

Welcome to
Green Pond Baptist Church

December 12, 2010

Thank You

We want to give a special thank you to everyone who made our Christmas Parade Ministry a great success. In spite of the rushed effort last night due to the time change in West Blocton, everyone was able to rally to the occasion and do their part. A total of 1,200 tracts were placed into the hands of people in our community. We pray that the Lord will bring forth fruit from this ministry.

Today Is Honor Sunday

We will be honoring some special people today for their commitment to ministry.

Music Practices

*The Ladies' Ensemble will rehearse next Sunday afternoon at 5:45.
The Church Choir will have a short rehearsal after church this evening.*

Joy Club Christmas Fellowship

This Thursday morning at 11:00 we will be having our Joy Club Christmas fellowship. Bring your favorite Christmas foods and we will enjoy a good meal and have some fun together. We hope that EVERYONE 50 and up will come and share some time together at this Christmas season.

Christmas Card Mailbox

The Christmas card mailbox is open through next Sunday. You can pick up a Christmas card list in the vestibule. You may bring your cards and the young people will sort them and distribute them. This will give you the opportunity to give and receive Christmas cards without postage.



Don't Forget Jesus

Christmas is a special time
To reflect on Jesus Christ
The wonder of His lowly birth
Brings meaning to our lives.

There really is no other reason
We celebrate this day
The birth of God's precious son
And the life He willingly gave.

But so much seems to distract us
In the busy-ness of our lives
We lose our focus in all the happenings
Not knowing, we leave out Christ.

We lose sight of the true meaning
As we endlessly rush about
Trying to find that perfect gift
Seems to crowd our Saviour out.

We need to stop and reflect awhile
Remembering our precious Lord
His birth, His life and sacrifice
And all that He stands for.

For though the world may celebrate
It seems though for other reasons
Let's keep in mind that Jesus Christ
Is the true meaning of the season.

Nursery Workers This Week

Sunday School – Andrea Hall

Sunday Morning – Kim Middlebrooks & Crystal Humphrey

Sunday Evening – Barry & Kelly Lagrone

Wednesday Evening – Crystal Humphrey

If you cannot be in the nursery at your scheduled time, please contact Mrs. Hall.

December Tithes & Offerings

	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Given</u>
<u>Regular Budget</u>	\$ 10,100.00	\$ 2,738.00
<u>Missions</u>	\$ 1,725.00	\$ 529.80
	<u>Beginning of December</u>	<u>To Date</u>
<u>New Building Fund</u>	\$159,697.08	\$159,953.14

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Happy Birthday

Seth Waldrep – December 15th

Bryant James – December 18th

Harold Vining – December 17th

Chloe Smith (M) – December 18th

Kay James – December 17th

Happy Anniversary

Mark & Blair Moses – December 12th

Gaston & Louann McGavock – December 16th

Sunday School Report for December 5th

Attendance: 70

Banner Classes

Toddlers – M. Russell

3rd & 4th Grade – T. West

Upper Room – K. James

Jubilee – S. Cowley

Beulah – N. Junkins (100%)

Many Thanks!

We would like to thank the church for the generous Christmas gift that you gave us last Sunday. This is a great help to us at this time of year, especially since our family seems to expand each year. God bless you for being faithful givers.

The Halls