

Mission Opportunities

November Mission Project

OPERATION SANTA CLAUS FOR MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

We are collecting gift items for men or women in the Etowah County Mental Health System. New sweat suits or clothing are great gifts (XXL sizes are needed).

FOOD FOR MISSIONS CENTER FOR THANKSGIVING & CHRISTMAS

The Missions Center needs food for the holiday baskets they give at Thanksgiving and Christmas. You can be a part of providing a wonderful lunch for a family in need. They need: canned vegetables (no corn), sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, chicken broth, pie crust & filling, 2lb packages of flour and corn meal, macaroni and cheese, stuffing mix, hams, chickens, and turkeys. Non-perishable food items can be put in the Mission Boxes at the church, while perishable items will need to be taken to the Missions Center. Monetary donations also can be made through the church to be forwarded to the Missions Center. Thank you for your generosity.

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

It is time now to begin praying about your gift to the Lottie Moon Offering for International Missions. Our church goal is \$15,000--what will be your part?

Advent Decorations

Help us decorate the sanctuary for the holiday season by ordering a topiary or poinsettia in memory of or in honor of someone. Because these are used in the sanctuary during the Christmas season, please plan to pick them up after the Christmas Day service. Please fill out the form below and enclose your check. The cost is \$20 for a poinsettia and \$28 for a topiary.

Hurry! Numbers are limited: only 8 topiaries and 20 poinsettias available. Order received by November 16 will be included in the Advent Book, and orders after that will be published in the Chimes.

- Topiary (\$28) Poinsettia (\$20)

In memory / honor of (circle one): _____

By _____

This Sunday, November 13

Rev. Jim Pounds preaching - 10:30 am

Next Sunday, November 20

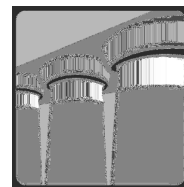
Rev. Larry Fuhrman preaching - 10:30 am

WEDNESDAY ON SUNDAY following morning worship
join us for lunch and Wednesday activities

Weekly Records - November 6, 2011

Sunday School		Stewardship Records	
Enrollment	388	Budget Needs	\$13,141.96
Attendance		Tithes Received	\$13,575.59
Members	122	Designated	\$592.00
Visitors	14	Debt Retirement	\$935.00
Total Attendance	136	Needs to Date	\$591,388.20
		Received to Date	\$497,205.29

Rev. Larry Fuhrman Interim Pastor
 Rev. J. T. Harrell Minister of Music
 Jarrod & Misty Walker Directors of Student Ministries
 Mrs. Marsha Johnson Director of Weekday Education
 Mrs. Connie Jones Director of Children's Ministries



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NOVEMBER 13, 2011

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2011~10:30 AM

Prelude Mr. George McSpadden
 Welcome Rev. Larry Fuhrman
 Call to Worship "Sanctus" Norden
 Invocation Rev. J. T. Harrell
 Hymn 56 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" CWM RHONDDA
 Solo
 Scripture Psalm 23
 *Hymn 58 "Like a River Glorious" WYE VALLEY
 Offertory Prayer Mr. Kent Back
 Piano Offertory "Be Thou My Vision" arr. Wilhelmi
 The Doxology OLD 100TH
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
 Anthem "By the Gentle Waters" Berry
By the gentle waters, You will safely lead me, in green pastures feed me, knowing what is best. Though I often stray, wander far away, I can hear You say, "Come to me and rest." Though the path be rough and rugged, though the trail be dark and steep, still the gentle Shepherd watches o'er His sheep. There's no need to fear when the Shepherd's near. When Your voice I hear, I find comfort sure. Free from all alarm, sheltered from all harm, safely in Your arms, I can rest secure. With the flock abiding, all my needs supplying, comforting and guiding, leading all the way. Jesus, loving Shepherd, You'll forsake me never. In Your flock forever, I am not alone. Though the darkness hide me, You are close beside me. Gentle Shepherd, guide me, 'til I'm safely home.
 Message Rev. Jim Pounds
 Hymn of Response 61 "Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us" BRADBURY
 Choral Benediction "Blessing" Bart
 Postlude Mr. George McSpadden

*Children are invited to Children's Church.

Take Note

November Dates:

Sunday, November 13 Deacons Meeting
 Wednesday, November 16 Quarterly Business Meeting
 Friday, November 18 Dental Clinic
 Sunday, November 20 Larry Fuhrman preaching - 10:30 am
 Wednesday on Sunday
all Wednesday activities will take place following morning worship, beginning with Joyce's famous Thanksgiving luncheon. Adults \$6; children \$3.
 Wednesday, November 22 No evening activities
 Thursday & Friday, November 23 & 24 Church Facilities Closed
 Sunday, November 27 Hanging of the Green - 6:00 pm
 Wednesday, November 30 Karen Lee from the EBA Missions Center speaking in Prayer Meeting
 Children's Choir will sing

WMU GROUP MEETINGS~MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

<u>Group 1</u> 6:00 pm	<u>Group 3 (NOV.22)</u> 10:00 am
Miss Kim Weiler 1206 Larry St., Glencoe Guest Speaker: Vickie Smith	FBC Sanctuary prepare for Hanging of the Green
<u>Group 2</u> 2:00 pm	<u>Group 4</u> 12:00 noon
Fireside Room Guest Speaker: Valerie Crosby	Gadsden Variety Store (Nelson's) then visit homebound members

This Week

Sunday, November 13

7:30 am Deacons Meeting
 9:15 am Sunday School
 10:30 am Morning Worship*
 *Comcast Cable Channel 5

TV Ministry

Matt Jackson, Nolan Boatner
 Roger Boatner

Volunteers in Preschool

Martha Haller
 Clay & Cathy Ellis

Monday, November 14

WMU GROUP MEETINGS

8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Tuesday, November 15

6:30 am Men's Prayer Group
 9:30 am Homebound Visitation
 5:00 pm Gym Night

Wednesday, November 16

8:00 am Ladies Exercise
 5:00 pm Fellowship Supper
chicken fingers, slaw, baked beans, salad, dessert
 5:30 pm Adult Handbells
 Mission Program for Kids
 New Voice
 6:00 pm Quarterly Business Meeting
 6:15 pm Student Life
 6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir

Friday, November 18

7:00 am Dental Clinic
 8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Memorials

Leonard Burton
 Mr. James Keeling

Marie Moring
 Mrs. Anita Barnett
 The Pastor Search Committee

Bonnie Sisty
 Mr. James Keeling

Margaret Rouse
 Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boman

New Arrival

Congratulations to Jonathan and Kate (Phillips) Tang on the birth of a son, Xavier FuMing, on November 4. The proud grandparents are Phil and Harriet Phillips.

The rosebud at the organ Sunday is placed in honor of Xavier FuMing Tang.

