



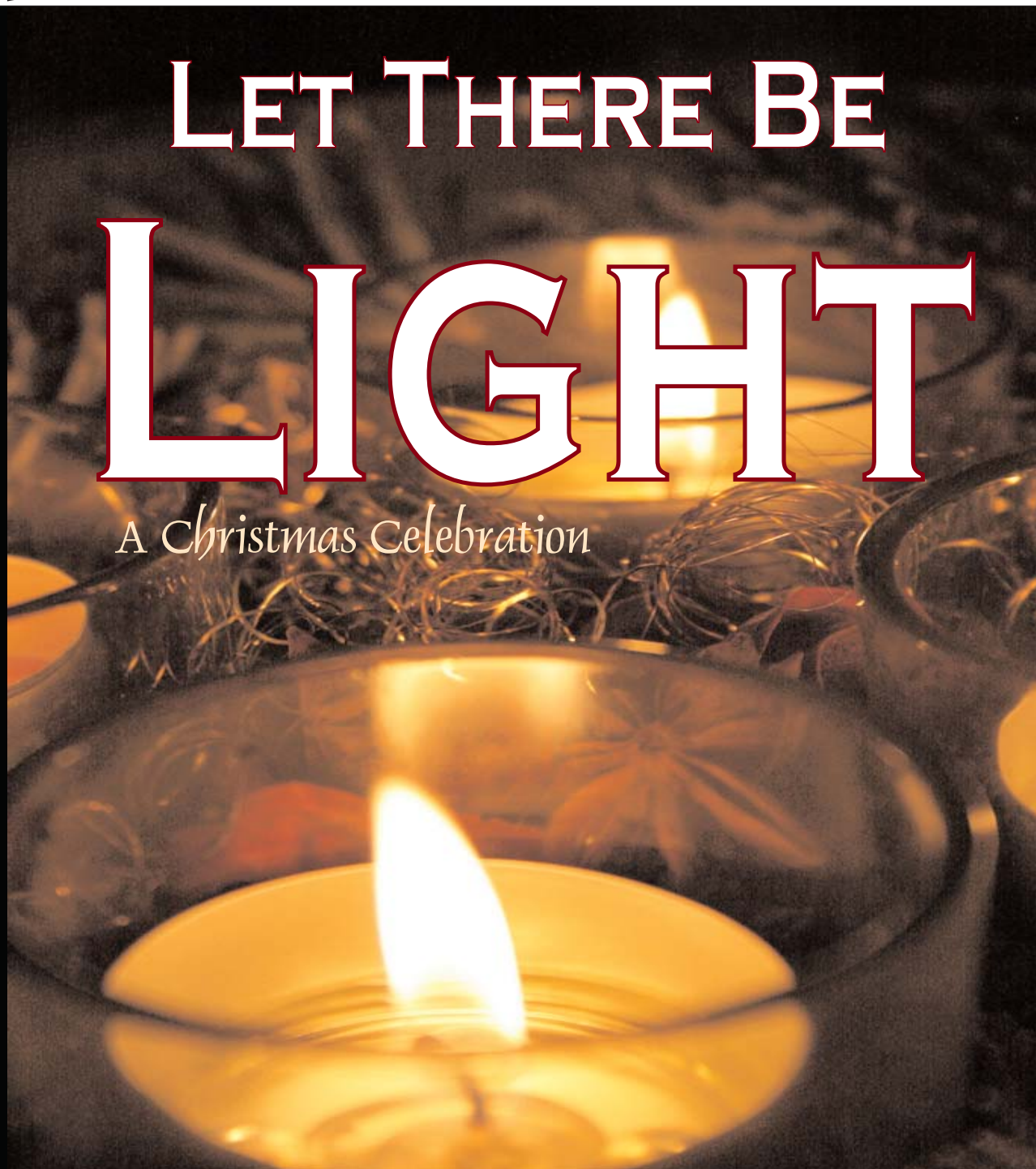
The Chimes

Sunday, December 20, 2009

LET THERE BE

LIGHT

A Christmas Celebration



WELCOME TO VILLAGE BAPTIST CHURCH

If you are a guest with us today, you are special to us. Please take a moment to fill out the guest information card and place it in the offering plate.

Year End Contributions

Deadline: December 31

Our deadline for 2009 contributions is Thursday, December 31 by 9:00 a.m. It is very important that all contributions be received **no later than 9:00 a.m.** that day. Anything received after that time will not be counted until 2010.

VIM Applications

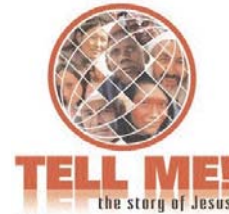
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To anyone planning on participating in a mission trip in 2010:

Deadline for applications is Thursday, December 31. Please bring them to the church office.

Lottie Moon

2009



Goal:
\$45,000

Received:
\$23,924

LOTTIE MOON OFFERING

Goal: \$45,000. 100% of the offering goes to support missions around the world. Use our Post Office by the elevator to send your Christmas cards to our church members and donate the postage savings to Lottie Moon.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

No Evening Services on Dec. 23, 27 or 30. Christmas Eve Service on Dec. 24 at 6:30 p.m. Church office closed on Dec. 28 & Jan. 1.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL

The Meal is cancelled on Dec. 23 & 30. It will resume on Jan. 6.

THANK YOU

Thank you so very much for the gorgeous floral arrangements for the service at the celebration of my Dad's life. We appreciate and love all of you. - *In Christ's love, Linda & Phil McGirt*

SANCTUARY CHOIR

Meet on Thursday, Dec. 24 at 5:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary for rehearsal.

SINGLES MINISTRY

X4MD (Transformed), our Monday night worship and Bible study, will not meet on Dec. 21 or 28. We will resume on Jan. 4.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE JAN. 29-31

Join Phyllis Washington & Vickie Burge at Ft. Caswell. Cost is \$150 for the conference, lodging and meals. Contact Phyllis (964-0317 or (PHOUWASH1@yahoo.com).

DISCIPLETOWN CONGRATULATIONS

Our Super Citizens of the Week: Madilyn Shirley for "Generous Giving" Daniel Lee for "Bible Know How".

THANK YOU

Thank you for all the many things the church and school mean to my family and the community. - *Sincerely, Faye Maxwell*

DISCIPLESHIP 2010

2010 is approaching quickly. We will begin promoting discipleship in multiple locations around the church soon. If you have questions, contact Kevin Duffy in the church office.

THANK YOU

The Decorating Committee would like to extend a special "Thank you" to Shirley Bayless. While she is not technically "serving on" the committee, she acted as though she was during our decorating process. We could not have accomplished it without Shirley's help and direction.

Special Prayer Concerns

Jennifer Beasley, Carolyn Campbell, Carol Craft, Marci Densmore, Anna George, Lee Hedgecoe, Ray Miranda, Barbara O'Briant, Joyce Strange

BUILDING & GROUNDS

Joe Roy (On Call) Cell 322-3615

did
you
know?

We have a Sunday School for all ages, Preschool - Senior Adults

8:15 • 9:30 • 11:00

contact Pastor Nick today

Budget Receipts Through 12-13

Weekly Need		\$60,669.31
Received this Week		\$68,289.87
Year-to-Date Needs		\$3,033,465.50
Received to Date		\$2,876,660.06
Planned Budget Receipts to Date		- \$156,805.44
On Solid Ground This Week		\$1,533.00
On Solid Ground Year to Date		\$97,986.00

Church Debt
\$6,706,832.37

CALENDAR DATES

Sun.	Dec. 20	Christmas Musical, Morning Services
Sun.	Dec. 20	11:00 a.m. Baptism
Sun.	Dec. 20	No Evening Service
Mon.	Dec. 21	Deacons' Meeting Cancelled
Wed.	Dec. 23	No Evening Service, Meal or Classes
Thur.	Dec. 24	12:00 p.m. Church Office Closes
Thur.	Dec. 24	6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Service
Sun.	Dec. 27	No Evening Service
Mon.	Dec. 28	Church Office Closed
Wed.	Dec. 30	No Evening Service

Poinsettias given in memory of :

Mary Toll *by Elizabeth, Karen, Trey, Julian & Brittany*
William Julian, Jr. *by Elizabeth, Karen, Trey, Julian & Brittany*
Buster Sharp *by Linda & Phil McGirt*
Tim Smith *by John & Sue Smith*
Mable Deitrick *by Brantley Class*
Mr. & Mrs. P.F. McGirt, Sr. *by Linda & Phil McGirt*
Jane Register Adams *by Sue & Lee Warren*
Ernest Adams *by Sue & Lee Warren*
Lib Warren *by Sue & Lee Warren*
J. Lee Warren *by Sue & Lee Warren*
David Varnedoe *by Sue & Lee Warren*
Doris Hairr *by Jackie & Judy Hairr*
Willis Herring *by Ray & Angela Johnson*
Thomas Allen *by Joe & Suzanne Allen*
Jason Paul *by Nancy Paul*
Aubrey Smith *by Greta Smith & Edie Stanley*
Mary (Tenny) Frazier *by Dodson Family*
Bradley S. Frazier *by the Dodson Family*
Jesse J. Dodson, Jr. *by the Dodson Family*
Ed Hutchinson *by Traci & David Dunn & Family*
David & Betty Fowler *by Tanna, Timmy, Timothy & Haley McMillan*
Paul Supples *by Craig Supples*
Kenneth W. Phillips *by Karen Bullard*
Margaret Godfrey *by Kathy, Sonny & Madison Swanson*
Carl & Mabel Deitrick *by Rochelle & Bill Emory*

Mary Allen *by Rochelle & Bill Emory*
Casey Alexander Moore *by Andrew & Allison Moore*
Brian Massengill *by George & Mary Massengill*
Ellen Faircloth *by Kim Green*
Ellen Faircloth *by Sandi Faircloth*
Ellen Faircloth *by L.B. Faircloth*
Bill Scott *by Catherine Scott & Family*
Emily Haddock *by Catherine Scott & Family*
Louise Garner *by Jenny Scott & Family*
Jennie Bleecker *by Catherine Scott & Family*
Bob Dobbs *by Karen Dobbs*
Kathryn Wieland *by Gary & Sandra Wieland*
C.W. Beasley *by Betty Beasley*
Carey Locklear *by Chad & Bianca McDavid*
Roy & Ethel Coburn *by Howard & Karen Simkin, Shirley Thompson*
George & Mable Thompson *by Howard & Karen Simkin*
Frank & Eula Simkin *by Howard & Karen Simkin*
Charles & Frances Pinnell, Jr. *by Lisa & Charles Pinnell III*
Edythe Garner *by Lisa & Charles Pinnell III*
Alfred & Gladys Cheney *by Ben & Jane Cheney*
H.B. Farrell, Jr. *by Ben & Jane Cheney & Ben Jr. & Violet Farrell*
Julie Jordan *by the Robinson Family*
Julie Jordan *by Julie's Family*
Howard Atkin *by Kevin, Cassy & Kaitlyn Duffy*
Both Sets of Parents *by Mike & Mary Jean Smith*



Christmas Poinsettia Remembrance



Poinsettias given in honor of :

Catherine & William Julian *by Brittany, Gil & Lily*
Catherine & William Julian *by Elizabeth, Karen, Trey, Julian*
Mary Windham *by Cuyler Windham*

Minkey & Joyce Hawley *by Ron, Sonda, Sloane, Sydney & Tucker Shank*
Stan & Carol Shank *by Ron, Sonda, Sloane, Sydney & Tucker Shank*
Steve & Helen McDavid *by Chad & Bianca McDavid*

Please pick up your poinsettias after the Christmas Eve service

LET THERE BE LIGHT

a Christmas Celebration

Offertory

Rejoice

soloists: Chandler Clarke, Sloane Shank,
Marcia Johnson

Let There Be Light

soloists: Edie Stanley, Marty Cayton

Come, Let Us Adore Him

soloist: Heather Morrison

Here with Us

soloist: Susanna Dodd

Hope Has Hands

soloist: Joy Cayton

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

Born a Sacrifice

soloist: Marty Cayton

Holy Lamb of God

soloists: Nicole Schmalfeldt

Light a Candle

soloists: Aimee Spina, Katie Johnson, Jacob Yocco

let There Be Light (Reprise)

soloist: Edie Stanley

Acknowledgements:

Narrator Phyllis Washington

Orchestra

Flute - Loraine Pittman
Clarinet- Matthew Tenhundfeld
Trumpet 1- Luke Jefferson
Trumpet 2 - Dan Stine
French Horn 1 - Daniel Aston
French Horn 2 - Caitlyn LaMerc
Trombone 1 - Michael Blue
Trombone 2 - Jeremy Morris
Trombone 3 - Chris Pittman
Tuba - Kyle Kennedy
Electric Bass - Ben Melvin
Synthesizer Strings - Shawna O'Briant
Percussion 1 - Steven Young
Percussion 2 - Chak Brewington

Lights

Dave Robertson

Sound

David Muffet

Video

Pat Edwards
Gene Tyree
Vann Peterson

Accompanists

Pianist - Ronda Spina
Organist - Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell
Keyboard - Connie Mangum
Drum Set - Harry Munsey

Minister of Music

Rev. Marten L. Spina

Pastor

Dr. Bruce O. Martin