



ALMA HUNT

2008 OFFERING FOR VIRGINIA MISSIONS

Emphasis Dates: September 7-14

Derbyshire's Goal: \$6,000

Every dollar given to the Alma Hunt Offering goes toward ministries that serve the Kingdom of God. Part of the offering supports the Venturer program, which is enabling Virginia Baptists of all ages and life stages to "live it as they go" and follow God's call to minister in the U.S. and around the world.

MISSIONS: CORE VALUE EMPHASIS DURING SEPTEMBER

On September 3, our church launched a major educational emphasis on the six core values of Kingdom Vision. Each month through March a different value will be the theme of the adult seminar on Wednesday evenings and the worship services on Sunday mornings.

The September emphasis is "missions." Guest speakers are leading the seminar sessions, 6:15-7:30 PM in the chapel.

Everyone is strongly encouraged to attend in order to be better informed about the mission of God and our church's role within it. Join us for dinner during the 5:00 - 6:00 hour, before attending the seminar.

ADDITIONAL CHURCH OFFICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED ON THURSDAYS

The Derbyshire Baptist church office is looking for volunteers to add to our list of those who are willing to work on Thursdays from 9-12 or 12-3, once or twice a month, answering phones and doing light office work in the reception office. If you are interested, please call the church office at 740-7238 to place your name on the list.



Thank you, to everyone who gave your Ukrop's Golden Gift certificates to Derbyshire. We collected \$929.60 for use by our church.



Chancel Choir

(For singers 16 years of age or older)
'And the Angels Sing... 'Gloria!''
Christmas Premiere Luncheon
Sunday, Sept. 7, 12 Noon, Bryant Hall
Choir prospects eat free as our guests!
(Please call the Church Office at 740-7238 (x23) to reserve your free lunch and premiere folder)

Ringling for Him

(For ringers seventh - twelfth grade)
Sunday, Sept. 7, 3:30 PM, Bell Room

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Youth Choir
(For singers seventh - twelfth grade)
Sunday, Sept. 7, 4:15 PM, Choir Room

DBC Orchestra

(For instrumentalists with at least two years experience)
Sunday, Sept. 7, 5:15 PM, Sanctuary

Mallet Madness and Chime Gladness

(For instrumentalists/ singers first - third grade)
Wed., Sept. 10, 5:30 PM, Rm. 208

Young Musician Bells

(For ringers fourth - sixth grade)
Wed., Sept. 10, 5:40 PM, Bell Room

Children's Choirs

(For singers three years old - sixth grade)
Wed., Sept. 10, 6:00 PM, Various Rooms

New Spirit Ringers

(For non-auditioned adult ringers)
Sunday, Sept. 14, 5:15 PM, Bell Room

Master Ringers

(For auditioned adult ringers)
Sunday, Sept. 14, 6:00 PM, Bell Room



SEPTEMBER JOY CLUB MEETING

Once again we are approaching the excitement of a new Joy Club season. If you are 55+ and would like to add a little spice and variety to your life, come join us as we bring exciting and informative speakers and entertaining programs for your enjoyment. This is an opportunity for good Christian fellowship that you will not want to miss.

Join us on Sept. 11 at 10:30 AM, and hear Bill Young, back as usual to start our programs with a talk entitled, "Look Around You." It is the story of the life of Lord Baden-Powell, the British general who founded the Boy Scout movement in 1907. A former Eagle Scout himself, Mr. Young was a scoutmaster and a member of the Executive Board of the Robert E. Lee Council. He is the author and illustrator of two books on scouting, "Once a Scout" and "Trailing the Eagle" that were distributed through the Boy Scouts of America.

We hope you will join us and bring a salad to share with your friends.

THE ROBERT SCOTT ARONSON GRIEF MINISTRY OFFERS A NEW WORKSHOP

"Understanding Grief: Dispelling the Myths"

Sunday, September 14, 4:00 - 5:30 PM, church parlor
The workshop is led by Beth Smith and is open to anyone in the church or community.

THANK YOU NOTE RECEIVED FROM THE BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AT RICHMOND

The Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond expresses its gratitude to Derbyshire Baptist Church for your recent financial contribution that is helping in BTSR's work educating women and men for Christian ministry. BTSR's 539 alumni now pastor 80 churches within a two-hour drive of Richmond, and work in ministries in New York, Kenya, and throughout the world. We are especially pleased to let you know that 100% of your gift - as well as any additional gifts through next April - is being matched by an anonymous donor, thereby doubling your investment in theological education.

Sincerely,
John Bryan
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WOM MEETING

Women's Morning Mission Group Meeting Tuesday, September 9, 10:00 AM, Chapel

Our special guest will be Susan Warren, Minister to Children & Families. She will share plans that are being developed for children's ministries.

Transportation from Lakewood Manor will leave at 9:30 AM from the main entrance.

Guests are always welcome!



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