

God is love and love lives here!

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Sunday, November 5, 2023

All Saints

This Sunday is an important Sunday in the life of our church as we remember so many loved ones who have passed in the last year. I recognized it has been difficult for those who were closest to our Saints and have heard the hearts of the members of our congregation. Sitting at our dinner table you've told me stories of those whom you've loved. You've shared about their lives before and after Sunday services. Every week a name will come up and a flattering comment will be made of how loving someone was through their generous nature. Not a day passes when they are not remembered in some way in the life of the church as we strive to honor their memories. "We thank you for those we love but see no more" is the phrase we read in our Service of Committal. When we say those words in celebration of their life, we are praising our heavenly father for the time we have while also asking Him for the grace to face our future which is surely different without the person we love. God's grace and mercy never fails, in the depths he is there, in the heights he is there, we cannot escape is never ending love for us and for those who we "see no more". Because of this we celebrate our Saints and the memories we shared. Because of this we pray for you as you ready yourself to remember the ones you've loved so deeply but see no more. We've thanked God for their service to the body of Christ, the love they have shared, and the memories they have left behind. We remember how their love has brought us where we are today, and we love one another knowing we are not alone as we celebrate all our Saints.

Keep The Faith, Pastor Tommy



Scripture & Sermon: 2 Timothy 3:10-16 "Apostle Paul: Finale:

"Apostle Paul: Finale: Post Paul: Man Misunderstood"



New Concerns Pamela Wartman Carolyn Moore Kamber Green Will Jester John Doblus Lydia Murphy Jerry Holcomb

Continue Prayers for: Choir Quin Lee Love Jon Love Travis Lowery Thomas Milner

Christa Avret Michael & Jennie Walston Warren McDow Betty Byrd Leon Hudson Mary Prater Jim & Mary Leary Virginia Eadie Bill Reedy Sarah Mayer Cary Martin Mac McNeal James McNeal Our Country, Leaders, Military

Finance Report for October 29 Operating Budget...... \$4,046.92 Local Mission...... 1,315.<u>.00</u>

Total...... \$5,361.92 **Worship Attendance:** 147

> Sunday School: 54





All Saints Sunday

This Sunday the tables will be displayed with memorials of our loved ones, please take a moment and remember them:

- ~ Carrie Dominy
- ~ Wayne & Eorene Farrell
- ~ Catherine Moore
- ~ Jodie Thomas Thrasher, Jr.
- ~ Margaret Estelle Monk
- ~ Woody Davis
- ~ James Hudson
- ~ Connie Cross
- ~ Johnny "Lynn" Howdeshell
- ~ Chuck Sevin
- ~ Ernie Braun
- ~ Charlie Sevin



Bible Reading Plan
Week of November 5 th :
Sunday John 7
Monday John 8
Tuesday John 9
Wednesday John 10
Thursday John 11
Friday John 12
SaturdayJohn 13

Church Website

Please contact Sabrina Williams at <u>sabrinamwilliams2@cox.net</u> for any requests to have something added or delted from our church website. Also contact Sabrina if you have any pictures taken at any church function that you would like posted.

Community Missions

- October total for the Food Pantry: Families served- 745; People served- 2914; Portions distributed- 1124; Weight of food distributed- 27,946 lbs... October 25 food pantry was an all time record with 467 families, 1651 people, 633 portions distributed. Way to be the hands and feet of Jesus!!
- The next Food Pantry November 8, 11a... come on out and volunteer! You will be blessed. Our Food Pantry Team rocks!
- Clothes Closet Volunteers for November 7- Vicky Moore, Linda Blanton
- Our Clothes Closet is open every Tuesday, 9a-noon.
- The Clothes Closet will be open 10a-2p on Food Pantry days, which is the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. Anyone willing to volunteer, please call Susan Howdeshell at 478-508-0709 or Sabrina Williams.
- Thank you for your generosity to the Open Door Clothes Closet. Each week we see more and more clothed and cared for because of your gifts of love. Winter is Coming and we will be in need of several items. If you're cleaning out your own closets or looking to donate items, please consider donating to the Clothes Closet. We also ask you to look for some of the specific items listed below as you are preparing for the change in season. Thank you again for all you do to support our ministry!

Winter clothes/coats/jackets/sweaters/hoodies/pants/shoes/socks/scarves/hats/gloves; linens/sheets/blankets/throws/comforters; towels/washcloths; personal needs items; toys.

Workers are needed in the Clothes Closet on Mondays and Tuesdays from 9a-12 noon.

Family Promise

Volunteers are needed for our next rotation coming up, we need meals for November 5, 6, and 7... please contact J.O. or Lynn, this is a very blessed ministry of our church...

check out their website at https://www.familypromisehoustonco.org/

Hearing Aids

We had a wonderful member donate a pair of gently used hearing aids. If you or someone you know would be interested, please contact the office.

Poinsettias for Christmas

Poinsettias are now available for ordering to be delivered and placed in the church December 1 and taken home after Chrristmas Eve Service. We will be ordering 24 poinsettias, so be sure to order yours! Cost is \$12.50. Call or email the church to place your order.



Are you Looking for a place to serve? To get involved? We have it!



Are you looking to get involved in Sunday School? We have a great line up of classes to explore! Maybe you've been attending Sunday School regularly but see a topic you're interested in - it's okay to move around and try different classes - let's learn and grow together!

- Sunday School Class Seekers **Issues & Answers New Beginnings** Christian Fellowship Youth Pilgrims
- Studies **Favorite Scripture** Matthew Psalm 91 1 Corinthians The Narrow Path Acts
- Teacher **Class Members** Katie Odum Nancy Hudson Don Schall Eric & Gloria Nelson Kathy Blanchard

THE WELL AT CENTERVILLE

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

600 N. Houston Lake Blvd, Centerville 31028

Saturday December 2rd

9AM - 2PM



Take Pictures with Santa 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM Bring your camera or phone

Vendors and Christmas Items School Choirs Children's activities Music Quilt Raffle Bouncy House

Fresh Baked Goods Arts and Crafts Food

Vendor Spaces Available Call, email or come by the office for a vendor application