

This Week's D6 Family Theme: *God's Will*

**D6** family It is important to help your child understand early in life that God has a plan for everyone's life, even when things seem dim. One sunny afternoon, treat your family to a slice of cool watermelon. While you are eating, talk with your child about the seeds. Explain to your child that the seeds may look small but they have a big purpose to grow into a delicious watermelon. Just like these seeds, God is doing something wonderful with our lives.

Today ☺

Sunday School..... 10:00 am  
 Morning Worship..... 11:00 am  
 Evening Worship ..... 7:00 pm



**Our God is an awesome God  
 He reigns from heaven above  
 With wisdom, power, and love  
 Our God is an awesome God**

This Week ☺

Monday .....Ladies Meeting, 7:00 pm  
 Wednesday .....Bible Study, Youth Meeting, Juniors, & Toddlers, 7:00 pm

Children's Church Schedule ☺

Today .....Bonnie Marshall  
 August 7 .....Maranda Williams & Kathy McNeely  
 August 14 .....Tracie Boyd & Barbara Boyd  
 August 21 .....Patty Logan & Katie Logan  
 August 28 .....Holly Darnell & Vickie Darnell



**WAC Ladies Meeting**

All ladies are invited to join the Kilsyth WAC (Women Active for Christ) meeting tomorrow night at 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall. For more information, please see President Janice Veramessa or one of the ladies.

**Sixty-Sixth Homecoming**

Invite your friends & family to our 66th Homecoming celebration next Sunday, August 7. Rev. Rickie Holstein from the Mission Board of the WV State Association will be preaching. Lunch will be served following the morning service. No evening services next week.

**Welcome Baby**

A baby shower honoring Amanda Donnelly will be held Saturday, August 13, 2011 at 2:00 pm at the Gates Supply Building on 363 Ragland road in Beckley. It's a girl! RSVP to Pam at (304) 237-6714.

**Hospice Drink Ministry**

Join us as we deliver soft drinks to the Hospice House, Sunday, August 14, at 4:45 pm. Everyone invited to attend.

**Prayer Chain Update**

Kathy McNeely and Maranda Williams are updating the prayer chain. If you have any changes to your contact infor-

mation, please let them know. The prayer chain is the church's primary way of contacting you concerning church-related issues. Kathy will also take over the church text messaging alert system once Jeff Bennett leaves. Please see Kathy if you want to be included in the text messaging list.

**WV Native Named FWBBC Business Associate**

Mr. Jeff Bennett, a fourth generation WV Free Will Baptist, has accepted a full-time business associate position at Free Will Baptist Bible College, according to Tom Sass, vice president for financial affairs. The 30-year-old Mount Hope resident begins his duties August 29.

"Jeff is a great fit for the college," Mr. Sass said. "Not only is he skilled in the specific office and accounting procedures we need, but he has been active in local and state Free Will Baptist activities in WV, and has a strong reputation in his home church. We welcome this warm, business professional to the college family and look forward to his interaction with FWBBC staff and students."

Mr. Bennett brings a broad range of experience from the business community where he served 10 years with the WV Educational Broadcasting Authority—five years as procurement officer and accountant (2006-2011) and five years as master control operator (2001-2006). He previously served three years in data processing with Appalachian Labs, Inc. His FWBBC responsibilities will include general ledger account reconciliation, preparation and distribution of monthly financial reports, assisting with monthly payroll processing, preparing reports to external agencies, student-related projects, and other duties as necessary.

Mr. Sass said, "This is an important hire for the college at this time. Jeff is coming on board with multiple skill levels, which means that we can now move forward with reorganizing the Business Office after a number of staffing adjustments the past two years due to retirements and a down economy."

The son of a Free Will Baptist minister, Jeff was converted at age 11. He has served as youth director, outreach coordinator, and Teen Sunday School teacher at Kilsyth Free Will Baptist Church in Mount Hope, WV. Well known for his leadership in state youth work and journalism, he also serves as design editor and publisher for *The Messenger*, quarterly publication of the WV State Association of Free Will Baptists, and administrator for the state association website. He is an advisory council board member with The Hanna Project and affiliated with Hospice of Southern West Virginia.

He graduated *cum laude* from Concord University in 2007 with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

"Growing up as a Free Will Baptist, I remember being awestruck when missionaries visited our church," Jeff said, "thinking how amazing it would be to serve the Lord around the world and lead others to Christ. I'm eager to join the FWBBC family and help send Free Will Baptist laborers into the harvest. I look forward to ministering alongside the college's professional staff. I can see the hand of God in this invitation."

Mr. Bennett plans to live in nearby Cheatham County and become part of the Ashland City Free Will Baptist Church.