



Centennial Baptist Church

A FAMILY OF FAITH
STANDING ON GOD'S
WORD"

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WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

- 8:15am Contemporary Worship
- 9:30am Sunday School
- 10:45am Traditional Worship
- 5:30pm Healthy Living Class
- 6:00pm Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

- 12:00pm Pastor's Bible Study
- 5:00pm Praise Team Practice
- 6:00pm Choir Practice
- 6:30pm Community Bible Study

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CHURCH SIGN

DOWN IN THE MOUTH?

COME IN FOR A FAITH LIFT.

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I HAVE A DREAM

I have a dream for Centennial Baptist Church to reach this city with the Gospel and love of Jesus Christ. This dream can become a reality if we all work together for the glory of God. You see Christ has gifted Centennial Baptist Church with every gift that we need to minister to this city, and all we have to do is to use our gifts in God's service. Now you may say I don't have a gift or I am not minister, and I want you to know that you are wrong. God gifts and calls every Christian to minister in His Kingdom. Every member is a minister, and if you are a member of the body of Christ this includes you.

We can reach this city if we first of all give ourselves to the Lord in Prayer. Now, I am not talking about short burst of prayer once a day before we go to sleep. What I am speaking of is cultivating an attitude a posture of prayer all day long so that we will fulfill what the Lord says when he tells us to pray without ceasing. We can pray anywhere and at anytime. That is the wonderful thing about being a Christian, and serving the: all present, all powerful, all knowing Lord of the Universe. We are in constant communion with Him.

We can reach this city if we give ourselves to the study of the Word. We must study to show ourselves approved a workman that need not be ashamed rightly dividing (or teaching) the Word of truth. We need to know the Word so that we can teach people the ways of God. We need to make Disciples of Christ. When disciples are made lives will be changed.

We can reach this city if we show the people here the Love of Christ. We need to live out the words of Jesus that tell us to Love one another as He has loved us. How does He love us? He forgives us. He gives us grace. We should do the same with one another. We show this city Christ's love by caring for their spiritual and physical needs. We should give that cup of cold water in His name while at the same time sharing the Gospel. You cannot do one without the other. You see we have what the world needs. Jesus! Let's share Him with them, and we do we will reach this city for His glory!

God bless you and let's reach this city for Jesus in 2010!

Pastor Chris



DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

- 1/1 — Office Closed
- 1/10 — 9:00-9:30 a.m. Sunday School Breakfast
- 1/10 — 4:00 p.m. Business Meeting
- 1/17 — 12:00 p.m. Deacon's Meeting
- 1/25 — 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.—Help Center Food Commodity Day
- 1/27 — 3:00—6:00 p.m. — Lockwood Park Baptist Church —
Portable Food Pantry
- 1/31 — Singspiration

LOTTIE MOON OFFERING

Our Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions starts 11/29/09. Our offering for Lottie Moon runs from November 29, 2009 through January 1, 2010. Our goal for this year is \$1,000.

Let's remember our Foreign Missionaries with our prayers and our monetary gifts.



THANK YOU

The Church Staff would like to thank the church for their generous love offering. Your love and thoughtfulness are greatly appreciated. It is truly a joy to work at Centennial Baptist Church. May God bless you during this coming year.

Chris, Barbara
And Micah

FEBRUARY DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

- 2/7 — 3:00 p.m. — Worship Service Planning Mtg.
- 2/7 — 5:00 p.m. — Church Council & Deacons Mtg.
- 2/21 — Annie Armstrong Offering Starts — our goal is \$1,000

Daddy's Church

While strolling down main street, window shopping & listening to Christmas carols being sung or played by choirs or brass bands, we were unaware that our 3 yr. old son had wandered away.

Frantically looking for him, we finally saw him holding the hand of a lady headed our way. She said she was taking him to the police station when he suddenly pointed at a building and said, "look! That's Daddy's church!" Then she understood who he belonged to and where to take him.

Going astray is easy because many things take our focus away from the Lord. But when we find ourselves far from where we know God wants us to be, one landmark never fails. We belong to God. We will find our way home when we seek fellowship with those who follow Christ.

Even when we stray, we are God's beloved children.

Dear Lord, keep us close so that we do not lose our direction in life.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 OFFICE CLOSED	2
3 8:15 a.m. Contemporary Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Traditional Service 6:00 p.m. ALIENS 6:00 p.m. Eve. Service	4 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for Prayer	5 6:00–7:30 p.m. Visitation	6 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for Prayer 12:00 p.m. Bible Study 3:30 p.m. YMOG 4:00 p.m. Praise Team 5:30 p.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. RA's & GA's	7 8:00 a.m. Pastor @ Hardee's—Prayer w/ Local Pastors	8	9
10 8:15 a.m. Contemporary Service 9:00–9:30 a.m. S. S. Breakfast 9:30 a.m. Sun. School 10:45 a.m. Trad. Service 4:00 p.m. Busn. Mtg 6:00 p.m. Eve. Service	11 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for Prayer	12 6:00–7:30 p.m. Visitation	13 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary Open for Prayer 12:00 p.m. Bible Study 3:30 p.m. YMOG 4:00 p.m. Praise Team 5:30 p.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. RA's & GA's	14 8:00 a.m. Pastor @ Hardee's—Prayer w/ Local Pastors	15	16
17 8:15 a.m. Contemporary Service 9:30 a.m. Sun. School 10:45 a.m. Traditional Service 12:00 p.m. - Deacon's Meeting 3:00 p.m. Lake View Bend 6:00 p.m. Eve. Service	18 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for Prayer	19 6:00–7:30 p.m. Visitation	20 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary Open for Prayer 12:00 p.m. Bible Study 3:30 p.m. YMOG 4:00 p.m. Praise Team 5:30 p.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. RA's & GA's	21 8:00 a.m. Pastor @ Hardee's—Prayer w/ Local Pastors 10:30 a.m. Pin Oaks	22	23
24 8:15 a.m. Contemporary Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Traditional Service 6:00 p.m. ALIENS 6:00 p.m. Evening Service	25 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary open for prayer 9:00 a.m.—noon Help Center—Food Commodity Day	26	27 6:00–9:00 a.m. Sanctuary Open for Prayer 12:00 p.m. Bible Study 3:00–6:00 p.m. Lockwood Pk Bapt.—Portable Food Pantry 3:30 p.m. YMOG 4:00 p.m. Praise Team 5:30 p.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. RA's & GA's	28 8:00 a.m. Pastor @ Hardee's—Prayer w/ Local Pastors 10:00 a.m. King's Daughters	29	30
31 8:15 a.m. Contemporary Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Traditional Service 6:00 p.m. Singpiration						



CHOIR NEWS

Coming in January — The Sanctuary choir of Centennial Baptist will begin working on an Easter Cantata. We have such a good time of singing, fellowship,

and praying. If you ever thought about being part of the choir, now is the time. We'd love to have you. There are no requirements, just come and sing praises with us. You'll be a wonderful blessing.

See you there — Wednesday nights at 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Come join in the FUN and PRAISE!

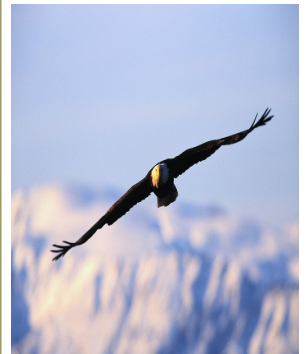
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See Pat Schindler if you still need to pick up your church directory.

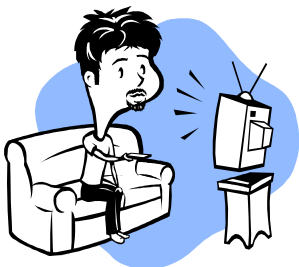
But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.

Isaiah 40:31

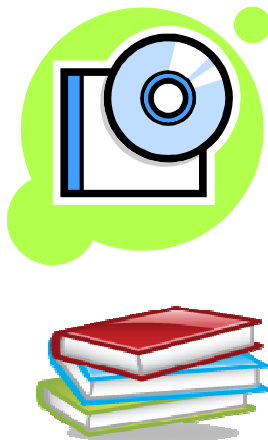


LIBRARY NEWS

Are you tired of the current TV shows?



Try the DVD's, VHS's and books in the Library



COME IN AND LOOK!!



Gwen & Millie

Try our
Sundays,
They are
better than
Baskin-
Robbins

January (Bring pasta for the Help Center Food Pantry this month)

Serving this month	January 03	January 10	January 17	January 24	January 31
Finance Committee	Todd Rowe & Ellis Glasgow	Todd Rowe & Ellis Glasgow	Todd Rowe & Ellis Glasgow	Todd Rowe & Ellis Glasgow	Todd Rowe & Ellis Glasgow
Hospital Visitation	Marilyn Patrick	Marilyn Patrick	Marilyn Patrick	Marilyn Patrick	Marilyn Patrick
8:15am Greeters	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry
10:45am Greeter	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	Bob Brace
8:15am Nursery	Stacey Moore	Julie & Carly Nance	Chris & Amy Duff	Betty Owen	Julie & Carly Nance
10:45am Nursery	Pat Schindler & Diane Hibbs	Laura Pitts & Girls	Dolly & Molly Jesse	Margaret Ingram & Girls	Marilyn Patrick & Amy Hilderman
Van Driver	581-1056 Earl Ingram	581-1056 Earl Ingram	581-1056 Earl Ingram	581-1056 Earl Ingram	581-1056 Earl Ingram

NEXT BUSINESS MEETING— JANUARY 10, 2010 AT 4:00 PM

February (Bring tuna for the Help Center Food Pantry this month)

Serving this month	February 07	February 14	February 21	February 28	
Finance Committee	Liz Lauer & Margaret Ingram	Liz Lauer & Margaret Ingram	Liz Lauer & Margaret Ingram	Liz Lauer & Margaret Ingram	
Hospital Visitation	Shirley Keith	Shirley Keith	Shirley Keith	Shirley Keith	
8:15 am Greeters	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	Jim & Judy Gentry	
10:45 am Greeters	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	Bob Brace	
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10:45 am Nursery	Pat Schindler & Diane Hibbs	Laura Pitts & Girls	Dolly & Molly Jesse	Margaret Ingram & Girls	
Van Driver	581-8496 Tim Jesse	581-8496 Tim Jesse	581-8496 Tim Jesse	581-8496 Tim Jesse	