

Read the Bible Through
Jeremiah 42-43 I Timothy 1

**Financial Giving Report
 October 13, 2013**

Total \$103,470.00
 Regular Offering..... 9,026.00
 Building Fund..... 937.00
 Women's Bible Study Books..... 13.00
 Office Supplies..... 60.00
 WMU Prisoner Bags..... 30.00
 Jolly Reunion (General Fund)..... 50.00
 Pioneers..... 100.00
 (Wilbur Smith's Sunday School Class)
 Debt Reduction..... 111.00
 Janie Chapman Offering..... 20.00

**Financial Giving Report
 October 20, 2013**

Total \$8,714.00
 Regular Offering..... 7,362.00
 Building Fund..... 990.00
 WMU Prisoner Bags..... 60.00
 Food Pantry..... 25.00
 AWANA..... 61.00
 Janie Chapman Offering..... 45.00
 Debt Retirement..... 161.00
 Debt Retirement Memorial..... 10.00
 (Mr. Fred "Buddy" Howard, Sr.)

For Your Information

Sunday School Attendance

September 22 - 161
 September 29 - 163
 October 6 - 157
 October 13 - 168
 October 20 - 115



MONUMENTAL

Monumental is the story of America's beginnings. What formula did they discover? What motivated them to come here in the first place? More importantly, how can we apply these same foundational truths today?

Join your church family on a new adventure to discover the true national treasure of America.

The study draws on the themes in the film and provides an opportunity for personal or group discussion of such topics as keeping the faith in God as our anchor; the importance of individual morality and intrinsic values, etc.

(The devotional service on Sunday Evening, November 3rd, at 6 pm in the FSH will not be a Bible study on the movie Monumental.)

The 5 week Sunday evening Bible study is from 6 pm to 7 pm in the Fellowship Hall and will conclude Sunday evening, November 17th.

For Your Information

Sunday Morning Worship Attendance

September 22 - 170
 September 29 - 182
 October 6 - 235 (Baptismal Service)
 October 13 - 196
 October 20 - 178

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 Don Raye Shetley, Part Time Maintenance Supervisor

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Janie Chapman
 State Mission Offering
 Our Goal \$2,500
 Received to Date \$1,150
 (Add 10/20) Needed to Reach Goal \$1,310

(Envelopes at the Welcome Center & in the pew rack.)

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**Deacon of the Month
 (October)**

Wilbur Smith

**Inside Greeters
 October 27, 2013**

William Smith
 Graham Williams

**Parking Lot Greeters
 October 27, 2013**

Gene Gregory
 Hazel Howell

**Extended Session
 October 27, 2013**

Babies: Ann Alexander
 Melanie Barnett

Toddlers: Curtis & Kathy Plexico

Sun. Night: Sam & Kacie White

Wed. Night: Mary Alice Stevenson
 Dorna Chapman

**Deacon of the Month
 (November)**

Jeff Craft

**Inside Greeters
 November 3, 2013**

Gene Gregory
 Henry Vaughan

**Parking Lot Greeters
 November 3, 2013**

Helen Grady
 Judy Graham

As Information

The new Chairman of Deacons is Jay Childers, the Vice Chairman is Ricky Smith & the Secretary is Jason Spencer.

**Extended Session
 November 3, 2013**

Babies: Karen Greer, Penny Smith

Toddlers: Lynn & Debbie Eaves

Sun. Night: "My Hope America" with Billy Graham in homes & Devotion in R.H. at 6 pm

Wed. Night: Rachel McManus
 Betty Gault

C.L.I.C.K (Children's Church)

C.L.I.C.K (Children's Church) workers for October are Don Raye & Jennifer Shetley, and Kristen Spencer.

Youth C.L.I.C.K (Children's Church) workers for October are Larissa Home, Mary Katherine Gibbs, and Madysen Russell.

C.L.I.C.K (Children's Church) workers for November are Ricky & Amy Smith, and Julie Fowler.

Youth C.L.I.C.K workers for November are Sara Evans, Wes, Jordan, and Hannah.

Please Note

Please pick up your November church calendar at the Welcome Center on Sunday, October 27, 2013. Please pick up the October ECHO (UCBA newsletter) at the Welcome Center.

Welcome New Member

Welcome to our new member, Ms. Stacia Bennett, who joined Tabernacle Baptist Church Sunday, October 6, 2013, by letter from First Baptist Church, Spartanburg, SC. Stacia resides in Union with her children. May God bless you and your family each day!

Upcoming Events

The Quarterly Business Celebration (Meeting) will be Sunday, October 27, 2013, after the Morning Worship Service.

AWANA Pumpkin Patch Party

For children and preschoolers involved in AWANA, the Pumpkin Patch Party will be Sunday, October 27, 2013, from 5 pm to 7 pm in the FLC. Wear your Halloween costume (nothing scary please). We'll have games, paint a pumpkin, and food. The AWANA store will be open.

WMU Prisoner Bags

This year, as last year, the month of October will be designated to receive donations for prisoner bags sponsored by the WMU. You do not have to be a member of a WMU group to participate in this mission opportunity. **Please turn in your \$10 donation on Sunday or to the church office by Monday, October 28, 2013.** This packet may be the only gift some prisoners may receive. **WON'T YOU HELP?**

Turn Your Clocks BACK!

Don't forget to turn your clocks **BACK** one hour on Saturday night, November 2, 2013.



"My Hope America" with Billy Graham is a nationwide effort to reach people across the United States with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. **Sunday, November 3, 2013, will be Tabernacle Baptist Church's emphasis for "My Hope America" with Billy Graham.** Five families will be involved with "My Hope America" with Billy Graham. **There will be a devotional service in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00 pm on Sunday, November 3, 2013, for those not involved with "My Hope America" with Billy Graham.**

Upcoming Events

The Church Wide WMU "We're Here for You" Project is *"Safe Homes Gift Bags for Battered Women"*. Many times when women who are victims of domestic and sexual violence come to Safe Homes they have only the clothes on their back-nothing else! And yes, women in our county are victims. We would like to provide gift bags for the women. Items needed for the bags are wash cloths, toothbrush, toothpaste, hand lotion, soap, deodorant, socks, comb, brush, hair spray, gum, mints, and bottled water. **Please bring your items to the church office by Sunday, November 3, 2013.** The items will be packed in gift bags for the women and picked up by a Safe Homes representative.

The Keenagers will meet Tuesday, November 5, 2013, at Noon in the Fellowship Hall. Rev. Tommy McManus will be in charge of our program. **Please bring a covered dish.** The turkey, dressing and gravy for our Thanksgiving Meal will be provided.

"Nehemiah: A Heart Can Break" by Kelly Minter

You're invited to join the Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study Group at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall for the 7 week session entitled "Nehemiah: A Heart Can Break" by Kelly Minter. The study concludes Wednesday, November 6th.

The Property Committee will meet Thursday, November 7, 2013, at 6:30 pm in the Library.

Our Hospital List

Wallace Thomson Hospital
322 W. South Street, Union SC 29379
Arnie Austin - Room 322
Betty Gault - ICU
Joseph C. Hooper - Room 323



Operation Christmas Child Has Taken Off!

We are encouraging everyone to participate in "Operation Christmas Child"! Since 1993, more than 100 million shoe boxes have been collected for needy children around the world. If you stacked all 100 million shoeboxes on top of each other, they would be 26,000 times higher than the Empire State Building. Celebrating the 20th anniversary of Operation Christmas Child this year, a total of 9.8 million shoeboxes are expected to be collected. Won't you help by packing a shoebox to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children around the world?

→ WE HAVE 30 MORE SHOEBOXES TO BE PICKED UP!

The shoeboxes and instruction sheet with the boy/girl labels on it are at the table at the end of the main hallway.

You can start shopping now for items for specific age groups: (Boy-ages 2-4, 5-9, & 10-14) (Girl-ages 2-4, 5-9, & 10-14).

- Gift items: small toys that fit inside a shoebox, hygiene products (toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, wash cloths), paper, pencils, crayons, small cards, musical instruments, stuffed toys, clothes, hats, and balls)
- **Do not include** liquid items such as lotion, shampoo, chocolates, toy army items, toy snakes, anything made of glass, no medicines and no money.
- Include \$7.00 shipping. Please put your check or cash in an envelope.

Please bring your packed shoeboxes to the Thanksgiving Meal on Wednesday, November 20th, at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center where we'll pack them for shipping after the meal!

Upcoming Events

From the Finance Committee

Anyone with 2014 budget needs or questions needs to contact the appropriate committee chairperson or any member of the Finance Committee (Ricky Smith, Lynn Lawson, Rachel McManus, Alyce Wallington, Lynn Eaves or Terry Young). We need this information no later than November 17, 2013 (earlier if possible).

Thank You Notes

To Tabernacle Baptist Church, Thanks for the love offering and especially for all the prayers that went up for me. You are all special people to my family and especially to Ken. God bless you all. With Thanks,
Betty Becknell

Dear Church Family,
Thank you so much for all you have done for our family during this difficult time. We are grateful for your expressions of sympathy and all the help you provided us during our moment of sorrow. We deeply appreciate the wonderful food you prepared and the memorial to the General Fund. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.
Family of Fred W. "Buddy" Howard, Sr.

Dear Church Family,
We want to express our appreciation and thanks to the church family for the gift for Pastor Appreciation Month. May God continue to bless each one of you!
In Christ, Robert & Donna Chapman

Christian Sympathy

Our deepest Christian sympathy is extended to Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Kirkley & their family and other family members in the loss of Kaye's brother-in-law, "Mr. John Florio of McBee, SC, who passed away Friday, October 11, 2013.