

YOUTH DATES TO REMEMBER

Oct. 23 - Judgment House at Cudd Memorial - leave church at 6 pm
Oct. 30 - Holy House & Fall Festival at Tabernacle (Church Wide) - sponsored by youth 5 pm-7 pm
Nov. 16 - Church Wide Thanksgiving Meal FLC 6 pm
Nov. 22 - Bonfire, Hayride & Fun. Meet at church 6 pm
 Church members are needed to run games at the Fall Festival. Contact Alison.

Congratulations

Congratulations to *Toney (Tee) & *Stacy Farr on the birth of their son, Samuel Ryan Farr, born Monday, October 3, 2011. Samuel has 2 older brothers. The proud grandmother is Ms. Mary Jane Farr. The proud great grandmother is Mrs. Pat Long.

For Your Information

Sunday, October 9th, we had 188 for Morning Worship Service, 184 for Sunday School, and 54 for Evening Worship Service.
 Sunday, October 16th, we had 202 for Morning Worship Service, 166 for Sunday School, and 54 for Evening Service.

Financial Giving Report
October 9, 2011

Total..... \$9,270.00
 Regular Offering 7,735.50
 Building Fund 1,183.50
 Pioneers 100.00
 (Wilbur Smith's Sunday School Class)
 Missionary Love Offering 100.00
 Boxes of Love (Food Pantry) 20.00
 Church Food Pantry 3.00
 Hunger Fund 25.00
 Debt Retirement 13.00
 Janie Chapman Offering 45.00
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 (Peggy Vaughan's Sunday School Class)

Our Hospital List

Wallace Thomson Hospital

Sara Roark - Room 313
 *Hazel Rector - Room 330

SRMC

*Malcolm Lee - Room 824

Greenville Memorial Hospital

Peggy Vaughan - Heart Center

Financial Giving Report
October 16, 2011

Total \$9,691.27
 Regular Offering 8,177.77
 Building Fund 1,100.50
 AWANA 46.00
 College Class 50.00
 UCBA Crisis Ministry (M Bright's SS Class) 20.00
 Debt Reduction Fund 11.00
 WMU Prison Bags (Lydia Greene Group) 10.00
 WMU Prison Bags (Lottie Moon Group) 20.00
 WMU Prison Bags (Pearl Johnson Group) 20.00
 WMU Prison Bags (Agape Women's Group) 10.00
 WMU Prison Bags 50.00
 Food Pantry (Judy Graham's SS Class) 50.00
 Church Food Bank 31.00
 Boxes of Love 10.00
 Janie Chapman State Mission Offering 85.00

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 Ann Lancaster, Part Time Ministry Assistant
 Cyle & Alison Coker, Part Time Ministers of Youth
 Don Raye Shetley, Part Time Maintenance Supervisor



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Our Church Goal - \$4,500.00
Received to Date - \$636.00
Needed to Reach Goal - \$3,864.00



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Deacon of the Month
(October)
 Jeff Craft

Extended Session
October 30, 2011

Inside Greeters
October 23, 2011
 Dudley & Hazel Adams
 Calvin & Annette Walker

Babies: Carrie Smith, Penny Smith
Toddlers: Frank & Candee Humphries
Sun. Night: Julie Fowler, Jeanne Smith
Wed. Night: Betty Gault
 Rachel McManus

Parking Lot Greeters
October 23, 2011
 Helen Grady
 Judy Graham
 Jo Ann Millwood

Thank You Notes

Dear Tabernacle Baptist Church,
 I would like to thank everyone for the birthday dinner, the cards, calls, visits and prayers! The VSP Ministry is such a special ministry to so many people, and it really means a lot to know that so many people care. Again, thanks for being so caring and considerate.

Sunday School Attendance
 October 9 - 184
 October 16 - 166

Extended Session
October 23, 2011

Sincerely,
 Alma Gibbs

Babies: Hazel Adams, Annette Walker
Toddlers: Cyle & Alison Coker
Sun. Night: Brenda Smith
 Wendy McKeown
Wed. Night: Annie Mae Gibbs
 Mary Alice Stevenson

Dear Tabernacle,
 Thank you so much for providing the materials, and the gentlemen who built the donation box for our pregnancy center. This will be a great asset for us. A special thank you to Mr. Don Raye Shetley.
 Thank you again.

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(October)
 Jeff Craft

Yours in Christ,
 Lisa O. Hartley
 Union County
 Pregnancy Center

Inside Greeters
October 30, 2011
 Deanie Brown
 Lynn McMillian

Thank You Note

Parking Lot Greeters
October 30, 2011
 Wayne Burgess
 Elase Osborne

Thank you from the WMU to everyone who provided the hygiene bags distributed to the fair workers this year. Please pray that the fair workers may come to know Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

Upcoming Events

The Youth will be going to Judgment House at 6:00 pm at Cudd Memorial Baptist Church on Sunday, October 23, 2011. Both buses are reserved.

WMU Prison Bags

This year, as last year, the month of October will be designated to receive donations for prisoner bags sponsored by the WMU. The cost of each bag is \$10.00. Please turn in your donation on Sunday or to the church office by Monday, October 24, 2011. This packet may be the only gift some prisoners receive - **WON'T YOU HELP?**

The Ellen Sagar Nursing Home Visitation will be Thursday, October 27, 2011 at 10:00 am followed by Oakmont Nursing Home Visitation at 10:45 am. You will receive a blessing when you visit!



Church Wide FALL FESTIVAL & HOLY HOUSE

**Sunday, October 30
5 pm - 7 pm**

For our Fall Festival the Children's Committee needs bags of individually wrapped candy for this event and cakes for the Cake Walk. Please place your bags of candy in the box at the Welcome Center. **Please call the church office or Penny Smith if you will bring a cake for the cake walk.**

Our Fall Festival is going to be filled with Biblical characters, fun, games, a cake walk, refreshments and candy for ALL AGES! We'll meet in the gym at 5 pm for games and the cake walk until 5:30 pm.

You'll meet Biblical characters in the "Holy House" which begins at 5:30 pm until everyone's finished. After going through the "Holy House", your group will be escorted to the Fellowship Hall for hot dogs before you go home!

GA's Local Mission Project

Our memory verse for October is Deuteronomy 15:11 - "There will always be poor among us, so I am *commanding* you to give freely to those who are poor in your land. Open your hands to them." As we try to follow God's command to help the poor around us, our GA's are sponsoring the following Mission Project, and we need your help. There is always a need for baby items for our local Pregnancy Center. They are seeing so many young girls needing assistance. We are asking our congregation to bring BABY WIPES AND DIAPERS. There is a bassinet located below the Welcome Center for these items. Also, we will have "BABY BOTTLES" in our classrooms for "change" which will be used to buy other necessary items. May God bless our efforts to help those in need, and may He bless your family for helping our GA's.
Jo Ann Sweatt & Brenda Smith, Leaders

Upcoming Events

If you have any budget requests for next year's budget, please turn them in by Monday, October 31, 2011, to the Finance Committee (Lynn Eaves, Brown Fant, Jane Arthur, Jan Gunter, Jeanne Smith, and Lynn Lawson.)

The Staff will meet Tuesday, November 1, 2011 at 9:00 am in the Library. Mrs. Ann Lancaster will be in the office answering telephone calls.

The Keenagers will meet Tuesday, November 1, 2011 at Noon in the Fellowship Hall. Refreshments will be served. Rev. McManus will be in charge of the program.

Sunday School Teacher Recognition for teachers currently serving will be Sunday, November 6, 2011 during the Morning Worship Service.

WMU "We're Here for You" Project

Our "We're Here for You" Project this year is to provide snack items to the 911 Office in appreciation for their service to our city and county in keeping us safe. For ladies in mission groups and anyone who would like to help, please bring your snack items (such as Lance crackers, individual packs hot chocolate, candy/cookies [regular & sugar free], small packages of coffee, individually wrapped baked goods, etc.) to the church office by Friday, November 11, 2011.

Church Wide Thanksgiving Meal

Our church wide Thanksgiving Meal will be Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center. Our meal will be vegetable soup, potato soup, cornbread, chicken strips & French fries FOR CHILDREN, tea, coffee and water. We're asking the ladies to bring your favorite dessert! In order to help many who are hungry in our city and county, you're encouraged to bring one can of food for our Food Pantry. (No charge for the meal.)

Operation Christmas Child - We're Ready to Fly!!

Please pick up your shoeboxes at the table on the main floor along with the sheet which has the label (boy/girl) and form to be filled out. There is also a sheet listing gift items. Remember to shop for specific age groups. Gift ideas: small toys that fit inside the shoebox, hygiene products (toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, washcloths, 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. Don't forget to include **\$7.00** for shipping. If putting in cash, always use an envelope. **Bring your packed shoeboxes to the Thanksgiving Meal on Wednesday, November 16th, in the Family Life Center.**

Church Wide Yard Sale

The Church Wide Yard Sale will be Saturday, November 19th. Please bring items to the church or contact Maxine Craft at 429-0306.