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"Everybody talks about the weather but no one does anything about it!" There is great truth to that statement, but I for one believe that the UHBC Foundation has done something significant to help us stay cool.

I want to thank the UHBC Foundation for helping me and our entire church "stay cool" as we have faced significant maintenance issues. **The Foundation has agreed to provide up to \$15,000** for our church's use to resurface a portion of the roof, fix the second floor AC unit, and refurbish the exterior wood doors leading into our facility (the chapel entrance has been completed, and looks great!). These are necessary repairs to preserve the appearance and use of our building.

It's easy to take our beautiful building for granted. There are times we assume repairs will automatically occur without considering the cost or those who make the decision to put them in motion. Sometimes repairs are delayed because the money isn't there to complete them. I appreciate the Foundation for intervening at a critical time, and also those who have contributed to the Foundation in a financial way through the years so that we can make use of these funds during a time like this.

Your ongoing, regular, systematic financial gifts to the well-being of UHBC are needed and appreciated. They make a difference, especially during the summer months of travel and transition.

The last two Sundays of August will be BIG relating to its size and scope. **On August 22**, the MSU Pride Band (300 strong) will be here on our annual "**feed the band**" day. Cory needs and appreciates all the brownies and help you can offer in feeding these students and making the feel welcome.

On August 29, we will be recognizing our Sunday School teachers and having a high attendance emphasis (see class goals below). Also, we will have a reception after the morning worship service to express appreciation to Marvin for ten years of leadership in the music ministry of UHBC.

The Personnel Committee is promoting a love offering for Marvin and the Music Committee is providing the reception. I am grateful to all who are part of the planning and promotion.

It's an exciting time at UHBC, and I hope each of us will continue to pray, serve, and give in service to the Kingdom.

Your pastor and friend,
Danny



Bible Study Class	Avg. Att. Jan-July 2010	High Att. Goal
Babies	3	4
1's & 2's	6	6
3's & 4's	4	8
Pre-K	9	9
Grades 1-4	9	15
Grades 5-12	7	5
Adventurers	7	8
Choices	3	8
College/University Plus	7	10
Fellowship/50-50	12	12
Harvesters	11	20
Kingdom Builders	12	20
Pioneer	32	32
Searchers	38	48
Side-by-Side	8	12
Transitions	20	30
Staff	7	7
Total	191	254

August 29, 2010

Goal: 254!

Refuse to attend ALONE

FROM THE HEART
Andrew Sherrill

Is suffering fair? A friend of mine, Luke, was asked this question by his seminary professor last semester. "Is suffering fair?"

Meanwhile, my brother-in-law and his wife lost their four day old baby daughter. The pain and suffering that they felt was unbearable. A close family member said, "They don't deserve this. Why must they suffer like this?"

Luke said to me, remember when Job was suffering. He is losing his family, health, and possessions. Job says, "God' this is not fair! I do not deserve to suffer this way!"

In Job 38 God says to Job, "Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Have you ever given orders to the morning? Can you raise your voice to the clouds and cover yourself with a flood of water?"

When we say, "I don't deserve this suffering." We indicate that we deserve better. Don't forget how much God has given us already. God has given us much more than we deserve.

May you remember to pray for those suffering. May you remember to praise God in good and bad. May you remember God's love.

Welcome

By letter,
Jim & Nancy Hagan
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SUNDAY'S REPORT

August 8, 2010

Sunday School 171
Morning Worship 217
Budget Offering \$9,711.91

August 15, 2010

Sunday School 187
Morning Worship 222
Budget Offering \$5,199.64

We are now giving at 80.01% of our budget

DEACONS OF THE MONTH

September 2010

Mark Wilson
Jan Hockensmith

A.R.M.S. VOLUNTEERS

August 15-21

Pat & Mary Jo Megee: 887-3077

August 22-28

Jerry & Janet Hill: 724-9714

BREAD MINISTRY

August 22

Gary & Carole Fortner

August 29

Jason & Dana Hoffman

simply.relevant: Chocolate Boutique



Sept 16-Oct 21, 2010
9:00-11:00
Lori Chisholm, Facilitator

Simply Relevant: Chocolate Boutique is a friendly and fun way to introduce others to Jesus, and strengthen life-long relationships with him. Together women will celebrate 6 sessions on God's surprising, rich, and extravagant grace. They'll see how this grace can transform their lives... and overflow to others.

Register Now!

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Child Care: Yes _____ No _____ How many children: _____

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