

## MUSIC MINISTRY

### CHRISTMAS CHOIR RETREAT THIS WEEKEND

Beginning at 6:00 PM this Friday October 30, we will be having our yearly in-house retreat to learn our Christmas music. It will last until 9:30 PM Friday night and again on Saturday at 8:30 AM (8:00 AM for breakfast) until Noon. Several have asked if it's too late to sing in the Christmas program: the answer is no it's not — we've only had two full rehearsals and another short one. After this weekend, it would be very difficult to play catch up ... the retreat this weekend will be the equivalent of about four or five Wednesday nights. So, join us Friday night!

### FIFTH SUNDAY SINGING NOVEMBER 29

### STUDENT CHOIR & CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The following students have already made their six rehearsals, qualifying them for our weekend trip in late January: Charles Cooper, Corbitt Cooper, Skylar Culbreath, Kelson Harper, Somer McDaniel, Tyler McDaniel, Kayla Roy, Abby Williams, and Rylee Williams. Only four more Sundays ... still time to get your six in!

Student Choir will be singing next Sunday evening November 8.  
Children's Choir will be singing on Sunday November 15.

One of the songs our Student Choir will be doing next Sunday is called "The Motions." I am pretty proud of them that they voted this song as one of their top favorites for this year. I love the lyrics :

*I don't wanna go through the motions.  
I don't wanna go one more day  
Without Your all-consuming passion inside of me.  
I don't wanna spend my whole life asking  
What if I had given everything,  
Instead of going through the motions.  
No regrets, not this time,  
I'm gonna let my heart defeat my mind.  
Let Your love make me whole.  
I think I'm finally feeling something  
'Cause just OK is not enough.  
Help me fight through the nothingness of life.*

*Take me all the way...*

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This week and this Sunday, let's do so much more than just "go through the motions,"  
Bro. Daniel

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Mrs. Karla (Thomas) Beeson At Home, Russellville, AR  
(400 North Oaks Lane, Russellville, AR 72802)  
(Please send mail to this address)

Mr. Butch Tatum At Home, McCrory, AR  
(9889 Hwy 269, McCrory, AR 72021)  
(Please send mail to this address)

Mrs. Robbie Robertson Crestpark of Stuttgart Nursing Home  
Mrs. Velma 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. Jean Roy At Home  
Mrs. Hazel Oxner At Home  
Mrs. Charlotte Nash At Home  
Mr. Dennis Tate At Home  
Mrs. Betty Clifton At Home  
Mrs. Sally Walker At Home  
Mrs. Helen Prince At Home  
Mrs. Evelyn Parker At Home  
Sarah Beth Overcash At Home

### CHURCH STAFF

James McDaniel Pastor  
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## HARVEST FESTIVAL



THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

FROM 6:00 PM-8:00 PM

IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER

FOOD & GAMES  
FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

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TIME CHANGE  
THIS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1  
(Set your clocks back one hour!)

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2009**

Attendance In Bible Study

163

**BUDGET REPORT**

BUDGET REQUIRED	\$12,527.89
BUDGET RECEIVED	\$5,652.81
REQUIRED TO DATE	\$538,699.27
RECEIVED TO DATE	\$451,505.13

**THANK YOU!!** The Lew Sorrells Grand Reunion last Sunday was a great success. We had over 90 attend. A special thanks to my wife, Pat, Becky Myers, Sandra Kellar and Garnette Traylor for their help in planning, decorating and serving the group. And a special thanks to those of you that gave up your regular pews for the morning to allow the whole group to sit together.

Lew Sorrells

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**To My First Baptist Church Family:**

With grateful hearts, we thank you for your prayers, cards and visits during Tommy's long illness and the love and kindness you have shown during our time of sorrow. You mean so much to me. Again, thank you and may God bless our church family.

Geraldine Parrish & The Tommy Dale Parrish Family

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Mrs. Mary Rascoe has recently moved to Maumelle, AR. Here is her new address and phone number.

Mrs. Mary Rascoe  
101 Olympia Dr. Apt#212  
Maumelle, AR 72113  
(Phone# - (501)851-0005)

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**USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2009**

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES**

VIRGIL ENGLER, JOHN HARPER,  
BOB KEMMER, FRED SCHAEFER

**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICES**

KELSON HARPER & TYLER MCDANIEL

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

**BIBLE READINGS**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30** Read Psalm 124:1-8

6:00 PM-9:30 PM Christmas Choir Retreat

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31** Read Hebrews 6:17-20

8:30 AM-12:00 Noon Christmas Choir Retreat

6:00 PM-8:00 PM Harvest Festival (Family Life Center)

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1** Read Psalm 119:1-8

9:45 AM Bible Study

10:50 AM MORNING WORSHIP

2:30 PM Orchestra Rehearsal

5:30 PM Student Choir

6:00 PM Children's Choir (1st-6th Grade)

6:00 PM Preschool Choir

6:00 PM Men and Women Prayer Groups

7:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2** Read 2 Corinthians 13:4-9

6:00 PM True Woman Bible Study

6:00 PM Men's Basketball (35 & Up)

7:15 PM Men's Basketball (Open)

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3** Read Luke 6:43-45

8:30 AM Strength Training Class (For Women of all Ages)

10:00 AM True Woman Bible Study

4:00 PM Mission Friends, GA's and RA's

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4** Read Romans 5:16-19

6:30 PM Prayer Meeting/UNITED (Youth Bible Study)

7:15 PM Christmas Choir/Worship Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5** Read Malachi 3:14-18

8:30 AM Strength Training Class (For Women of all Ages)

6:00 PM Men's Basketball (35 & Up)

7:15 PM Men's Basketball (Open)

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6** Read Acts 9:36-42

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7** Read Mark 9:4-8

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**"NEW VOLUNTEER NURSERY WORKERS  
ARE NEEDED IN THE NURSERY!"**

(If you would like to be a volunteer,  
please call the church office @ 734-2571.)

**Volunteers for this Sunday Morning, November 1**

Nikki Schaefer, Debbie Carter,  
Daren & Donna Fowler

**Volunteers for this Sunday Evening, November 1**

Sharon Long

(Please call Linda Nickleson or Sam Medford if you  
cannot work your time in the nursery.)

**UNITED**

Things are going well on Wednesday nights! We had a great group this past Wednesday and had a great time of fellowship and diving into God's word. I am so proud of the youth of our church. I could not ask for better kids. They have far exceeded any expectations I had in them. It's amazing to see them growing in the Lord each week. I thank and praise God for them regularly. Pray for them to continue looking towards Jesus Christ and trusting in Him for all things.

**RA's, GA's and Mission Friends**

I apologize for the late notice but effective today (October 27), we will not be able to pick children up at Partee Elementary School. The way the times are set up and the availability of workers will not allow it. However, if you want, you can call the church and ask for your child to be picked up at home or at a babysitters' after school has been dismissed. This will not be a problem. We will need the child's name, parent's name, location to be picked up, and an emergency phone number in order to do so.

Casting Crowns did a tremendous job in Memphis at Bellevue Baptist Church! Our group had a great time and the worship was amazing. One new song, "Blessed Redeemer." really spoke to my heart. The chorus says, "Blessed redeemer, precious redeemer, seems now I see Him on Calvary's tree. Wounded and bleeding, for sinners pleading, blind and unheeding, dying for me." I hope you will take to heart the words of this song. We are sinners. Our only hope is in Jesus Christ.

Bro. Michael