

December 5, 2010

WELCOME VISITORS!

We welcome all who are visiting with us today. Please complete a visitor's card (found under the seats in the sanctuary) if you have not already done so. Place it in the offering plate or on the reception desk in the Narthex. Please pick up a coffee mug in the reception area. We pray you feel welcome and will worship with us again.

If you need a new **nametag**, or were not given a new one, please fill out an "I Need A Nametag" form (in the Narthex on the reception desk).

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY is on break until 2011. Stay tuned for more information on the study that will begin in January.

THURSDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY will be having a pot luck lunch at Laurie Martin's house this Thursday, December 9th at 12:00. Everyone is to bring a wrapped Christmas ornament. Call Laurie at 210-421-7126 or 800-260-3599 for directions. This will be our last time together until January 20th.

LADIES BOOK CLUB: We are currently reading "She Walks in Beauty" by Siri Mitchell and will meet to discuss it at 6:30pm on Monday, January 31st at the home of Sheila Theune.

CRAFT NIGHT: Please bring your crafts to the church and have fellowship with other ladies at 6pm on Tuesday, December 14th. Bring an appetizer to share while you work on crafts/projects for Christmas gifts or anything else that you need to do (even your Christmas cards) – but come even if you can't bring an appetizer! We will have materials for Modge Podge and Betty Atwell will be available with a sewing machine at the church to answer sewing questions. Contact Betsy Fuzy (betsy@fuzyonline.net or 245-2201) for more info or with questions.

MEN'S MINISTRY INFORMATION

D.A.W.N. MEN'S GROUP (Discipleship And Weekly Nurture) is now meeting every Wednesday morning at 6:30am at the church. Please contact Wayne Gomillion with questions or comments at (910) 585-2400 or gomillion@charter.net.

MEN'S LEADERSHIP TRAINING: At 8:30am this Saturday, December 11th, we will begin a Men's Leadership Training for Your Marriage, Your Home and the Church. Training will be held once per month for six months on Saturdays. Please contact a Pastor, Elder or Deacon to participate.

NURSERY

Infants through 2 year olds are now in 107 and 108. 2 Year olds are downstairs. To volunteer in the nursery, or with any questions, please contact Libba Roberts (910-986-2220 or libbrob@gmail.com).

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

LIFE CARE PREGNANCY CENTER is in need of diapers (all sizes), wipes and new/gently used baby clothes. There is a basket in the Narthex in which you can place these items. Please contact Betsy Fuzy with questions (245-2201 or betsy@fuzyonline.net)

SANDHILLS TEEN CHALLENGE: Annual Christmas Banquets are Thursday, Friday & Saturday, December 9th, 10th & 11th at 6:30. For reservations, contact Debby DiBianca at 947-2944.

2011 MISSIONS CONFERENCE: We will have a Missions Pep Rally on Sunday, January 9th to kick off our 2011 Missions Conference which will be Sunday – Sunday, January 23-30th. Please watch for more information.

MUSIC MINISTRY

If you play an instrument and are interested in sharing your gift, please contact Amy Ivey at mivey@nc.rr.com.

Additional help is needed to operate the sound for Sunday worship services, both morning and evening. No prior experience is necessary other than an ear for music balance. Training will be provided. Contact Chuck Robbins (949-2001) or Amy Ivey (mivey@nc.rr.com) for more information.

ADULT CHOIR CHRISTMAS CANTATA: A compilation of Christmas hymns and songs will be at 7pm, on Sunday, December 12th.

KIDS CHOIR CANTATA: "No Phibbin' Mephibosheth ... It's Christmas" will be on Saturday, December 11th. A potluck dinner starts at 5:30pm and dessert will follow the cantata which begins at 6:30pm.

POINSETTIAS

The Poinsettias decorating the Sanctuary during Advent are available for purchase for yourself, in honor of someone or in memory of someone. Envelopes are in the narthex to purchase your poinsettia for \$10, and the poinsettias may taken home following the Christmas Eve Service. There will be an insert in the bulletin at the end of December listing those whom poinsettias were purchased in honor/memory of.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

Dec. 5, 12, & 19—Combined adult class—Topic: Great Christian Leaders
Dec. 26 – No Sunday School (Christmas)
Jan. 2, 9, & 16 – Combined adult class - Topic TBA
Jan. 23, 30 – Missions Presentations
Feb. 6 – Individual adult classes resume -Topics TBA