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FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE . . .

Some thoughts on following Jesus . . .

As Christians, we are called to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ. A personal relationship with Him as our living Lord is absolutely essential. If we are faithful disciples, the consuming passion of our lives will be to know Him—not just to know about Him, but *to know Him* (Philippians 3:7-11)! We'll want to follow Him, learn from Him, and seek to be like Him in His character and way of life. And we'll come to understand that we can't do that in our own power. We'll realize that this can only happen in our lives as we yield ourselves to Christ completely, so that He might live His life out through us as His Spirit dwells in us (John 14:15-21; 15:5; Galatians 2:20).

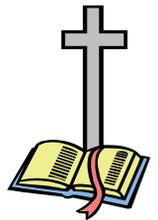
We come to this point through the disciplines of the Christian life. Among these disciplines are

- worship and celebration (individual and corporate).
- reflective reading and study of the Bible and appropriate Christian writings.
- prayer (individual and corporate, focused times and continual conversation with God throughout the day, 1 Thessalonians 5:17).
- fasting (which can be done in a variety of ways and to varying degrees).
- meditation and reflection.
- solitude (spending time alone with God).
- service in God's kingdom.
- fellowship with other Christians.
- faithful stewardship of time and resources.
- purity of lifestyle.

Christians through the centuries have found these and other disciplines to be spiritually beneficial, and helpful to them as they seek to know Christ and grow toward maturity in him. They still are.

And while some may think these practices to be outdated and irrelevant, I would argue that in these days of economic downturn, disillusionment, and pervasive uncertainty, they are tools to help us gain a sharper focus on striving to become like Jesus—perhaps making them more relevant than ever! They help us learn to live simply yet deeply, out of a faithful and generous stewardship of ourselves and our possessions in a Christ-centered life rather than out of a self-centered economic, emotional, and spiritual consumerism that's looking for "what I want" instead of what Christ wants for me.

A good treatment of these disciplines is Dallas Willard's book *The Spirit of the Disciplines: Understanding How God Changes Lives* (San Francisco: Harper & Row, 1988), on which I am drawing in this article.



FROM THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE . . . (CONTINUED)

Notice the balance that exists among the spiritual disciplines. Some call us to give up or abstain from certain things—always from immoral thoughts, attitudes, and behaviors, but sometimes from good things for a specific purpose. Others call us to action or activity as responses to God and his activity around us. They are also balanced between disciplines we engage in as individuals and disciplines we engage in together as the people of God.

One of the dangers serious disciples have faced through the centuries is the misconception that our discipleship is solely a matter between us and Jesus. While it *is* true that this relationship is between the individual and Christ, Scripture makes it clear that it takes place *in the context of a community of faith*. We are *together* the people of God, the church Jesus is building, the body of Christ. We must engage in the disciplines of the Christian life corporately as well as individually—hence the importance of worshiping *together*, studying *together*, praying *together*, listening to God *together*, and serving in Christ's kingdom work *together*.

The season of the Christian year known as Lent began last week with Ash Wednesday (February 25). Lent is a period of 40 days, interspersed with six Sundays, leading up to Easter. The Sundays, which are all "little Easters" (resurrection celebrations), are not included in calculating the 40 days. These 40 days correspond with Jesus' 40 days of fasting and prayer in the wilderness. The season is set apart as a period of self-examination and penitence, prayer, and fasting, hence the custom of "giving up" something for Lent. The object of observing Lent is to grow deeper in our relationship with Christ as His disciples.

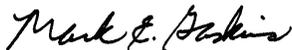
Baptists in general have given little attention to the Christian calendar throughout our history (except for Christmas and Easter). This is especially true of Lent. Nevertheless, in recent decades, a growing number of Baptists have begun to find great meaning in observing the rhythm of the Christian Year, especially the seasons of Advent and Lent. Whereas Advent prepares us to celebrate the coming of Christ and to look for His promised return, Lent prepares us to remember His Passion and sacrificial death and to celebrate the victory of His resurrection! Lent reminds us that Jesus calls us to deny ourselves, take up our crosses, and follow Him through death to resurrection.

As we move through the Lenten season toward Easter, take some time to take a spiritual inventory. Ask yourself frankly, and respond to yourself and the Lord honestly, "Am I truly seeking to follow Jesus Christ as Lord and grow toward maturity in Him in every area of my life?"

Join me in renewing our commitment as disciples of Jesus. We just might be astounded at the difference it will make in our life together as the Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church.

Grace and peace.

Your servant for Jesus' sake,



Mark E. Gaskins
Senior Pastor

SERVE JESUS CHRIST

Genuine serving opportunity to utilize your gifts and talents as a volunteer coordinator for video presentation. Celebration worship at 9:00 a.m. uses video presentation to encourage the worship experience. "Easy Worship" is an interactive software used in worship services. Contact Rev. Mike Clements or Kim Brown to start serving Jesus Christ through this ministry.

COWBOY CHURCH!

Did you know that our Sandy Creek Baptist Association has a Cowboy Church? Their first service is Saturday, March 7, and they could use our help! They want to bathe the day in prayer and are asking for folks to take 20 minute shifts in the prayer booth.

They also need some folks to cook hotdogs on site. If you can help, please contact Donna Smith at 777-8786.

Family Ministry

It sounds corny to be talking about how much things have changed. Change isn't unusual. It's been happening since the very beginning of time. It just seems like change picks up speed during our lifetime in a way that it never has before.

Imagine the changes seen by someone born in 1900 during their lifetime. Transportation moved from horses to jets. Entertainment moved from live performances to television and videotapes. Everything, over that short period of time, changed drastically. It's not much different today.

Every day we hear about new inventions or improvements on older inventions. Technology drives the economy. There's more to see and experience than we have time to check out. And, everything doesn't necessarily cost more than we can afford. In the mid 1960's, a color TV would cost about \$500. A much nicer TV can be bought today for about \$150. It's an amazing time to live; so many choices.

The choices we make say a lot about us. This may sound a bit harsh, but many of the choices we make, the things we allow into our lives and our homes speak volumes about our values and our family's way of life.

I spent several years of my life in the antiques business. I met so many wonderful people all over the country. I was totally fascinated by the Amish people I met in Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Indiana. I even had the opportunity to spend time in their homes. Granted, some of their habits and customs can seem pretty bizarre to us, but they are focused on one thing: the preservation and unity of their family and community. They decide, as a community, what will contribute to or take away from their quality of life.

I heard an Amish farmer tell the story of an outsider (Amish call them English) that visited his home. The visitor told him about his life and the things he lived with and depended upon to sustain his life. He thought it crazy that the Amish found no need for electricity and, even less, for television. The Amish farmer answered him by asking a question. He asked, "Do you have a TV in your house?" The visitor replied that he certainly did. His children loved TV. The Amish man asked, "Does that TV make the lives of your children better" Or does it take away from your family time together?" The visitor replied that, overall, his family would be better off without the TV. The Amish farmer simply said, "That's the difference between your people and us. If we think something will be harmful to our children and our families, we don't allow it in our homes."

I have a TV in my home. I always have and probably always will. But, I don't fool myself into thinking that it gives my family more than it takes away. For you, the same might be said of computers, ipods, cell phones, or hundreds of other things. I'm not Amish and I'm not suggesting we live like them. But, what if, WHAT IF, we thought about the things we bring into our lives; IF we asked ourselves if these things would enrich or detract from our lives and our families?

God cautions us to guard our hearts, guard our children's hearts; guard our families. He knows that we are often destroyed by the things we drag into our lives. Ironically, during tough economic times like this, it's easier for us to ask those questions. Will this STUFF make our family life better? We aren't Amish. We don't make decisions as a community about things like this. It's totally up to you.

Rev. Mike

"What Satan put into our heads was the idea that we could 'be like gods'. . .-be our own master—invent some sort of happiness for ourselves outside God, apart from God. And out of that hopeless attempt has come nearly all that we call human history—money, poverty, ambition, war, prostitution, classes, empires, slavery—the long terrible story of man trying to find something other than God which will make him happy." - from *Mere Christianity*, C. S. Lewis



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

**Katelyn Lawrence
3434 Henley Road
Sanford, NC 27330
919-775-2358**

Katelyn joined Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church on Sunday, February 1, 2009, by profession of faith and request for baptism. Katelyn is the daughter of Phillip and Sonja Lawrence. Katelyn has two sisters, Bailey is 10 years old and Johnna is 4 years old.

Katelyn is 7 years old and is a second grade student at Greenwood Elementary School. Katelyn's favorite subjects are Science and Music. She also likes to read, and be involved in sports. Her favorite sports are football and hockey. Her favorite food is cheese fries.

We are so happy to celebrate this special occasion with Katelyn and her family. (Matthew 18:5) "Whoever welcomes one child like this in My name welcomes Me."

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**David and Heather Webb
202 Providence Hall Drive
Sanford, NC 27330
919-718-9043**

David and Heather joined Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church on February 8, 2009 by transfer of letter from First Baptist Church of Elizabeth City.

David joined our staff on Monday January 12, and begin his work as our church administrator. David accepted God's call into the ministry and began working towards a Master of Divinity at Campbell University in August of 2008. David spends his free time serving in missions, traveling, playing trumpet and bass guitar, he also likes participating in or watching sports.

Heather is in her second year as a student at Campbell University Divinity School. She also works as the Graduate Assistant for International Student Services at Campbell University. Heather has a special love for music. She taught music in public school for 11 years. In her free time she likes to compose music, she also likes writing, teaching and travel. She also has a special passion for missions. Heather and David like spending time with their dog, a beagle names Lyla.

In talking with David and Heather, they understand that God has placed them at Jonesboro Heights to serve Him. As we serve the crucified and risen Lord Jesus Christ, let our witness and our way of life as His disciples, reveal his presence within us.

NOTES FROM REV. RONNIE



For the past several years, we as a choir, has had our own “State of the Choir” Address presented by our choir president, Mrs. Sandy Brown. By this time we have already heard from our national leaders, including the President of the United States, our state leaders, and our local leaders. So our take on this is somewhat different, yet it can be a time for each of us as Christians to reflect. As you read this, do not read it from the standpoint of just choir, but we as a church fellowship, or as some would say the church body. Yes, body, remember we are the eyes, ears, hands and feet of our Lord. We cannot “function” for Him unless we as a church use the body to accomplish HIS task that has been set before us. So sit down with your favorite java, hot tea, and of course, your favorite cookie and read this “State of the Choir” address for the content of the message that has been brought to each of us, the church body, as well as the sanctuary choir.

ADDRESS ON THE STATE OF THE CHOIR

February 25, 2009

Rev. Ronald Byrd, Minister of Music and Education, Mrs. JoAnn Brickhouse, Organist, Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, Pianist, members of the Jonesboro Heights Baptist Sanctuary Choir, guests, and fellow church members: I stand here this evening humbled and grateful for the trust you have bestowed upon me.

How Bright Is Your Light? As a member of the Sanctuary Choir, we know we are to shine as beacons of light, but how bright do we shine? The scripture verse says, “Let your light so shine before men...” but do we really look any differently to our co-workers and neighbors than anyone else we come in contact with? Is our speech different? Is our attitude different? When things go wrong in our lives, do others see that we have something or someone to lean on? Do people see that the Sanctuary Choir members are Christians and have something they don’t have?

Many of us learned the little song when we were small about not hiding our light under a bushel, but as adults that’s exactly what we do sometimes. We get so caught up in living in this world that we forget that we are not of this world. We have something better in Christ but our sinful nature rears its ugly head, and we forget we are children of the King.

We need to realize that this world is dark with sin and people need us as Christians to shine. As we look around at the school shootings, drugs, crime, and the diluting of the family, we are reminded of how there are hurting people all around. People need the Lord and they need hope. We, as children of God, can give them hope if we just live as a shining example of Christ. We can’t keep Christ to ourselves. We have to flood the world with His Light!

What kind of light are you?

- Are you a smokey lamp with a cloudy globe? When a lamp’s globe is clouded up, it doesn’t shine to its fullest potential. Maybe the blackness of unconfessed sin has crept in and started smoking up your life.
- Are you a dim and slow burning candle? As a candle burns out it gets dim and burns slowly. Are you this type of light? Remember when you first received Christ? The Christian life was exciting and new!
- Are you a flickering and hazy light bulb? Just before a light bulb blows out, it flickers. It shines bright then dull and hazy, then bright and then dull again. Are you that type of light for Christ? Do you serve Him wholeheartedly then slack off?
- Are you a bright and shining beacon? When you think of a beacon you usually think of a light that is a bright and shining guide. That is the type of light that we should all desire to be. Being constantly in fellowship with Christ and sensitive to His leading will keep our lives as beacons to a lost and dying world. To do this, we have to work at it.

So how bright is your light? Are you a BEACON? In order for us to shine our light, we must turn to God and put him first. He will change our Attitudes, our Hearts, our Minds, and our Neighborhoods. Yes, we can change.

CHANGE

C Choice. Choice is up to you. It can either be, “Good morning, God!” or “Good God, morning.”

H Happiness. Changing our attitudes, hearts and minds brings joy.

A Acts. For every act of unkindness there are a million kind acts.

N Nurture. Stay in the word and read your Bible.

G Giving. Be aware of the need to serve God and others by giving and receiving.

E Enlightenment. You take responsibility for your way of life.

NOTES FROM REV. RONNIE (Continued)

In this new year of 2009, let's make change. Yes, we can! Let's praise each other; let's be faithful to our commitment of singing to the Lord, and let's work together weekly on the music ministry at Jonesboro Heights.

May God bless each of us, individually and collectively, as we encourage others on our daily walk of life in making our light shine as to a bright beacon at church, home, work and in our communities.

May God continue to bless America and Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church.



Sandy Brown, Sanctuary Choir President

NOTE FROM REV. RONNIE . . . I hope that as each of our read this, that you will take the time to reflect and see how each of us can be a BRIGHTER light, a BEACON for Jesus Christ and how we can as individuals, as a church family be willing to make the changes to make it happen.

Rev. Ronnie

THANKS TO ALL LISTED BELOW FOR THEIR GIFTS

In Honor of the JHBC Sanctuary Choir

To the Building Fund

► By James and Daphine Tolliver

In Memory of Hazel Bowling

To the Building Fund

► By Edna Thomas

In Memory of Mary Lee Maddox

To the Building Fund

► By Juanita Fitzpatrick

► By Maxine and Gilbert Matthews

In Memory of James Tolliver's Parents

To the Building Fund

► By James and Daphine Tolliver

In Memory of Waylon Upchurch

To the Building Fund

► By Dock and Lorena Batchelor

CUOC NEEDS HELP!

The Christian United Outreach Center (CUOC) needs items for Easter baskets that they will be preparing. They can use baskets, small stuffed animals, candy, grass and/or anything for an Easter basket. Please place the items in the green plaid box in the hallway at JHBC.

Volunteers are needed on Saturday, March 21 at CUOC to help pack meals for the "Stop Hunger Now" project. These meals will go to Haiti. Volunteers are needed for morning and afternoon shifts. Please call 774-8485 if you can help.

Dear Church Family,

Your kindness and sympathy are more deeply appreciated than any word of thanks can ever express.

Family of Hazel Bowling

Dear Church Family,

Just a note to thank you for the cards, food, visits, and your prayer support during the loss of my brother, Ernest Fore, and my sister, Virginia Spencer. It has been difficult in losing both siblings within a six week period. Your continued prayers are appreciated.

Sincerely,
Daphine Byrd



“Children’s Corner” by The Children’s Committee

UPCOMING CHILDREN’S FUN DAY EVENT

The Children’s Committee will be planning a monthly outing for children and their parents to enjoy. This past month many of our members went ice-skating at the Cary Icehouse. It was a fun day for all who attended. We hope that each month more and more of you come out to join us!

For the month of March our outing is scheduled for Saturday, March 14th at Kendale Bowling Lanes. Flyers will be sent home with times and additional information in the next week or so. Please mark your calendar so that you and your family can attend.

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Here are a few dates for you to remember.

RA Race Day will be on Saturday, March 7th at 4:00 pm. This year’s race will be at Cool Springs Church. Please contact an RA leader for more information.

Easter Celebration and Egg Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, April 4th. More information will come in next month’s Announcer.



We’re excited for our Wednesday night activities to begin this month. We hope everyone has had a great break during the month of December. All of the children have enjoyed earning their points to head to the store each week. It’s not too late to get your children involved or even to invite a friend.

Our Wednesday night schedule:

Kid’s Challenge Rally	Children ages 3 yrs old thru 6 th Grade	6:00 pm until 6:15 pm
Choir Groups	Children ages 3 yrs old thru 6 th Grade	6:15 pm until 7:00 pm
Mission Groups	Children ages 2 yrs old thru 6 th Grade	7:00 pm until 7:45 pm
Kid’s Challenge Game	Children ages 1 st Grade thru 6 th Grade	7:45 pm until 8:00 pm

Note: Children who are 2 can go to the nursery prior to Mission Friends starting. Parents can pick preschoolers up in their Mission Friends classes at 7:45 pm.

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

Children’s Worship will meet in the Chapel, following the children’s sermon during the 11:00 am service, on **Sunday, March 1st and Sunday, March 15th**. We invite all children, **ages four years old thru the fifth grade**, to come and join us for a kid-sized worship celebration!

“Children’s Corner” by The Children’s Committee (Continued)

G-FORCE: Experience God Full Blast

This exciting and fun Sunday School program is for children K-5 thru the 5th grade, and meets in the **“Children’s Center” (formerly the “Upper Room”)** each Sunday at **9:45 am**. G-Force combines theme-related Bible study, worship and personal application through the use of music, interactive games, and large and small group activities.

G-Force is “out of this world”, and we don’t want any child to miss out on this exciting ministry! Make it a point to give G-Force a try this month ... we look forward to seeing you there!

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.
- ⇒ **PRAY** for our ***children and their families***, the ***Children’s Committee***, the ***Children’s Ministry Leadership Team***, and for ***G-Force!***

NOTES FROM THE NURSERY COMMITTEE

Extended Session II: Children are enjoying their worship experience during Extended Session II. It is designed for children 5 through early elementary aged. For the month of March children can participate in Extended Session II on the following Sundays:

- ⇒ March 8
- ⇒ March 22
- ⇒ March 29

SPECIAL MARCH EVENTS

Sunday, March 1 — 9:00 a.m. - - Celebration Worship with Communion

11:00 a.m. - - Children’s Worship

Monday, March 2 — 10:15—3:15 p.m. - - A Glimpse into World Religions Workshops

Campbell University Divinity School

Saturday, March 7 — 4:00 p.m. - - JHBC RA Race Day at Cool Springs Baptist Church

Sunday, March 8 — Daylight Savings Time Begins

Saturday, March 14 — RA, GA, CIA Race Day at Sanford First Baptist Family Life Center

9:30 a.m. Registration and Race begins at 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, March 15 — 11:00 a.m. - - Children’s Worship

Friday, March 20 — 11:00—9:00 p.m. - - CBFNC General Assembly

Snyder Memorial Baptist Church, Fayetteville, NC

Saturday, March 21 — 9:00—12:00 noon - - CBFNC General Assembly

Snyder Memorial Baptist Church, Fayetteville, NC

Sunday, March 29 — 4:00 p.m. - - Spiritual Directions Forum (McDowell Hall)

Following Jesus with JHBC . . .

Are you thinking about becoming a member of Jonesboro Heights Baptist Church?

Have you joined JHBC sometime in the past several years but never been through a new members' study?

Do you just want to know more about being a Christian or about what it means to be a member of our church?

Beginning Sunday, March 1 and continuing for six weeks during the Sunday School hour (9:45 - 10:45 a.m.), our senior pastor Mark Gaskins will lead a study entitled *Following Jesus with JHBC*. This study is designed for adults who have joined JHBC or are exploring membership in our church. It is a prerequisite for new members joining by baptism, and we are urging all new members and prospective members to take part in this study.

If you would like to participate in this study, please call the church office to sign up, or e-mail the pastor at mark.gaskins@jhbc.org. Preregistration is not required, but will be helpful to Pastor Mark in preparing materials for the study. The location for the study will be announced when we know how many will be participating.

MARCH COLLEGE STUDENTS

Please send them encouragement cards and letters letting them know that even though they are away they are not forgotten.

Week of March 1—Amanda Carter

5041 Bluebird Drive
Sanford, NC 27332
Son of Sam & Janet Carter

Week of March 8—Rebecca Whiteside

1788 UNC—G Station
Greensboro, NC 27413
Daughter of Johnny & Tara Whiteside
Attending UNC—Greensboro

Week of March 15—Derrick Matthews

728 Colon Road
Sanford, NC 27330
Daughter of Tommy & Vicky Matthews

Week of March 22—Kathryn Cummings

601 Fairway Drive
Sanford, NC 27330
Daughter of Jeff & Kaye Cummings

Week of March 29—Ashley Smith

312 Monlandil Drive
Wilmington, NC 28403
Daughter of Tim & Donna Smith

MARCH BIRTHDAYS!

- March 1 — Sandy Brown
- March 2 — Megan Solomon
- March 3 — Dee McKenzie & Heather Meisel
- March 4 — Whitney Cox
- March 5 - David Johnson, Sr. & Colleen Martin
- March 6 — Phyllis Williamson

- March 7 — Duran Johnson & Elizabeth Oates
- March 8 — Owen Bond & James N. Kelly
- March 10 — Daniel Desjarlais & Carolyn Saucier
- March 11 — Curtis Brown & Susan Schweitzer
- March 12 — Jill Cox, Hannah He & Betty Rogers
- March 13 — Maydell Baker

- March 15 — Geneva Edwards
- March 16 — Joy Berryman & Getrude Sherman
Beverly Tippet
- March 17 - Boyce Price
- March 18 - Victoria Wood
- March 20 - Amanda Carter & George Jenkins

- March 24 - Marie Harper & Tulline Roberts
Helen Smith
- March 26 - Tommy Scott
- March 27 - Jennifer Bowling

- March 29 - Janet Carter & Oberia Mullis
Yvonne Tilley

Missions

From Mission-Minded to Mission-Action
by Wanda Howard, Missions Coordinator - March 2009

It's That Time Again!



Operation Inasmuch ...A one day Missions Blitz into the community

Find your place and go out and show God's love to your neighbors on Saturday, April 18, 2009

Saturday, April 18, 2009

Find you a project and add to the listings on the white boards or volunteer for one that is already listed. Volunteer to be a team leader. Do your part.

Summer Missions

Summer Missions is your opportunity to follow God's calling. Is God calling you to do something that you might feel uncomfortable doing? Is God calling you to give your testimony to a stranger who does not know the love of Jesus? Is God calling you to spend a few days of your vacation in helping to build churches, schools, or renovate houses? Is God calling you to teach Vacation Bible School to underprivileged children in a remote area? Is God calling you to give of your hard earned money or part of your retirement pension to help someone else go on a mission?

Below is a listing of possible missions that the Missions Committee have discussed and are gathering information on. This information will be made available soon. Look for our Missions "Kickoff" during the month of March.

- ▶ LocalBreadbasket.....CUOC.....Habitat House.....OIAM
- ▶ State ... Work Teams for Grifton and Red Spring Projects...Ashe County Baptist Camp
- ▶ National.....Sowing Seeds of Hope, Marion, Alabama.....Lyndon Center, Vermont..... Colorado.....Wisconsin
- ▶ International..... Children of the Son, Romania

Pray about God's calling for your life and remember that He will not send you anywhere that He will not go with you. He will not ask you to do something and not guide you in doing it.

Joshua 1:9 says "Be strong and of good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed; for the Lord, thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest".

MONTHLY CALENDAR

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**DON'T
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MARCH REMINDERS

GREETERS:

Door 1: Beverly Tippet
Door 2: Lynwood & Cindy Jones
Door 3: Jerry & Lucy Maddox

LOCK UP: Steve Cox

ATTENDANCE RECORDS FOR PREVIOUS MONTH

Sunday, Feb. 1st

Sunday School — 203 + 13
9 a.m. Worship — 36
11 a.m. Worship — 253
Evening Worship — 28

Sunday, Feb. 8th

Sunday School — 198 + 7
9 a.m. Worship — 31
11 a.m. Worship — 240
Evening Worship — 30

Sunday, Feb. 15th

Sunday School — 191 + 16
9 a.m. Worship — 28
11 a.m. Worship — 204
Evening Worship — 24

Sunday, Feb. 22nd

Sunday School — 185 + 4
9 a.m. Worship — 42
11 a.m. Worship — 229
Evening Worship — 24

Attendance Averages

Sunday School - 194 + 10
9 a.m. Worship - 34
11 a.m. Worship - 232
Evening Worship - 27