

**WELCOME TO MT. ZION!**

We rejoice in having you here today. If you're a guest, please complete the guest information on your worship guide and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like to request prayer or visit with someone about spiritual decisions or the opportunities here, please mark the space provided and either put the card in the offering plate or hand it to a staff member upon leaving. *Have a great day with us at Mt. Zion!*

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE THIS WEEK**

**Sunday, December 7**

- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Nursing Home Service.....2:00 p.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Finance Committee Meeting.....4:00 p.m.
- “Christmas On The Air”.....6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, December 9**

- Men’s Fellowship Breakfast .....7:00 a.m.

**Wednesday, December 10**

- 2-4:5** (Teens).....6:30 p.m.
- Awana .....6:25 p.m.
- Adult Bible Study.....6:30 p.m.

**Thursday, December 11**

- Adult #1 Sunday School Class Christmas Party .....6:00 p.m.
- Christian Discipleship SS Class Christmas Party (@ Penny’s)6:00 p.m.

**Saturday, December 13**

- Youth Ministry Skating.....1:00 p.m.

**Sunday, December 14**

- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Children’s Ministry Christmas Caroling..... after a.m. service
- Business Meeting.....6:00 p.m.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. The **Finance Committee** will meet today at 4:00 p.m. in the workroom.
2. **The Children’s Ministry needs your help!** There are two teaching positions and helper positions in Children’s Chapel for 2015 year. Please prayerfully consider serving—it is such an important ministry on Sunday mornings.
3. If you would like to **host a S.N.A.C.** for the Youth Ministry in 2015, please sign the list in the foyer. It is recommended that multiple families get together to do this to cut down on expense. Also, please remember it is a snack / fellowship time, not a feast or even a full course meal.
4. **Friendship MBC** is hosting “A Night In Bethlehem”, a walking tour of Bethlehem on the night Christ was born. December 11 & 12 from 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. and December 13 from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. There is no charge. Dress for outside and bring your camera!
5. The **Children’s Ministry** will go **caroling** on Sunday, December 14. **Sign the list in the foyer if you plan to join in the fun!** If you have someone that you know who would enjoy us coming to their home and caroling please see Jennifer Rood or Debbie Jackson **TODAY** so they can plan their route.
6. The Adult #1 Sunday School class **Christmas Party** will be Thursday, December 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
7. There will be a **Wedding Shower** for Katie Cordell and Caleb Parish on Sunday, April 19 from 2:30-4:30 p.m. If you would like to help with the shower contact Paulette Hathcock (501-467-1707).

**THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP**

- Video.....“A Very Special Christmas”
- Special Music.....Sanctuary Choir  
“The Sounds Of His Love”
- Welcome and Prayer.....Bro. Mike Clayton
- Offertory.....Suzy Draper
- Special Music.....Voices Of Zion  
“Angels Lullaby”
- Hymn.....Congregation  
“O Come, All Ye Faithful”
- Hymn.....Congregation  
“The First Noel”
- Special Music.....PJ Reed  
“Hallelujah (Light Has Come)”
- Worship Chorus .....Congregation  
“More Than Amazing”
- Message from God’s Word.....Bro. Donis Smead
- Time of Reflection and Response .....Congregation  
“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”
- Dismissal Prayer.....Fellowship

**ICE / ROLLER SKATING**



The **Youth Ministry** will be going ice/roller skating Saturday, December 13. The cost is \$13.00/ person. They will leave the church at 1:00 p.m. If you plan to attend, sign the list in the foyer or Fellowship House by Wednesday, December 10.



**YOUTH MINISTRY CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Youth Ministry will have their **Christmas Party** Wednesday, December 17 at the Malvern Boys and Girls Club. Students will need to be dropped off at the Boys and Girls Club at 6:30 and picked up at 8:30. A van will leave the church at 6:15, if that would be more convenient, and will return around 8:45.



**JOIN US THIS EVENING AT 6:30 P.M. FOR**



**GUEST INFORMATION—DECEMBER 7, 2014**

Mr./ Mrs./ Miss (circle) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) Married ( ) Single

Age (circle)      0-21                      22-40                      41-60                      61-up

Spouse’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ (Circle)      Work      Home      Cell

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Member? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ What church? \_\_\_\_\_

Where? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of our church? \_\_\_\_\_

I am a guest of \_\_\_\_\_

Name & ages of children at home: \_\_\_\_\_

## THIS WEEK'S PRAYER ADDITIONS

Prayer was requested for Vicky Hohrine; Bobby Williams; the Donald Speed family; Erroll McIntire; Spud Beason; Neil Bates; Paul Halbert; Lisa Gilmore (secretary at Glen Rose school).

## PRAYER REQUESTS

*We will be glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs. Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.*

Please pray for:

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Private Prayer Request       Public Prayer Request

Add to Monthly Prayer Guide.

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

## DECISIONS

- I'd like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.  
 I'd like to speak with someone about my relationship with God.  
 I'd like to speak with someone about getting more involved with this church.

## LOOKING AHEAD

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- Dec. 14 -- Caroling  
17 -- "Happy Birthday Jesus" Party; 6:25 p.m.  
24 -- Christmas Break; Awana Dismissed  
31 -- Christmas Break; Awana Dismissed  
Jan. 7 -- Awana Resumes; 6:25 p.m.  
14 -- Snowman Night in Awana

### YOUTH MINISTRY

- Dec. 13 -- Ice / Roller Skating  
17 -- Christmas Party; 6:30 p.m.  
24 -- Christmas Break; ~~2-4:5~~ Dismissed  
31 -- Christmas Break; ~~2-4:5~~ Dismissed  
Jan. 4 -- Youth J.A.M.; 6:00 p.m.  
-- S.N.A.C.; after p.m. Service  
7 -- ~~2-4:5~~ Resumes; 6:30 p.m.  
18 -- A.C.T.S.; after p.m. service  
30 -- 5th Quarter

### OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

- Dec. 7 -- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.  
-- Presentation of "Christmas On The Air"; 6:30 p.m.  
9 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; Keeney's, 7:00 a.m.  
14 -- Business Meeting; 6:00 p.m.  
21 -- Church-wide Christmas Fellowship; 6:00 p.m.  
24 -- Adult Bible Study; Dismissed  
31 -- Adult Bible Study; Dismissed  
Jan. 4 -- Nursing Home Service; 2:00 p.m.  
5 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.  
11 -- Business Meeting; 6:00 p.m.  
-- Church Fellowship; after p.m. service  
13 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.  
15 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:00 p.m.

### NURSERY WORKERS

#### This Week

**MW (Infant)** Sara W.; Barbara D.

**MW (Toddler)** Ellen B.

**EW** Casey O.

#### Next Week

**MW (Infant)** Sara W.; Jennifer R.

**MW (Toddler)** Chris A.

**EW** Casey O.; Lauren W.

### CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

#### November

Debbie Jackson

Mikayla Buck

Gaby Resendiz

#### January

### SPECIAL MUSIC

#### December 14

**a.m.** Bro. Paul Buck

**a.m.** Awana T&T

**p.m.** Kelsey Rood

#### December 21

**a.m.** Wink Kratz

**a.m.** Southern Cross Quartet

**p.m.** Church Fellowship

### LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School Attendance—120; Morning Worship Attendance—153

We had 131 children, teens, and adults here Wednesday evening.

Day of Harvest Offering: \$36,636.00

Budgeted Offerings for 2014: \$310,200.00

Actual Offerings for 2014: \$265,704.15



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*Donis Smead, Pastor*

*Paul Buck, Music and Youth Minister*

*Corey Lindsey, Youth Intern*

*Cheryl Finley, Secretary*

*December 7, 2014*