

Calendar

JANUARY

- 15 Silvertone Potluck Luncheon,**
Noon, Family Life Center
20 Baby Shower for Amanda Haden,
Living Room, 3:00 – 4:30 PM
26 Angel Food Distribution

Financial Peace University study on Wednesday nights will begin January 23rd. For more information or to sign up (by Jan. 13th), contact Matthew Killough at matthewk@sp-coc.org or 794-3594 X-209.

Please remember our **Thursday Night Outreach (The Road)** meets every Thursday night at 7:00 PM in the Annex. For further information, contact Steve Winters (790-8520).

FOR THE RECORD:

Sunday, December 30, 2007

Attendance:

Bible Class: 585

Worship: 831

Contribution: \$31,962

Year to Date Contribution: \$1,177,018

Prayer Requests

Marie Chancellor	Ponda Chandler
Mike Dent	Jimmy Douglas
Nanette Green	Tammy Hooten
Mary Hoover	Joe Howell
Leron Johnson	Jesse Long
Kim McCormick	Neva Oman
James Padgett	Ben Parrish
Katherine Thompson	Bill White

Sympathy

Marie Fleming, mother of Ray Fleming and LaVon Reeve, passed away Friday. Services are pending.

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Sunday AM Worship Services

8:00 & 10:45 in the Auditorium

#611 – Heavenly Sunlight

#559 – The Joy of the Lord

Welcome Prayer

- Lord, Reign in Me

- Shout Hallelujah

#484 – You Are My All in All

#538 – My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

#76 – How Great Thou Art

#288 – Fairest Lord Jesus

#287 – There Is a Redeemer

Lord's Supper Collection

#593 – Consider Him

#587 – Sing and Be Happy

Prayer

Scripture: Luke 2:25-28

Sermon: Embracing the Future

#740 – Song for the Nations

Shepherd's Prayer Announcements

#528 – I Know that My Redeemer Lives

10:45 in the Family Life Center

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

How Great Thou Art

Welcome

Here in This Place (Lay Your Burden Down)

Prayer

Holy Presence Medley

Lord's Supper Collection

Break Thou the Bread of Life

How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts

Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 1:2-5

Prayer

Ancient Words

Sermon: Power of the Word Preached

How Firm a Foundation

Shepherd's Prayer Announcements

Song for the Nations

Bible Classes at 9:30 AM

South Plains

Church of Christ

BUILDING GOD'S FAMILY

Sunday, January 6, 2008

Before or after worship, join us for **Sunday morning Class at 9:30** as we uncover spiritual insight in *Paul's Letter to the Romans*.

27 Community Groups

resume meeting on Sunday nights this week. Ask in class or call Matthew Killough to find a group to attend.

Wednesday Nights

5:00-6:30 – WOW Meal resumes

6:00 PM – Class in Room 111

7:00 PM – Classes

- Auditorium Class
- The Secret to Contentment (Ladies) Room 217
- Financial Peace University (Beginning 1/23/08)
- Convergence (College) Family Life Center

Children's Ministry

* **Bible Bowl** will be starting Wednesday, January 9th!! 4th – 6th Graders, Middle School, High School and even adults are welcome join in our study of 1 Samuel. We will be handing out the starting materials at 7:45 PM in the Family Builders Room #220 that evening. Bible Bowl Classes will begin Sunday, January 13th @ 5:00 PM in the Journey Land Theater Room. For any interested in volunteering to make this program a success this year or any additional questions, please contact Rebecca Wiseman @ 687-8099 or Tricia Grimstead @ 928-2570.

* **Volunteers needed for the Winter Quarter for Bible Lands (Nursery-Kindergarten).** Contact Joel Willmon (562-2015) for nursery Sun. & Wed. or Stephanie Gerhart 796-7256) for 3's and 4's Sun. Contact Sarah Bigelow (773-6259) for Toddlers Sun. & Wed or Sarah McClelland (687-1818) for Tumblers Sun.

* **Journey Land teachers** are needed for rotation #4 from March 2 – April 23. Three teachers and 14 journeymen will be needed. To volunteer, call Lori at X-222.

* **Children's Handouts** are provided each Sunday in the foyer.

* A **Nursery** is provided for children from birth to 2 years of age in Room 102 in the preschool hall, during the Sunday AM worship services.

Angel Food Ministry

Distribution for January will be Saturday, January 26th in the Family Life Center. Volunteers are needed all morning.

Women's Ministry

* **Pillow Ministry** meets Tuesdays at 10 AM in Room 217 upstairs. **Needed: gallon size Ziploc bags.**

* **Wednesday Morning Ladies Class** will begin meeting again on January 9th with a Coffee in the Multipurpose Room. The new book – Woman to Woman, Life Principles from Titus 2 by Barbara Henry will be reviewed on the 9th. Books are \$12.

* **Women's Prayer Group** – 6:30 AM, Thursday mornings. Coffee and breakfast items are available. For more information, call Susan Wilcox (445-6065) or Kathy Jordan (632-3200).

* If anyone wants a copy of the **Christmas tea cookbook**, please see Susan Wilcox.

* **Wednesday night Ladies class** will resume on Jan. 9th with a study on the secret of Contentment.

Youth Ministry

* **High School Girls/Guys Night Out** – Friday, January 11th, Main Event – 6:30 – 10:00 PM. Bring \$10. Parent Volunteers Needed. Contact Matt or Trent to volunteer or sign up.

* Wide Open Wednesdays - **WOW meals resume on January 9th.**

* For information, contact **Trent Roberson** at 794-3594, ext. 205.

University Ministry

* **Spring Break Campaign to Arecibo, Puerto Rico**, March 14-21. Only a few spots remain, contact Daniel Clayton ASAP if you would like to go.

* **Ski Trip to Monarch Pass**, returns January 7.

* **Convergence** on Wednesday nights at 7 PM in the Family Life Center.

* For information, contact **Daniel Clayton** at 794-3594, ext. 206.

Thanks

* For all the prayers, thoughts, phone calls (and attempted calls), and the beautiful flowers, I would like to express my thanks to you. You are the greatest.

Johnnie O'Guinn

For up to date news of the congregation and audio of past sermons, check out our website at:

www.southplainschurchofchrist.org



Sermon Notes

Embracing the Future

Luke 2:25-35

1. What did the old man _____?

- He saw the _____ vs 30-31
- He saw the _____ vs 35
- He saw the _____ vs 34
- He saw it was for _____ vs 31-32

2. How good is your _____?

- Nearly _____
- Near _____

3. How can you improve your _____?

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Missions

Remember to pray for our missionaries and for World Bible School. Also they would love to hear from any South Plains member. The December Mission Moments brochure is available in information centers.

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Extended Prayer Requests

Please remember these individuals in your private prayer time.

Coping with Cancer:

Nancy Barnett	Carey Bridges
Jodi Castro	Wyona Clark
Gail Crozier	May Daniels
Freida Davis	Linda Day
Denece Evans	Laura Gerald
Don Harness	Darrel Harris
Alan Harrison	Cindy Harrist
Faith Hatchett	Sherry Hill
Jennean Hise	Charlene Hubach
Thelma Hutchenson	Perri Jackson
Nancy Lindley	Betty Luke
Sarah Nichols	Mike Parker
Suzanne Payne	Tom Perry
Kent Porter	Leah Randle
Randy Rister	George Sanders
Carol Satterfield	Wanda Smith
Jana Snyder	Kenneth Sparks
Martha Thornburg	Kenneth White
Tim Williams	

Facing health issues:

Claudia Allison	EllaWese Bell
I. J. Belt	Ted Buchanan
Ruth Coffman	Tammy Coke
Rick Furr	Juanita Garrett
Charles Hipp	Ben Hooten
Kimbree Houston	Wanda Howard
Donell Merchant	Justin Middlebrook
Alice Mitchell	Hazel Moore
Wanda Norris	Anita Peacocks
Claudia Porter	Jerrold Shelton
J. Thomason	Billie Thornton
Margaret Watson	Ray Watson

Expectant Mothers:

Carla Brown	Cassie Bundy
Meagan Gilbert	Amanda Haden
Shelley Lampp	Kagney Paden
Amy Turner	

Ministry Opportunities

* Those who would like to send **cards to Leron and Rose Johnson** may address them to the Johnsons
c/o Stacy Young
4604 100th Street
Lubbock, TX 79424
Prayer pager – 721-2965 (enter zip code and # symbol)

* Those who would like to send cards to **David Gurley** may send them to
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