

October 2017

How beautiful on the mountains
are the feet of those who bring good news,
who proclaim peace,
who bring good tidings,
who proclaim salvation,
who say to Zion,
“Your God reigns!”

Isaiah 52:7



October Memory Verse:

For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

Hebrews 4:12

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Birthdays

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To protect from identity theft, birthdays are not listed in the on-line version of the Chapel Communique. Thank you for understanding!



This month **Golden Heirs** will meet **Friday, October 13th, at 6:30 pm** for their monthly fellowship meal. This month Steve & Nita Casey will be leading the program with Steve providing live music. There will be lots of good food and fellowship so bring your favorite “potluck” dish and join them!

If you need a ride, please call the office by Thursday.

October 17th — 6 PM — Ladies “Burn, Baby Burn!” Night

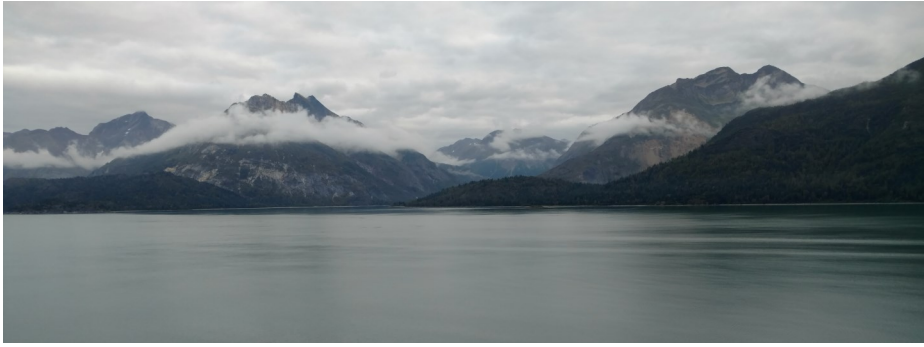


October 24th — 6:30 PM — Men’s Fellowship

October 25th—6 PM — Fall Festival

October 27th—29th — Victory Bible Camp Fall Retreat





Mountains, Music, and God By Beth Endel

I have always loved mountains! I like the beach, but I LOVE the mountains. They speak to me somehow. Whether it's staring at a mountain miles off in the distance or standing on a high peak looking at the beauty below, I feel God's presence. I'm in awe of His creation. The ruggedness, the majesty, the splendor. Words and photographs cannot portray what I feel when I'm there.

Music is also something I love. I have memories going way back--probably to about age 3--of singing with my mother in the porch swing at my grandmother's house. We'd sing everything from "Deep and Wide" to "Down in the Valley". In the song "Down in the Valley", there's a part that mentions the "Birmingham jail". I was one confused kid! I thought it was the "burning ham jail", and I couldn't figure out why the ham was burning in the jail.



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Fair Outreach

The annual Union County Fair has come and gone. Marrable Hill Chapel (MHC) provided a booth at the fair 9/19-9/21 as an outreach to our community — showing love and handing out information. Students from MHC's Children Ministry helped Ruth Guinn man the booth.

On Tuesday night, the girls worked (Avery McGoogan, Krista Glancey, and Kelsea Glancey). They gave out cold water, Bibles, and information pamphlets about MHC along with providing cross, heart, and



scripture necklaces to kids. On Thursday, the boys worked the booth (Hayden Cheshier, Torrin Douglas, Brody Crotty). They had a great time passing out things, especially the necklaces, and talking with kids! We gave away approximately 100 necklaces in those 3 days.

Several people from MHC stopped in to help at a moment when it was needed - DeeDee Harrison, Danny Vinson, & Larry White. Larry White was a hero when he took the three boys on rides after they finished working! Beth & Danny Endel, worn out & tired from an awesome vacation, came & worked the booth — talking to people they knew along with strangers. Their love of people showed! They talked to the adults while the kids talked to the kids. It was a great combination and we really appreciated them. We talked with a family interested in

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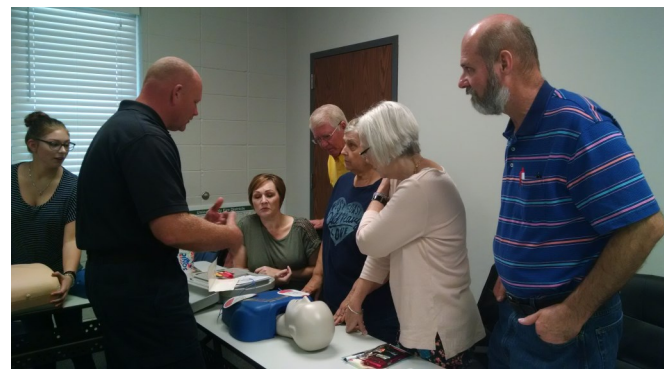
Getting to Know You Vicki Evans



Vicki Evans has been married to her husband, Bill Evans, for 40 years. She has a son, Timothy Evans, 38, who is an attorney with the Security Exchange Commission. His wife, Sarah, is self-employed and they have three sons — Alex, 10, Isaac 7, and Asa 4. She has a daughter, Leah Riley, who is a self-employed Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant working in the El Dorado School district. She is married to Chris. He works for Lion Oil Pipeline. They have two daughters, Charlee, 7, and Camryn, 3. Her mom, Virginia Meador, and mother-in-law, Sarah Evans, are both members of Marrable Hill Chapel.

Vicki has been attending Marrable Hill Chapel for 40 years. She started coming here, because it was her husband's church. Vicki's mom always had her in church. She grew up knowing that you can't have life without Jesus. When she was seven years old, she was saved at the Methodist Church. She later rededicated her life to the Lord when she was a teenager in the Nazarene Church.

Vicki is the AWANA (Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed) Director for MHC. AWANA is a ministry that teaches the Bible to children from 3 years old to 6th grade using games, songs, memory
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Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Class

Our local fire department has set up a community outreach program that provides free, non-certified CPR



classes. Fortunately for us, Bruce Goff, captain of the El Dorado Fire Dept., invited our church family to attend the first one. The class takes approximately two hours to complete. Everyone enjoyed themselves learning and

having a good time. Several participants expressed they had attended other CPR classes previously, but this one was more informative.

Youth that help with MHC's Children's Ministry will go through teacher/assistant training classes as well as attend a CPR class. Kaitlin Glancey was the first youth to go through this class & she did an awesome job!



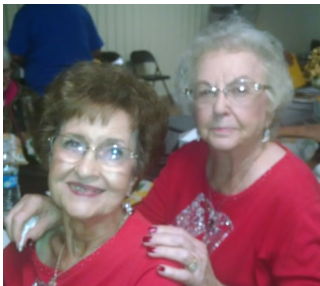
If you are interested, the next class is Oct 7th at 9 AM at the Central Fire Station on Northwest Ave. Please call the fire dept. at 881-4850 to sign up for the class.

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coming to our church & several families interested in AWANAs (Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed). This was a good way to show the community what is going on for families at Marrable Hill Chapel.



While at the fair, Ovie Williams, who has her 90th birthday this month, and Mary Alice Nelson were spotted kicking up their heels with the Silver Sneakers, a line dancing group from Champagnolle Landing. It was obvious that the group loves what they do! It was fun to watch!



Adrian Perry won the "Reserve Champion" at the fair for his chicken! Way to go Adrian!!!! We are so proud of you!

All in all, another good year at the fair was found.



Men's Fellowship October 24th at 6:30 PM

This month there will be a Men's Fellowship at Marrable Hill Chapel on 10/24/17 at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Chris Lutman, a member of First Baptist Church, will be the guest speaker. He is employed with the El Dorado Police Department and organizes events that seek to encourage community fellowship. Chris also helped MHC when we first formed the MHC Security Patrol that serves each Sunday morning. All men are encouraged to attend and to encourage others to attend this time of fellowship and learning with other men.

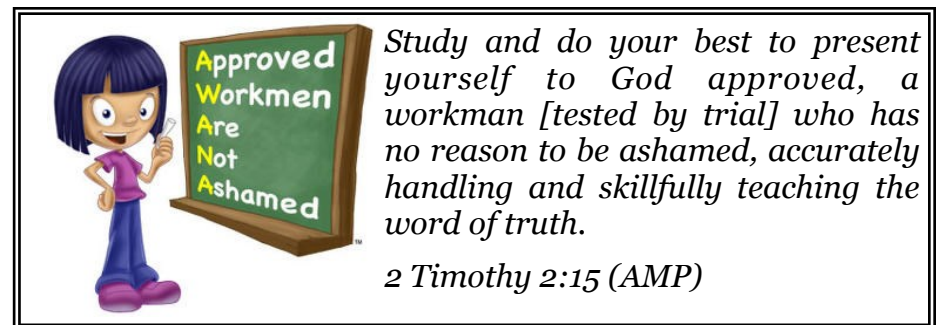
As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another.
—Proverbs 27:17

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verses, handbooks, and stories. She also plays the keyboard on the praise team, when needed. She enjoys attending ladies activities at church.

Vicki is a Trial Court Administrator for the State of Arkansas. She works with the 13th Judicial District, 2nd Division Circuit Court. When she is not at work, she keeps score at softball games, attends football and baseball games, rides the Goldwing with her husband, cooks, and enjoys doing anything related to family and grandkids.

On Sunday mornings, you can find her sitting with her family in the middle of the left section (piano side).



Study and do your best to present yourself to God approved, a workman [tested by trial] who has no reason to be ashamed, accurately handling and skillfully teaching the word of truth.

2 Timothy 2:15 (AMP)

MOUNTAINS (Cont. from Page 3)

Recently on our trip to Alaska, I had some precious alone time with God. One day while standing at the back of the ship looking at the mountains, I started to sing praises to Him. Some of my favorite things came together—mountains, music, God. I sang every song about mountains that came to mind. No one heard me. No one was around. It was just God and me. A sweet memory for me to cherish.



These are excerpts from some of the songs:

"Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of Your name" (Shout to the Lord)

"Savior, He can move the mountains" (Mighty to Save)

"I will lift my eyes to the Maker of the mountains I can't climb. I will lift my eyes to the Calmer of the oceans raging wild." (I Will Lift My Eyes)

"When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze" (How Great Thou Art)

"On the mountains I will bow my life to the One who set me there. In the valley I will lift my eyes to the One who sees me there. When I'm standing on the mountain, I didn't get there on my own. When I'm walking through the valley, I know I am not alone. You're God of the hills and valleys, hills and valleys, God of the hills and valleys, and I am not alone." (Hills and Valleys)

Years ago when Danny and I were attending a conference in Colorado called Ski Centrifuge, we learned a new song. Every day as we headed up the ski slopes, we sang that song. To this day if I get on a chair lift, I either sing it or think it. I can't look at mountains without singing it! The beauty of the mountains and the truth of the song became one for me on that trip. Even though this song doesn't mention

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mountains, it definitely praises our Creator.

"The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases. His mercies never come to an end. They are new every morning, new every morning. Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord. Great is Thy faithfulness." (The Steadfast Love of the Lord)



I am so thankful and humbled that His love and His mercies never end. During our Alaskan adventure, I was consistently reminded of the Lord's faithfulness and goodness to us. My desire and prayer is that you will experience the beauty of His creation in all your surroundings, the soothing sounds of music and praises to Him, and the truth and power of His Word.

Thank you for allowing us to have time away. We had a wonderful trip.

