

Haddock Highlights

Volume XX

February 2011

Haddock Baptist Church

HAPPENING in February

Baptist Men's Day

Sunday, February 6

7:00 a.m. Breakfast for all men and boys

Breakfast devotional by Jason Briley

8:30 and 11:00 Men's Choir

Guest Speaker: John Albrycht

Vespers Family Worship

Sunday Evenings

February 13 and 20

6:00 p.m.

Baptist Women's Day

Sunday, February 27

8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



Anyone over the age of 14 who is interested in playing in the Jones County Church softball league should contact Len Aubry or the church office. The formation of men and women's teams will be determined by the level of interest and those who pay the \$30 fee by the end of February. Money will be refunded if at least 15 players per team do not sign up.

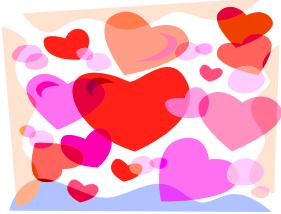
From the Pastor's Pen

Any student will attest that it is important in life to know the right answers. People often approached Jesus asking questions and seeking answers. Some sought out the Teacher seeking to disguise their true motives. Others were sincere and genuine in their desire to discover the truth, for example, the teacher who asked an excellent question: *of all the commandments, which is the most important?*

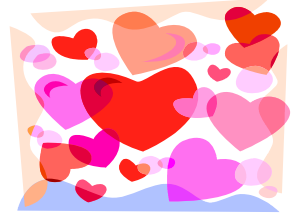
Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these. It is probable that any Jewish person living in Israel could have recited these sacred texts. However, it appears that Jesus is trying to move us to a deeper level of understanding than rote memorization. One must go one step forward: information without application is inadequate.

A seminary professor has written, sometimes believers think the big question is, "do you believe in God?" According to Jesus, a more important question is, "do you love God?" Loving God should be the driving force of our life. During this month when we reflect upon love- let us understand that God's desire is that we love him with all our being and love others as a reflection of our commitment to God. Come join us as we ask deep questions, search for answers, and discover God's love in our journey of faith.

Blessings,
Bro. Ron



February



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6 Baptist Men's Day Souper Bowl Sunday 6:00 p.m. Youth Super Bowl Party at Rusty's No p.m. services	7 6:00 p.m. Women's Ministry Meeting 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study	8	9 9:30 a.m. JOY Ministry - Milledgeville 6:45 p.m. Church Conference	10 11:30 a.m. Sr. Adult luncheon	11	12																																																	
13 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Lord's Supper 5:00 p.m. Ministry Team 6:00 p.m. Vespers Family Worship	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17	18 4:00 p.m. Haddock Ramblers - Dinner at Bonner's Restaurant	19																																																	
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27 12:15 p.m. Sunday's Cool Club Gr. 1-5 Baptist Women's Day	28	Missionary Guest Speaker Wednesday, March 2 6:30 p.m. Jessy TogbaDoya - Liberia			<table border="1" style="border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <tr><th colspan="7">March 2011</th></tr> <tr><th>S</th><th>M</th><th>T</th><th>W</th><th>T</th><th>F</th><th>S</th></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td></tr> <tr><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td></tr> <tr><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td></tr> <tr><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td><td>30</td><td>31</td><td></td><td></td></tr> </table>		March 2011							S	M	T	W	T	F	S			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31		
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SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30 a.m. Early Worship
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 5:00 p.m. Bible Drill
 6:00 p.m. Vespers Family Worship (13th & 20th)

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

5:30 p.m. Family Night Supper
 6:15 p.m. Preschool Missions, Children's Choir, Youth Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer Meeting
 6:50 p.m. Preschool Choir, Children RA's & GA's
 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study and breakfast

THURSDAY SCHEDULE

6:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Study @ Standing Rocks Farm



Dear church family,

February has arrived and Saint Valentine's Day is quickly approaching. While this day has become mostly commercialized, it was originally a religious holiday that dates back to the 1st century.

The great hymn, *The King of Love My Shepherd Is*, paraphrases Psalm 23. Families often request the reading of the 23rd Psalm at funerals, because its words offer so much comfort. However they strengthen us also in happier moments.

This hymn, written by Englishman Henry Baker in 1868, reminds us that we serve a God who loves us, who cares about our welfare, and who provides for our every need. We certainly need that reminder. Occasionally, life throws us a few curveballs. It is in those moments that Psalm 23 and this hymn reminds us that we have nothing to fear. Almighty God continues to work in our lives.

On this February 14th, reflect on Jesus Christ... the purest and greatest example of love.

In His love,
Ami



February is upon us! 2011 is in full swing. I hope everyone is having fun so far! This is an exciting month for the youth ministry. First, the evening of the first Sunday of the month, we'll have our annual Super Bowl party at my house at 6:00pm. Show up with a good attitude and don't break anything. It should be a great time of fellowship. The other major event this month is a mini-retreat the last weekend of this month, from 5:45 p.m. Friday night the 25th ending at 12:15 p.m. Saturday the 26th. We'll spend some time both at the church and off-campus with a guest Bible study leader and guest worship leaders. Bring \$15 for an activity. It'll be a great time to both hang out and to study God's Word.

Also, on the last Wednesday of this month, a \$50 deposit is due for any students who wish to go on our summer trip this year. This year, we'll be going to Passport in Washington D.C. from June 18th-25th. While there will be time to have fun and see the sights, our main activity will relate to mission work in that area, simply trying to share God's love with others. Not only can this trip be fun, it will be another opportunity to grow spiritually. The total cost is \$290, plus some cash for a few meals on the road. To help fund this, we're restarting our Rent-A-Teen program. Please contact Caroline Baker, who has graciously agreed to be our contact person if interested. We'll also have another fundraising opportunity on Youth Sunday, March 27. And, to start off, the church is covering the first \$90 for each slot.

This month, we'll begin having Sunday evening Vespers services, on the 13th and 20th. Since these are church wide worship services, I hope you will be present. Plus we need volunteers to help lead parts of the service! I hope to see all of you at church this month!

Grace and Peace,
Rusty

Senior Adult Ministry

Senior Adult Covered-Dish Luncheon

Thursday, February 3
11:30 a.m.
Fellowship Hall

Haddock Ramblers' Night Out

Friday, February 18
Dinner at Bonners Restaurant
Leave the church at 4:00 p.m.

New Hymnals

Thanks to the gift of the new Celebrating Grace hymnals in memory of Jesse and Hazel Moore, our old Baptist Hymnals (1991) are available to church members (1 per family) while the supply lasts. Our church also donated 125 of these hymnals to five area nursing homes.

Faith Comes by Hearing

This month we are partnering with Faith Comes by Hearing to launch the military Bible stick gift program. This ministry has already provided over 40,000 military Bible sticks to chaplains in every branch of the Armed Forces. The chaplains distribute them to troops, often those on the front line or those receiving care in military hospitals. For every soldier who participates, a free MP3 Bible is offered to their spouse and children. The cost of this Bible is \$25. Mark your check for Haddock Baptist Church and in the memo line write: Military Bible stick or Faith Comes by Hearing.



Fall Marriage Retreat

October 21-23, 2011

Georgia Baptist Conference Center

Toccoa, Georgia

Total Cost: \$238 per couple

A non-refundable deposit of \$38
is due by February 14.

We have made reservations for 20 couples. We need a minimum of 12 couples deposits by 02/14/11 to guarantee the trip. If the retreat is cancelled due to lack of sign-ups, we will return your deposit. The balance will be due by September 21.

Stewardship Report



*Store up your treasures in heaven,
where thieves can't steal and moths
cannot destroy them.*

January 2010 Report

Sunday School Monthly Average	189
Sunday School Yearly Average	189
January Bible Study	60
Total Number of Contacts Reported	454

November 2010 Financial Totals

Budget Offering received this month	\$ 31,115.37
Weekly Budget needs YTD	\$ 37,960.00
Budget Offerings received YTD	\$ 31,115.37
Year to Date under budget	\$ 6,844.63
Building Fund received this month	\$ 10,964.00
Loan Balance—Sanctuary	\$ 922,378.61

You May Reach Us

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Church Web Site	Haddockbaptistchurch.com

Your Church Staff

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Minister of Music	Rev. Amedeo Tritto
Associate Pastor: Youth	Mr. Rusty Grace

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