

Haddock Highlights

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Haddock Baptist Church

Focus on Your Family In May

Sunday Evenings at 6:00

Presentations designed with your family in mind.

Sunday, May 1

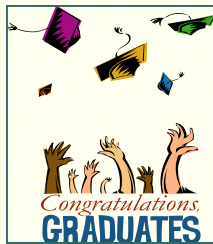
Your Family and Your Legal Questions

Led by attorneys Ryan Frier
and Donnie Oulsnam

Sunday, May 15

**Your Family and Your Financial
Questions**

Led by Tony Martin and Derek Pettigrew



Graduate Recognition Sunday

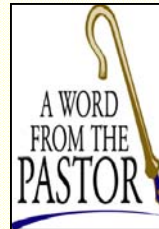
Sunday, May 15

Please call the church office to provide the
name of your graduate.

Worship Sunday Mornings

8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Come explore Biblical families
from the book of Genesis.



Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God, the LORD is one! You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up. (Deuteronomy 6:4-7)

These ancient words from the Old Testament illustrate the importance of the family in communicating the essentials of the faith for future generations. If the baton of faith is not passed from one generation to the next, what becomes of those children raised in such a home or community? And what becomes of future generations raised by such children? Teaching our children the faith is more important than teaching our sons and daughters how to hunt, fish, play sports, or drive a vehicle.

Patrick Henry, one of the great statesmen of our nation, is remembered for his powerful oratory skills. While seeking to persuade others to join the fight for independence he said, *I know not what course others may take, but, as for me, give me liberty or give me death.* I recently came across a quote of his that is even more significant as it relates his thoughts regarding the disposition of his estate upon his death. *I have now disposed of all my property to my family. There is one thing more I wish I could give them, and that is the Christian religion. If they had that, and I had not given them one shilling, they would have been rich; and if they had not that, and I had given them all the world, they would be poor.* Mr. Henry understood the importance of the biblical passage above. Join us this month as we focus on the family and passing along our faith to the next generation.

Blessings,
Bro. Ron



A Note
From our
Minister of Music

Dear church family,

As Ron focuses on the theme of family this month, a well known Gaither hymn reminds us that we are a part of the family of God.

Ron and Darlene Garner and their three children, fellow congregants, inspired the writing of the Gaithers' song *The Family of God*. While Ron was working with combustible material there was an explosion. He managed to crash his way through large double doors before the building blew apart and went up in flames. He was severely burned and was not expected to make it through the night. Within minutes, a chain of telephone calls alerted the family of God, and the whole church began to pray for Ron. On Easter morning, as the sun rose, the pastor came in with a report from the hospital. Ron had outlived the deadline and doctors said he had a chance. The community helped the family through long months of support while the healing process went on.

Bill and Gloria Gaither stated, "They'd do the same thing for us if we were the part of the Body that was suffering! Not because we were worthy or had earned special treatment or were indispensable—but just because we were a part of the family of God!"

Let's continue worshipping together as a family, praying to become one body of Jesus Christ.

In His love,
Ami



It's getting even warmer and school's about to wind down, after it gets really intense for a couple of weeks. I guess that means that summer is approaching. But before we get there, we have to go through May. The Youth ministry has a few events this month, so make plans on joining us. First, on Wednesday night the 4th, we'll be joined in our Wednesday evening Bible study by the youth of Jordan Chapel A.M.E. in Haddock. On this night, we'll welcome some special guest speakers who will talk about the importance of making good decisions. Many thanks go to Edmund Grant for helping to organize this event. Later that week, on Saturday the 7th, we're going to head up to Eatonton to help "Jesus is the Good Shepherd" Church with a Cinco de Mayo celebration. We need to meet at Haddock at 4:30 p.m. Come join us for an event that will both be a lot of fun and a great way to serve another church as they try to reach their community. Finally, on Monday night the 23rd, meet at the church at 7:00 p.m. for a movie, with free drinks and popcorn. You can't beat that! Also, stay on the lookout for a list of summer activities that will be coming out soon.

Even though school is winding down and people are ready for a well-earned summer break from school, we need to keep in mind that following Jesus is something we do all year long. We don't get a summer break from being a Christian. We don't get to take a vacation from seeking to do God's will. The Bible says "pray without ceasing" not "pray August through May" or "June - August." This summer is actually a great opportunity to focus more on God. After all, if you're out of school, why not read your Bible a few minutes each day? Why not spend a few minutes in prayer? Just like we need to eat well for our bodies to be healthy, we need to do things like pray and read our Bibles to be spiritually healthy. It just takes a little bit of self-discipline. Hope to see you all at church this month!

Grace and peace,
Rusty Grace



VBS Workers' Meeting

Wednesday, May 25 - 7:30 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

Teachers, please bring your supply list
to the meeting.



HBC & JACOR - May 14 - 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

HBC - May 28 - 8:00 a.m. - Noon

For more details, contact Wilbur Wright or Al Colter.



May 2011



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 12:00 p.m. Sunday's Cool Club 4:30 p.m. Deacons' meeting 6:00 p.m. Family and Legal Questions	2 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study	3	4 6:30 p.m. Community Youth Event	5 11:30 a.m. Senior Adult Covered-Dish Luncheon	6	7 4:30 p.m. Youth Cinco de Mayo Event - Eatonton
8  Parent/Child Dedication No evening service	9 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Haddock Ramblers Savannah tour</div>	10 6:00 p.m. Women's Ministry Meeting	11 9:30 a.m. JOY Ministry - Milledgeville 6:45 p.m. Church Conference	12	13	14 8:00 a.m. - Noon HBC/JACOR Work Day
15 Graduate Recognition 5:00 p.m. Ministry Team Mtg. 6:00 p.m. Family and Financial Questions 7:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting	16 6:00 p.m. Deacon Nominating Committee Meeting	17	18	19	20	21 10:00 a.m. Ladies Craft Day - youth center
22 Observance of the Lord's Supper 7:00 p.m. Baptists Today @ Cox Capital Theater	23 7:00 p.m. Youth Movie Night	24	25 9:45 a.m. JOY Ministry - Gray 6:45 p.m. Children's Mission Recognition Night 7:30 p.m. VBS Workers' Meeting	26	27	28 8:00 a.m. - noon HBC Work Day
29 No evening service	30  Church office closed	31	Baptist Today Party Sunday, May 22 - 7:00 p.m. Cox Capital Theater Food, Fun and Music Downtown Macon Music by singer-songwriter Pat Terry This Baptist news journal will unveil its new format and you are invited.			

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30 a.m. Early Worship
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship

THURSDAY SCHEDULE

7:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study
 @ Standing Rocks Farm

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

5:30 p.m. Family Night Supper
 6:15 p.m. Kids Praise & Play
 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
 6:30 p.m. Preschool Mission Group
 6:30 p.m. Youth Worship (WNW)
 6:45 p.m. RA's and GA's
 6:45 p.m. Prayer Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Preschool Recreation

June 2011

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Sunday's Cool Club Sunday, May 1 - 12:15 p.m.

Lunch will be served after church
in the fellowship hall.

Fun Factory in Milledgeville following lunch.

Parents, please complete a permission slip.

See Tara Miller for details.



Vacation Bible School

June 5-9, 2011

6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Supper each night at 6:00

VBS Director: Ginny Watson

Youth Director: Rusty Grace

Children's Director: Lori Garrett

Preschool Director: Judy Henderson

Haddock Baptist Summer 2011

"Terrific Thursdays"

**Five consecutive weeks
beginning June 16**

For children who have completed grades K-5

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

\$10 per day

This includes lunch, snacks, and cost of field trips.

Registration forms are available in the church
office. You must be pre-registered with money to
reserve a spot for your child.

Register ASAP due to limited space.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT



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

April 2011 Report

Sunday School Monthly Average	172
Sunday School Yearly Average	176
Sunday Evening Bible Study Average	31
Total Number of Contacts Reported	327

April 2011 Financial Totals

Budget Offering received this month	\$ 34,352.37
Weekly Budget needs YTD	\$ 129,064.00
Budget Offerings received YTD	\$ 127,386.06
Year to Date under budget	\$ 1,677.94
Building Fund received this month	\$ 8,693.00
Building Loan Balance	\$ 904,273.59

You May Reach Us

Church	478-932-5470
Pastor	Cell: 478-986-7477 Home: 478-932-5897
E-Mail Address	Haddockbc@windstream.net
Church office hours:	Monday–Thursday 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Church Web Site	Haddockbaptistchurch.com

Your Church Staff

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

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