Calendar

OCTOBER

- 26 It's a Boy! Baby Shower for Amy Edwards, daughter of Arnold and Rhonda Edwards, 2:00-3:30 PM, home of Cissy Jones, 7305 80th Street. Selections at Burlington and Target.
- 27 Silvertones I Believe in Prayer, Living Room, 6:30 PM
- 31 Trunk and Treat, South Parking Lot. 6:30 PM

NOVEMBER

- 2 It's a Girl! Baby Shower for Ashley (Blair) Pittman, 2:00-3:30 PM, home of Leisha Womble, 4902 21st St. Selections at Babies R Us and My Cup of Tea (26th & Boston).
- 2 Potluck for Youth Group & families, Family Life Center, Noon

New Baby

David & Stephanie Gerhart have a new baby girl Kyra born Monday, October 20, weighing 6 lbs. 9 ozs.

New Members

Victor & Jenel Muñoz, Lani, David 2125 54th Street, 79412, 747-6306 Josh & Meghan Reid 1624 69th Street, 79412, 433-3154

FOR THE RECORD:

Sunday, October 12, 2008

Attendance:

Bible Class: 703 881 Worship:

8:00 AM - 406 10:45 AM - 475

Contribution: \$18.650

\$7,338 Octoberfast special

Year to Date Contribution: \$1,010,718

Prayer Requests

R. A. Bradley Troy Knoll Jacob Wigington

Reese Griffith **Cameron Thomas**

Thanks

- * Thank you very much to the Cornerstone Class, for sending the school supplies for the local schools here in Djibouti, Africa. I wish you could see the smiles on the children's faces each week as we take supplies that have been donated by people like you. We truly are blessed, and the joy brought to those children by something so small as a box of crayons is eye-opening. You have made a difference in the lives of the children here in Africa by providing them with tools they can use as they learn new Cpl Lance Payne, USMC thinas.
- * I would also like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all the staff and members of South Plains for all the prayers, encouragement, and help that everyone showed while I was training for deployment. I have returned home due to some medical issues, but I am on the mend and hope to be back at it **David Leatherwood** soon.
- * Thank you so much for the wonderful parenting books and Bible given to David. Colson and I. We could not ask for a more loving church family to bring Colson up in.

David, Tiffany & Colson Dyess

- * A sincere thank you for all of the cards and calls and especially prayers on my behalf during my recent surgery. Your continued encouragement was a source of strength **Gerry DeLorimiere** and peace.
- * To the hostesses of Chris and Amber Wilson's baby shower, we would like to extend a very warm and heartfelt thank you. We are so blessed to be a part of such a wonderful and loving family. Tom & Pam Wilson, **Chris & Amber Wilson**

Sunday AM Worship Services

8:00 & 10:45 AM in the Auditorium

- A New Anointing

Welcome & Greeting Prayer

- How Great Is Our God

#570 - A Beautiful Life

#574 – O How I Love Jesus

#538 – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less Scripture: Psalm 39:4-7

#548 – The Lily of the Valley

#276 – Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

#803 - Turn My Heart

Lord's Supper

#544 – Without Him

#664 – Take My Life and Let It Be

Collection

- In Christ Alone
- There's a Stirring

Prayer

Scripture: Ephesians 5:15-20 Sermon: Christ Wants to Transform the Way You See Life

- My Only Hope Is You

Shepherd's Prayer Announcements

#602 - Nobody Fills My Heart like Jesus

Also available, assemblies are projected live in Rooms 111 & 217.

Bible Classes at 9:30 AM

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real life.

Sunday, October 26, 2008

Join us at 9:30 on Sunday Mornings as we discover promises fulfilled in Jesus.

Octoberfast Collection

Total: \$7,338.43

Trunk and Treat

Friday, October 31st 6:30 - 7:30 PMSouth Parking Lot

Daylight Savings Time

Set clock back 1 hour November 2nd

Congratulations Bob & Tina Wilson were honored by the South Plains Food Bank as **Hunger Heroes** for their work with Angel Food

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Angel Food Ministry

* New for November. 3 boxes to choose from: the standard box for \$30, the Senior/Convenience Box for \$28 and, for November only, a Thanksgiving box for \$30. Quantities are limited on this box. If you want a Thanksgiving box for yourself or to give to someone, you have to get your order in early because there are a limited number available. If you wait till the last day, we may not be able to get you one. Menus and order forms are available in the information centers. Note: see front and back of menu. Give someone an unexpected blessing; share an Angel Food menu or a box.

Women's Ministry

- * The **Christmas Tea committee** is meeting on Sunday, November 2nd at 3 PM in the Multipurpose Room. Anyone interested in helping is welcome. Call Susan Wilcox (445-6065) for more information.
- * Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Class studying <u>Stepping Up</u> by Beth Moore on Psalms 120-131, 10 AM, Room 111.
- * Ladies' Friday Night Social and Games—5:30 to 8:30 PM, church annex. Bring a sack supper, and join in the fun. It is a great way for us to get better acquainted. For information, call the church office or 795-3002.
- * Pillow Ministry meets Tuesdays at 10 AM in Room 208 upstairs. 3,510 pillows have been delivered since January and 10,020 since the ministry began in 2004.
- * Sisters Praying 6:30 AM, Thursday mornings. Coffee and breakfast items are available. For more information, call Susan Wilcox (445-6065) or Kathy Jordan (632-3200).

Children's Ministry

- * Children's Worship Bulletins 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. Also Room 111 and 217 are available as a **training room** for children.
- * If you are interested in **helping rock babies in the nursery**, contact Sarah
 Bigelow at 773-6259 or sarahb@sp-coc.org.

University Ministry

- * Convergence Sunday @ 7PM in FLC
- * Community Groups meet on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays @ 7 PM in the Living Room.
- * Check out our new website www.convergenceministry.org!
- * For information, contact **Daniel Clayton** at 794-3594, ext. 206.

Youth Ministry

- * November 2nd—Intermission Family Lunch and Informational time after late service on November 2nd. Bring your family's favorite dish.
- * Impact Wednesday Night Class in High School and Middle School Rooms. 7 PM
- * **Evolve** is our on-line Bible study posted every Monday. Check it out.
- * **Open House** meets Tuesdays in the home of Trent Roberson.
- * Winter Retreat—December 5-7 (MS and HS) \$40.
- * Check out the **website! spyouthministry.com** or go to Youth
 Ministry on southplainschurchofchrist.org.
- * For information, contact **Trent Roberson** or **Matt McKenzie** at 794-3594, ext. 205.

Ministry Opportunities

- * Needed: 5 teachers and 6 Helpers for Preschool Sunday morning classes <u>from</u> <u>Dec. through Feb</u>. Also Needed 1 Teachers and 2 Helpers for Wednesday night classes.
- * Needed: Candy for Carnival with Trunk and Treat hosted by the college class.
- * Coins for Kids is collecting Shoe Boxes for their next service project. You may deposit them in the baskets located in both foyers.
- * Do you know of a member in this church family who is in need of simple maintenance around their house? We are starting up a "Handyman Ministry" to help accommodate these types of needs within our church family. Types of maintenance that we can help with are: changing light bulbs, changing AC filters, yard work and more. Please contact Thomas Wright @ 438-0239 or Roy Wigington @ 698-6148 for more information.
- * Do you love to shop? **Local Outreach needs to enlist a shopper** for different
 outreaches that occur throughout the year. If
 you would be interested in helping please
 contact Eric or Connie Lee at 785-2967 for
 more information.
- * Journey Land Teachers needed for January and February Rotation #3 3 teachers (Storytelling, Theater, Arts and Crafts) and 8 Journeymen.
- * **SuperKids Preschool** needs some gently worn clothing to keep in the office as needed for children aged 0 4, boys and girls, any season.

Sermon Notes

Christ wants to Transform... the Way You See Life

Ephesians 5:15-20

1. From being

(5:15-16)
2. What keeps us from seeing
in ?
• Unclear D(5:17)
• Unsustained P(5:18)
• Negative A(5:19-20)

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

Extended Prayer Requests

Please remember these individuals in your private prayer time. Please update the office on those on this list.

Coping with Cancer:

Elaine Bigelow Nancy Barnett Janie Blanton Ravlee Box Jodi Castro Gail Crozier May Daniels Linda Dav Denece Evans John Flewellen CloAnn Hanst Don Harness **Darrel Harris** Alan Harrison Cindy Harrist Faith Hatchett Sherry Hill Jennean Hise Thelma Hutchenson Perri Jackson Nancy Lindley Betty Luke Phil Maxwell Nancy Moreland Sarah Nichols Mike Parker Suzanne Payne Tom Perry Dick Pierce Beverly Rama Randy Rister Leah Randle Cheryl Roberts Joyce Roberts George Sanders Carol Satterfield Ricky Short Wanda Smith Jana Snyder Kenneth Sparks **Dwight Thomas** Martha Thornburg Kenneth White Tim Williams Sue Wright Gregor Zagidullin

Facing health issues:

Alvira Agee Claudia Allison EllaWese Bell I. J. & Texas Belt Ted Buchanan Ruth Coffman Tammy Coke Strelsa Faver Rick Furr Juanita Garrett Charles Hipp Ben Hooten Kimbree Houston Leron Johnson **Donell Merchant** Alice Mitchell Wanda Norris J. Thomason Billie Thornton Margaret Watson Ray Watson

Expectant Mothers:

Danielle Burrows
Chrissy Cross
Sarah Pena
Lori Burk
Stephanie Gerhart
Robyn Tidwell

Missions

Remember to pray for our missionaries and for World Bible School. Also they would love to hear from any South Plains member.

Kyle & Luz Beard

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Jim & Connie Gullette

Calle 1 C-6 Urb. Mar Azul Hatillo, PR 00659 787-262-7772 Home 787-934-6445 Cell jimgullette@hotmail.com

Nestor & Cecilia Peraza

Casillade Correo 1448 Montevideo Uruguay 11000 nestorperaza77@yahoo.com

World Bible School

Kern Stutler—794-7913

We have quite a few **dishes** from funerals and such in the vending machine room off the Family Life Center. Please check for your dishes.

Ministry Opportunities

* Serve Our Soldiers (SOS) ministry would like to collect donations of **DVD's** in their blue tubs, along with batteries, phone cards and magazines. We would like DVD's suitable for young Christian men, no children's movies please. We are planning a box with a "movie night" theme for an October mailing.

C2C Taylor J. Verett

Information Management NCO 94th FTS Instructor Pilot Cadet Squadron 13 United States Air Force Academy

Wednesday Night Classes

At 6:00 PM

Psalms

- in Room 111

At 6:30 PM

Financial Peace

- in the East Annex

At 7:00 PM

Isaiah

- in Room 111

Parenting Your Teen

- in Room 217

Teacher Training Class

- in Room 207