

# ON THE ROAD

## JOHN HOAG

May 3,10,17,24

Danforth Baptist Church  
Danforth, ME  
Extension Classes

May 5,12,19,26

Cornerstone Bible Church  
Burt's Corner, NB  
Extension Classes

May 23

Coldstream Baptist Church  
Coldstream, NB  
Sunday Services

May 28-29

Emmanuel Baptist Temple  
Oakland, ME  
Extension Classes

## MATTHEW LITTLE

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## ROBERT BOOKER

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Danforth, ME  
Extension Classes

May 5,12,19,26

Cornerstone Bible Church  
Burt's Corner, NB  
Extension Classes

May 23

Howland Baptist Church  
Howland, ME  
Sunday Morning Service

## KEITH MCMAHON

May 14-16

New Hampshire State Prison  
Concord, NH  
Special Meetings

May 16

Center Barnstead Christian  
Church  
Center Barnstead, NH  
Sunday Morning Service



## Vacation with a Vision

June 20-25, June 27-July 2 & July 4-9

See insert for details.



## FAMILY FILE...

### BIRTHS



November 28, 2008 - to Scott ('99) and Heather (Dauphinee, ABM '02) MacKenzie, a girl, Maggie Lynn.

August 29, 2009 - to Matthew (Assoc. '94) and Tanya Earle, a son, Deacon Matthew.



### ALUMNEWS

by Bob Booker

Where in the world are they and what are they doing? Recently, the NBBI board of directors asked us to form a committee for the express purpose of: (1) re-establishing contact with our alumni; (2) connecting with present students regarding their future Alumni

status; and (3) finding ways to re-develop the Alumni Association. The committee has seven members: Bob Booker ('68, NBBI faculty), Dave Goupille ('84, pastor), Pete Grenier ('88, pastor), Kirby Rushton (ABM '97, carpenter), Lianne Bourgoin ('00, homemaker), Heidi Clark ('06, NBBI staff), and Liz Herlan ('10, NBBI student and entering her fourth year). We would encourage you as alumni to contact me at <bob.booker@nbbi.ca> or phone (506) 375-2241 with any questions, concerns or ideas regarding how to rekindle the alumni spirit and how we can connect with you. We would also encourage you to attend Spring Conference, April 29-May 2. On Saturday afternoon, May 1, there will be a special alumni informational meeting and open forum. Please help **us** to help and encourage **you**.



# Open Bible Bulletin

The Word of Hope in the New Millennium

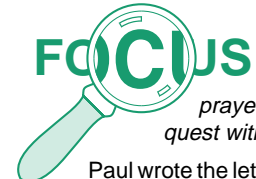
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Conscious that at my age I have more days behind me than before me, I am preparing for the "stretch run" and have been reading Paul's epistle to the Philippians. I have turned to the epistle of Joy as I remembered with fondness my predecessor, Ken Robins who so role-modeled the joy of the Spirit. Paul's prayerful remembrance of the Philippians caught my attention and two words leaped out, "with joy".

WITH JOY

Philippi and, the Word of God is what he preached and taught there. He met a praying woman-Lydia; a demon possessed woman whose conversion led to a riot in the city, landing Paul in prison. In difficult circumstances, Paul and Silas sang praises at midnight and the jailer was converted, took Paul into his house, fed him and "rejoices, believing in God with all his house."

There is nothing that brings joy to a godly person's heart than "productive prayer meetings", "powerful workings of God" and "conversions in the midst of controversy". Paul remembered the past with joy.



Philippians 1:3-4, "I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, Always in every prayer of mine for you all making request with joy."

Paul wrote the letter to the Philippians as **servant to saints**. That was not just a formal salutation from Paul it was the "culminating characteristic" of a humble man's lifetime ministry for God. He respected and loved the people of God who he refers to as saints. He thanked God for them and his prayerful remembrance of them was always accompanied **with joy**. Joy characterized the apostle Paul's ministry from start to finish. Joy was a career choice goal for Paul, Acts 20:24. It can be defined as cheerfulness, inner calmness, and when included with the word "rejoice" in this epistle, can be found 16 times in these few short chapters.



by John Hoag

"As long as His Spirit is in control, there can be no such thing as competition by those who are under that control."

Paul's joy came not from having the conveniences of comfortable living; it came from conforming to the will, Word and work of God. The will of God brought Paul to



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## ON TOUR WITH MATTHEW LITTLE

### Men's Trio, Transformed

David Beauchemin (Trois Rivières, QC), David Cross (Lowville, NY) and Josh Fillmore (Murray Siding, NS)

Centre of photo Matthew Little, NBBI staff



- Wed, May 5, 7:00 p.m.  
Assemblée Chrétienne de  
Cap-de-la-Madeleine  
Trois Rivières, QC
- Thu, May 6  
Eglise Baptiste  
Gatineau, QC
- Fri, May 7  
Calvary Baptist Church  
Espanola, ON
- Sun, May 9, a.m.  
Temple Baptist Church  
Cambridge, ON
- Sun, May 9, 6:30 p.m.  
Northside Baptist Church  
Waterloo, ON
- Mon, May 10, 7-9 p.m.  
Central Baptist Church  
Brantford, ON  
Alumni Meeting
- Tue, May 11  
Grace Bible Church  
Little Current, ON
- Wed, May 12  
Central Baptist Church  
Brantford, ON  
Youth Rally
- Thu, May 13  
Word of Life Bible Institute  
Owen Sound, ON  
Chapel
- Thu, May 13  
New Life Camp  
Priceville, ON  
Work Day-Camp Clean Up

### Special Events Minitries

Keith Nickerson (Clarks Harbour, NS), Hillary Olsen (East Waterboro, ME), Samuel Rushton (Victoria Corner, NB), Kendra Kaye (Pine Grove, NS) and James Goode (Bridgewater, NS)

- Thu, May 13  
Markdale Baptist Church  
Markdale, ON
- Fri, May 14, 7:00 p.m.  
Clifford Community Church  
Clifford, ON
- Sun, May 16, am  
Rock Mills Fellowship Baptist  
Church  
Flesherton, ON
- Sun, May 16, pm  
Grace Gospel Church  
Niagara Falls, ON

- May 5, 6:30 p.m.  
Fundamental Bible Church  
Wallace, NS
- May 6, 6:30 p.m.  
Country Calvary Baptist  
Church  
Milford, NS
- May 8, 7:00 p.m.  
Freedom Bible Church  
Thorburn, NS
- May 9, 10:00 a.m.  
Peoples Church  
Truro, NS
- May 9, 7:00 p.m.  
Sunrise Baptist Church  
Tatamagouche, NS
- May 10, 10:00 a.m.  
Colchester Christian  
Academy  
Truro, NS
- May 10, 7:00 p.m.  
Peoples Church  
Alumni Meeting

## ON TOUR WITH JACK CARON



### NBBI's Mixed Trio, Broken

Sarah Button (Epsom, NH), Dustin Davidson (Geary, NB), DJ Ault (Brewer, ME) and Janessa Smith (pianist, Pine Glen, NB)

- May 11, 7:00 p.m.  
Faith Baptist Chapel  
Lunenburg, NS
- May 12, 7:00 p.m.  
Argyle Pubnico Baptist  
Church  
Glenwood, NS
- May 13, 7:00 p.m.  
Guiding Light Baptist Church  
Shag Harbour, NS
- May 14, 7:00 p.m.  
Habitation Baptist Church  
Annapolis Royal, NS
- May 16, 10:30 a.m.  
Faith Baptist Church  
Great Village, NS
- May 16, 6:00 p.m.  
Weston Christian Fellowship  
Berwick, NS

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Board of Directors has unveiled 9 scholarships over the past 15 months which will encourage new students to attend NBBI and help present students who are devoting extra time and energy to Christian ministry in churches, camps and missionary work.

by Dr. R. Barry Beebe

Students may be eligible to receive up to 2 scholarships and up to a total of \$2,000 per school year. Scholarship applications are available on our web site. For more information contact our business office.

NBBI offers the following scholarships:

- 1. Freshmen Early Application Scholarship** - This \$500 scholarship is available to all incoming freshmen who have their application complete by March 31<sup>st</sup>.
- 2. Returning Student Early Application Scholarship** - This \$500 scholarship is available to all upperclassmen who have completed their re-application by May 31<sup>st</sup>.
- 3. USA and International Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to students entering their first year, who are applying from outside of Canada. International students may also be eligible for up to \$200 of assistance for passport application costs.
- 4. Christian Worker Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to applicants entering their first year, whose parents are involved in full-time Christian service.
- 5. Alumni Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to applicants entering their first year, whose parents are graduates of NBBI.

**6. ABM Christian Worker Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to full-time Christian workers who have been in ministry for five years or more, and who wish to take the Advanced Biblical Ministries, fourth year, program in their area of service.

**7. Recruitment Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to currently enrolled students who recruit another student during their time of study at NBBI.

**8. Transfer Scholarship** - This \$1,000 scholarship is available to applicants entering their first year at NBBI, who have transferred from another post-secondary institution.

**9. Summer Ministry Scholarship** - This \$1000 scholarship is available to upperclassmen who, during the summer, work full-time for eight weeks or more at Christian camps, local churches or other Christian ministries.

These scholarships are non-funded and we are trusting God to provide for our needs as we seek to assist our student body. Various individuals, families, churches and Christian businesses have given to our student scholarship fund. Others have provided special character, ministry and academic scholarships that are awarded at graduation. If God burdens your heart to be involved in supporting our scholarship program, please contact me in the president's office, or Danny Robins in our business office.

## ON TOUR WITH BARRY BEEBE

### Ladies' Trio, Spoken For

Leanna Sparkes (pianist, Cross Creek, NB), Hillary Parent (Orrington, ME), Sarah Paterson (Flesherton, ON) and Breanna Owen (Loudon, NH)

- Wed, May 5, 7:00 p.m.  
Center Barnstead Christian  
Church  
Center Barnstead, NH
- Thu, May 6, 6:00 p.m.  
Community Bible Church  
Berlin, NH
- Sun, May 9, a.m.  
Faith Community Bible  
Church  
Loudon, NH
- Sun, May 9, 6:30 p.m.  
Calvary Baptist Church  
Claremont, NH
- Mon, May 10, 8:00 a.m.  
Claremont Christian Academy  
Claremont, NH  
Chapel
- Tue, May 11  
Bethel Church of the  
Nazarene  
Lowville, NY



- Wed, May 12, 6:30 p.m.  
Faith Fellowship Church  
Clarence, NY
- Thu, Friday, May 13-14  
Word of Life Bible Institute  
Schroon Lake, NY
- Sun, May 16, 8:30 & 11:00 am  
Leffingwell Baptist Church  
Bozrah, CT
- Sun, May 16, 7:00 p.m.  
Orrington Center Church  
Orrington, ME