January Jan 21 Game Night; 5:00 to 7:30 in Fellowship Room February Feb 18 Valentine's Day Banquet for 60 and over; details to follow

BELATED NEW YEAR'S FELLOWSHIP

Since we didn't ring in the New Year together due to sickness and more, let's have a belated celebration with a Game Night! Bring a few snacks to share and your favorite games. All ages are welcomed! See Wes or Kendall for more information!

BLESSING BOX MINISTRY

Thank you for your continued support of the Blessing Box! This project has become quite an outreach in our community. The pantry items are often taken within minutes of the box being filled. and we have neighbors who have been joining in our efforts and filling the box for others. Questions see Kendall or Jennifer.

BLESSING BOX MINISTRY

Non-Perishable Food Items: Peanut Butter Canned Tuna, Ham, Chicken Canned Soups, Stews, Chili w/pull top lids Canned Goods w/pull top lids Granola/Protein Bars Nuts, Oatmeal, Cereal, Crackers Beans, Rice, Lentils, Pasta Kitchen Staples (flour, sugar, salt/pepper) Pasta Sauce, One Box Meals or Mixes Hygiene Items: Shampoo/Conditioner Toothpaste/Toothbrush/Floss Brushes/Combs Deodorant Body Wash

<u>Winter Items</u> Gloves Hats Socks

if you can be anything **BE KIND**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

January Jan 14—Linda Wartick Jan 21—Need Volunteer! Jan 28—Need Volunteer!

If you can volunteer, see Darlene Cooney!

If you are visiting today, welcome! We are glad that you have joined us in worshiping our God. Please feel at home with our family, and let us know how we can serve you!

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK What's the Point?

Have you ever been tempted to skip past the long lists of genealogies in the Bible? Let me encourage you to go ahead and read them anyway.

Within the long lists of genealogies, there is often times hidden jewels of knowledge. For instance, the fifth chapter of Genesis is an entire chapter devoted to naming the descendants of Adam and Eve.

One reason to know this information is because it's history. It's the story of real people, like us. It also has very interesting information within that can teach us things and cause us to ask good questions.

For instance, you will quickly notice that most of the paragraphs end in the same manner,

⁵ So all the days that Adam lived were nine hundred and thirty years, <u>and he died</u> (emphasis mine).

⁸ So all the days of Seth were nine hundred and twelve years, <u>and</u> <u>he died</u> (emphasis mine).

But not all of the paragraphs end in this manner. For instance, in verse twenty-four, there is suddenly a change in the language,

²⁴ Enoch walked with God; and he was not, for God took him.

If you've been to many funeral services, this phrase will sound familiar. It's common for the person officiating the funeral service to say something along the lines of, "Last Tuesday, the Lord took Wes to be with Him."

Of course, we know that what he means is that last Tuesday, Wes died, but we say the Lord took Wes, because of where we he went after he died. But is that what Moses meant when he wrote that God took Enoch? It's not. What the verse means is that Enoch didn't physically die. God took him BEFORE he died. Now that's interesting.

Another thing that stands out in this genealogy is the number of years that each person lived.

...all the days that Adam lived were nine hundred and thirty years... all the days of Seth were nine hundred and twelve

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FAMILY NEWS

Emily Pierce—will be induced on Tuesday at 7:30 a.m. Please keep her, Wade and new baby in your prayers.

Tim Evans--suffered another seizure last week. He just completed 5 cyber knife treatments so they are concerned. He sees his oncologist on Tuesday.

Prayer List: Tim Evans, Claire Norris, Marvin Kline, Gary Bodine, David & Rita Carroll, Bob & Beth Brownlee, Richard Wartick, Eliza Conwell, Larry Helton, Carrie Harris, Julie DeSoignie, Kylie Lock

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Our Theme for Children's & Teens Bible Classes is "The Church Begins." Here is a peek at this month's lessons, the Big Picture Question and the Bible verse to practice.

January 14—The Disciples Replaced Judas; Acts 1

January 21—The Holy Spirit Came; Acts 2

January 28—(**Big Truth Session**): The Holy Spirit Changes Us; Galatians 5

Big Picture Question:

Q: How does the Holy Spirit help Christians?

A: The Holy Spirit comforts us, shows us our sin, and guides us as we live for God's glory.

This Month's Bible Verse:

"22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law." Galatians 5:22-23 (NIV)

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

In this new year, be grateful that God has given you victory over many things over the past year.

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years...all the days of Enosh were nine hundred and five years...all the days of Methuselah were nine hundred and sixty-nine years...

This raises a great question, "How did these people live so long?" And the follow-up, "Why don't people live that long anymore?" We'll answer those questions in an upcoming, future article. Until then, stay curious!

Much love,

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Understanding the Supernatural Acts 12:6-17 Outline - The Supernatural: Supernatural Supernatural Supernatural Supernatural Four Lessons: 1) Learn to be at in your . 2) If you are you have to do. 3) When you , . 4) What you learn, to _____. Notes:

| THOSE WHO SERVE | | | |
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| <u>SUNDAY, 10:30 AM</u> | <u>Jan 14</u> | <u>Jan 21</u> | <u>Jan 28</u> |
| Opening Prayer | K. Dodds | B. Turney | L. Lewis |
| Song Leader | A. Shields | A. Shields | A. Shields |
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| Communion Talk | | | |
| <u>& Prayer</u> | N. Bradbury | R. Harris | W. LeFlore |
| Contribution Prayer, | P. Dodds | P. Dodds | P. Dodds |
| Collection & Count | A. Hines | A. Hines | A. Hines |
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| Closing Prayer | R. Harris | R. Harris | R. Harris |
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| Deacon in Charge | A. Shields | A. Shields | A. Shields |
| ATTENDANCE SUNDAY—January 7 Bible Class | | | |
| WEDNESDAY—January 10 | | | |
| Auditorium—22 | | Teens—4 | |
| Bible Hour—16 | | Total—40 | |
| ELDERS Rex Harris Tom Norris | Marvin Kline | Bible | EDULE OF SERVICE Sunday Classes9:30 a.m. nip10:30 a.m. |
| DEACONS Nathan Bradbury Aaron Hines David Pierce Alan Shields | Kevin Dodds Leroy Lewis Wade Pierce | | Wednesday Class7:00 p.m. Class7:00 p.m. |
| MINISTER Wes LeFlore | | | |



Call to Worship "I Will Call upon the Lord" Song #63 "Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You" Song #768 Prayer Song #386 "He Loves Me" **Communion Prayers Contribution Prayer Contribution Collection** "More About Jesus" Song #678 Lesson Song #851 "I'll Fly Away" Prayer

Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children's Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the study for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.