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From our Pastor

Beloved,

Winter Bible Conference: I hope that you enjoyed our conference with Dr. Mack Roark. His insights into Scripture were amazing and I hope that your soul was fed and refreshed with God's Word. We are already working on next year's conference. The book we will study will be the book of Exodus. We will have another top notch teacher for this conference as well.

Hispanic Mission: In our business meeting last Sunday night, our church family approved the position of Hispanic Pastor and inviting Josefath Sanchez to come in view of a call to our church. He has planted three Hispanic churches and pastored one during the last ten years. He is interested in coming to Elk City to help us plant the First Hispanic Baptist Church. Our church will fund a little over half of his salary, with the rest coming from the BGCO, Beckham-Mills Association, and other churches in our association.

If you were unable to attend the business meeting, we have his resume, job description, and other information in the church office. We are truly excited about this new mission opportunity. This will dovetail beautifully into the English as a second language class we currently have. We will let you know this Sunday when he can come in view of a call.

Men's Bake Off: Men, get your cakes and/or chili ready! After church this Sunday, we will have our annual men's bake off. It is always a great time of fun, food, and fellowship. I look forward to seeing you this Sunday in Sunday School and Worship.

In His Grace,
Pastor Russell

DEEP WATERS DNOW-08
February 8-10, 2008
Sign up by January 30th!!! Cost per student is \$50 and includes everything for the entire weekend!

OUR MEN'S CHILI COOK-OFF and BAKE-OFF
Sunday, January 27th !!!
If you'd like to fix us a pot of your best chili or put your "creative" talents to the test, this is the day!!!
Bake cakes, cookies, pies, or any other dessert or "creation" and we'll enjoy the bake-off goodies along with the chili this Sunday evening, January 27 at 7:00 p.m. where 3 "winners" in each category will be announced!!!
*Please have all baked items and/or chili to the gym between 4:30 -5:00 p.m.

All Ministry Teams Meeting
Sunday, January 27
At 5:00 p.m. in Adult 1
This meeting will allow all teams to elect their team chairperson and set goals for the coming year. Make plans to attend!

ALL-CHURCH VALENTINE'S BANQUET
February 10
6:00 pm in the Gymnasium
\$5.00 per ticket
Join us for a steak & shrimp dinner!
Tickets sold on Sundays or any weekday at the church office. February 3rd is the last day to buy tickets. *Tickets are required.*

**WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS!**

By Letter



Jerry and Cynthia Trent
1000 Elkwood, Apt 49

We have immediate openings in the 1-year-old Wee School class. If you are interested, please call the church office at 225-7951 for more information.



AND....
We are in need of paid nursery workers.

Please contact Ann or Katy Womack if interested or for more details. Thanks!!!


Leaders are needed in AWANA Cubbies and Sparks, please contact Ann if you are willing to help!

**ACTIVITIES
BUILDING
SCHEDULE**

Open Gym

Hours:

Jan 28	5:30-8:00 p.m.
Jan 29	5:30-8:00 p.m.
Jan 30	5:00-9:00 p.m.
Jan 31	4:00-8:00 p.m.



THANK-YOU'S
Have been received from

Bob & Linda Griffith

Henry & Vivian Seidner

Look for them on the bulletin board near the elevator.

Doc's Notes



3yr. old - High Choir "schedules":

1. Sunday
 - 1) 4:30 p.m. – Youth bells/snack supper/youth choir
Welcome Jada Hathaway!
 - 2) 5:00 p.m. – Graded Choirs
2. Wednesday [Young Musicians...4th – 6th grade]
 - 1) 3:30 p.m. – snack
 - 2) 4:00 p.m. – choir
 - 3) 5:00 p.m. – all church "supper"

2008 N.E. Foliage Trip

Have you mailed your deposit to TRAV-ELINK? Please read all the materials that we mailed to you send the health forms to FBC Elk City @ Doc. "28" people have already mailed deposits in for this trip. 45 people are needed to go on this GREAT trip!

Adult Choir

Welcome to choir Shelly Ashley! Everyone is needed for our Easter program "7" weeks from now. The earliest Easter program ever! Every rehearsal is important!

Live Embers

Our next Live Embers lunch [Feb. 14th] will feature Gabbi and Bryce Butcher. Come and enjoy the fellowship!

IN Concert Singing Churchmen of OK. Feb. 21st at FBC Anadarko. Invite a friend to go w/ you. The Churchmen will be singing in "4" choirs across the state! Please sign up early and invite someone to go with you.

Doc

Coming Events

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| Jan 27 | 9:30 a.m. Sunday School |
| | 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship |
| | 4:00 p.m. ESL, Adult 7 |
| | 4:30 p.m. Youth Bells/Choir |
| | <i>Men, bring baked goods &/or Chili to the Gym.</i> |
| | 5:00 p.m. Graded Choirs |
| | All-Ministry Teams Meeting, Adult 1 |
| | 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship |
| | 7:00 p.m. Beth Moore Study, AD6 |
| | Men's Bake-Off/Chili Cook-Off Fellowship |
| Jan 28 | 6:30 p.m. CARE Outreach Team E |
| Jan 29 | 6:45 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast, Fellowship Hall |
| Jan 30 | 4:00 p.m. Young Musicians Choir |
| | 5:00 p.m. Fellowship Meals |
| | 5:45 p.m. Weekly Teacher's Mtg, Adult 6 |
| | 6:00 p.m. AWANA; Youth Teacher's Mtg, Yth Rm; |
| | GriefShare, Parlor |
| | 6:30 p.m. Weds Worship; Regenerate; <i>The Island</i> |
| | 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal; ESL Class |

Extended Session:

Babies:

Jane Thomas/Mildred Nesser

1 year olds:

Keith & Sondra Weaver

2 year olds:

Stephanie Poole/Robin Hargrove

3 year olds:

Mark & Abby Benton

4 year olds:

Sandy Bledsoe/Sissy Burch



Weekly Report

January 20, 2008

The People Came...

Sunday School Attendance

Adults	229
Youth.....	65
Children.....	78
Preschool.....	65
Fellowship.....	43
Spanish Church.....	0
Total.....	481
New S.S. Members.....	4
Enrollment.....	1339

The People Gave...

Budget Needs	\$28,258.00
Received.....	\$18,197.10
Below.....	\$10,060.31
Building Need.....	\$3,462.00
Received.....	\$9,569.31
Above.....	\$6,107.31

And the Lord Added...

By Letter	2
By Statement.....	0
By Baptism.....	0
Professions of Faith.....	0

Year to Date

Additions

By Letter.....	12
By Statement.....	0
By Baptism.....	12
Total.....	24

Giving

Budget Need.....	\$84,774.00
Received.....	\$88,206.24
Above.....	\$3,432.24
Building Need.....	\$10,386.00
Building Received.....	\$14,387.44
Balance on Note.....	\$61,792.79