

Hickory Valley Baptist Church
Announcements – May 10, 2026

Happy Mother's Day!

There is a special gift for all mothers present today. No activities at the church this afternoon or evening.

Mid-week fellowship

Wednesday

Lunch will be served at 12 noon, followed by sharing of Scriptures, singing, a brief devotion, sharing prayer requests and spending time individually in prayer.

Gospel tracts and invitations to HVBC

In the lobby, there is an assortment of gospel tracts, including some written in Spanish and some designed to reach Jewish people. There are also business card-sized invitations to HVBC. Consider making it your goal to give out at least one tract and one invitation each day.

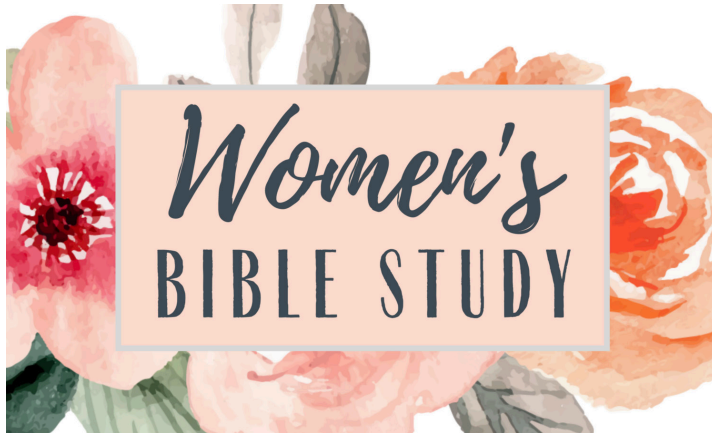
Benevolence fund

Donations to help those in need may be placed in the benevolence boxes in the lobby and the fellowship hall. A special "Thank you" to all who give to this ministry.



Thank you for sponsoring billboards

A big "Thank you!" to all who gave to sponsor billboards with a strong pro-life message. As a church, we are sponsoring 8 billboards, each of which will be up for one month.



Women's Bible Study beginning May 14
"Having a Real Relationship with God," a 6-week study

On Thursday afternoons at 3:00, meeting in room E104
(the choir rehearsal room). For more information, please
contact Miriam Epperson or Joy Martin.

Financial Report

Last week's tithes & offerings	\$9,125.97
Weekly operating budget	\$5,566.59
Year to date tithes & offerings	\$125,454.38
Year to date operating budget	\$100,198.62

sermon notes

**A Young Man with Godly Character and a Good Reputation,
Influenced by His Mother and His Grandmother
Acts 16:1-3; 2 Timothy 1:3-5; 2 Timothy 3:14-17
May 10, 2026**

introduction: The first example of a second-generation Christian mentioned by name in the New Testament. Actually, this person was also a third-generation Christian. I don't know of any other examples in the New Testament of someone mentioned by name who had both a Christian mother and a Christian grandmother.

1. The importance of a good _____ reputation _____ (Acts 16:1-3)

supporting Scriptures: Philippians 2:19-22
1 Timothy 4:12
1 Timothy 6:10-11
Proverbs 22:1

2. _____ Talk _____ to your children and grandchildren and great-grandchildren about what the Bible says regarding how to be saved and the importance of living for the Lord (2 Timothy 1:3-5; 2 Timothy 3:14-15).

point to ponder: Adults' faith must be _____ genuine _____ in order to have the proper influence on children and grandchildren and great-grandchildren (2 Timothy 1:5).

supporting Scriptures: Ephesians 2:8-9
Romans 10:17