

Word of Hope

MOUNT HOPE
United Methodist Church



Pastor McGill Writes. . .

The Legacy of Aaron Mattson

As we move from summer to fall I believe God is challenging us to step out and move forward with the work of the Kingdom by trusting in and relying on Him. A wonderful thing about God is that He can take any person in the world who will dare to believe what is written in the Bible and empower them to do the job He calls them to do.

I believe Aaron Mattson, the man who gave the property for Mount Hope Church in 1807, was such a man. I was reading some printed excerpts from a portion of his personal diary where he often spoke of his trust in and reliance on God. In one difficult situation that he found himself, he states: "I was at this time left in a

state of perplexity, I know not how to turn myself or what to do; however, I did for the best, put my trust in my God and He directed me." That's faith!

Here we are 200 years later and Jesus continues to challenge each of us to come as little children to believe in Him, which is to trust in and rely on Him to fulfill the Word in our lives. When Jesus says we will do the work He did and greater works will we do, let's agree with Him and get busy (John 14:12).

To me, Aaron Mattson was such a man. God used this willing servant to start a community of believers that has continued with you and me to this day!

In this 200th Anniversary year, as followers of Jesus, we need to *DARE*

Tidbits from Trustees

The sale of the Convent Road parsonage to Neumann College was finalized. Rev. Phillip Ealy, Linda, Janel and Jeffery have moved to their new home at 1680 Erb DR, Aston PA 19014-1013.

The modifications to

the front of the Sanctuary near completion as the space is prepared for the arrival and installation of the new organ.

The roof over the pipe chamber was repaired and the walls sheet-rocked and painted, to repair water damage and, again, to

TO STEP OUT IN FAITH in several areas this Fall.

First: Sunday, October 14th is our 200th Anniversary Sunday. If you haven't already done so, mark your calendar *NOW* and plan to be present in celebration of this historic event. Bishop Marcus Matthews will be in service with us and bring the message at a special 10:30 a.m. worship service.

Second: be a faithful witness for Jesus and invite those who do not have a current personal relationship with Him as Savior and Lord to join you for worship. You will be surprised at how many persons are waiting for someone to invite them to worship or share with them how God touched and changed their lives. A good introduction might be, "Our church is

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ready the space for the organ. Leo and Larry, the Building Superintendents, have worked hard stripping and waxing floors throughout the building—you can't miss the glow!

The Trustees

September 2007

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Special points of interest:

- ◆ *2nd: Communion*
- ◆ *3rd: Labor Day, office closed*
- ◆ *Wednesdays: Devotional desserts continue, study of Book of Romans*
- ◆ *5th: Back to School Night*
- ◆ *9th: Rally Day, Teacher Appreciation*
- ◆ *26th: Bloodmobile 1:30-7pm, Habbersett Hall*
- ◆ *29th: New Members class*
- ◆ *30th: Music Sunday*



BIRTHS

Joseph Schloegel, son of Eric and Jaclyn Schloegel, June 4

BAPTISMS

Jackson Messick, son of Craig and Amy Messick, July 8

Joseph Schloegel, son of Eric and Jaclyn Schloegel, August 19

NEW MEMBER

Nancy Silva, July 5

Omari Foakye, Affiliate Member, July 1

George Ormsby, Associate Member, August 12

WEDDINGS

Elizabeth Grafton Arscott to *Scott E. Cavanaugh*, on July 7

Jeanine McAbee to *Christopher Snyder* on July 20.

Jennifer Levens to *Bryan Kline*, on July 28

DEATHS

Irametta Hopkins, June 28

Anna Replogle, July 17

William McGonigle, July 31

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Gail, Brian, David and Michael Fairchild

31 Penns CT
Aston PA 19014-1425

Sharon, Scott and Taylor Truax

2435 Overlook DR
Aston PA 19014-1620

Daniel, Jennifer and Katelin Vickers

25 Victoria DR
Aston PA 19014-1549

Ida, Callan and Nathan Walsh

5001 Pennell RD #D12
Aston PA 19014-1838

Children's Musical: "Wise Guys"

The Children's Choir will be presenting "Wise Guys" on October 21 during all the morning services. This musical is based on the Book of Proverbs, one of the "wisdom" books of the Old Testament. There are five lessons learned which are:

✠ *That wisdom is a gift of*

God, and to trust in the Lord.
✠ *To follow mom and dad's advice.*

✠ *To be independent in doing what's right – not following the crowd.*

✠ *To do one's best.*

✠ *With wisdom, the Lord is a constant guide and companion.*

We are looking for any interested children ages 4 and

up. Please see Laura Dutton (610-494-1477) or Sharon Kope (610-892-9607) if you have any questions. Rehearsals will be on Sunday evenings 5:30-6:30 starting September 9th.

Mark your calendars and make sure you don't miss it! Come support the youth of the congregation.

Ministry Opportunity with the Busy Beavers

The Busy Beavers is a group at Mount Hope who spread a little sunshine to our homebound members and friends during the months of September to June, by stopping in for a visit. The 2nd Thursday of those same months we prepare and deliver lunches to the homebound living in

Aston. Our monthly meeting follows.

If you love to visit, love to cook, and have approximately 8 hours a month (4 for visits and 4 for lunches/ meeting) we would love to have you join our group. Our next visits are scheduled to take place the first week in September,

and our next lunch delivery and meeting is scheduled for September 13. This is a daytime ministry; no nighttime driving required!

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Carolyn Lobb at 610-494-1267.

New Youth Handbell Choir

Middle school and high school age youth are invited to join the "Genesis Handbell Ringers," a Mount Hope bell choir now forming.

Rehearsals are Wednesdays, beginning September 12th, from 6:15

to 7:00 p.m. in Room 104. Sign up on the list near the main office, or call Mrs. McIntyre at 610.494.3697.

We plan to play for the annual Thanksgiving worship service and our Christmas Eve family service. We'll also participate

in a concert at the Rockwood Museum (near Wilmington) and play during some Sunday morning worship services.

Don't wait! Sign up NOW!

Eileen McIntyre
Handbell Choirs

With Much Appreciation

The prayers and various expressions of sympathy in connection with my mother's death were nearly overwhelming—the cards, phone calls, face-to-face words of condolence—and have done more than a little to support me in my loss. I would like to be able to acknowledge personally every card and say "Thank You," but it won't be possi-

ble. Several gifts in her memory were made to the Methodist Home for Children and my sister and I have been deeply moved to receive notification of them.

I want to thank my staff colleagues for their unstinting help as we, at the last minute, needed to locate the memorial service to Mount Hope (and how grateful I am for the dozens of church

members who came that day to be with my family and me.) I need to note especially the support of Tom McGill, which he generously offered without remuneration.

I rejoice in this wonderful church which cares for its staff and cares for it both professionally and personally.

Pastor George



Music Ministry at Mount Hope Church

Once again, the music program at Mount Hope is gearing up for Fall.

The Sanctuary Choir

The Sanctuary Choir will resume rehearsals on Thursday, September 6 at 7:30 pm. They sing an anthem every week, a Christmas Cantata, a Spring Musical and other special music during various seasons of the year. We are in need of tenors and basses, and could always use more altos. We have a lot of fun!!! You don't have to necessarily read music, just have a love for music and sharing God's word through song.

The J.O.Y. Singers

The J.O.Y. Singers will resume rehearsals on Wednesday, September 12 at 7:45 pm. This group rehearses the second

Wednesday of the month and sings at the 8:15 service the third Sunday of the month.

Again, this group has a lot of fun and sings the "oldies, but goodies".

The Children's Choir

The Children's Choir will be presenting a musical, "Wise Guys" on October 21 at the morning services. We are planning rehearsals and always looking for more children to participate. See the article on page 2 of this newsletter for more information. Please contact Laura Dutton at 610-494-1477 or Sharon Kope at 610-892-9607 with any questions you might have. And please do put this date on your calendar and show them your support.

Handbells

"The Bells of Hope"

will begin their first rehearsal on Wednesday, September 5th 7:00 - 8:30. We rotate ringing in all three worship services as well as nursing homes and surrounding community activities. Anyone interested in joining the Handbell Ministry please contact Eileen McIntyre at 610 494-3697.

930 Worship Band

Donna Kelly's the person to talk to, to get involved with the 930 Worship Band. Also, we're always looking for trainees to man the soundboard at each service.

I hope you have found something that you would like to join. We are always looking for new people and we hope YOU are one of them!!

*See you around the "music stand"! Sharon Kope
Director of Music*

Church Family Music Sunday

On Sunday, September 30, the music during the worship services will be provided by the Mount Hope Church Family. Want to participate? Contact Sharon at 610-892-9607. Stay tuned to *The Messenger* for more information.

Aaron Mattson (continued from the front page)

celebrating it's 200th anniversary this year, would you like to come worship with me on Sunday?" Trust the Lord, He will guide you in what to say.

You can also be a faithful witness for Jesus by checking to see if there are those who had been sitting close to you in church but are now among the missing. If so, add them to your prayer list and contact them to inquire about how they are doing and if appropriate, encourage them to return to worship. The major reason most inactive members give for not returning to worship is. "No one notice I was missing! No one called!" Please let us know by calling the church office with any information

that will be helpful in restoring these members to an active relationship with Christ through the church. Often your pastors are the last to get needed information. As a church family, we do not want anyone to be missing!

Third: If we are to have a successful ministry with Jesus Christ, we need to be strong financially to complete the work of ministry for this year. God promises He will supply all our needs through His riches in glory by Christ Jesus (Philippians 4:19). We need to step out in faith and expect He will do what He says He will do.

Remember, time is short! The time is now to dare to step out boldly with our Lord to bring about revival at Mount Hope Church and the Aston

area. The bolder we are with our active participation in ministry, the more power the Lord can release through us to bring about a revival in commitment to Jesus Christ. Did you know it's when we hesitate and are afraid of what people might think that nothing happens? I'm glad Aaron Mattson was willing to trust God and be obedient when he gave that acre of ground that continued a movement of faithful people who were willing to dare to be bold in their faith. Because of them, we celebrate 200 years of glorious witness to the love of God through His Son Jesus Christ.

Thank God for 200 Years of Hope!

Pastor McGill

New Members Class

Saturday, September 29th from 9 a.m. to noon. Call the church office to register (610.459.0248).

Anniversary Sunday: Our 200th

October 14, '07 Come celebrate 200 years of HOPE!

I believe this Sunday is very significant for all of us in the Church Family. Jesus said, "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father Who is in

heaven (Matthew 5:16). I do sense the love of God working through you, the Church Family. God has called us to be a light for Him in our community and world. Let your light shine forth by be-

ing present for worship on October 14, 2007, our 200th Anniversary Sunday!

Come for worship at 8:15 a.m. or 10:30, when Bishop Marcus Matthews will be preaching. Stay for luncheon afterward in Habbersett Hall.

Children's Center News

Our September Bible Verse:
"A friend loves at all times."

Proverbs 17:17

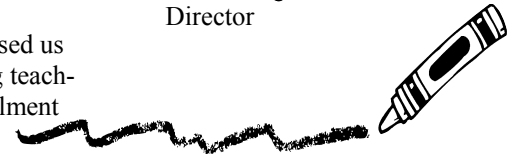
We've been busy enjoying our summer program and having fun learning about creation, Noah, and loving our neighbor (not to mention critters and bugs)! We're getting ready for another school year at the

Children's Center. Most of us have been hard at work preparing for another exciting year, including our Children's "Chapel, our weekly Spanish and music and movement classes as well as our trips to our library.

The Lord has blessed us with wonderful, loving teachers and staff, our enrollment is filled and we're

ready for another remarkable school year. As always we welcome visitors to see, hear, and feel the love that happens in our school. Please come and see for yourselves!

Kris Leary
 Director



A Terrible, Terrible Dream!

I dreamed that the Lord took my Sunday contributions and multiplied it by ten, and this became my weekly income. In no time I lost my color TV, had to give

up my new car—I couldn't even make a house payment. What can a fellow do on \$10.00 a week? Suppose the Lord took YOUR offering and multiplied it by ten and

made that your weekly income? *How much would you make?*
 ~ Missouri Area Methodist Paper

What's New In the Library

Joyce Meyer has branched out into fiction! With co-author Deborah Bedord, she has written *The Penny*. See how God uses a little thing like this penny to bring together two hurting people and help them overcome their pain.

The Brushstroke Legacy is Lauraine Snelling's newest contemporary novel. Ragni Clauson's work, relationships, and body all seem to be falling apart and she isn't

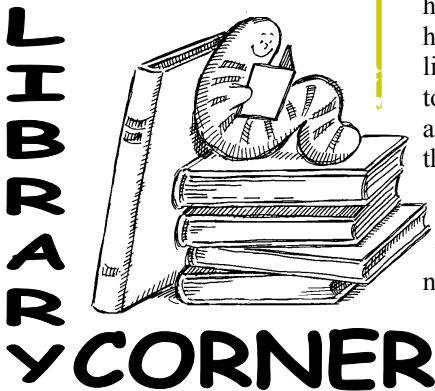
convinced that spending her vacation fixing up her great-grandmother's cabin and supervising her rebellious teenage niece will offer her any much-needed rejuvenation.

Angela Hunt's *The Elevator* traps three very different women together in the elevator of a high-rise office building when a devastating hurricane hits the areas. As the storm rages ever closer these three must unite to fight for their lives in the

greatest test of courage -- and faith -- that any woman could ever face.

Before I Wake is the first in a new series by Dee Henderson. Welcome to Justice, Ill., and good luck leaving alive! Rae Gabriella left the FBI when an undercover investigation went terribly wrong. She's come to this small town for different kind of life, but women are suddenly being murdered.

Lynn Ward Li
 Curator





Nearing Completion *(continued from the back page)*

participation in this project prayerfully. The Lord loves a cheerful giver and together we can completely pay for this manual in time for the big 200th celebration and give God the glory.

Upon completion, Walsh Organ Company will give a recital and a tour of the organ. Watch for further details!

*Did you know that a pipe organ:
Offers a more vibrant and colorful
sound than an electronic organ
Has a life expectancy of 100 years
of more
Increases in value with age
Is known as the "King of Instruments"*

Make a 'N_JTE'able Difference!



Messiah

As part of our Advent and Christmas festivities this year, the Sanctuary Choir will perform Handel's *Messiah* on Sunday, December 23rd at

the morning worship services.

They are already beginning to rehearse. So won't you consider joining the choir

to be a part of this exciting experience? Give Sharon a call at 610.892.9607 or see her on Sunday after worship.

Couples Fellowship

After a summer off, Couples Fellowship returns Friday, September 28th. We will meet at 6pm for dinner in

Habbersett Hall followed by a game and devotional time in the lounge. The food theme is hors d'oeuvres. By

the way men, we can not let the women continue to beat us at game time.

Traffic

Chances are that if you have done any traveling this summer you have encountered some kind of traffic jam. Usually it is because they are working on the roads. Something that has bothered me since I was small is, why when there are signs announcing that a lane is closing do people continue to drive in that lane? The answer is obvious, that lane generally moves faster. I will not say that I have never driven in that lane in my life, but I am generally find myself in the non-closing lane. Perhaps I am taking all of this a bit too seriously but to me it all has to do with the principle we all learned in kindergarten, "no cutting in line!" So I have always thought that those people who are in the

closing lane are cutting in line.

I tell this story not to have us examine our driving habits, but to look at where we are headed in this life. There are things that at the time seem easy and everyone appears to be doing them, and getting away with them. God has given us His word that tells right from wrong. Often we overlook it and opt for the most popular easy way.

The story reminds me of Jesus' Sermon on the Mount where he says in Chapter 7 of Matthew "Enter through the narrow gate; for the gate is wide and the way is broad that leads to destruction, and there are many who enter through it. For the gate is small and the way is narrow that leads to life, and

there are few who find it."

Are you taking the easy way in life? Or are there things in your life that you decide to not to obey God simply because it is *not in your best interest?* Jesus said that living like this and making these kinds of decisions leads to destruction. The joyful thing is that we do have a choice and Christ has paid our toll. We do not have to sin, we are free. Sometimes it is not easy to do the right thing especially when all of those around you are doing the wrong and appear to be getting away with it. But in those times when you might be discouraged, take heart and remember you are making decisions for eternity.

Pastor Phil

Blood DRIVE

**Wednesday,
September 26 from
1:30 to 7:00 p.m. in
Habbersett Hall**



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New Organ Nearing Completion

Installation of our new organ will begin at the end of August. The photos give you some insight of the progress and workmanship going into this project for Mount Hope Church and our music ministry... a once in a lifetime



opportunity. Just think, it is happening in our 200th Anniversary year! History is being made and you are a part of it!

In the spring of 2007 we agreed to purchase a

third manual to be included with the building of the new organ. Remember, the organ is being paid for through fire insurance. We are only paying for the new manual, which cost \$59,000. Monies from the Notable Notes Campaign I paid on the new manual was \$18,763. The Notable Notes Campaign II has raised \$7,775 to date. An additional \$3000 is available from other sources, which leaves approximately \$29,000 more to raise.

It needs to be emphasized that this plan for the Mount Hope organ attaches no particular budget and allows freedom of giving without placing undue financial burden on anyone.

This plan provides an equal share to “Adopt a Note”.

You may “adopt a whole note” with your donation of \$100. Or you can “divide” a whole note between friends and spread the joy of the project to a wider audience. We want everyone to have the opportunity to participate in the restoration of the church instruments. If at this time you cannot give a WHOLE NOTE (\$100), please consider giving a HALF NOTE (\$50) or a QUARTER NOTE (\$25). Offering envelopes are in the pew racks – just place them in the offering plate.

Please consider your

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REFLECTIONS

Interviews by Irma Taylor

Memories from Fran Wiley

Fran Joined Mount Hope on November 18, 1951

I remember when we first started at Mount Hope, the Framptons or Mr. Habbersett would pick my husband and myself up and take us to Church and Sunday School and later on we rode the bus from Mount. Hope when they started making the rounds.

Memories from Harold & Marcia Hutton

Harold Joined Mount Hope on April 6, 1952

Marcia Joined Mount Hope on January 2, 1955

We remember Mount Hope's baseball team playing on the field where Aston school is today. Isaac Habbersett leading the songs in Sunday School and going up on tip toes for every high note. The turkey dinners put on by the women of the Church with 500 meals served in the basement of the old church.

Memories from Ray & Irma (Goodale) Taylor

Ray Joined Mount Hope on February 23, 1941

Irma Joined Mount Hope on February 23, 1941

***Irma** - I remember Mr. Habbersett ringing the bell for Sunday School and he would shake the "Birthday Bank" and all those kids with birthdays that week went up and put pennies in for their ages. This was used for a big picnic at Harvey's Meadow on Birney Highway. He even has a real in-the-ground swimming pool as well as the creek being right there for wading. (late 30's)*

I remember the regulation shuffler board table in the basement of Church number 2. We used to pour corn meal on it to make the puck slide.

The famous Mount Hope Turkey Dinners in October.

Children's Day when we had to remember things and get up in front of everyone and say them. Epworth League met in the room over the old garage and we started the first Nativity in 1949.

***Ray** - I remember the first Sunday School bus being purchased in 1949 and by 1957 we had 800 people attending Sunday School and 5 buses on the road.*

Tid Bits from Our Past continued.....

April 1970 - the church broke ground for a new parsonage

July 1971 – construction finally completed. The graves of Aaron Mattson, his “consort” Mary and their daughter, Isabella are in the small open courtyard bounded by the hallway, narthex, sanctuary and the education building.

July 1971 - new parsonage completed at a cost of \$39,168. Original parsonage was torn down. It had been used for 95 years

1971 – original cornerstone date 1807 was found in the bell tower during renovation

1981 - The long succession of part-time assistant pastors - most of them theological students - came to an end when Jennifer Cain graduated from Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia and completed her two years with Mount Hope. Jennifer was the only woman to hold the post in the 25 or 30 years since David Fountain first was hired.

Summer 1981 - Reverend Lee F. Michaels was appointed the first associate pastor - a full-time position

1982 – House at 604 Convent Road was deeded to the church from the estate of Norman and Orphie Hall. This became the assistant pastor’s house.

November 1982 - the 175th Anniversary was celebrated with a full week of activities. The guest speaker was Rev. George Mamourian, District Superintendent of the Philadelphia Conference.

1982 - The bell tower was again repaired and the original bell was cleaned and re-hung. It was the first time in many years that the bell tolled for services.

1983 - Reverend George Eppheimer retired after serving Mount Hope Church for 24 years. Rev. Edward Green became new Senior Pastor

1987 – Rev. Carter appointed Senior Pastor

1988 - JOY (just older youth) Singers were formed by Betty Farrington

1988 - Three crosses were erected on the hill in the cemetery by the family of Russell Smitham in his memory

1989 - Children’s Center was started as an outreach to the Community

SOUVENIR BOOK PATRON ADS

In December we plan to give each church family a souvenir book of the year’s events. In order to help defray costs, we will be selling patron ads that will be placed in the back of the book. There will be 3 sizes and pricing for each is as follows: ¼ page will be \$30.00, ½ page will be \$40.00 and a whole page will be \$50.00. You can design your own add, place it in an envelope along with your check made out to Mount Hope Church and place in the collection plates on any Sunday. Deadline for ads is September 23rd. If you have any questions, feel free to ask Jan Duryea, Ken Donaberger, Debbie Deprinzio, Carolyn Lobb or Irma Taylor.