

## **Project 1**

**Church Name:** Mapledale Baptist Church, Sheboygan, WI

**Pastor:** (Pastorless ... Dennis Hansen, DOM is interim)

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**Description:** Dates and events are tentative depending on scheduling compatibility and availability of help from the other churches.

We would like to start on or about the week of July 5th, canvassing the surrounding area with flyers, tracts, and door to door visits, to promote a four day revival series. The canvassing would be done Monday through Wednesday noon. The meetings would begin Wednesday evening and run through Saturday evening. We would like help to do the canvassing, since most of our active members work days. For the revival to even happen, we would need someone to organize the services, speakers and preferably live music. A performing musical group would be a definite plus if any are available.

We would like to follow the revival meetings with a five day VBS, Monday through Friday (possibly with a weeklong break between). This can be done either by us with helpers, or by a visiting group that would be willing to do the whole thing with help from us if they need it. One suggestion was for a drama group to put on skits. We had a good turnout for last year's (2009) VBS with 44 kids attending.

The annual church picnic would be on the Sunday following the VBS. We don't need help for this event, but of course everyone is welcome to participate.

**Additional Possible Projects:** The following projects are in future planning and currently have no funding. Any help provided on these projects would require funding assistance as well:

1. The north parking lot needs to be dug out and re-graded. The wrong type of fill was originally used and it is very soft in wet or thawing weather. It was also backfilled excessively and needs to be lowered by about 6" or so from the building foundation. We believe this may be contributing to chronic foundation leaks in the newer part of the building.
2. Both the north and east parking lots need asphalt paving. They are currently road gravel and are a mess in wet weather. (Item #1 needs to be done before the north lot can be paved.)

3. The foundation of the newer section of the building has had foundation leaking since it was built. Expertise in arriving at a solution and subsequent repairs are needed.
4. The kitchen in the new section needs a special ventilation system and stove/oven to meet state fire codes, in order to be able to use it for food prep that requires cooking. There is also a heavy swinging door between the kitchen and the current sanctuary that needs to be hung (the doorway itself will probably need to be plumbed).
5. There are two classrooms that have never had the floors finished and need to be carpeted. The fellowship hall and one classroom in the original part of the building need to have new carpeting due to the condition of the original carpeting.
6. Damaged siding on the east side of the building needs to be replaced.