



# *The Chimes*

Sunday, November 1, 2009

## Parent - Child Dedication



“

*Train a child in the way  
he should go,  
and  
when he is old  
he will not turn from it.*

”

*Proverbs 22:6*

*today during morning services*

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.

**Young Musicians Choir**

Rehearsals

Young Musicians Choir have begun working on a new Christmas musical, "A Christmas Carol: A Scrooge in Bethlehem".

Please join us next week for rehearsals: 3-4th graders meet in room 239, 5-6th graders meet in the Choir Room.

**Veteran's Day**

Sunday, November 8

Please submit your veteran's photo so that we may run it in a montage next Sunday. Email Pat (n4ughpat@aol.com) or drop it off in the church office.

**Missions Volunteers**

Wednesday Evenings

Our Wednesday night Kindergarten children's "Mission Friends" group still urgently needs one worker. Please help. God's children need you. Contact Dave Crow in the church office.

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**VILLAGERS MEET TUESDAY**

The Villagers, age 55+, will meet this Tuesday, November 3 at 9:30 a.m. in the Family Life Center. Our program this month will be a performance by "The Stars and Stripes Singers". They are an entertaining and patriotic group who will help us honor Veterans Day. All our veterans are particularly encouraged to attend.

**VILLAGE SINGERS REHEARSALS**

Our next rehearsal will be Tuesday, November 3 at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary following the Villagers meeting. All "maturing voices" (ages 55+) are invited to join us. Any questions, contact Dave Crow.

**VILLAGE WRESTLING**

Practice for ages 5-18 begins on Monday, November 2 at 5:30 p.m. in the upper room of the Field House. Wrestlers, coaches and volunteers are still needed. Contact Tom Rogers (rogerstt@juno.com).

**WOMEN'S CONFERENCE JAN. 29-31**

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

**CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES**

November 22 is our deadline for collections and our Dedication Ceremony date. Please bring filled boxes to the church office, along with \$7 for shipping (make checks payable to Village Baptist Church).

**UPWARD BASKETBALL**

Applications are available at the Welcome Center. Early registration is \$75 (until November 13), paid directly to Berean Baptist Church. Evaluations are on November 16 at 6:30 p.m. Contact Kevin Duffy in the church office with questions.

**CHURCH LEAGUE BASKETBALL**

Boys, 8-12 years old, who are interested in playing basketball in the church league should contact Dave Lange (geolange12004@yahoo.com). Girls, 8-14 years old, should contact Jim White (whiteej@att.net). Please include the name, date of birth, and contact information. Team sizes will be kept small, so sign up early.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS - UPDATE**

We need your student mailing addresses by noon on Friday, November 6 so we may add you to our care package list. Email addresses to Susanna (susanna@villagebc.org) or call the office (678-7178). Any questions, contact Dave Crow.

**MOMS IN TOUCH INTERNATIONAL**

They are sponsoring "Arise! Cry Out!", a day of prayer for our children's schools. Join us at Village from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 14 as we locally host this event. Register in advance now (www.MomsInTouch.org). Contact April Lethers for more information (797-1136 or lethersagl@yahoo.com).

**MILITARY CHILDCARE**

Our church is offering complimentary childcare. Next date: Saturday, November 14 from 9:00 a.m.-noon. Make your children's reservation (babies-12 yr.) at the Preschool Welcome Center.

**SINGLES MINISTRY**

X4MD (Transformed) Worship & Bible Study on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the Coffee Café. Current study is "Sent: Living the Missional Nature of the Church." **November 6:** "FireAntz Hockey" at the Crown. Meet at the Will Call office at 7:15 pm. **November 15:** Lunch and Christmas Shoebox-filling in the Fellowship Hall at 12:30 p.m. For more information, contact Dave Crow.

**GRIEF SHARE - SURVIVING HOLIDAYS**

No matter how long it's been since a loved one has died, grief can make the holidays a painful time. But there's hope. Join us for an encouraging Grief Share seminar that will help you survive the holidays and discover new reasons to enjoy them again on Saturday, November 14 from 9:00 a.m.- noon in the Fellowship Hall. No sign up necessary. Contact Eastland in the church office with any questions.

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU**

To all those who participated in our September Blood Drive. Our goal was 30. We had 29 give blood; 27 were successful, which was 97% of our goal. Our Blood Drive saved 81 lives. - Kimberly Berrier & the American Red Cross

*discipleship/evangelism*

**DISCIPLESHIP 2010**

2010 is approaching quickly. If you would be willing to facilitate a discipleship course please contact Kevin Duffy.

**THE CASE FOR A CREATOR**

The course continues tonight at 5:00 p.m. in room HS 1106. Children can be dropped off at 4:50 p.m. (Children 3 & older will be taken to AWANA at 5:00 p.m.). If you're following in the book, read chapters 6-7.

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**YOUTH MINISTRY**

'... And how is anyone going to tell them, unless someone is sent to do it?' (Romans 10:14-15a - The Message). We have several youth Sunday School classes needing teachers. Contact Lee O'Briant (391-9621 or lee@villagebc.org).

**PRECIOUS PRESCHOOLERS**

We have only a few openings left for blessings during BFG. Call Linda (391-0701).



# F.A.I.T.H. *Salvations*

## F.A.I.T.H. & Street Evangelism

In just eight nights of visitation, our F.A.I.T.H. teams have led 42 people to Christ. Please pray that God will continue to soften hearts and lead our teams to those who are ready to accept Him. Start praying now about your participation in January.

### STUDENT APOLOGETICS / EVANGELISM

# Living out Acts

DEFENDING TRUTH - IMPACTING THE CULTURE - REACHING THE LOST

## LIVING OUT ACTS

This trains 8th-12th graders in truth and gives them the confidence, and the opportunity, to engage the culture around them. The group meets Mondays at 7:15 p.m. in HS 2204. If you are, or have, a student who is interested, contact Kevin Duffy.  
(Student contacts: Lauren or Kristen Stephenson or Sean Murphy).

### EXTENDED TEACHING CARE

- Welcome Center ..... *Diann Hockenberry, Robyn Nolette*
- Angel Band ..... *Cheryl Westcott*
- Treasure Toter .....
- Cradle Cleaner ..... *Preschool Ministries Staff*
- 0-4 mos ..... *Renaë & Ron Rice*
- 5-8 mos ..... *Rhonda Hagan, Jennifer Seals*
- 9-14 mos ..... *Deidra & Brian Simpson*
- 15-16 mos (1A) ..... *Susan & Arielle Byrd*
- 17-23 mos (1B) ..... *Lori & Brian Murphy*
- 2 Year A ..... *Melissa & Emily McKinney*
- 2 Year B ..... *Kathy & Sonny Swanson*
- 3 Year A ..... *Laura Legg, Alayna Smith*
- 3 Year B ..... *Marsha & Clay Bullard, The Markovichs*
- Kingdom Kids Rm. 122, 4 Yr: ..... *Darla & Nick Molina,*  
..... *Kristin Chamberlain*
- Rm. 123, K-5, TK-1: ..... *Melissa Moore, Erin Nonaka*

### BUILDING & GROUNDS

Mike Sublett (On Call) Cell 322-3615

### WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL

**Nov. 4:** Blue Moon chicken, beans, rolls, salad, dessert.  
**Children's choice menu** - Kid's choice.  
Call the church office by noon Monday to be added to or taken off the list for Wednesday. Serving time: 5:00-6:25 p.m.

## CALENDAR DATES

- Sun. Nov. 1** Parent-Child Dedication, Morning Services
- Tues. Nov. 3** 9:30 a.m. Villagers Meeting
- Tues. Nov. 3** 11:00 a.m. Village Singers Rehearsal
- Mon. Nov. 9** 6:15 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
- M.-W. Nov. 9-11** Southern Baptist Convention
- Tues. Nov. 10** F.A.I.T.H. Canceled (Tonight Only)
- Wed. Nov. 11** Veteran's Day
- Sat. Nov. 14** 9:00 a.m. Military Childcare

## REGULAR WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### SUNDAY

- 7:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal for 11:00 a.m.
- 8:15 a.m. Bible Fellowship Groups (BFG)
- 9:00 a.m. Library Open (till noon)
- 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship / Bible Study / Youth BFG
- 11:00 a.m. Blended Worship / Worship KidStyle / Youth BFG
- 4:30 p.m. Youth Choir
- 5:15 p.m. AWANA
- 6:00 p.m. Traditional Worship / Apologetics Courses

### MONDAY

- 8:00 a.m. Seniors Golf
- 6:30 p.m. Singles & College-Career Bible Study / BSF
- 7:15 p.m. Living Out Acts Student Apologetics

### TUESDAY

- 5:00 p.m. F.A.I.T.H. Dinner

### WEDNESDAY

- 6:00 a.m. Promise Keepers @ JK's Restaurant
- 8:00 a.m. Moms In Touch
- 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Meal
- 5:45 p.m. Children's Music
- 6:00 p.m. Discipleship Courses
- 6:30 p.m. Pastor's Bible Study & Prayer / Youth Worship
- 6:30 p.m. Praise Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Missions
- 7:10 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

### SATURDAY

- 7:00 p.m. TV Ministry Rebroadcast (cable channel 60)

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

## 11:00 am Morning Service

**Prelude** .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell  
**Lord Most High** .....Sanctuary Choir  
**Welcome and Greeting** .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
**Parent Child Dedication**  
**Special Music** ..... April Kendall  
*Only a God Like You* .....Praise Team and Choir  
*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart BH 39* .....Congregation  
*Your Name* .....Congregation  
**Pastoral Prayer** .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
**Walk Worthy** .....Sanctuary Choir

### Message

Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
**“Getting Your Game Back”**  
 Psalms 102

*Take My Life / Speak to My Heart* .....Congregation  
**Offertory** .....Brenda Jernigan  
*Rejoice, Rejoice BH 39* .....Congregation  
**Postlude** .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

## Evening Service

**Prelude** .....Ronda Spena  
*Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* .....BH #398  
*Be Magnified* .....Congregation  
**Dramatic Reading** .....“Promise of God”  
**Choral Praise** .....In the Presence of Jehovah  
**Welcome / Fellowship** .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin

### Hymn Medley

**Lily of the Valley** .....BH #189  
*What a Friend We Have in Jesus* .....BH #182  
*No One Understands Like Jesus* .....NBH #155  
**Offertory Prayer** .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
**Offertory** .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell  
**Special Music** .....Edie Stanley  
**Sermon** .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin

“Desperate Times” Rev. 8-9

*Invitation Hymn: Turn Your Eyes* .....BH #320  
**Postlude** .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

## Sermon Notes

### Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in honor of F. Stuart Clarke’s 67th birthday by his family.

### Special Prayer Concerns

Clementine Barefoot, Clark Dill,  
 Bobby McClendon, Barbara O’Briant

### NEW Worship Times

**Sunday:** 9:30, 11:00 a.m. / 6:00 p.m.

### Budget Receipts Through 10-25

Weekly Need	\$60,669.31
Received this Week	\$49,184.97
Year-to-Date Needs	\$2,608,780.33
Received to Date	\$2,422,236.87
<b>Planned Budget Receipts to Date</b>	<b>-\$186,543.00</b>
On Solid Ground This Week	\$1,480.00
On Solid Ground Year to Date	\$79,541.00

### Church Debt

\$6,756,309.17