

GREENFOREST COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
September 1 – September 15, 2009
ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOURNEY TO WELLNESS: The Year of Implementation
STANDING FIRM ON THE WORD ~ STAYING FOCUSED ON THE MISSION

WOMEN'S DAY 2009

**"Women Fulfilling God's Generational Covenant:
Teaching, Training and Mentoring"**



WOMEN'S DAY 2009 will be celebrated Sat and Sun, Sept. 12th & 13th. The theme will be "Women Fulfilling God's Generational Covenant: Teaching, Training and Mentoring". The scripture reference is Titus 2:1-5. The Saturday session begins at 9:30am. **Sis. Kim Hardy will be our Keynote Speaker on Saturday. She will also be the speaker for both services on Sunday.**

Attendees should contribute towards lunch based on their last name: A thru H--meat/main dish, I thru P-- salad/side dish, Q thru Z-- dessert. For missions, bring a wearable outfit to donate to a homeless woman's charity. Childcare will be available for a fee. The colors for this year's celebration are **brown** and **pink**.

The D&TSC Walk/Run and Women's Day participants will come together to host a Special 3K Walk for the women who are participating in the Women's Day activities. This Special 3K Walk begins promptly at 7:00am with walkers checking in between 6:30am and 6:50am. Be sure to pre-register for the walk today.



**JAMES "JAY" WILSON
STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART
ANNUAL WALK/RUN**



Lace up your shoes! It's time for the Annual D&TSC Walk/Run! The Dialysis and Transplantation Support Services Center will host the 2009 James "Jay" Wilson Straight From the Heart 5K Walk/Run on Saturday, September 12, 2009 at Greenforest. Everyone is invited to participate as either a runner or walker. This year, "Teams" will be recognized. So, encourage your ministry members, Fulfillment Hour Class, sorority sisters or fraternity brothers to sign up and participate in the Walk/Run as a team. Challenge teams from rival Alma Mata's (such as FAMU & TSU), different states (NY vs SC), or city teams (Lithonia vs Decatur) -- even Fulfillment Hour classes can enter into friendly competition, as well.

Let's make this year's Walk/Run an event that supports the cause of raising awareness on renal diseases while also promoting physical wellness and fun. For more information and to find out how to enter your team, please call 404 243-7600 or stop by the pre-registration table.



Adult Division Fulfillment Hour Lessons

Unit 1: "Let's Talk About Jesus"

Lesson 1

September 6, 2009

"Jesus: The One and Only VIP"

John 1:1-15, 10-18

Lesson 2

September 13, 2009

"Jesus: The One I Need"

Mark 2:1-12, 15-17

Youth Division Fulfillment Hour Lesson

Unit IV: Joy-More Than A Feeling

Session 1

September 6, 2009

"Joy-More Than A Feeling"

Proverbs 14:13; I Peter 1:3-9; Galatians 5:22-23

Session II

September 13, 2009

"Joy and Contentment"

Phil 4:10-20; John 3:27-30; I Kings 11:1-15

Children Division Fulfillment Hour Lessons

Study Theme: "The Word"

September 6, 2009

"Respect The Word"

2 Kings 22:1 23:3

September 13, 2009

"Read The Word"

Nehemiah 8:1-2

The **Prayer Request Box** has been moved to the Prayer Room located downstairs under the vestibule. Please place your prayer requests in the offertory tray until a permanent location for the Prayer Box is determined. The Prayer Ministry meets each Monday in the Chapel at 7:00pm. Please join us as together we cry out to God for His help. Thank you so much and may the peace of God be with you.

GCBC Major Events Calendar September-October '09

September 12, 2009

James "Jay" Wilson

Straight From The Heart

Annual; Walk/Run



September 12-13, 2009

Women's Day

October 24-25, 2009

Youth2Christ Conference-Ridgecrest

October 25, 2009

"10-25 Sunday"

October 31, 2009

Harvest Fest

KEENAGERS MEETINGS WILL RESUME ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH AT 12:00 NOON IN THE GENESIS ROOM.

The **Diabetes Support Group** will resume meetings on Tuesday, September 8, 2009. The Group meets in the Chapel on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 6:30-7:30pm. For more information, call Barbara Boyd 770 987-3887 or Rose Outlaw at 770 760-8123.

Deacon Charles Brown Family Ministry will meet on September 20th after the 2nd Worship Service in the Chapel.

The **Weatherly Family Ministry** invites you to join them in a weekend of fun September 18-20, 2009 in Savannah, GA. **Transportation:** \$40.00 per adult; \$10.00 per child, ages 4-17 (must be accompanied by an adult). Checks should be made payable to Greenforest Community Baptist Church. The deadline for payment is September 8, 2009. **Lodging:** Courtyard by Marriott in Savannah's Downtown Historic District, 415 W. Liberty St., Savannah 31401 Phone, 912 790-8287. Please contact hotel directly to secure lodging before Sept., 8th and reference GCBC. Rooms are \$109.00/night plus tax for 2 people. Breakfast is free for up to 2 persons per room. Each additional person must pay \$5.00. Free on/off shuttle service included. For additional information, please contact Dea. Weatherly @ 404 291-7573.

"Youth2Christ"

Calling all youth from grades 7-12! On October 24th-25th, it's time to make a connection with Christ through "Youth2Christ". Hosted in Ridgecrest, North Carolina, this two day event is \$75 per youth which includes room and board. If you and someone you know are interested in participating, please contact Sis. Andrea Mitchell at andrea.r.mitchell@gmail.com by September 13th. Payments are due September 20th. For additional information about Youth2Christ please visit www.youth2christ.magix.net/website/. or join Youth2Christ on Facebook. I hope to see you at the connection!

Musicians Needed

Power Hour Worship Service

The Worship Team is currently soliciting the interest of musicians to form a contemporary worship band for the Power Hour Youth Worship Service. Instrumentalists needed are: keyboardist, bass guitarist and drummer. If you are or know individuals who are interested, please contact Sis. Shirley Pearson, Worship Team Leader or Bro. Derrick Summerville, Assistant Worship Team Leader for details.

Members With IT Experience Needed

The Greenforest IT department is in need of members within our congregation who have a background and/or experience in the IT arena and are willing to volunteer your service to this vital ministry. If interested, please contact Bro. Edward Smith at 404 486-6725 for more details.

The **Greenforest-McCalep Academic Center** sincerely request the honor of your presence at the celebration of their 3rd Annual Founder's Day in recognition of Pastor George O. McCalep, Jr. This is also the 20th Anniversary of the Academy and we praise God for His faithfulness to our school. Date: September 17, 2009 Time: 9:00 AM Where: Greenforest Community Baptist Church, Sanctuary Please come and show your love for Pastor McCalep, his family and the Academic Center.

GREENFOREST YOUTH HONORED

Three Greenforest Youth have obtained the rank of Eagle Scout.

- Leland Wright, a 17 year old senior at Decatur High School
- Brandon Hann, a 17 year old senior at Woodward Academy
- Jabari Carney, a 17 year old senior at Southwest Dekalb High School

They will be presented with the Eagle Scout rank at a special ceremony at Greenforest on October 31, 2009 at 2:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please join us in congratulating these young men for their accomplishment.

CAREGIVERS SEMINAR

"Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life." Peace Prayer by St.

Francis of Assisi **You are cordially invited to participate in the Caregivers Seminar sponsored by the Nurses Guild and Cancer Support Ministry** being held on Saturday, **September 26, 2009** in the Fellowship Hall from **11:30 to 2:30 p.m.** This event will focus on the spiritual, legal and the many resources available to Caregivers. Our speakers are our own Minister Sylvia Goldman, Ms. Mary Lou Vergara, Dekalb County Area Agency on Aging and Rev. Shirley Daniels, Greater Bethel AME Church. Please mark your calendars, invite others and join us as we minister to this "exceptional group" known as Caregivers. You may register with any member of the Cancer Support Ministry or Nurses Guild. Lunch will be served.

Caregivers Seminar September 26, 2009
11:30-2:30

Name _____

Phone # _____ # Attending _____

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4TH QUARTER TRACK CLASSES

Beginning September 3, 2009

(Note: Classes will not meet November 25, 2009)

Classes are offered on Wednesdays from 7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Course and Number			Textbook	Price	Instructor	Room	Dates	Wks
101	***	Bible Overview	30 Days To Understanding The Bible		Dea. Edward Henderson	Bldg. 3 Rm. 121	09/02 – 12/02	13
103		In God's Presence (Prayer)	Develop a Meaningful Prayer Life		Sarah Reid	Bldg. 3 Rm. 120	09/02 - 11/18	12
201		Spiritual Gifts	Network : Discovering your Spiritual Gifts		The Spiritual Gifts Team	Bldg 2 Rm. 204	09/02 – 09/23	4
303		MasterLife II: The Disciple's Mission	The Disciple's Mission		Barbara (BJ) Smith	Bldg 3 Rm.123	09/02 – 10/28	9
405		Experiencing God	Experiencing God		Donna George	Bldg 3 Rm. 118	09/02 – 11/11	11
408		Making Peace With Your Past	Making Peace With Your Past		Arthurine Wright	Sanctuary Rm. 8	09/02 – 11/11	11
411		FH Potential Leaders	Materials Provided by the Instructor		Vickie Tolson	Bldg. 1 Rm. 4/6	09/02 – 09/30	5
414		Freedom From Busyness	A Biblical Remedy for Busyness		Gail Maffett	Bldg 1 – Rm. 4/6	09/23 – 10/21	5

NOTE: *** = Courses for Approved Academic Credit.