

October



28th - Children's Party
31st - Harvest Festival -- Food, Fellowship, Costumes, Fun. An alternative to Halloween.

Ushers

Ken Hillard
Don Thornburg
Alex Villafuerte
Don Walton

November

4th - Church Council - 4:30 p.m.
7th - Koinonia Dinner - 5:00 p.m.
Fellowship Evening - Bible Study, Prayer, Choir Practice - 6:00 p.m.

Greeters

Marty Starry Pardue
Eva Emerson

Deacon of the Month

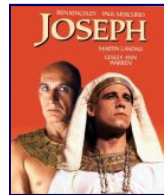
Ken Day of the **Red Team**

If for any reason you need to speak with someone, please feel free to call Mr. Ken Day at 782-6877. Whatever your need may be, we are willing to do what we can to help you meet it. If you need someone to talk with or some other need fulfilled, you are welcome to call.

What's Happening Today

10:45 a.m. Service
from Luke 9:57-62
"Almost Disciples"

6:00 p.m. Service
Joseph: How God Builds Character



Part 3: Leaving Your Dream With God

With Video and discussion

At the End of the Message

At the end of the pastor's message each week, there is a time for each person to respond to the message. You may respond by wanting to accept Jesus into your life. Your response may be to seek out more information about Jesus and what it means to be a Christian. You may wish to have more information about our church. You may want to be baptized. You may want to know how to join our church. You may want to pray or to make a commitment to follow Jesus more closely.

If you wish help with your response you may receive help either by checking a box on the back of the Welcome Card and putting it into the offering plate or you may come to the front of the church when the Pastor stands at the front at the end of his message and he will help you.

Annual Budget for 2007: \$106,310 (our goal)
Portion needed by Oct 21: \$85,866 (where we should be)
Amount given as of Oct 21: \$82,766 (where we are)
Amount given on Oct 21: \$1,722 (our most recent step)

Ministries

Sunday, Nov. 11th
4:00 p.m.



First Southern will be hosting an **Estate Planning Seminar** on Sunday, November 11th at 4 pm. If you are interested in establishing your own "family trust" or leaving a legacy to the church, please plan to attend. Representatives from the California Baptist Foundation will be speaking.

It is that time of year to begin to gather in the harvest to share with those in need.

We will be collecting food, Safeway Gift Cards, or cash donations to fill 6 Thanksgiving Baskets to be delivered to

the Golden Gate Baptist Seminary on Monday, November 19th. **The sign up sheet with a list of the food items needed is on the bulletin board.** Cash donations will be used to purchase perishable items. Please place your cash donation in a pink envelope and mark it for "Thanksgiving Baskets".

You may bring your food donations from now until Sunday, November 18th.

Thank you for your generosity and loving gifts.



Set Your Clocks Back!

Saturday Night,
November 3rd

Before you go to bed.



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Church Office Hours: Mon - Fri

8:00 am to 12:00 pm

Senior Pastor Administrative Assistant Worship Leader
Chris Foreman Caryl Shaw Shauna Shoptaw

In case of an Emergency call Pastor Foreman
at 276-7331 or one of our deacons:

Ken Abbott 538-5364, Ken Day 782-6877, Mike Fortner 872-4080,
Ken Hillard 512-0323, John King 352-1907, Chairman of Deacons
Al Thornell 783-1611.

Bible Study Classes for All Ages

Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

Wednesday Evening Family Fellowship
Meal 5:00 pm ~ Activities 6:00 pm

Welcome to our Guests

We welcome each of you to our Church. We hope that you are uplifted by the encouraging message, the beautiful music and the wonderful fellowship of our church family.

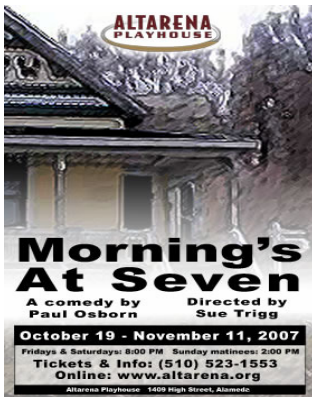
It's our desire that people grow in their relationship with Christ and find a place to serve Him. If you do not attend a church regularly, we invite you to become a part of what God is doing here. Please fill out a Welcome Card (yellow). This will help us keep in touch with you. We'll try to answer your questions and provide whatever help we can. We will collect the cards during the offering.

As members of the Body of Christ, we find our purpose in:

~ Glorifying God ~
~ Loving One Another ~
~ Reaching the World ~

As a Church, we find our purpose in equipping our members to live out this goal.

Morning's At Seven



**Saturday, Nov. 10th
8:00 p.m.**

We are going to see the Altarena Playhouse perform **Morning's At Seven** a comedy by Paul Osborn, directed by Sue Trigg. **Of course our favorite character will be played by our own Shauna Shoptaw.** The cost is \$20.00 for Adults and \$17.00 for

Seniors 62 and over. We plan to share a meal beforehand. **If you are interested in going please sign up no later than Sunday, November 4th.** Our church bus will be leaving the lot at 5:00 p.m. Come join us if you can.

Prayer Requests / Praise

Linda Baker – keep me in prayer and I need 2 more tests, waiting on insurance; keep my husband and his family in prayer; pray that I feel better.

J.J. Blazin – clear direction for Tahani life; healing of relationship; peace in Israel; church unity

Ruth Cavin – health; my Grandson's health and needs; Praise the Lord – my Nephew's infection is gone but continue to pray for him.

Ken Day – for my head problems, Karen and Darlene who are battling cancer

Eva Emerson – medical problems for all my family; Great Grandson; Danny Jr. home but has a memory loss; salvation for my family.

Lillian Fielding – for her health, she is home and healing

Pastor Chris Foreman – pray for my brother Jack as he continues to recover from his bone marrow transplant, and for Barbara his wife

Pauline Ford – pray for her as she recovers at home from heart surgery

Mike & Char Fortner – Jim to find a job; friend Cathy for healing; for the Mixon family in the loss of Holly; Joshua for healing; Jesus for wisdom for doctors and strength for the family

Ken Hillard – Father, please bless our church family in a special way

Sean & Brenda Kelleher – to grow stronger with the Lord

John & Stacie Kopet – for Stacie's Nephew Joshua who might be getting an organ transplant

Joy Lee – for my Daughter Marshall and family, and for all those threatened by wildfires

PJ Lewis – looking for useful place in scheme of things; my friend Margaret who has a serious eye challenge

Al & Lillie Marsh – Annabelle for strength and health

Marty Starry Pardue - Son Darrell for his job and a place to move

Jual Lynne Rydell – for my Mother Lucille for healing

Judy Vargas – for Annabelle; my Mother Dorothy for spiritual guidance

Alex & Lisa Villafuerte – for Alex and his family for comfort and strength in the loss of Alex's Uncle



The
First
Southern
Weekly

Bulletin

October 28, 2007

10:45 AM and 6:00 PM Services



Many people want to follow Jesus, but few are willing to pay the price of discipleship. In the Gospel of Luke, we meet four men who almost became disciples. The first was not willing to give up his

comfort; the second wanted to wait for a more convenient time; the third lacked true commitment; and the fourth would not give up his riches. If you're not following Jesus today, what's your excuse?

Harvest Festival

Come to our Halloween Alternative **this Wednesday Evening, October 31 at 5:00 p.m.** This will be like our usual Wednesday meal, except food and fun will be provided at no cost. Wear a costume if you like, but please nothing too gruesome or scary. **Please sign up if you are going to attend** and don't forget to sign up for the baking contest. We hope to see you then.