

What's Happening Now

Wednesday, August 25

Levy Midweek Meal @ 5:00 pm
 Menu: Fried Pork Chops, Corn on the Cob, Purple Hull Peas, Salad and Apple Cobbler
 Sunday School Teachers' Meeting @ 5:45 pm
 Business Meeting @ 6:15 pm
 Chancel Choir Rehearsal @ 7:00 pm

Friday, August 27

Mark Trammell Quartet Concert @ 6:00 pm

Saturday, August 28

Sunday School Leadership Luncheon @ 11:00 am

Sunday, August 29

Sunday School @ 9:00 am
 Morning Worship- Communion @ 10:15 am
 NPBA Evangelism Conference @ 6:00 pm
 Second Baptist Jacksonville
 No Levy at Nite service

Wednesday, September 1

Levy Midweek Meal @ 5:00 pm
 Menu: Corky's BBQ Sandwiches with all the fixings
 Sunday School Teachers' Meeting @ 5:45 pm
 Levy Midweek Prayer and Praise @ 6:15 pm
 Harvest Unlimited Leader Training @ 6:15 pm
 Chancel Choir Rehearsal @ 7:00 pm

Sunday, September 5

Sunday School @ 9:00 am
 Morning Worship @ 10:15 am
 Levy at Nite @ 6:00 pm- Last study in Job
 SNAC following Levy at Nite

Monday, September 6

Labor Day - Church Office Closed

Tuesday, September 7

Women on Mission @ 10:00 am



Cut out and place on your fridge
 with your favorite magnet



From our Pastor

When I announced I'd be preaching through the book of Job this summer, a church member who rarely attends said, "What a boring book!" I hope you haven't found our study on Sunday nights to be boring. However, if you could have only one book of the Bible in your possession, you probably wouldn't choose Job out of your 66 choices. How about if you could only have one page out of the Bible in your possession, which page would it be? Again, it probably wouldn't be from the book of Job. Yet, that's exactly the book Ernest Shackleton chose. Shackleton was an Anglo-Irish Explorer whose story is told in the movie *South*. His ship was *Endurance*. On his last journey, he and his men lost their ship. *Endurance* was crushed to splinters in the ice of the Antarctic. Shackleton knew that their best chance of striking land was to march to the other side of the floe. He commanded his men to sift out their belongings and to take only two pounds of weight with them. Men buried their bundles of letters from home, the presents that had been lavished upon them before leaving England, and all kinds of things of sentimental interest. Most tried to save the photographs of their sweethearts and wives. But, while his men were busy at these heart-breaking tasks, Shackleton had his own sorting out to do. And, among the problems that he had to solve was the problem of the Bible. The ship's

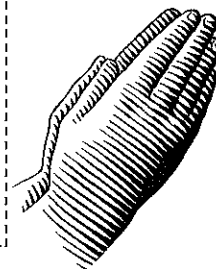
Bible was the gift of Queen Alexandria. He knew he could not take it with him. It was much too heavy. So, he decided to compromise. He resolved to tear out two pages – the fly-leaf bearing the Queen's inscription in her own handwriting, and one page from the sacred volume itself. But, the perplexity emerged. Which page should it be? He selected the pages containing the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth chapters of Job: "By the breath of God frost is given and the face of the waters is congealed... Out of whose womb came the ice? And the hoary frost of heaven, who hath gendered it? The waters are hid as with a stone, and the face of the deep is frozen." And so on. Shackleton carefully folded away these two precious pages and then set out with his men on their march across the ice-floe. Would you have picked this passage? Probably not. But, I want to suggest to you that this page was well worth preserving. I find three references in my Bible to the breath of God; one at the beginning, one in the middle, and one at the end; and in each case, the breath of God is the symbol and source of life. At the beginning of my Bible, I read how, in creating man, the Lord God breathed into man's nostrils and he became a living soul! In the middle of my Bible, I find a Hebrew prophet dreaming of a valley of dry bones. What can make these dry bones live? The breath of God. And, towards the end of my Bible, I find the risen Lord passing through the closed doors of the upper room to meet with His disciples. And, all at once, He breathed upon them and saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost!

At the beginning of my Bible – the breath of God, the life of man! In the middle of my Bible – the breath of God, the life of the world! At the end of my Bible – the breath of God, the life of the Church!
 What I want in my life – what I want in our church – is the breath of God.
 Sing with me today,

*Holy Spirit, breathe on me, Until my heart is clean;
 Let sunshine fill its inmost part, with not a cloud between.
 Holy Spirit, breathe on me, My stubborn will subdue;
 Teach me in words of living flame What Christ would have me do.
 Holy Spirit, breathe on me, Till I am all Thine own;
 Until my will is lost in Thine, To live for Thee alone.
 Breathe on me, breathe on me, Holy Spirit, breathe on me;
 Take Thou my heart, cleanse every part, Holy Spirit, breathe on me.*

THANK YOU

Levy Baptist Church, thank you for your giving to the Southern Baptist Cooperative Program. Of the 55 churches of North Pulaski Baptist Association which give to the Cooperative Program, Levy Baptist came in 8th in giving in the first 6 months of 2010.



Levy Baptist Church wishes to express their Christian love and sympathy to Michael Parrott in the loss of his father, Glendon Parrott

Levy Baptist Church wishes to express their Christian love and sympathy to Bill Parker in the loss of his brother, Joe Dan Parker

Invite a friend to church! Studies show most people visit and join a church because someone personally invited them.



Roses To.....



Greg Gann

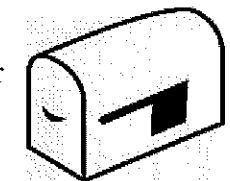
For preparing the meal for Outreach night this month.

Aimee Dean, Trish Brown, Mel Buddenberg, W.C. Wood, Bonnie Wood, Charlie Gilbert, Darlene Gilbert, Quincy McDonnell, Montine

McDonnell, Jim Dancy, Virginia Dancy, Deb Dancy, Renee' Dean, Joe Lacy, JoAnn Lacy, Hancel Keeton, Katie Keeton, Robert Jackson, Peggy Jackson, Lisa White, Claud White, Richard McCall, Donna McCall, Lois Bentley, Sue McGee, Don McGee, David Jones, Diana Harper:
 For helping with Outreach Night this month.

In the Mailbox

Dear Levy Baptist Church,

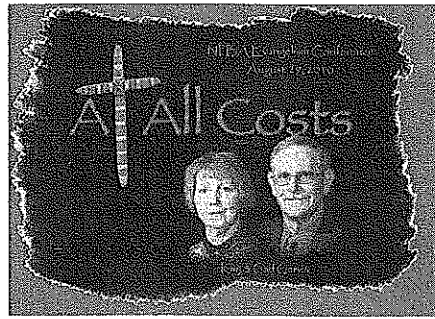


Bill and I want to thank our church family for all the calls, prayers, cards, and expressions of concern in these days. We love you all very much.

- Sylvia Parker



Levy Baptist Church



The Book of Job:

Have you enjoyed our summer study in the Book of Job? On Sunday night, September 5th you will have a chance to own a special edition copy of the book of Job. This special edition hardbound volume matches the King James translation of the text with beautiful and meticulously detailed, full-color paintings by renowned artist Arthur Szyk. Everyone will have a chance to put your 'name in the hat' to win this wonderful book which will be given away during SNAC.



Carl and Kay Garvin are the former International Mission Board Missionaries to the Masai People Group in Africa. We prayed for them four years ago when they were attacked and left for dead. You will NOT want to miss their testimony on Sunday night, August 29th, at the North Pulaski Baptist Association's Evangelism Conference. This year, the conference is being held at Second Baptist Church in Jacksonville. Levy Baptist has voted to dismiss our Levy at Nite Services on this evening to join the Evangelism Conference. The bus will leave at 5:15 pm. Conferences will also be provided for children ages kindergarten through 5th grade. A nursery will be provided for birth through 4 years only.

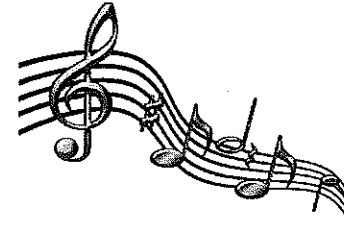
Sunday School Leadership Luncheon

This Saturday at 11:00 for all Sunday school leadership. The church will provide meat trays for sandwiches along with chips. Everyone else is asked to bring pasta salads and desserts.



Happy Birthday

- 9/1: Amanda Davidson
- 9/3: Dorothea Douglas
- 9/4: Bernard Singleton
- 9/5: Cindy Conley
- 9/9: Diana Harper
- 9/9: Kelly Ring
- 9/12: Bonnie Wood
- 9/17: David Jones
- 9/19: Chris Phillips
- 9/19: Rose Ward
- 9/21: Nancy Bratton
- 9/22: Paul Mitchell
- 9/22: Lois Bentley
- 9/24: Alta Nichols
- 9/27: Virginia Pairett
- 9/28: Steven Weeks



The Open Door

The Mark Trammell Quartet in Concert this Friday at 6:00 PM!

Hol
VI
No.
VIII

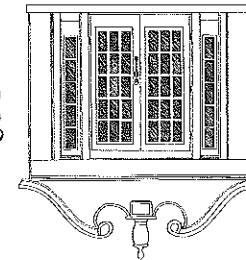
The
Open
Door

Remember
Levy Baptist
in your will

www.levybaptist.com

Address Service Requested

The Open Door of
Levy Baptist Church
3501 Pike Avenue
North Little Rock, AR 72118-4821



NON-PROFIT ORG
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
N. LITTLE ROCK, AR
72118
PERMIT # 266