



# Partners in Prayer

## March - April 2008



**Buy the truth  
and do not sell  
it; get wisdom,  
discipline and  
understanding.**  
-- Proverbs 23:23

### Praise:

- Dr. Jim Scales said that there have been no serious discipline issues with any student who has taken Bible history this year.
- We have 16 very dedicated and caring teachers.
- More principals are asking for Bible history to be taught in their schools. Also, schools with part-time teachers are requesting full time ones. (Nine in total.)
- Almost \$800,000 has been pledged or given so far this school year. But another \$450,000 needs to be received before July 31, 2008.

### Prayer:

- Pray for more people in the Chattanooga community to become advocates and supporters, especially in our school initiative areas: Red Bank High School, East Ridge Middle School, Brown Middle School, and Signal Mountain Middle/High School.
- Pray that all our teachers will be able to have their own classrooms soon. Attention and behavior seem to be better with consistency of the same classroom.
- Pray for our schools to be safe havens for students and teachers. We have seen so much violence lately.
- Pray that students and teachers will have a relaxing and safe spring break and come back refreshed and ready to finish out the year (March 17-21, 2008).
- As spring fever invades their lives, pray for the students to stay focused on their studies.
- Pray for our teachers who are caring for older parents.
- Pray for wisdom for teachers in handling discipline problems.
- Several teachers have requested prayer for family members who are either physically or spiritually ailing.
- Bible in the Schools is supported only through generous gifts. Pray that God will bless this work and meet all of our financial needs.

### 2007-2008 Bible History Teachers

**Mary Bowman** - Red Bank Middle School  
**Steve Clinton** - East Ridge Middle School  
**John Daum** - Central High School  
**Kim Hixson** - Loftis Middle School  
**Bryan Johnson** - Hunter Middle School  
**Martha Kesler** - Signal Mountain Middle School  
**Mark Lewis** - Brainerd High School  
**Bryan Osborne** - Hixson High School  
**Carolyn Owens** - East Ridge & Ooltewah High Schools

**John Perkins** - Brown Middle School  
**Bobby Ray** - Red Bank High School  
**Jennifer Rigsby** - Soddy Daisy Middle School  
**Bill Spencer** - Hixson Middle School  
**Joey Tolbert** - Ooltewah Middle School  
**Kandy Turnmire** - Howard School of A&T; Lookout Valley Middle & High Schools  
**Charles Witter** - Soddy Daisy High School

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