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## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**St. James Place/Rehab**  
Ruth Phelps

### Thank You

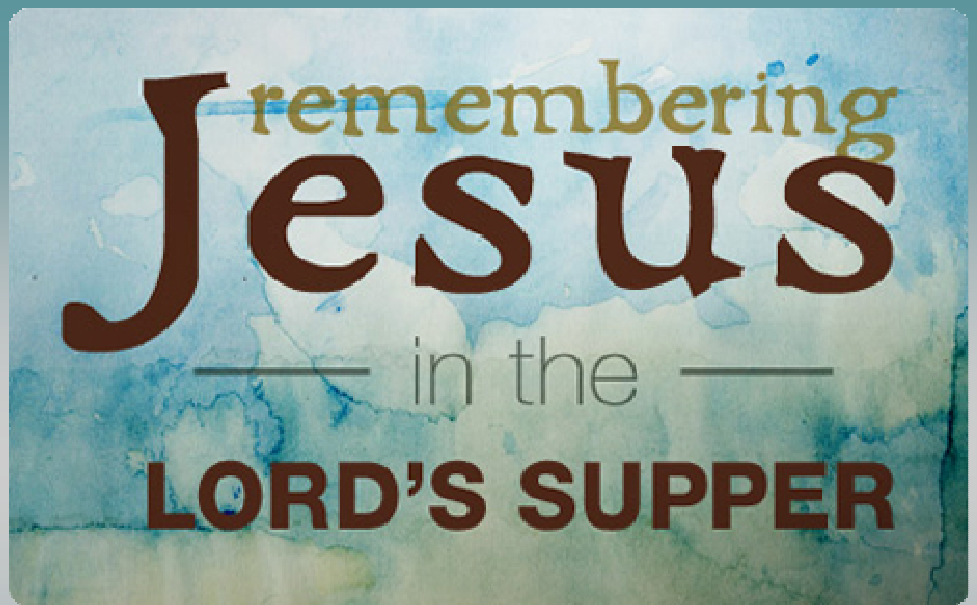
Words of sincere appreciation have been received from:

**Nell Teekel**  
**The Tuttle Family**

### Sympathy

We express our sincere sympathy to:  
**Ruth Phelps** on the death of her sister, **Marion Corkern**.

**Judy Naugher** on the death of her brother.



Worship with us  
**January, 6**  
**10:30 a.m.**



**Sermon Series**  
**Begins January 13**  
**10:30 a.m.**

## MISSIONS

**February 3 – March 3**

**Sunday School**  
**Mission and**  
**Outreach Event**  
**Youth - Adult**

**OPERATION**  
**ANTIOCH**

OUTREACH FOR THE REAL WORLD

### "Does Grace Work?"

Two statements in the New Testament appear crystal clear and completely contradictory. "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not of your own doing--it is the gift of God not of works so no one can boast." (Eph. 2:8-9)

Paul emphasized faith and grace was the means of salvation and completely suppressed works as having anything to do with the equation. If we were to be simplistic we would state Paul's position as "faith NOT works."

The Bible is never simplistic (it is simple, but not simplistic), so with little surprise we find in James what clearly appears to be a complete contradiction: "Faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead" (2:17). And even more plainly: "faith apart from works is dead." (2:26).

What do we make of this controversy? Trust me, reams and reams have been written about this. The rather simple difference between these two NT authors is in the different ways they use the same words. For Paul a work is an action performed to gain entry to heaven. Faith is the simple belief and trust in God's grace to give the salvation we can never earn. For James a work is evidence of salvation. We do good things because we are Christians, not in order to be Christians. Faith, for

James, amounts to little more than believing, so even the demons believe and shudder (2:19).

Both men believed in grace, faith as trusting God, and fruit of salvation. There is no controversy.

In fact it would be accurate to say that grace works, it does something as naturally as the flower grows and blooms in the sun and rain. Christmas has just demonstrated this for us. God was gracious in His attitude toward us, so He sent His Son to be our Savior. Works is grace in action.

At Broadmoor we have decided to name our missions program GraceWorks. Whatever good we do for others, whether making quilts, gathering food, any assistance we offer comes under the umbrella of GraceWorks. Our goal this year to make a way for every member of our church to be an agent of God's grace. We will find some way for you to put your faith in action. Your grace will become tangible.

Please pray for opportunities for us to see GraceWorks grow this year, and pray for ways you can become an agent of God's grace.

Grace,  
**Terry Ellis**

**Minister on Call**  
**January 4-6**  
**Paul Henderson, 803-3196**

**Sunday, January 6**

- 9:00 A Library Opens
- 9:15 A Bible Study
- 10:30 A Worship, Communion

**Extended Teaching Care**

Judy Averett, Angie Hannie, Chris, Nita, Thomas and Andrew Hannie

- 4:00 P Youth Musical Kick Off/ Auditions

- 5:45 P Belles and Beaux
- 6:00 P Youth Bible Study

**Tuesday, January 8**

- 5:45 P Zumba, CAH

**Wednesday, January 9**

- 7:00 A Men's Prayer Breakfast
- 5:00 P Chapel Bells  
Library Open

- 5:15 P Family Night Dinner
- 6:00 P Deacon Meeting, SDR  
Adult Prayer Ministry, CAH  
Youth Bible Study  
Children's Choirs

- 6:20 P Adult Bible Study, Sanctuary
- 6:40 P Children's Missions
- 7:00 P Sanctuary Choir

**Thursday, January 10**

- 10:00 A BBQ, Rm 225

**Recharge, Rethink,  
& Retreat**

**Sunday, January 13  
11:30 a.m.**

All Sunday school leaders are invited to join us for this special luncheon. Dr. Brian Foreman will join us for some encouraging and uplifting words as we begin the second half of our Sunday school year. Please call the church office if you plan to attend or see Bobby for more details.



**Zumba!  
Resumes  
Tuesday,  
January 8,  
5:45 p.m.**

If you are interested, call Tracey in the church office.

**Wednesday Night  
Dinner January 9**

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Spinach, Green Salad, Rolls, Pineapple Cake

**S T A F F**  
Entire Congregation  
*Ministers*  
**Dr. Terry Ellis**  
*Pastor*  
**Paul Henderson**  
*Minister of Music*  
**Tracey Hodges**  
*Business Administrator*  
**Dave Oakley**  
*Minister to Youth and Children*  
**Bobby Rayburn**  
*Minister of Spiritual Formation*  
**Fae Foster**  
*Administrative Assistant*  
**Felicia Mullen**  
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**YOUTH**



**Youth Musical  
"Guys and Dolls"  
Kick Off/Auditions**

Sunday, January 6  
4-6 p.m.

**Youth Parent Meeting**

Sunday, January 13  
6 p.m.

**ADULTS**

**"The Names of God"**

Adult Bible Study Resumes  
Wednesday, January 9  
6:20 p.m., Sanctuary

Today, names are simply labels. Not so in the Old Testament, and especially not so with God. He has many names. Each name reflects a facet of His infinite personality. By studying God's names: we learn about God, revere God, draw close to God, and are blessed by God.

**2013 Offering Envelopes**

Your 2013 offering envelopes have been mailed. Using these envelopes helps us with accurate record keeping. If you have not received your envelopes, please call Fae in the church office.

**Deacon Meeting**

Wednesday, January 9, 6 p.m.  
Small Dining Room

**Deacon Ordination**

Sunday, January 27, 6 p.m.

Deacon Orientation Meeting  
4 p.m., Church Activities Hall

**Looking Ahead...**

**January**

- 6th:** Lord's Supper, 10:30 a.m.  
Youth Activities Resume  
4:00 p.m.  
Belles and Beaux Resume
- 8th:** Zumba Resumes, 5:45 p.m.
- 9th:** Wednesday Night  
Activities Resume  
Deacon's Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 13th:** Graceworks Sermon Series  
Begins, 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School Teacher  
Luncheon, 11:30 a.m.  
Youth Parent Meeting,  
6 p.m.
- 20th:** Family Gathering
- 24th:** LLL Jersey Boys
- 26th:** All Church Chili Cook Off  
& Cake Bake
- 27th:** Deacon Meeting and  
Ordination

**February**

- 1st-3rd:** Youth Disciple Now
- 3rd:** "Souper" Bowl of Caring  
Operation Antioch Begins
- 22nd:** LLL Potluck

**March**

- 2nd:** Operation Antioch  
Mission Day
- 3rd:** Operation Antioch Lunch
- 8th:** Youth Night Out
- 15th:** LLL Houmas House
- 15th-16th:** Women's Retreat
- 16th:** Dad's Donuts/St.  
Patrick's Day Parade
- 28th:** Maundy Thursday Service
- 31st:** Easter Sunday

**All Church  
Chili Cookoff/  
Cake Bake**

January 26  
4-6 p.m.



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