



The Builder

Sermon Schedule:

- January 3
"Peter: My Favorite Disciple"
- January 10
"Andrew: The Apostle of Small Things"
- January 17
"John: The Apostle of Love"
- January 24
"James: The Apostle of Passion"
- January 31
"Lord's Supper"

Open House for
Beechland's Counseling Center
Sunday, January 10th
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Welcome New Members
We want to welcome the following to our church family:
Jose, Marie, & Jose Gonzalez, by baptism
Will Moore, by baptism
Garry Payton, by letter
Belinda Rand, by letter
Von & Brenda Smith, by letter

In Sympathy
Our love and sympathy is extended to the families of the following:
Nellie Brewer, niece of Charles & John Mabry
Kathy Fordon, mother of Tracy Fentress
David Hampton, brother of Ann Augustine
Elizabeth Hatfield, mother of David Banta
Terry Kramer, friend of Elena Hudgins
Katherine Lozier, mother of Jan Summers
Ewell Orr, grandfather of Kristi Stivers

2009 was a great year for Beechland. We grew numerically, relationally, and spiritually. We saw God bring new ministries and strengthen existing ministries. We developed a Master Plan to expand our worship and education facilities, and then we demonstrated our support for that Master Plan with commitments and offerings that exceeded what anyone imagined possible. 2009 was a great year for Beechland, but I believe that 2010 will be even better.

In the coming days, the details regarding the construction of our new sanctuary will become clearer. At this time, there are four things you can do to help us continue to move forward. First, begin paying your pledges to the building fund. Second, if you've not yet made a pledge to the new sanctuary, go ahead and begin giving to the Building Fund as well. Third, get involved at Beechland. Find a Sunday School class. Get involved in a ministry. If you've not attended for a while, this is a great time to start back. If you attend regularly, bring someone with you. Fourth, and most important, pray every day for God's will to be done at Beechland.

These are exciting days for Beechland. In just a few months we're going to celebrate our 150th anniversary. That's quite an accomplishment, but the best thing you can say about Beechland isn't that we're 150 years old; rather the best thing you can say about Beechland is that as exciting as our past has been, our future is even more exciting. So join us for worship this Sunday and bring a friend with you. These really are exciting days for Beechland!

God bless you,
Ken

Our Men's and Ladies Saturday morning Bible study resumes on Saturday, February 13. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of every month. A light breakfast is provided in the kitchen at 7:45, and then we break up into our groups at 8:00. If you'd like a group to study and pray with, we'd like to invite you to join our Men's or Ladies Saturday morning Bible Study.

Sunday Services
8:00 am, 9:30 am, and 11:00 am
Sunday School
9:30 am & 11:00 am
Small Group Studies
6:00 pm
Wednesday Service
6:30 pm

Children's Ministry

Well, I have officially hit the ground running and I am thoroughly enjoying children's ministry at Beechland!!! Thank you for guiding me through these first weeks and giving me grace as I continually ask your names. I promise I will eventually get them down.

I hope that each of you had a wonderful Christmas season and that you are looking forward to this New Year ahead. As we look into 2010 there are many exciting things on the horizon but let us finish strong some of the things that we have already started.

The Children's Building Fund Campaign to raise a \$1,000 is well on its way, as we have raised over \$350 already. Do not forget to place your building fund offering in the envelopes with stars. Let's make it happen!

Looking into the future it is hard to believe that Vacation Bible School and Children's Camp are just around the corner. VBS is scheduled for the week of June 13th-17th mark it on your calendars! I ask that each of you be in prayer about what role you would like to play in VBS. We need your support to make it a successful week for the children.

As far as camp goes, we are going to Crossings @ Cedarmore in Bagdad, KY the last week of July. Students are going to learn in a high-energy, Christ-centered, kid-friendly environment what it means to be ADOPTED into the family of God. Be on the lookout for more information in the worship bulletin in the Sundays to come. Camp is an opportunity for children in 2nd-5th Grades and a \$75 deposit per child is due by Sunday February 14th.

In HIM,
Andrew

Beechland Outside the Walls

The new year will bring some very exciting opportunities for us in the area of missions. Be praying for God's leadership if you desire to be involved in these new mission projects.

Habitat for Humanity: This spring, Beechland, along with some other local churches, will be participating in the construction of a brand new home for a deserving family from our community! We're scheduled to "raise the roof" on March 19-20, 2010. If you have construction skills...or the desire to learn them...and you want to assist in building this home, please sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office.

Save the Date: **Compassion Sunday** is February 7, 2010! A very special guest representing Compassion International will be visiting with us in both morning services and you will not want to miss it! Watch for more information in the coming weeks as we present an ongoing opportunity for you to help release children from poverty in Jesus' name. This mission project will provide the opportunity for participants to share the Good News on an individual and international level.

If you have questions, contact Lisa Bishop, 366-7046

January Family Fellowships

Sundays in January
6:00 p.m.

January 10: Board Games and Pizza

January 17: Movie and More

January 24: Corn Hole, Corn Dogs and Corn Chips

January 31: Special Guest

Free to All

Sign up on Bulletin Board Outside Church Office

The Student Ministry at Beechland Baptist exists to lead students into a passionate and authentic relationship with Jesus Christ.

We believe that Middle School and High School students matter to God, and that He has a special plan for them. Our desire is to help students to **grow down deep** in their relationship with God, to **grow up** into His purpose for their lives, and to **grow out** to reach others with the great news of Jesus Christ (Psalm 1:3, Jeremiah 17:7-8). Ultimately, we want to see students develop into mature, growing Christ followers that honor God with their thoughts, words, attitudes, and actions.

Our Student Ministry practices three basic levels of programming:

COME IN – Open to any student. An easy entry point for students not yet connected.

PLUG IN – Designed to help students build deeper connection relationships.

DIG IN – Primary focus is Christian discipleship and leadership development.

Ice Skating

Friday, January 15th

6:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.

Cost = \$7.00 + Food/Drink money

Student Ministry Parent Luncheon

Sunday, January 24th

12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Begins just after 3rd Service

Come connect with others parents and learn about what's going on with today's students.

Please Sign up on the Student Ministry board

Snow Tubing @ Perfect North

Saturday, February 20th

More info TBA


Watch for sign ups!!

2010 Summer Camp - Details coming soon!!!!

Watch for details, sign ups, and deposits for

Middle School and High School Summer Camps!

January 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Church Office & FLC Closed	2
3 No evening activities	4 7:00 Deacons Meeting	5 10:30 Live Wires	6 6:00 Youth Service 6:30 Children's Activities Resume Evening Service	7 11:00 Ladies Prayer Group	8	9
10 5:00 Church Cabinet 6:00 Sunday Evening Fellowship	11	12	13	14 11:00 Ladies Prayer Group	15 6:00 Student Ministry - Ice Skating	16
17 6:00 Sunday Evening Fellowship	18	19 10:30 Live Wires	20	21 11:00 Ladies Prayer Group	22	23
24 12:15 Youth Parent Luncheon 6:00 Sunday Evening Fellowship	25	26	27	28 11:00 Ladies Prayer Group	29	30
31 6:00 Sunday Evening Fellowship	OPEN HOUSE - For Beechland's Counseling Center Sunday, January 10th, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm					

LIVE WIRES

Tuesday, January 5 - 10:30 am

New Year's Brunch
Games - "Truth or Lie"

Tuesday, January 19 - 10:30 am

Speaker from Park Terrace
Bingo, etc.
Covered Dish Luncheon

A second College-age Sunday School
Class will begin
Sunday, January 10th at 11:00
Meet in the Sojourners Classroom in the Main
building near the Church Office.
This class is for unmarried individuals
age 18-25
Led by Tim Ashley

Widow Friends

"Widow Friends" is a friendship group for widows. We meet the second Tuesday of each month from 10:30 - 12:00 noon in the dining room of the main building. Join us on **Tuesday, January 12th!**

A Note of Thanks

I want to say thanks for all the prayers for my brother, Claudie Atwell, and all the ones who visited the funeral home and all the beautiful cards I received. What a wonderful pastor we have, always there when you need a good word. Bro. Ken is that pastor. We have such a caring church and pastor.

The Atwell Family and Sybil Webster

Thank you to all of you at Beechland that gave us support through your prayers, cards, and visits during my mother's illnesses and passing to meet her Lord. Thank you especially to Ken and Dave for being there during the hardest times. We love you all.

The Cooley Family

Thank you all so much for all of your love, faith, support and prayers! Please keep praying for Candace and our family. Remember that through God anything is possible!

The Metten Family

We would like to thank Bro. Hollis for his concern and prayers, to Dodie for her visit, and to all the people at Beechland for their love and prayers. We are a long ways from being well, but with all the prayers and love of our church family and our faith, we are going to make it. There is not enough thanks to go around.

Earl & Lois Hazel

Family Life Center

Hours:

Mon, Tues, Thurs
9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Wednesday
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday
9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday
9:00 am - 12:00 noon

Closed Sunday

Welcome Desk
(502) 935-1313 ext. 208

FLC Director,
Kathy Darby
(502) 935-1313 ext. 206

Family Life Center Happenings...

January begins our 6th season of Upward Basketball games. Our games begin on Saturday, January 9 and run through Saturday, February 27. Kindergarten through 2nd graders play at 9:30 and 10:30 am, our 3rd & 4th graders play at 11:30 am and our 5th and 6th graders play at 1:00 and 2:00 pm. We invite you to come out and support our teams. Schedules are posted on the bulletin boards and the concession stand is stocked with great ballgame foods. We'll see you this Saturday!



Upward Prayer Partners

Prayer partners, please remember to pray daily for our Upwards program. If you have misplaced your prayer list, you can pick one up in the Church Office. Thank you for supporting this ministry.

Sunday Evening Fellowships in January!

Join us January 10, 17, 24, and 31 at 6:00 pm for fun fellowships. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office

Beechland Baptist Church

Church Office Hours

Mon.-Fri. 9:00 – 4:00

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