



Grace Notes

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God Speed / Celebration for Melanie

On November 18, we will sadly say God Speed to Melanie as she moves to West Virginia. Melanie has been an outstanding asset to this congregation, and has helped us tremendously with our focus on worship. She will be greatly missed, and will be difficult to replace.

Council has already talked about a time that we can get together to say goodbye to her. That time will be on Sunday Evening, November 11 at 6:00pm. Please plan to join us for the evening and to be at the church earlier than 6. We are planning to have heavy hor d'oeuvres along with a time to say thanks to Melanie. If any of you are interested in putting together something special for her (i.e., some of you have musical talents) please feel free to do so. I think she would greatly appreciate it.

More information about this will come out in the coming week. As we are doing this covertly as a surprise to Melanie, we will keep communication to email and phone.

Pastor Judson

An update on Finances:

September deposits: \$7026.75 (reflects only the first 4 weeks of September)

September expenses: \$12,430.02

Total Assets: \$71,616.85

Note: The numbers used for this report are accurate to the bank statements, based on the calendar period. This is why only the first 4 weeks of the month are reported. An additional \$1409.77 was given on September 30th.

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In our Prayers

- Ann Kelley
- Bobby Torrence
- Mike Culbreth
- Jim Ablett
- Jerry Varner
- Gere Ablett
- Charles Pettit

November 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Bazaar Prep 9am Ablett House	2	3
4	5 Women's Fellowship 7:00	6	7 Bible Study 10am Lutheran Men 7:00	8	9 Bazaar Set Up 9am at church	10 Fall Bazaar 8am-2pm
11 Fall Congregational Meeting	12	13	14 Bible Study 10am	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Thanksgiving Day	23	24
25 Christ the King Sunday	26	27	28	29	30	

Those Who Serve

Date	November 11	November 18	November 25	December 2
Refreshments	Van Wagoner	Lewis	Cromer	Gowan Swain
Ushers	John and Sandy Fancher	Jim Voris Rich Donaldson	Norm and Jane Lewis	John and Scott Fancher
Greeter	Bobby Torrence	Marion Varner	Rich Van Wagoner	Nellie Varner
Communion Assistant	Norm Lewis	Gere Ablett	Ron Crawley	Mary Lou Saville
Counters	John Fancher Mary Lou Saville	Norm Lewis Andrea Holtzer	Jane Lewis Diane Ablett	Rich Donaldson Ron Crawley
Altar Guild	Betty DeBerry Pat Morton	Marianne Van Wagoner Bobby Torrence	Diane Ablett Mary Lou Saville	Nellie Varner Jane Lewis
Lector	John Fancher	Esther Dolder	Robert Faulks	Ron Crawley
Nursery	Connie Faulks Patti DeBerry	Christine Donaldson Jessie Faulks	Carrie Merrell	Connie Faulks Patti DeBerry



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Rich Donaldson, Property Chair

Jim Voris, Evangelism Chair

Andrea Holtzer, Education Chair

Norm Lewis, Stewardship Chair

Ron Crawley, Social Ministry Chair

November Birthdays

Connie Faulks—1

Camryn Merrell—7

Tyler Loburk—14

Norm Lewis—24

Lia Faulks—25

Mary Schaeffer—29

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Flower List for November:

November 4: Schaeffer

November 11: Hackett

November 18: Alice Smith: In memory of her brother Howard

November 25: Lewis

October Council Meetings Notes

- Mary Lou is going to work on reminding counters of their responsibilities.
- Norm and Pastor talked about Stewardship Sunday. The Pledge Card was created and copies made.
- Diane reported about our now annual Fall Vespers Service at Lake Bowen
- Ron reported that the Wii Bowling Tournament/Chili Cook-off was a success
- The Youth Group will start a fundraiser to help provide funds for camp/activities