

MUSIC MINISTRY

STUDENT CHOIR

They did a great job Sunday night! We will not have Choir this Sunday, but we will meet again on Nov. 2 and sing again either November 16 or 23. Congratulations to this year's officers: President—Bryson Caudle; 11th-12th Grade Representative—Roman McCone; 9th-10th Grade—Ralynn Brann; 7th-8th Grade—Charles Cooper.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Children's Choir and Preschool Choir will be meeting this Sunday. 1st-6th Grade plan to sing next Sunday evening November 2. Thanks to Monty Thornton and Regan Martin who are having a good group each Sunday in Preschool Choir.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR

We will not be meeting next Wednesday because of the Harvest Festival activities. It's not too late to be a part of our Christmas Musical. We will meet again on Nov. 5 with our weekend retreat scheduled for November 14-15. Don't forget we still need your [Christmas family memories pictures](#) to put together a slideshow for our musical (this goes for our entire church family, not just choir). Four or five would be fine: if you have prints bring them by the office and we will scan them; if they are digital just e-mail them to rhondathornton89@hotmail.com or bring them on a disc.

He is Mighty to Save,
Bro. Daniel

I worship not by something I do, as much as something that happens in me when a few elements are in place. Those elements, simply put, are (1) a time when my soul is receptive and searching for Him; (2) a context in which there aren't a lot of distractions from the here-and-now; and (3) a sign of Himself through a song, something said in a sermon, or a memory of God in my past experience that comes to mind. And then worship occurs. (John Townsend, Author)

I worship even when I don't feel like it because God inhabits the praises of His people. So when we worship or when we choose to offer a sacrifice of praise, God meets us and He realigns our priorities. He brings healing, and I find quickly that because of God's response to my worship, I do feel like worshipping. (Twila Paris, Artist and Songwriter)

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Mrs. Catherine Cochran	Baptist Health, Little Rock
Mrs. Robbie Robertson	Crestpark of Stuttgart Nursing Home
Mrs. Wilada Long	Cla-Clif Nursing Home
Mrs. Velma Horner	Cla-Clif Nursing Home
Mr. Olin Horner	Cla-Clif Nursing Home
Mrs. Mary Myers	Cla-Clif Nursing Home
Mr. Jack McDaniel	858 W. Highway M, Wright City, MO 63390-4318
Mrs. Joann Dorman	At Home
Mr. Dennis Tate	At Home
Mr. Carl Long	At Home
Mrs. Barbara Williams	At Home
Mrs. Betty Clifton	At Home
Mrs. Mitzi Larker	At Home
Mrs. Sally Walker	At Home
Mr. Tommy Parrish	At Home
Mrs. Wilma Duncan	At Home
Mrs. Mary Rascoe	At Home
Mrs. Helen Prince	At Home
Mrs. Evelyn Parker	At Home
Sarah Beth Overcash	At Home

CHURCH STAFF

James McDaniel	Pastor
Daniel Humble	Minister of Music
Brandon Warner	FamilyLifeMinister

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LOTTERY REPORT CARD

CIVICS 101—F

State becomes owner-operator of gambling operation.
Makes state a predator of its own people.
Creates irreconcilable conflict of interest for government.

ECONOMICS 101—F

Regressive tax that hits poorest the hardest.
Forces all taxpayers to pay for lottery's negative impacts.
Shifts money from pockets of citizens to government.
Social costs far outweigh "benefits."

SOCIOLOGY 101—F

Effectively creates a type of "class warfare" among citizens.
Poorest finance college education of more affluent.
Economically disadvantaged bear largest cost/accrue least benefit.

FAILS TO MAKE THE GRADE...DO NOT PASS!
The Arkansas Lottery is a bad bet for Arkansas.
It fails every test it takes...every time.
It is a gamble Arkansans cannot afford to make.

**VOTE FOR ECONOMIC JUSTICE.
VOTE NO ON THE LOTTERY!**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2008

Attendance in Bible Study **187**

BUDGET REPORT

BUDGET REQUIRED	\$12,541.77
BUDGET RECEIVED	\$8,284.00
REQUIRED TO DATE	\$526,754.34
RECEIVED TO DATE	\$464,305.24

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Jimmy Hill, Brinkley
Mary Cate Clatworthy, Clarendon
Andrew & Paul Banks, Collierville, TN

Fondly do we hope, fervently do we pray, that this mighty scourge of war may speedily pass away. Yet if God wills that it continues...until every drop of blood drawn with the lash shall be paid another drawn with the sword...so still it must be said that the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for his widow and for his orphans, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and a lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations.

Abraham Lincoln
Second Inaugural Address,
March 4, 1865

CHURCH CALENDAR

BIBLE READINGS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25 Read I Timothy 2:1-3
5:00 PM-9:00 PM Kid'z Jam Extreme (Hayride)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26 Read Psalm 63:3-5

9:45 AM	Bible Study
10:50 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
2:30 PM	Orchestra Rehearsal Dismissed This Week
5:30 PM	Student Choir Dismissed This Week
6:00 PM	Preschool Choir
6:00 PM	Children's Choir (1st-6th Grade)
6:00 PM	Men and Women Prayer Groups
7:00 PM	EVENING WORSHIP

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27 Read Joshua 1:8

6:00 PM	Men's Basketball
6:00 PM	Youth Advisory Council Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28 Read Psalm 36:7-9

8:45 AM	Strength Training Class (For Women of all Ages)
9:45 AM	Women's Bible Study
1:00 PM	Monroe County TEA Coalition Meeting (FLC)
5:30 PM	Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29 Read Psalm 34:1-3

5:00 PM	Acteens
5:45 PM	Fellowship Supper (Fellowship Hall)
6:30 PM	Prayer Meeting/Hallowed Evening Service (Harvest Festival will begin after Hallowed Service)
7:15 PM	Christmas Choir/Worship Choir Dismissed

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30 Read Psalm 86:11-12

8:45 AM	Strength Training Class (For Women of all Ages)
6:00 PM	Men's Basketball

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31 Read Psalm 16:7-8

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1 Read Psalm 1:1-3

Next Wednesday night, October 29, will be our annual Hallowed Eve Service and Harvest Festival. Plan on your family being part of the festivities from beginning to end. We will begin at 5:45pm with a chili supper in the Fellowship Hall. We will remain in the Fellowship Hall for our Hallowed Eve Service.

I have a few ladies, with room for more, who have committed to share and I need **5 MEN** to commit to share about a past saint.

At the conclusion of the Hallowed Eve Service, we will make our way to the Family Life Center for a fun time for the kids. We will have the inflatables again this year, a couple of games, a photo table, and of course the M&M guess. Costumes are welcome. If anyone would like to donate candy, you can drop it in the church office.



Young At Heart...

Our November luncheon will be held on Monday, November 10! Be sure to mark this so we have a good group present.

We will plan to go shopping on Tuesday, November 18. We will leave the church at 8:00am, eat breakfast at Cracker Barrel, and return around 2:30pm.

Youth News...

This Sunday at 5:30pm, those Parents and Volunteers interested in Falls Creek have called a meeting in the Youth Room to cover all of the ins & outs of the camp.

PrimeTime team competition ends November 5, and the Reward trip will be Saturday, November 22. We are heading to play some paintball! The winning team goes for free, all others are welcome. \$15 covers equipment and 100 paintballs. Sign-up sheet is in the Youth Room.



We Serve a Risen Savior,
Bro. Brandon