



Chapel Chatter

Pastor's Page

Philippians 3:13-14 *No, dear brothers and sisters, I am still not all I should be, but I am focusing all my energies on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, I strain to reach the end of the race and receive the prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us up to heaven. NLT*

Dear Church Family,

I trust that this edition of Chapel Chatter will find you and your family doing well. The month of December has now come and gone now we turn our minds to a new year and that is 2012. It seems like to me that I just got used to writing 2011. December was a good month for us and we had just marvelous special services all month.

Now that our attention has turned to January and 2012 we will be leaving one year begin to look forward with great anticipation as to what God is going to do in 2012. This month many of you will make resolutions and that is a good thing I guess. If you are going to make a resolution this year I hope it is that you will be more resolved to be what God has called you to be in your life.

With a new year before us I want to challenge each of you that hold a leadership position to be faithful and to lead by your example. If we are not careful we can get into some attendance patterns that are not acceptable to the Lord or the

church. Also this year I want to encourage some of you that have not been faithful, to come and see what God is doing here among his people. This is a good time to be the pastor of this great church.

In closing this month I want to thank you for the privilege to be your pastor and friend. This month I will complete 13 years of service here and will begin with the 14th year as your pastor. It surely doesn't seem like it has been that long but I sure have enjoyed serving here among you. Have a great month and year as we serve the king of kings and the Lord of Lords here among God's people. I will look forward to seeing you the next Lord's Day with a Bible in your hand, a friend by your side, and the love of Jesus in your heart.

Until He Comes,
Pastor Scott Faw

Senior Luncheon

The Senior Saints will meet Wednesday, January 4th at 11:45am. We will have soup, sandwiches and a great time of fellowship. Bring some sandwiches or a dessert and join us in our fellowship hall.

Happy New Year

YOUTH

Happy New Year! Hopefully each of you had a great Christmas holiday! Now that January is here our schedules will be back to normal. (Unless we haveSNOW!) We will be starting a new study from Answers in Genesis entitled "Origins". We look forward to seeing each of you on Wednesday nights for this and bring a friend with you!

On Saturday, January 21st, we are planning an outing for dinner and laser tagging. We will leave the church at 4:00 pm and be back around 10:00 pm. See you at youth!

Sandy & Ben

Visitation

Visitation will be Sunday afternoon, January 29th at 4:00 pm. Please turn in names to Cindy Smith.

Share Jesus Now!
Cindy Smith

MUSIC NOTES

Many of us received beautiful Christmas cards of the manger scene in Bethlehem. There was a man standing behind Mary looking over her shoulder at baby Jesus. After the nativity story, Joseph is not heard from much again.

But in fact, Joseph's role was very important. What if he had disobeyed the angel's command to take Mary as his wife? He would have put Jesus' plan at risk. He suffered public disgrace because he was presumed to be the baby's father and he was violating Jewish law.

Just like Joseph decided to **OBEY**, we are called to **OBEY** also. Even though obedience can put us at risk, we don't know what God's will is for us! Let us be willing to surrender to **HIS** will for our lives in 2012.

When we walk with the Lord
In the light of His Word,
What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will,
He abides with us still,
And with all who will trust and obey.
-Sammis

It's no small thing to trust and obey!

Cindy Smith

Maybe you need to join the adult choir!

Menu for Family Night Supper

Wednesday, January 18, 2012 @ 6:00 pm

Please circle or fill in the selection you plan to bring and give to Elizabeth Faw by January 15th.

Soup _____ Sandwiches (Type) _____
Crackers _____

Drinks _____

Dessert _____

Other _____

Name _____

No. Attending _____

TEAM KIDS CHOIR

Just a reminder

Team kids choir -
Wednesday Nights.
We will be singing on Sunday
evening January 22 in the
evening worship service.



Thanks again to all who helped with the Alumni boys Christmas party. We had an awesome time. Also, much appreciation to those who went Christmas Caroling. It was a great time and a blessing to us and to those we visited.

In January, we will begin collecting items for Jodi and Amelia's mission trip. Our list includes the following items:

Crayons
One-a-day type vitamins-adult and children
One-a-day chewable vitamins - children
Hotel sized shampoos, soaps
Toothbrushes, small tubes of toothpaste
Band-aids
Tylenol-adults and children
Tums type products
Craft items
Glue sticks
Quart size ziplock bags

We will place a box in the vestibule and collect these items through January 29. Please help us with this project.

Our deepest appreciation for your participation in all mission projects and your contributions to the Lottie Moon Offering.

See you in Embrace,
Jan Lowe,
Embrace Director



EMBRACE Women's Ministry

Happy New Year Embrace Ladies!!!
Welcome 2012!! It's hard to believe we are beginning a new year already!! We will kick the year off with our Embrace Fellowship on January 2 @ 7:00 pm. Location to be announced!

Also our Family Night supper will be on January 18th at 6:00 pm. Please turn your menus in to Elizabeth Faw by January 15, 2012.

Let's have a great year in our Lord!

Elizabeth Faw & Melody Toy

ENSEMBLE PRACTICE

**Ensemble Practice will be
Sunday, January 22 at 5:00 pm.**

THANK YOU!

*Thank you for the beautiful
plant and restaurant gift card
that you sent to me after the
passing of my
father.*

Cindy Poindexter

Lottie Moon
Christmas Offering

The Senior Ladies Sunday
School class made a donation to
the Lottie Moon Christmas

Offering in honor of

Jan Lowe

Children's Valentine Party

The Children's Valentine Party is
scheduled for Saturday, February 11
from 11:00 am -1:30 pm. Mark this
date on your calendar. Please have
children bring Valentines cards to
exchange during the party. There will
be a sign up sheet and more details to
come later.

Thank You!

Patsy Harris



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	Wednesday Children's Mission Groups	
	JAN	Team Kid Cubs (2-5) Team Kid Bears & Grizzlies (Gr.1-6)
	04	Chad Oates Jill Oates Elaine Johnson Karen Johnson
	11	Bobby Barnes Christie Barnes David Smith Jodi Smith
	18	Mike Lowe Jan Lowe David Toy Melody Toy
25	Jamie Jordan Melissa Harvey Elizabeth Faw Pam Delp	

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

JAN	10:30 am	6:00 pm
01	Angela Boone Michael Boone	No Service
08	Jodi Smith Amelia Smith	Mike Bowman Dawn Bowman
15	Patsy Harris April Harris	Justin Burton Jamie Burton
22	Elaine Johnson Ethan Smith	Mike Sipe Felisa Sipe
29	Crystal Vanderford Chad Vanderford	"Great Chili Cook Off"

USHER SCHEDULE

JANUARY 01	JIMMY COWARD & BOBBY PARKS
JANUARY 08	DOUG POINDEXTER & GLEN POINDEXTER
JANUARY 15	RICHIE JOHNSON & KENNETH JOHNSON
JANUARY 22	AARON HARVEY & MATT PHILLIPS
JANUARY 29	MIKE BOWMAN & MICHAEL BOONE

NURSERY WORKERS

JAN	10:30 am	6:00 pm	Wed. 7:00 pm	Deacon for the Week
01	Felisa Sipe, Caitlin Davis Betty Brown	No Service	04-Jamie Jordan Nancy Johnson	Jan 01 Justin Burton
08	Becky McNeill, Angela & Taylor McNeill	Jamie Jordan Nancy Johnson	11-Jill Oates Pam Delp	Jan 08 Dwayne Smith
15	Jamie Jordan Cathy McLeod	Elizabeth Faw Christie Barnes	18-Donna Andrews Allison Moody	Jan 15 Mike Bowman
22	Jodi Smith Amelia Smith	Ben Baird Sandy Baird	25-Melody Toy Donna Toy	Jan 22 David Smith
29	Pam Delp Angela Boone	"Great Chili Cook Off"		Jan 29 Jayme Jordan