



# The Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church

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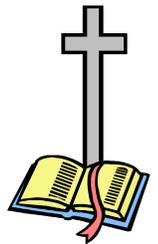
### FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE . . .

What a wonderful time of preparation and celebration we just completed! Our Advent and Christmas worship seemed especially meaningful this year, and the musicals presented by our children's choirs and our sanctuary choir were excellent. In fact, I heard many people say that the sanctuary choir's musical was the best yet. I know we hear that almost every year; in this year's case, I think that comment is especially fitting. Thanks to Ronnie Byrd, our choirs, the musicians, the sound technicians, our ushers, and everyone else who made a contribution to these special times of worship! And thank you to all of you who remembered our family with cards or gifts during the Christmas season. We always deeply appreciate your kind expressions of love and gratitude.

And now 2010 is here! Another new year has come—a new year fill with all kinds of challenges and opportunities.

Some of those challenges are of a personal or family nature. Some in our congregation are dealing with the recent deaths of loved ones. Others are facing major health challenges. Some are struggling financially because of our nation's economic situation. Others may have challenges in some of the relationships within their families. Life is never perfect. Sometimes it's downright difficult. Even when things are at their best, as one of my teachers used to put it, "None of us ever lives under completely ideal circumstances." Someone else has put it this way: "Life is hard; misery is optional." Whenever your pastors or your church can be of help to you as you face these struggles, please call on us.

Our church faces challenges as well. Through the years, God has always enabled us to rise to the challenges we've encountered. Over the past five years, we've paid the debt on our building down from almost \$800,000 to around \$225,000. We have recently completed the scheduled refinance of the loan, which took some pressure off our budget for this year since the new budgeted payments are lower. So in no more than five years—and hopefully in no more than three years—our debt will be paid off, freeing up more funding for mission and ministry. A significant portion of this paydown has occurred over the past two years during a time that's been very tight financially for our church, just as it has for many families and individuals in our congregation. That's amazing, and it's to be commended. Thank you for the sacrifices you have made to make this possible! This year's operating budget has been adjusted downward to a more reachable goal that more accurately reflects our actual spending levels over the past couple of years. If the members of our congregation will be faithful stewards of what God has entrusted to them, we will have no difficulty supporting the mission and ministries of our church in the coming year. Sacrificial giving to our General Fund will enable us to do even more.



*FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE . . . (Continued)*

But finances aren't the only challenge we're facing. I've been doing some research on the community right around our church. It's very different now than it was 30 or 20 or even 10 years ago. Demographic information provided to us by the North American Mission Board (NAMB) shows that compared to the rest of our general area (within a ten-mile radius of our church facilities), the ethnic population (primarily Hispanic) of Lee and Western Harnett counties is concentrated within a two-mile radius of JHBC, as is a significant part of the African-American population. What is disturbing is that poverty or near-poverty is concentrated right around us in this two-mile radius as well. According to the information provided by NAMB, 53.3% of households within this two-mile radius have a household income of less than \$35,000, with 24.6% *less than \$15,000*. Federal poverty guidelines for 2009 indicate that a family/household of two (2) people is in poverty if income is less than \$14,570. For a family/household of three (3) people, that number is \$18,310. For a family/household of four (4) people, it is \$22,050. For a family/household of five (5) people, it is \$25,790. These numbers and the income figures for our surrounding community indicate that a significant number of families and/or individuals in our community live in poverty or near-poverty conditions.

God has placed us in the midst of this community. When He established this church 140 years ago, He knew in 1869 what this community would be like in 2010. The question that this raises for us is this: How does God want to work through us as the body of Christ to reach out and minister to this community? How are we to be on mission with Christ in Jonesboro Heights? It's wonderful that we draw people to our church from all across the county and into parts of other counties. But if we neglect the community right around us where God has placed us, are we being faithful to our mission?

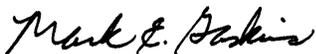
Following God in this area may mean thinking outside the box a little—or a lot. It will mean having an outward focus, not neglecting our internal relationships and needs, but focusing outwardly on our community as well. It may mean changing how we do some things and adjusting our ministry and administrative structures. It will mean reaching out with the good news of Jesus Christ in tangible ways that bear witness to Christ with both our words and our deeds.

To follow God in this area will require us to have a laser focus on following Jesus and being on mission with him. It will require an absolute dependence on the Holy Spirit to empower us to fulfill His purpose. It will require total submission to God's will, laying aside our personal agendas for His agenda, seeking first His kingdom and righteousness as we embody the presence of Christ to Sanford as well as the world.

So my new year's wish for our church—indeed my prayer—is that throughout this year and the years to come we will be obedient to Christ and follow Him wherever He may lead us, trusting in the Father's will, the Son's heart, and the Spirit's power. May we truly embody Christ's presence to those around us, near and far. Happy new year!

Grace and peace.

Your servant for Jesus' sake,



Mark E. Gaskins  
Senior Pastor

# *Family Ministry*

Happy New Year!

There is an excellent book and movie titled "Surviving Christmas." It is about what happens when a family decides to deviate from what they have done every Christmas and just go away on a trip. They don't have the usual parties or put up the usual decorations (as demanded by their neighbors). I won't go any further and spoil the fun. Read the book. You'll enjoy it and it might make you stop to think.

Many of us really do think of Christmas as something that we have to survive and are glad to see it pass. Others of us can hardly bear to take down the Christmas tree and the lights. We want it to last just a bit longer. Regardless of which category you fall into, there's something we all need to remember.

By now, most of us will have taken down the tree and the outside decorations. We will have packed away the manger scene. We will have taken all of the ripped up wrapping paper and boxes to the garbage. We will have stood in long lines at stores to take back gifts that were the wrong size or were just "not me." In short, we will have packed Christmas away until next December.

A good friend (and my first boss in ministry), George Greene preached a sermon that I will never forget. It was titled "Be careful what you pack away this Christmas." He urged all of us to not pack away the wonder we feel about what God has done for us in sending his son. He warned us not to put away the willingness to help those less fortunate than ourselves that we demonstrate during the weeks before Christmas.

I think it says a lot about who we really are when we want so badly to meet the needs of others for a day or two during the Christmas season, but put that urgency on the back burner for the rest of the year. That doesn't honor Christ. It simply scratches an itch we feel during Christmas.

There was so much about this Christmas that I will remember. Being a part of the Christmas musical was wonderful! Seeing the youth participate in a 30 hour famine during a time of the year when people are pushing food in our faces constantly was inspiring. Watching them work hard preparing food for the Breadbasket was greatly encouraging. Our youth group's financial contributions made it possible for us to honor Jesus by giving several long lasting gifts to people living in desperate poverty. A village in Africa was able to have their pond stocked with fish. A family received a water purification system that will ensure that their children are drinking clean water. Another family received a dozen baby chicks that will multiply and provide a source of food and income.

A family in our church gave us one of the most wonderful gifts we've ever received. They donated funding for a family to receive netting for their beds so that they will be able to sleep without being attacked by mosquitoes.

Let's not pack away our desire to do good things; to advance the Kingdom of God. Let's encourage one another and always honor Jesus by our desire to do good. That sounds dangerously like some sort of New Year's resolution. Resolutions come and go, but not so the goodness of God. Be agents of God's Kingdom this year. 2010 is a blank book before us.

In Christ,  
*Mike*

"Since there will never cease to be some in need on the earth, I therefore command you, Open your hand to the poor and needy neighbor, in your land." Deut 15:11

## **NOTES FROM REV. RONNIE . .**



**Happy New Year Jonesboro Heights Baptist!!!  
Can you believe how fast the old year passes? Fa la la la la la la la la !!!**

I pray that each of us in 2010 will be faithful to his church, his word, his ministry given to each of us. We have so much to be thankful for, we have so much to do and time is of the essence. We all live in a world where time is seemingly more valuable than anything. One can ask a question and the responses are either (a) if I have the time, or (b) how much time will it take. I would like for all of us to examine our "time". Are we timely and faithful Christians? Why does it take so much "time" to get certain things accomplished? Therefore time is important to each of us. As we begin the new year may each of us, including myself, be time conscience.

So let's remember to take time to pray, take time to read his word, take time to study his word, take time to proclaim his word, take time to participate, and to be an active part in our church activities that helps each of us to become better disciples, take time for Sunday School ....and lastly, take time to come and worship each Sunday and take the time to invite the community, invite the lost, invite those whom haven't been to church in a while.

A very special Happy New Year to the sanctuary choir, the children's choirs, handbell choir, JoAnn and Kimberly.....Thanks for a wonderful Christmas celebration through music, dance and all of the narratives that were given during this year's Christmas musical worship services. We had a very moving Happy Birthday to Jesus celebration following the children's musical. It was very emotional and warming to see everyone lift their candle, sing Happy Birthday to Jesus, and everyone enjoying themselves around their table, and the entire group of 200 plus that we had in attendance. Thanks to all who made the evening very special.

We, also, had almost 800 in attendance for both evenings of "The Heart of Christmas" program. It was a blessing to listen to the "hearts" of those in attendance of what it meant to them. It was worth all the efforts of everyone participating to make this the success that it has been given.

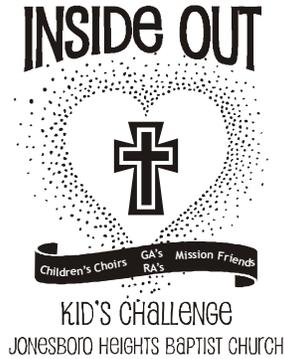
Thanks to the sanctuary choir, liturgical dancers, instrumentalists, Scott, Sarah, and Kaleb Griffin for portraying Joseph, Mary, and baby Jesus; Jeff Cummings and Phil Lawrence as the shepherds, Rafe Davidson, David Bond and Dan Wood as the wisemen, Betty Newell as she choreographed the liturgical dance movements; Rev. Gordon West as our worship leader, the sound and light crew, Sheila Stevens for directing and cueing everyone, the ushers, the banner and crown bearers, and to the church staff for their support. We had a wonderful worshipful experience and looking forward to many others to come. Bill Gross, one of my dearest and best friends and brother in the Lord, who sang with us this year had a worship experience while listening to the cd while traveling by plane from a business trip back home. One that confirms that we can have a worship experience anywhere, anytime, and when we are least expecting the Lord to speak to us. Next time you see him, ask him to tell you the story behind his worship experience on the plane.

Again thanks to everyone for a wonderful 2009.

On behalf of me and my family we hope each of you had a very Merry Christmas and we wish you a prosperous New Year. May the Lord continue to richly bless you.

*Rev. Ronnie*

## Children's Corner *by The Children's Committee*



If you haven't yet participated in our Wednesday night activities please begin in January.  
We meet in the Upper Room at 6:00 pm ... we hope to see you there.  
It's a great time for children of all ages!

***Wednesday night children's activities resume back on Wednesday, January 6, 2010.***

### Wednesday night schedule is as follows:

5:30 – 6:00	Bible Drill
6:00 – 6:15	Kid's Challenge Opening Rally
6:15 – 7:00	Choir
7:00 – 7:45	Mission Classes

*Nursery is available for children two years old and younger.*

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### CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

Children's Worship will meet ***Sunday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday, January 17<sup>th</sup>.***

- We will no longer have Children's Sermon's on the days that we leave for Children's Worship. Please check the bulletin to see when the children will exit to the Chapel.
- We invite all children, ***ages four years old thru the sixth grade***, to come and join us for a kid-sized worship celebration!

*Please check the Preschool/Nursery hallway for updates on these dates. Last minute date changes are posted each Sunday morning outside the 2 & 3 year old classroom.*

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### **WAYS YOU CAN HELP SUPPORT OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:**

- ***Eat at Pizza Inn***, get your friends to eat there, and ***save your receipts!*** We are collecting your receipts in the pizza boxes located outside the Bullock-Matthews Room and the old church office. Receipts will be collected each quarter and ***10% of the total receipts*** will be returned by Pizza Inn to the Children's Ministry of JHBC.

## THANKS TO ALL LISTED BELOW FOR THEIR GIFTS

### **In Memory of Joyce Cagle**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Curt & Sandy Brown

### **In Memory of Joyce Cagle**

*To the Hubert & Edna Thomas Mission Fund*

- ▶ By Andy & Wanda Howard

### **In Memory of Andrea Foil**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Horace & Fran Foil

### **In Memory of Captain Mark McDowell**

*To the Captain Mark McDowell Memorial Fund*

- ▶ By Ann Alford
- ▶ By Frances Angel
- ▶ By Maydell Baker
- ▶ By Dock and Lorena Batchelor
- ▶ By Norman & JoAnn Brickhouse
  - ▶ By Curtis & Sandy Brown
  - ▶ By Ed & Sadie Byrd
  - ▶ By Billy Joe & Mary Cox
  - ▶ By Jill Cox
  - ▶ By Doug & Elizabeth Ellis
- ▶ By Willard & Armelia Garren
  - ▶ By John & Linda Hall
  - ▶ By Karen Holt
- ▶ By Jackson Sunday School Class
  - ▶ By Doug & Virginia Johnson
  - ▶ By John & Joan Johnson
  - ▶ By S. V. & Betty Johnson
    - ▶ By Erline Kelly
    - ▶ By Ruth Kelly
  - ▶ By Billie and Melba Keye
    - ▶ By Billy & Madge Lane
    - By Zelma Pope
  - ▶ By Odus & Lespie Smith
- ▶ By Russell & Sheila Stevens
  - ▶ By Beverly Tippet
  - ▶ By Elwell Turner
- ▶ By Stewart & Elaine Tyner
- ▶ By Virginia Oliver Missions Group

### **In Memory of Toye Norris**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Fidelis Sunday School Class

### **In Memory of Toye Norris**

*To the Hubert & Edna Thomas Mission Fund*

- ▶ By Andy & Wanda Howard

### **In Memory of Toye Norris**

*To the Mabel Bullock Piano Fund*

- ▶ By Curt & Sandy Brown

### **In Memory of Toye Norris**

*To the Captain Mark McDowell Memorial Fund*

- ▶ By Johnny & Helen Smith

### **In Memory of Stacy Walker**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Jerry & Lucy Maddox

### **In Memory of Betty Wornom**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Curt & Sandy Brown
- ▶ By Charma Mullins

### **In Memory of Betty Wornom**

*To the Hubert & Edna Thomas Mission Fund*

- ▶ By Andy & Wanda Howard

### **In Memory of Betty Wornom**

*To the Captain Mark McDowell Memorial Fund*

- ▶ By Johnny & Helen Smith

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### **In Honor of Cooper and Doris Burkhead**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Walter & Tulline Roberts
- ▶ By John Henry & Katie Rice

### **In Honor of Frances Byrd**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Horace & Fran Foil

### **In Honor of Rev. Ronald Byrd**

*To the Music / Choir Fund*

- ▶ By Horace & Fran Foil

### **In Honor of Joyce Foushee**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Weldon & Pat Brown

### **In Honor of Henrietta and John Fulton**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By John Henry & Katie Rice

### **In Honor & Appreciation of JHBC Staff**

*To the Hubert & Edna Thomas Mission Fund*

- ▶ By Andy & Wanda Howard

### **In Honor of Virginia Johnson's Birthday**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Jessie Winstead

### **In Honor of Rev. & Mrs. Gilbert McDowell**

*To the Captain Mark McDowell Memorial Fund*

- ▶ By Stan & Karen McDowell

### **In Honor of John Henry and Katie Rice**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Walter & Tulline Roberts

### **In Honor of Ish Rivera**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Joyful Generations Sunday School Class

### **In Honor of Water and Tulline Roberts**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By John Henry & Katie Rice

### **In Honor of Thelma Womack**

*To the Building Fund*

- ▶ By Weldon & Pat Brown

**9th Annual  
Chili Cook-Off ---- Cake Bake Off  
MEN! WOMEN! CHILDREN & YOUTH!  
New This Year!! Pie Category &  
Live Entertainment by the  
Temple Teens**

**When: Sunday, January 24, 2010**

**WHERE: MCDOWELL HALL**

**TIME: 6:00 P. M.**

**WHO'S INVITED: EVERYONE**

Details and sign up sheets on greeters desk, and on desk in front of library

***HAPPY JANUARY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!***

January 1 - Marguerite Gunter and Nikolaus Lappe

January 2 - Agnes Kelly

January 3 - Eli Wood

January 6

Justin Bowling, Ramona Bowling  
Rev. Ronnie Byrd, Bailey Lawrence and Ken Smith

January 8

David Webb

January 11

Brittany Blackman, Jerry Maddox and John Watson

January 13

Walter Roberts

January 14

Patricia Joye, Carol Kelly and Maxine Matthews

January 15

Perry Brown

January 16

William Kallam, Sr.

January 17

Alan Farrier

January 18

Alton Laton and Andy Wagner

Jan. 19 - Mary Sue Patterson

Jan. 20 - Donna Rouse

Jan. 22 - Jeff Cummings

Sarah Lewis

Jan. 29 - Billy Bost

Eddie Bowling

Jeff Brown

Jan. 30 - Bob Jones

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX UPDATE

National Collection Week for Operation Christmas Child (OCC) is now history.

This has been a wonderful year for OCC here in Sanford. We collected 4,550 shoeboxes . . . 50 over our 4,500 goal. With the economy in the shape it's in and all the unemployment, I am amazed. We heard so many stories of sacrificial giving this year . . . Our hearts were blessed every day by Sanford's generosity in the midst of these difficult days.

Here's just a sampling of some of the shoebox blessings we heard about:

We got to see the grateful hearts of a family of five who brought in 12 shoeboxes this year. They were so happy to be there together because this time last year their youngest son was sick with leukemia and they couldn't go shopping for the shoeboxes as was their family tradition.

We met a husband and wife that committed to packing 50 shoeboxes and did it . . . including the \$350 to cover the shipping costs.

We were also amazed by Spout Springs Baptist Church. They packed 180 shoeboxes last year and fell in love with the shoebox ministry so much that they packed 615 shoeboxes this year.

We were humbled by a small church of "10 faithful families" that wanted to do shoeboxes for the first time and requested 10 boxes to fill. They called me several times with questions and requests for additional boxes and on the final collection day they brought in 43 boxes!! This little church has a roof in need of repair and is making payments on their TV screen that they use in their worship services. Their giving gift filled shoeboxes was sacrificial!!

We've seen God at work, using His people to bring joy and hope to children all over the world through these shoeboxes. Although these shoeboxes will be a blessing to the children who receive them, they've been a blessing to us too.

Thank you JHBC for your TREMENDOUS part in this special ministry.

With gratitude,  
Donna Smith

2009 Goal for Relay Site Collection—4,500 shoeboxes

2009 Collection Total for Relay Site—4,550 shoeboxes

2009 JHBC Shoeboxes—333

2009 Total Volunteer Hours—365.75

2009 JHBC Volunteer Hours—251.0



Dear JHBC Members:

Thank you for the recent donation of 567 pounds of food to the CUOC of Lee County. Your continued support of this important ministry is greatly appreciated.

Dickie Sloop  
Christians United Outreach Center of Lee County

Dear JHBC Members:

Thank you so much for your generous contribution. Your support of our work with Romanian children and families is a wonderful blessing!

Daniel & Michelle Sims  
& Children In The Son Board of Directors

To Our JHBC Family,

We would like to express our most sincere and heart-felt appreciation for all the many blessings and acts of kindness our family has received from you this past year. We are overwhelmed by your love and care. You have acted as His hands and feet toward us. We look forward with excitement to 2010 and God's plans for our family and as part of the family of JHBC.

With Much Love,  
In His Service,  
Dan and Karen Wood & Family

# Congratulations!

We would like to congratulate Captain Andy Wagner on his promotion to Major, U.S. Army.

## Midweek Manna

WHEN? Every Wednesday WHERE? McDowell Hall

WHAT? A Full Hot Meal for \$4.00 per person

TIME? Serving from 5:00-6:00 pm

Call 776-1541 by Monday for reservations

# January 2010



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 9 am & 11 am Communion 11 am Children's Worship 7 pm Business Meeting	4	5 7:30 am Men's Prayer Mtg 7 pm SS Council 7:30 pm Joyful Noise	6 Epiphany 10:30 am Staff Meeting Kid's Challenge Begins Wednesday evening	7 12:30-2 pm WINGS	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY Church Office Closed	2 8 am Men's Prayer Mtg
10 9 am Celebration Worship 11 am Worship 5 pm Handbell Choir 5 pm WMU Council 6 pm Family Fun Night	11 12 noon Marjorie Spence/ Brown Bag with Mattie Wilson	12 7:30 am Men's Prayer Mtg. 1 pm Virginia Oliver 6:30 pm Deacons' Meeting 7:30 pm Joyful Noise 7 pm WISH	13 10:30 am Staff Meeting Wednesday evening activities as listed below	14	15 3-9:30 pm Directory Photos	16 8 am Men's Prayer Mtg. 9-1 pm Brown Bag & GA's Bake Cookies (McDowell Hall) 10 am—5 pm Directory Photos
17 9 am Celebration Worship 11 am Worship & Baby Dedication 11 am Children's Worship 5 pm Handbell Choir	18 7 pm Nell Smith/Mary Herring 7 pm Pearl Johnson	19 7:30 am Men's Prayer Mtg. 7:30 pm Joyful Noise	20 10:30 am Staff Meeting Wednesday evening activities as listed below 6:30 pm Bldg & Grounds	21 12:30-2 pm WINGS 3-9:30 pm Directory Photos	22 Youth—Disciple Now Weekend (McDowell Hall) 3-9:30 pm Directory Photos	23 8 am Men's Prayer Mtg. Youth—Disciple Now Weekend (McDowell Hall) 10 am—5 pm Directory Photos
24 9 am Celebration Worship 11 am Baptist Men's Day 5 pm Handbell Choir 6 pm Chili-Cook-Off and Cake Bake-Off (McDowell Hall)	25 6:30 pm Baptist Men (Old Fellowship Hall)	26 7:30 am Men's Prayer Mtg. 9 am Breadbasket 6:30 pm Church Council 7:30 pm Joyful Noise	27 10:30 am Staff Meeting Wednesday evening activities as listed below	28 Higher Heights (TBA)	29	30 8 am Men's Prayer Mtg.
31 9 am Celebration Worship 11 am Worship 5 pm Handbell Choir 7 pm Worship	<p>Please note: Wednesday evening schedule of activities are: 5:00-6:00 pm (Midweek Manna); 5:30—5:00 pm Children/Youth Bible Drill (RA Classroom) 6-6:15 pm (Kid's Challenge Upper Room); 6-7 pm (Youth Discipleship Groups, Acteens); 6:15-7:15 pm (Midweek Worship, Adult Discipleship Groups); 6:15-7 pm (Children's Choirs); 7-7:45 pm (Mission Groups—RA's, GA's, Mission Friends); 7-8 pm (Wednesday Night Youth Worship); 7:15-8:45 pm (Sanctuary Choir).</p>					

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**JANUARY  
REMINDERS**

**GREETERS:**

Door 1: Ed Byrd  
Door 2: John & Linda Hall  
Door 3: Marsha Johnson

**LOCK UP:** Eddie Bowling

**ATTENDANCE RECORDS  
FOR PREVIOUS MONTH**

Sunday, November 22nd  
Sunday School — 168 + 8  
9 a.m. Worship — 31  
11 a.m. Worship — 241  
Evening Service— 29

Sunday, November 29th  
Sunday School — 185 + 9  
9 a.m. Worship — 46  
11 a.m. Worship — 251  
Hanging of the Greens — 112

Sunday, December 6th  
Sunday School — 183 + 18  
9 a.m. Worship — 35  
11 a.m. Worship — 215  
Children's Musical — 205

December 13th  
Sunday School — 162 + 8  
9 a.m. Worship — 25  
11 a.m. Worship — 227  
PM—Sanctuary Musical— 397  
Sat—Sanctuary Musical—362

Sunday, December 20th  
Sunday School — 175 + 11  
11 am Combined — 278  
Evening Service — 12

Sunday, December 27th  
Sunday School — 132 + 8  
9 a.m. Worship — 34  
11 a.m. Worship — 205  
No Evening Worship

Average for December  
Sunday School - 163 + 11  
9 a.m. Worship - 31  
11 a.m. Worship - 231  
Evening Worship - 244