

## THIS WEEK @ FAITH

### SUNDAY

8:00 AM Connection Classes  
 9:15 AM Connection Classes  
 9:15 AM Morning Worship  
 9:15 AM Kidz Worship - K-2 - 220  
 10:45 AM Connection Classes  
 10:45 AM Morning Worship  
 3:00 PM Evangelism Explosion - 216/217  
 6:00 PM The Gift of Christmas Musical

### MONDAY

6:00 PM K.A.R.E. Karate - 220

### TUESDAY

9:00 AM Ladies Exercise  
 10:00 AM WOM - Lunch N' Bunch  
 10:00 AM Mom's of Faith  
 6:30 PM Anna Prayer Ministry - Prayer Rm.

### WEDNESDAY

9:05 AM Bible Study Fellowship  
 5:00 PM Bible Drill - 268  
 5:00 PM Prayer Ministry  
 5:00 PM Wednesday Meal  
 6:00 PM ABC Bible Verse (3-4 yr. olds)  
 6:00 PM Kidzone - K-2 - UFH  
 6:00 PM Kidzone 3-5 - 220  
 6:00 PM MS Worship - Gym  
 6:00 PM HS Worship - Gym  
 6:00 PM Equipping U Classes  
 6:00 PM Kingdom Man  
 6:00 PM Mid-week Bible Study  
 7:00 PM Choir/Orchestra Practice

### THURSDAY

6:00 PM K.A.R.E. Karate  
 7:00 PM Home For Christmas Concert

### FRIDAY

6:00 AM Men's Power Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Ladies Exercise

### SATURDAY

9:30 AM Zumba  
 10:00 AM K.A.R.E. Karate



TODAY  
 8:00am - 1:00pm

### Sunday Morning Messages

Watch online LIVE on Sundays or watch archived sermons anytime at [myfaithbaptist.org](http://myfaithbaptist.org).

CDs \$3 • DVDs \$5

To order CDs/DVDs of the Worship Service email Kay at [kayc@myfaithbaptist.org](mailto:kayc@myfaithbaptist.org) or call 531-6803. Orders may be picked up in the church office.

### BUILDING & GROUNDS

Jimmy Thornton

### CAMPUS WATCH

Tanner/Marcellini/Hall/Krotzer

## FAITH FAMILY MATTERS

### ◆ A LOOK BACK AT DECEMBER 6, 2015

Morning Worship	1,497	Weekly Goal	\$91,341
Adults	717	Budget Giving	\$117,312
Students	149	Building Receipts	\$385
Children Connection	171	Missions	\$22,128
Preschool Connection	184	Total Giving	\$139,825

### ◆ TODAY'S FLOWERS

The flowers are given today in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Tony and Ginger Porter which was celebrated on December 8. The flowers are given by their children, Ally and Adam. "And over all these virtues, put on love, which binds them together in perfect unity." Colossians 3:14

### ◆ DEACON OF THE DAY

Don and Jackie O'Nan have been members of Faith for six years. They have 4 grown sons, 14 grandchildren, and 7 great-grandchildren. Don works for Accu-Chek, Inc. as a Sales Engineer and Jackie is retired from Memphis City Schools as a Teacher's Assistant. Jackie teaches a Ladies Connection Class and Don is on the Deacon Widow Team, is involved in the Men's Ministry, and is active in the Bates Connection Class.

### ◆ WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Hamburger or Hot Dog/Baked Beans/Cole Slaw  
*Reservations are required. Complete the form in the bulletin and drop it in the offering plate or call 531-6812 by 4:00pm Tuesday.*

### ◆ SYMPATHY

*Sympathy is extended to:*

David Nicholson and family in the loss of his father, Lee Nicholson.

Mary Pretti in the loss of her brother, Bobby Collins.

Joy Weirich and family in the loss of her husband,

### MISSION STATEMENT

"The Mission of Faith Baptist Church is to glorify God through passionate worship, personal evangelism, purposeful discipleship, practical ministry and participation in missions."

### VISION STATEMENT

"Our Vision is to first love God supremely and love others sacrificially. Then, in fulfilling the Great Commission, we are committed to sharing the Gospel, starting new churches and ministries, strengthening existing churches and sending workers into the fields."

## MINISTRY STAFF

Dr. Danny Siquefield  
*Pastor*

Dr. Mike Day  
*Sr. Associate Pastor*

Terry Easley  
*Associate Pastor  
 Music & Worship*

Stephen Brannon  
*Associate Pastor  
 Missions & Mobilization*

Brett Frazier  
*Associate Pastor  
 Next Generation*

Terry Hughes  
*Associate Pastor  
 Discipleship & Families*

Josh Siquefield  
*Minister  
 College Students*

Rachel Walker  
*Coordinator  
 Missions Development*

Connie Lawyer  
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 Children's Ministry*

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*Director  
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*Director  
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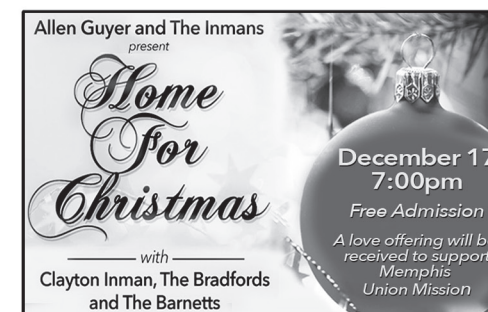
Ryker Dillard  
*Director  
 Instrumental Music/  
 Worship Arts*

Kevin Womack  
*Church Business  
 Administrator*

DECEMBER 13, 2015



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# FROM OUR PASTOR'S HEART

We are fully immersed in the Christmas Season and I love it so much. It is our hope that your heart will be challenged by the ancient story of God's Son being born in Bethlehem, discovered by shepherds, and ultimately giving His life as the Lamb. I'm continuing our series, "The Gift of Christmas" this morning as we share from Philippians 2:5-11. This passage describes the amazing journey of Jesus in a clear and concise way. It speaks of His humility, His loyalty, and His victory as our Savior. My heart is full as I approach this text today – I hope yours will be blessed!

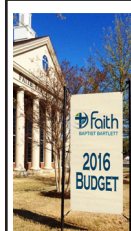
This evening, our Faith Celebration Choir & Orchestra – along with all the other choirs and groups at Faith, will be sharing the powerful musical, "The Gift of Christmas." This will be the final night of the presentation and you will not want to miss it. All of our children and student choirs, our creative movement teams, and even some live animals are part of this wonderful musical. Even if you came last night, be sure to invite some friends and join us again for this incredible celebration of Jesus – the Lamb of God.

On behalf of our family, let me convey to you our sincere appreciation for the many expressions of love, encouragement, and support during this season. We are grateful for every note and each kind word – it is an honor to serve as your pastor. Rhonda & I deeply love our church family and we are grateful for the privilege of serving with you at Faith. By the way, today is Rhonda's birthday – she is the love of my life and a wonderful Mom & Mimi to all of our boys. It has been my honor to share the journey with her for over 34 years and also this journey at Faith for the past 21 years. We are grateful!

**Make plans now to join us for our Christmas Music presentation "The Gift of Christmas" by the Faith Celebration Choir and Orchestra TONIGHT at 6:00pm.** Joining them will be our Student Choir, Children's Choirs, Handbell Choir and Creative Movement Teams. Don't miss this exciting celebration of music and drama that's become a favorite Christmas tradition at Faith!



**Bring the family and your favorite Christmas snacks and join us for Christmas Movie Night at Faith on Sunday, December 20 in the Gym.** The movie will begin at 6:00pm. Childcare will be provided for children birth through age 4 Pre-K.



**2016 Budget Vote**  
A vote by church body will be taken without questions in both morning services.



**Thursday • December 24  
5:00pm**  
Childcare provided for ages 2 and under.



## DECEMBER CALENDAR

December 20 • 6:00pm • "It's A Wonderful Life" Movie Night  
 December 23 • No Wednesday Service  
 December 24 • Office Closed  
 December 24 • 5:00pm • Christmas Eve Lord's Supper Service  
 December 25 • Office Closed • Merry Christmas!  
 December 27 • 10:00am Service Only • No Evening Service  
 December 30 • No Wednesday Service  
 December 31 • Office Closed • Financial Office Open  
 January 1 • Office Closed • Happy New Year!

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Children's Ministry Reminder:** RA's, GA's, and Mission Friends have completed their session for 2015. We will break for the Christmas and New Year Holidays and resume on January 10. **If you are interested in serving as a leader in our Children's Missions,** please contact Mrs. Connie at [conniel@myfaithbaptist.org](mailto:conniel@myfaithbaptist.org).

**Kidzone will not meet December 23 but we will meet on December 30.**

**On Sunday, December 27, children in Kindergarten - 5th grade will worship with their parents.** There are no Connection Classes or Kidz Worship on this Sunday.

## MISSIONS MINISTRY

**Today is the last day for our Compassion and Ornaments for Orphans tables.** Visit the Grand Lobby today to purchase an ornament or to begin sponsoring a child for just \$38 a month.

**2016 Missions Preview Night • Sunday, January 10 • 6:00pm.**

We will be previewing the 2016 Mission Trips, as well as dates and details for each one. This will be a great time for you to come and find out where we will be going next year including some exciting new trips! If you have been praying about participating in a mission trip or want to know how you can be part of our exciting upcoming year in missions, then this special evening is for you!

## SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

**Senior Adult Joy Group** monthly meetings will move to noon in January, February and March. This covered dish lunch is for anyone 55 and older. Programs are entertaining and informative and the fellowship is always great! Mark your calendar now and plan to join us on the third Thursday of each month.

## STUDENT MINISTRY

There will be a combined Christmas Service for MS and HS this Wednesday, December 16 at 6:00 in the Gym. Wear your best "tacky" Christmas attire and join us!



## ABOUT YOU ....

**Sunday, December 13, 2015**

9:15am     10:45am

### Please Print

(Circle one)    Mr.    Mrs.    Miss

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_

(C) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of a church? \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_

### I would like to know more about:

- A personal relationship with Jesus
- How to join this church

### Please pray for me concerning:

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- Request for Pastors only
- Request for Wed. Night Prayer Meeting

### MEAL RESERVATIONS

Wednesday Nights • 5:00pm - 6:00pm  
 \$5 Adults • \$3 Child (10 & under)  
 \$20 maximum per family

Name \_\_\_\_\_

# of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ # of Kids \_\_\_\_\_

- Wk 1     Wk 2     Wk 3     Wk 4
- Wk 5     Make this a permanent reservation