



# *The Chimes*

Sunday, November 22, 2009

Tuesday, Nov. 24 at 6:30 pm

# *Thanksgiving Service*

Christmas Shoebox Dedication Service  
*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.

**After 11:00 a.m. Service**

Volunteers Needed

After the 11:00 a.m. service, we will be loading the truck with Shoeboxes. They will be transported to the main collection site tomorrow. If you'd like to help, just stay after the end of service. Thank you.

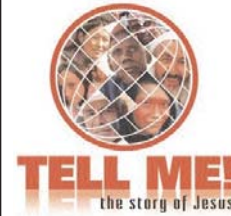
**Thanksgiving**

Schedule

- Nov. 23:** Singles' Dinner
- Nov. 24:** Thanksgiving Service
- Nov. 25:** No Evening Service, Meal or Classes
- Nov. 26:** Church closed
- Nov. 27:** Church closed

**Lottie Moon**

2009



**Goal :**  
\$45,000

**Received:**  
\$4,404

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**LOTTIE MOON OFFERING**

Goal: \$45,000. 100% of the offering goes to support missions around the world. Don't forget to use our Post Office by the elevators to send your Christmas cards to our church members. Your postage savings can then be given to Lottie Moon.

**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."

**Monday, Nov. 23:** Thanksgiving Outreach Dinner. Join us at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for this annual event. For information, contact Dave Crow at the church office.

**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)).

**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.

**PRESCHOOL/DAYCARE**

There are still openings in the Preschool. Contact their office with questions (486-5544).

**MILITARY CHILDCARE**

Our church is offering complimentary childcare. Next date: Saturday, December 5 from 9:00 a.m.-noon. Make your children's reservation (babies-12 yr.) at the Preschool Welcome Center.

**THANK YOU**

A special thanks to Rev. Nick Smith for our new BFG classroom. - *The Potter's Class*

**BAPTISM**

Our next Baptism will be on Sunday, November 29 at 11:00 a.m. For more information, contact Susanna in the church office.

**POINSETTIAS FOR CHRISTMAS**

If you would like to place one or more flowers in honor or in memory of someone special, sign up at the Welcome Center. We need your order to ensure church delivery in December. Please make your check for \$20 payable to Village Baptist Church and note it's for poinsettias.

**YOUNG MUSICIAN'S CHOIR**

Young Musician's Choir has begun working on a new Christmas musical, "A Christmas Carol: A Scrooge in Bethlehem". Rehearsal is canceled on Nov. 25; they will resume on December 2. Dress rehearsal: December 8 from 3:30-5:00 p.m.

**HANDYMAN MINISTRY OF VBC**

The Ministry is available to assist church families of deployed servicemen. For help, contact Eastland (eastland@villagebc.org). If you would like to assist, contact the church office, Roger Zollner or George Massengill.

discipleship/evangelism

**WOMEN'S MINISTRY KICK OFF**

The Kick Off will be on Friday, January 22 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Learn about the exciting programs planned: small group fellowships, mentoring, Bible study and community missions. For more information, visit the Welcome Center after Sunday services.

**LIVING OUT ACTS - STUDENT**

**APOLOGETICS**

"Living Out Acts" exists to train 8-12 grade students in truth and give them the confidence, and the opportunity, to engage the culture around them. The group meets at 7:15 p.m. in HS 2204. If you are interested, contact Kevin Duffy. (Our student contacts are Lauren or Kristen Stephenson or Sean Murphy). Open to ALL 8-12 graders.

**STREET EVANGELISM**

Our students have led roughly 70 people to Christ over the summer and this semester. Street Evangelism will NOT meet on Tuesday, November 24, but we will resume the following week at 6:30 p.m. Watch the bulletin and Facebook for details.

**DISCIPLESHIP 2010**

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

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**YOUTH MINISTRY**

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).

## CALLED CHURCH MEETING

Wednesday, December 2  
Sunday, December 6

On Wednesday, December 2 at 6:30 p.m., the 2010 budget will be presented to the congregation for discussion.

On Sunday, December 6, we will be voting on the budget, with no discussion, during the morning services.

*\* Budget copies are available at the sanctuary entrances and the Welcome Center.*



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

**F.A.I.T.H.**

Our F.A.I.T.H. Evangelism training semester has come to a close. Our teams led 52 people to Jesus Christ in just 10 nights. Please join our teams as we praise our Lord and Savior for such a success.

### EXTENDED TEACHING CARE

Welcome Center ..... *Diann Hockenberry, Robyn Nolette*  
 Angel Band ..... *Marci Densmore*  
 Treasure Toter ..... *Michael Brown*  
 Cradle Cleaner ..... *Preschool Ministries Staff*  
 0-4 mos ..... *Renata Blanton*  
 5-8 mos ..... *Emily & Mervin Severtson*  
 9-14 mos ..... *Lea Sorrells, Brenda Martin*  
 15-16 mos (1A) ..... *Bridgette & Jason Smith*  
 17-23 mos (1B) ..... *Karen & Caitlyn Simkin*  
 2 Year A ..... *Carolyn & Bo Moorehead*  
 2 Year B ..... *John & Valerie Matthews*  
 3 Year A ..... *Diane & Ricky Rogers*  
 3 Year B ..... *Faye & Doug Barfield*  
 Kingdom Kids Rm. 122, 4 Yr: ..... *Julie & Tripp Jones*  
 Rm. 123, K-5, TK-1: ..... *Kimberly & Michael Brown*

### BUILDING & GROUNDS

Russell Hayes (On Call) Cell 322-3615

### WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL

**Nov. 25:** No Meal this week.

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. 22** Christmas Shoebox Dedication Services (AM)  
**Sun. Nov. 22** Shoeboxes Loaded After 11:00 a.m. Service  
**Mon. Nov. 23** 6:30 p.m. Singles' Thanksgiving Dinner  
**Tue. Nov. 24** 6:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Service  
**Wed. Nov. 25** No Evening Service, Meal or Classes  
**Th.-F. Nov. 26-27** Closed for Thanksgiving  
**Sun. Nov. 29** 11:00 a.m. Baptism  
**Sun. Nov. 29** No Evening Service / No AWANA

### 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 / DiscipleTown / 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

6:30 p.m. Youth Street Evangelism (*Canceled Nov. 24*)

#### WEDNESDAY

6:00 a.m. Promise Keepers @ JK's Restaurant  
 8:00 a.m. Moms In Touch  
 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Meal

**Wednesday schedule canceled on Nov. 25**

Youth Worship

#### 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  
 Rising .....Sanctuary Choir  
 Thank You Lord .....Congregation  
 Welcome and Greeting .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
 Great Is Thy Faithfulness BH 54 .....Congregation  
 Let Everything That Has Breath .....Congregation  
 I Will Never Be the Same .....Congregation  
 Pastoral Prayer .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
 Thank You Lord .....Sanctuary Choir

### Message

Dr. Bruce O. Martin

**“Have I Told You Lately That I Love You?”**

Psalms 116

*I Will Never Be the Same* .....Congregation  
 Offertory .....Ladies Trio  
 Great Is Thy Faithfulness .....Congregation  
 Postlude .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

## Evening Service

Prelude .....“We Gather Together”  
 “Saying Thank You” An Interview .....Vickie Burge  
 Choral Praise .....“Thanksgiving and Praise”  
 Count Your Blessings .....BH #644  
 Welcome/Fellowship .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin

### Hymn Medley

Now Thank We All Our God .....BH #638  
 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come .....BH #637  
 Offertory Prayer .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin  
 Offertory .....Piano/Organ Duet  
 Special Music .....Holly Warner  
 Sermon .....Dr. Bruce O. Martin

“Satan’s Main Man” Rev. 13

“Invitation Hymn: Jesus Is Lord of All” .....BH #296  
 Postlude .....Dr. Mary Anne Martin-Howell

## Sermon Notes

### Special Prayer Concerns

Mike Hyers, Barbara O’Briant,  
Joe Roy, Jim Smith, Joyce Strange

### NEW Worship Times

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

### Budget Receipts Through 11-15

Weekly Need	\$60,669.31
Received this Week	\$61,463.80
Year-to-Date Needs	\$2,790,788.26
Received to Date	\$2,625,359.97
<b>Planned Budget Receipts to Date</b>	<b>- \$165,428.29</b>
On Solid Ground This Week	\$1,262.00
On Solid Ground Year to Date	\$88,495.00

### Church Debt

\$6,730,274.81