

GOLD RUSH GANG

Dec 14: GRG Christmas Dinner



Goodness & Groceries Ministry

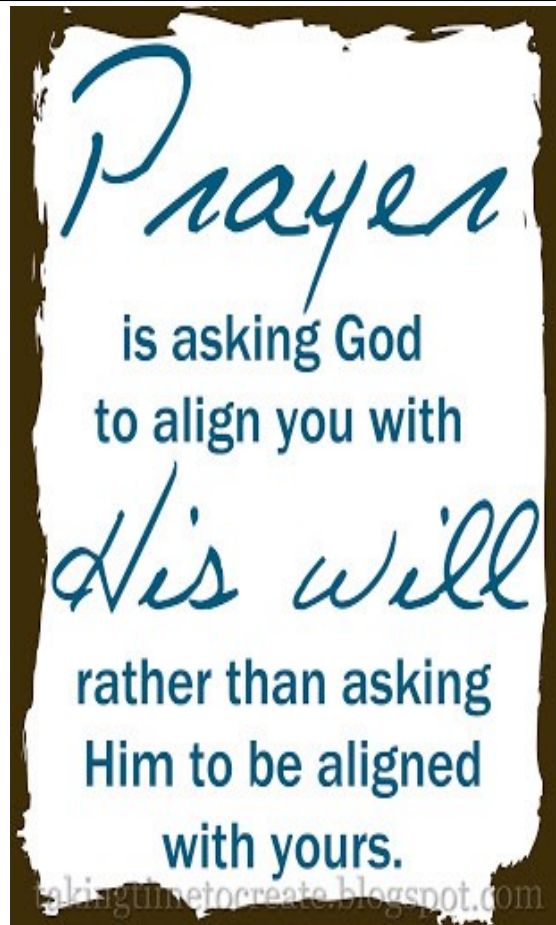
Our Goodness and Groceries Ministry meets on **Wednesday nights at 6:30 PM**. We partner with Food Depot, Cotton Indian Elementary, Smith Barnes Elementary, and Stockbridge Middle School to insure no child goes hungry on the weekends. If you are looking for a way to serve God by serving others, please join us in the Fellowship Hall.



The Women's Bible Study group meets on the 1st, 3rd, 4th, and sometimes the 5th Thursday of each month at 10:00 AM. So ladies, mark your calendars for every Thursday morning at 10:00 AM to join in on studies, crafting, fellowship and fun. There is something going on for all.

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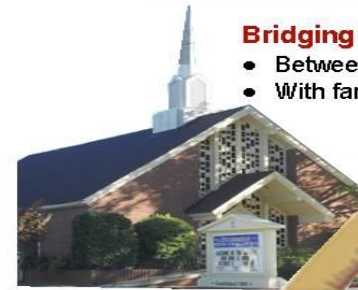
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- Between us and God
- With family, friends & neighbors



- Between us and our local community
- Between us and a world in need

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November 16, 2014

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HOMEBOUND MEMBERS: Johnny Hinton, Evelyn Hughes, Sarah Belle Lee, Georgia Silvey, Carolyn Waits, Anne Watson

Please help us stay current with our prayer requests. Unless otherwise updated, names will be placed on our "Prayer Concerns" list for four weeks. Updates may be called into the office, indicated on one of the yellow prayer cards & marked "Update" and given to an usher, or emailed to the church office. Please note that the list is updated at the beginning of each month to reflect the current and previous month only.

Sanctuary Flowers: The lovely fall flower arrangement is in loving memory of Elsie Askew and Ida Mae Taylor. The flowers are given by Jane (Askew) & James Rutledge.

SERVING OTHERS

Liturgists:

Nov 16 Allison Johnson
Nov 23 Aaron Roberts
Nov 30 Greg Lathrop
Dec 7 Sue Scheer

Beadle Schedule:

Nov 16 Linda Roberts
Nov 23 Ron Scheer
Nov 30 Allison Johnson
Dec 7 TBD

Children's Worship:

Nov 16 Stephanie Dunn/Diana Taylor
Nov 23 The Roberts Family
Nov 30 Allie Dunn/Nancy Bryant
Dec 7 Wendy & Megan Wells

Acolytes:

Nov 16 Breana Huggins
Nov 23 Isabella Newsome
Nov 30 Alex Seal
Dec 7 Cydnee Keller

Children's Sermons:

Nov 16 Sue Scheer
Nov 23 Tami Pass
Nov 30 Betsy Sierra
Dec 7 Wendy Wells

Ushers:

Nov 16 Carrie & Cooper Keller;
 Sherry McGee, Booker Hankerson
Nov 23 Monica & Thomas Baxter;
 Jim & Peggy Beisner
Nov 30 The Mani Family



SERMON SCHEDULE

Nov 16 Psalm 123
 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
 "Planning for the Future"



Nov 23 Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
 Matthew 25:31-46
 "Our God of Justice"

Nov 30 1 Corinthians 1:3-9
 Mark 13:24-37
 "Remembering to Remember"

Congregational Meeting

The Congregational Meeting will be today, immediately following the Worship Service.

Good News In Time For Christmas!

Join us today following worship, when the first edition of Zachary Smith's CD will go on sale. A reception of punch & cookies will be served, while we have the opportunity to congratulate Zach. A portion of the \$10.00 cost of each CD will go to our mission programs. Thank you Zach for a job well done!



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COMING EVENTS

- Nov 16 Congregational Meeting
- Nov 16 Zachary Smith's CD Debut Reception
- Nov 17 Overeaters Anonymous Meeting
- Nov 17 AA Meeting
- Nov 18 Early Risers @ B&B
- Nov 18 Stated Session Meeting
- Nov 19 AA Meeting
- Nov 19 Witness Comm. Meeting
- Nov 19 Goodness & Groceries
- Nov 19 Choir Rehearsal
- Nov 20 Women's Bible Study
- Nov 20 AA Meeting
- Nov 24 Thanksgiving Break Begins - School's Out
- Nov 24 OA Meeting
- Nov 26 AA Meeting
- Nov 27 Thanksgiving Day - Office Closed
- Nov 27 AA Meeting
- Nov 28 Office Closed
- Nov 29 Parents' Day Out
- Dec 1 OA Meeting



Thornwell Fuzzy Tree

"Look at me, I'm naked as can be!"
 "They put me here to be the Thornwell Fuzzy Tree!"
 "Run to the store, And buy some hats, scarves, gloves, and more!"

Cover my branches,
 don't let any green show,
 Your love for these children,
 you'll want them to know.

Make sure they are warm
 Make sure they don't freeze.

Make sure they don't get sick or cough or sneeze.
 All the fuzzies will be worn with love.
 And God will be smiling from up above.

Bring items, outer garments, P.J., toiletries by Monday, December 8th. The tree is located in the Narthex.

OTHER EVENTS

Parents' Day Out

Two dates have been scheduled for a Parents' Day Out. The dates are November 29th & December 20th from 1-4:00 PM. Childcare is being provided on these two days for parents to do their Christmas shopping, gift wrapping, or other Christmas season activities. A sign up sheet is in the Narthex or contact Stephanie Phillips at 678-788-3965.

Live Nativity

Once again, we are planning to celebrate the birth of Jesus through a "Live Nativity", and we need help from each of you. There is something for every one to do.

A sign up sheet will be in the narthex the first Sunday in November so the different coordinators can get in touch with you. I know Christmas is one of the busiest seasons for every one, but I guarantee the love of Jesus Christ will be felt at this event, and want all of you to experience it.

Characters: Angels and Shepherds, all ages, all sizes to participate in the event.

Artists: Designing posters for the local merchants advertising the event.

Refreshment donations: Cookies, candies, muffins and beverage ingredients

Fellowship Hall: Help decorate.

Greeters: Adults to welcome and escort visitors during their visit.

Costumes: Adults to help with dressing Characters in costumes and packing away costumes when done.

Refreshment and kitchen helpers:

Clean up helpers for the fellowship hall and the outside stage area after the event.

Make your calendars: Saturday, December 13th, 5:30 - 7:30 PM.

Children's Christmas Party

Please join us **Sunday, Dec 7th**, in the Fellowship Hall, immediately following Worship for a great time of FOOD, FUN, ACTIVITIES, MUSIC, AND MORE.

(Children may bring items for Joseph's Pantry instead of gifts.)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 16, 2014

SUN	9:45	Sunday School	WED	7:30	AA Meeting
	10:30	Choir Rehearsal		5:30	Witness Comm. Mtg.
	11:00	Worship Service		6:30	Goodness & Groceries
	12:00	Congregational Mtg.		7:00	Choir Rehearsal
	12:30	Zach Smith's CD Debut Reception	THU	10:00	Women's Bible Study
	5:00	Haitian Christian Comm. Min.		7:00	AA Meeting
MON	12:00	OA Meeting	FRI		No Activities on Calendar
	7:00	AA Meeting	SAT	10:00	New Glory Ladies' Prayer Breakfast
TUE	9:00	Early Risers @ B&B		4:00	New Glory
	7:00	Stated Session Mtg.			