

CALENDAR

Thursday, November 14
 10:00 A BBQ
Friday, November 15
 11:30 A LLL Potluck
Saturday, November 16
 10:00 A Operation Baton Rouge
Sunday, November 17
 9:00 A Library Open
 9:15 A Bible Study
 10:30 A Worship

Extended Teaching Care
 Judy Averett, Angie Hannie, Nita,
 Chris, Thomas & Andrew Hannie

11:30 A College Lunch
 4:15 P Teen Ringers
 5:00 P Youth Mom's Bible Study
 Youth Choir
 5:45 P Belles and Beaux
 6:00 P Youth Bible Study

Monday, November 18
 6:30 P Women's Book Study

Tuesday, November 19
 9:30 A Yoga
 1:30 P Writer's Workshop
 6:00 P First Place, CCR

Wednesday, November 20
 7:00 A Men's Prayer Breakfast
 5:00 P Library Opens
 Preschool Comm. Mtg.
 5:15 P Family Dinner
 6:00 P Children's Choir
 Youth Bible Study
 Adult Prayer Ministry

6:20 P Adult Bible Study
 6:40 P Children's Mission Group
 7:00 P Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, November 21
 10:00 A BBQ

YOUTH

**Passport Missions
 Summer Camp
 Jacksonville, FL
 June 22-27, 2014
 Cost: \$288**

\$50 deposit is due by November 23rd, and is non-refundable after March 10th.

**Fall Rent-A-Youth
 November 3-16**

After a great success with our summer Rent-A-Youth, we decided fall is also a time that you may need an extra hand around the yard or house. A list of youth available to work is in the church office. All donations will go towards youth camp for next summer. Check with Dave for more details.

CHILDREN

**What's New in the
 Preschool Area?**

We are excited to announce that we are offering a nursery pager service in our preschool area. All preschool families will be assigned a pager at drop-off. This will allow us to contact you if your child needs you during Sunday school or worship. Thank you for letting us care for your children, and keep them safe and happy.

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Operation Baton Rouge

**November 16
 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.**



**One more Sunday to bring Thanksgiving
 Bags for Southeast Ministries**

November 17
 (return bags to the sanctuary)
 Items for Bags:

Cornbread/Bread Stuffing	Gravy Mixes
Instant Potatoes	English Peas
Corn (whole or cream style)	Green Beans
Canned Sweet Potatoes	Cranberry Sauce
Canned Fruit	

Bags can be picked up in the church office.

About 20 years ago, I discovered a band out of New Orleans that struck a chord with me (no pun intended). At first it was because I loved their style of music and energy, southern rock with a New Orleans flair. The more I listened to Cowboy Mouth the more their lyrics seemed to really connect with me. Please understand that these guys are not a "Christian" band. These guys are not saints, but neither am I. However, many of their songs seem to be filled with life lessons and spiritual truths. In fact, a leading music magazine once said of their concerts, "...on a bad night they'll tear the roof off the joint and on a good night, they'll save your soul."

In one of their songs, "So Sad About Me," there is a line that reads "Cause the mysteries beyond our reach are firmly in our grasp." I've always loved that thought. It makes me think of God's mysteries. One of those mysteries is Christ. Colossians 2:1-7 touches on this mystery. We find in verses two and three that the scriptures say "I want their hearts to be encouraged and united in love, so that they may have all the riches of assured understanding and have

the knowledge of God's mystery, that is, Christ himself, in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge."

We must realize that Christ is with us always. His love embraces us. His truth guides us. His grace enfolds us. His spirit unites us. In our minds we may truly never understand this mystery of God, who is called Christ, but this mystery is around us and within us. This mystery is so close but yet so far. It is in the palm of our hands and in the depth of our hearts, yet our humanness tries to convince us that we are not worthy to embrace it.

Let verses six and seven be a reminder to us, "As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving."

See you Sunday,
Bobby

ADULTS

LLL Potluck
Friday, November 15
11:30 a.m.

Guest Speaker: Bernadette FitzPatrick. Bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Writer's Workshop
November 19, 1:30 p.m.

Monthly sessions, led by Joe Cannon, encourage chronicling the past for future generations: humor, serious, short stories, memoirs, poetry. Email Joe at labus@bellsouth.net if you have any questions.

Women's Book Study
An Invisible Thread
Monday, November 18
6:30 p.m.
Church Parlor

The book study group meets every other week. Purchase your own book and join the group for a time of fellowship and discussion. If you have any questions, contact Pam Morgan.

**To reach the
On Call Minister
call
328-3474.**

College Lunch
Sunday, November 17
11:30 a.m.

**Community
Thanksgiving Service**
Tuesday, November 26
7 p.m.

St. Thomas More

The sermon will be given by Father Brian Owen from St. Luke's Episcopal. There will be an ecumenical choir and a reception following the service.

Wednesday Night
November 20

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Greens, Rolls, and Cobbler

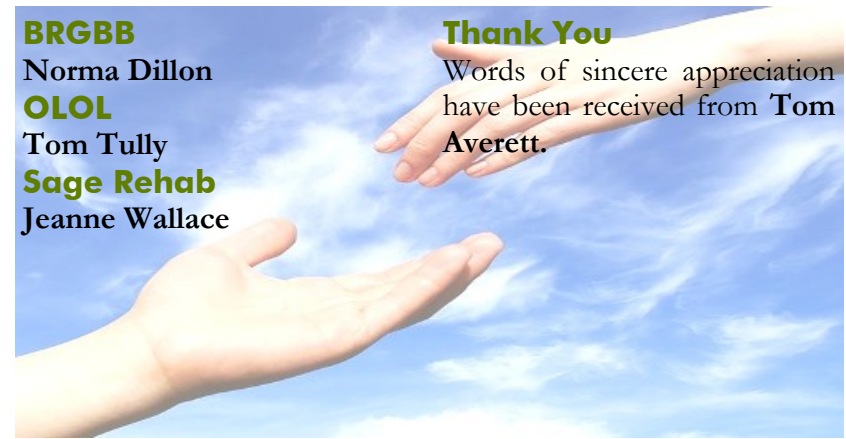
Celebration Sunday
November 17

Join us for Celebration Sunday as we announce our totals for the 2014 stewardship campaign. As of this printing we are only at 61% of our total budget pledged. Please remember that your cards can be mailed to the office or returned this Sunday.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BRGBB
Norma Dillon
OLOL
Tom Tully
Sage Rehab
Jeanne Wallace

Thank You
Words of sincere appreciation have been received from **Tom Averett.**



ADVENT CALENDAR

December:

- 1-1st Sunday of Advent (*Hope*)
- 8-2nd Sunday of Advent (*Peace*)
Hanging of the Green & Children's Music, 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Walk, 5-7 p.m.
- 11-Prayer Walk, 5-7 p.m.
- 13-Youth Christmas Party, 6-9 p.m.
- 14-College Christmas Party
- 15-3rd Sunday of Advent (*Joy*)
Messiah, 10:30 a.m.
Church Christmas Dinner, 6 p.m.
Four-Piano Concert, 7 p.m.
- 18-All Church Caroling, 6 p.m.
- 21-Longest Night Service, 6 p.m.
- 22-4th Sunday of Advent (*Love*)
- 24-Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 6 p.m.