



Partners in Prayer September - October 2008



“So great is my veneration for the Bible that the earlier my children begin to read it, the more confident will be my hope that they will prove useful citizens to their country and respectable members of society”.

President John Quincy Adams

Praise:

- Praise that several teachers were able to purchase reasonably priced laptops from Covenant College Quest’s office. Six teachers would be without much needed laptops without Quest’s generosity.
- Many teachers are reporting an increase in enrollment.
- The final accounting from the Hamilton County Department of Education for the 2007-2008 school year is complete and we are thankful for the generous contributions given last year so that the bill can be paid *in full!*
- We are thankful for the strong commitment of the Hamilton County Department of Education’s administration and board to Bible history courses.

Prayer:

- We are looking for a Development Director to coordinate our fund raising efforts. Pray that the right man or woman will be hired for this critical position.
- Pray for the new Signal Mountain Middle/High School and all of the decisions that have and need to be made for a new school.
- Pray for wisdom and patience for teachers day by day.
- Pray for each child the teachers have in class - that they would have an open mind and heart.
- Pray for the new administrations at Howard, Red Bank Middle, Hunter Middle, Ooltewah Middle, and Central High.
- Several teachers are sick. Pray for quick healing.
- Pray for teachers struggling with large classes.
- Pray for Martha Kesler. This year she is teaching at Signal Mountain Middle School and is working on special assignment to help and work with the other Bible history teachers.
- Pray for the teachers and students safety as there is unrest in some of our schools.
- Apathy. Is there a greater enemy to learning? Pray that apathy in students will change to engagement.
- Some teachers have noticed that more and more students have never studied the Bible.

2008-2009 Bible History Teachers

Mary Bowman - Red Bank Middle School
Steve Clinton - East Ridge Middle School
John Daum - Central High School
Kim Hixson - Loftis Middle School
Bryan Johnson - Hunter Middle School
Martha Kesler - Signal Mountain Middle School
Mark Lewis - Brainerd High School
Bryan Osborne - Hixson High School
Carolyn Owens - East Ridge & Ooltewah High Schools

John Perkins - Brown Middle School
Bobby Ray - Red Bank High School
Jennifer Rigsby - Soddy Daisy Middle School
Bill Spencer - Hixson Middle School
Kandy Turnmire - Howard School of A&T;
Lookout Valley Middle & High Schools
Charles Witter - Soddy Daisy High School
Renae Wright - Ooltewah Middle School

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