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BRINGING THE MESSAGE TODAY

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NOVEMBER 28, 2010

JAMES TAYLOR

WORSHIP LEADER

SONG LEADER

DIANA STOUT- ORGANIST

COLOR:VIOLET

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord, and helping people trust Him through WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS. (Our beliefs are based from THE APOSTLES CREED found in the hymnal No 716)

ORDER OF THE SERVICE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT NOVEMBER 28, 2010

GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE

"Give Thanks"

Video

WELCOME VISITORS & GREETINGS

WE PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER, PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIPING GOD. Use this time to make yourself available to God and His Word.

SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration.

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, The Light Of The World.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.

*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (*Jeremiah 33, Psalm 25*)

Leader: The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will cause a righteous Branch to Spring forth and bring my promised salvation to Israel.

People: **The Lord is our righteousness.**

Leader: The days are surely coming, says our God, when justice and mercy will be executed Throughout the land.

People: **The Lord is our righteousness.**

Leader: The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when my promised one will teach Transgressors my ways and heal the world with love and mercy.

People: **The Lord is our righteousness.**

HYMN:

"Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

No. 124

Amen

Call to Confession: Righteous one, to you alone we lift our souls; in you alone we place our trust; for you alone we wait all day long. For you are the God of our salvation, abounding in mercy and steadfast love. Help us remain alert and watchful for the coming of your promised one—the one who comes with power and glory, the one drawing near to bring our salvation.

Prayer of Confession: (In Unison) Almighty God, you warn us to read the signs for the coming of your glory—in the sun, the moon, the stars, the roaring of the seas and the waves, the distress among the nations. We have seen it all before. Nothing seems to change. Help us live with courage in this age of ambiguity where wars are fought for peace and freedoms are stripped in the name of liberty. Forgive our lapse of focus, our sense that nothing ever really changes. Teach us to wait with patience, that we may be ready as our redeemer draws near. (**Continue Silently**) Amen.

Words of Assurance: From of old, our God is a God of mercy, abounding in steadfast love. When we return to the Lord with our whole heart, God will remember our sins no more. In the name of God's righteous branch, the Son of Man, the one who draws near, we are forgiven.

MUSICAL MOMENT:

"A Nativity Prayer"

*O Holy Child of Bethlehem! Descent to us, we pray;
Cast out our sin, and enter in; Be born in us today. Amen*

EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: (*Psalm 25*) *The paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness for those who keep God's covenant and decrees. God leads the humble in what is right. It is right to share our blessing in a world where justice for many is still but a dream, and mercy is but a hope seen from afar. With thankful hearts, let us share our gifts out of gratitude for the joy of God's kingdom in our lives.*

OFFERTORY MUSIC:

"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"

*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

CHILDREN'S TIME/ LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE:

Mary Jo Bryan

HYMN:

"Soon and Very Soon"

No.551/On Screen

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON:

Matthew 5:3

NIV

MESSAGE:

"Blessed Are The Poor In Spirit"

James Taylor

*INVITATION HYMN

"Come, Ye Sinners Poor and Needy"

No. 334

WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*PASSING THE BLESSING

*POSTLUDE

"The Snow Lay on the Ground"

L. Smith

*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS, IF ABLE. We have childcare available for Infants up to age 4 during the service. Joyce Allemore; Nancy Suddarth

Our Prayer List: We leave names on for four weeks at a time. If a name has been removed and you wish to add them back on, please feel from to contact the office or fill out a pew card and place it in the offering plate.

Long term prayer list:

Chris Lyle (Iraq)
 Claire McCandlish
 (Granddaughter of Donna McCandlish Callison)
 Lois Wilson (Alzheimer, Kim Glasscock)
 Jamie & Lucas Orner (P. Donegan niece-missionaries to Siberia)
 Margie Seeman
 Jackie (salvation)
 Kim Nixon (radiation)
 Debbie Hatfield (Maniers)
 Doc McArthur
 Chrissier Hall (military grandson of Banniza's)
 Phillip Sugg
 Nick Shelton
 Lori Farnsworth & Mitchell Clemons (sister and nephew of Theresa Bell)
 Claire Puryear (surgery on ears, 3yrs old)
 Sharon Ziemann
 Janice Simpson (cancer)
 Emily Bartlett (thyroid cancer)
 Brody Laanisto & Family
 Robert Williams (Brain Tumor is shrinking -Son-In-Law to LD and Theresa Bell)
 Dolly Janado (terminal cancer)
 Michael Haywood (leaves for Germany July 21 for one year)
 Anne

Buford Miles (stage 4 cancer)
 John Leeper's brothers
 Teresa Honeycutt (cancer)
 Noreta Bowers-Cancer treatment
 Scott Thomas-MS
 Melanie Staudt
 Andrea Barns
10/31
 Dallas Marable
 Mike Schmidt (Daughter-in-laws father-Tom/Joan Moores) Mass on his Kidney
 Gary Bomar-Tests/Possible Surgery
 Beth Dash-(Sister-in-Law of Bondanzas) Medical Testing
 Jesse Parsley-Prostate Cancer
 The Family of Frances Key (Gary Bomar Aunt)
 Cecil Whaley-Stage 2 skin cancer (Terri Crick)
11/7
 Rowena Stokowski
 Carrie Geyer (Carol Simpson's daughter) 3rd Son Born (**Joshua**) Joy and prayer for family
 New elected State Legislators
 Savannah Clark- (5th grader Diagnosed with Diabetes friend of the Wilker girls)
 Stan & Shirley Moore family

(J.W. Moore, 28 yr old died suddenly) Brother to Tanya Bartlett & Tammy Blackwood
11/14
 The Bomar Family (Julie's Dad Passed)
 Angie Shafer-Hip/Leg Pain
 Fred Tedder-Cracked Hip (Julie Lucks's Uncle)
 Mike Villvalva (Friend of Jennifer Lucks) Fighting Fires in Iraq
 Carroll Pullen (Brother-in-Law of Pete Mosley)
 Clinton Milliken (5yr old with Cancer)
 Tate Moore
 Gary-Health Issues
 Austin-Employment
11/21
 Parman Henry
 Bill Crook-Carole's Brother-In-law (Recovering from 5 organ transplant)
 Bob Henry-Teresa's Shuler Dad (Shingles)
 Steve Bartlett-Son of Sharon Gardner (Staff infection on knee)
 Pauline Campbell
 The Stokowski Family (Rowena Mother passed, Anna Hassler

Remember those who are homebound or in Nursing Homes, ill and in pain. Pray for our troops as they serve around the world. Pray that God will safeguard them and provide for their needs, whether physical, spiritual or emotional. Pray for peace for the Cumberland Presbyterian Churches in Buenaventura, Colombia, South America.

Many people have been helping out around the church. If you could be a member of the building and grounds committee please contact Harold Shafer.

Matthew. 5:3

³ "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

LEADER: THE WORD OF GOD, FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD
 PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD

Week of November 28, 2010

TODAY	8:20am	Music & Prayer
	9:00am	Worship
	10:15am	Sunday School
	4:00pm	Jesus Reads/Book Club
MONDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise (gym)
	1:00pm	Quilting club
	6:00pm	Aerobics
TUESDAY	9:00am	MDO
	5:30pm	Jazzercise (gym)
WEDNESDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise (gym)
	6:00pm	Dinner
	6:30pm	WOW/Small Groups
	6:30pm	Adults/Study on Ephesians/Nursery Available
THURSDAY	7:30am	Men at Prayer
	9:00am	MDO
	5:30pm	Jazzercise (gym)
	7:00pm	Band Practice
	7:00pm	Aerobics
FRIDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise
	6:00pm	Choir Practice
	6:00pm	Meet @ church/Travel to Bridgestone Area
	7:00pm	Toby Mac & Skillet Concert
NEXT SUNDAY	8:20am	Early Music & Prayer/Praise
	9:00am	Worship/Holy Communion
	10:15am	Sunday School



HAPPY NOVEMBER/DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS TO: Cameron Miles and Steve Williams on the 28th; Lindsey (Roland) Spickard on the 29th; Bob Leonard and Karen Tucker on the 30th; Jo England and Bryce Almore on the 1st; Ashley Ball on the 3rd; Kirk Donegan and Adam Helton on the 4th.

HAPPY NOVEMBER/DECEMBER ANNIVERSARY TO: Ken and Jonna Farmer on the 29th, Patrick and Chelsea Wilkerson on the 2nd.

Last Sunday Attendance: Worship 9:00 am—119 Sunday school 10:15- 62

Duty Elder for this week: Debra Eckert

Duty Elder for next week: Mike Bryan

CHURCH LIBRARY NEWS

What would you do to inherit a million dollars? Would you be willing to change your life? Jason Stevens finds out in Jim Stovall's, The Ultimate Gift.

NOLENSVILLE LIBRARY - MS. KAREN'S STORY TIME

Join us on Wednesdays @ 10.30 am

December 1 - It is for Jelly

UPCOMING/ONGOING EVENTS FOR JENKINS YOUTH

Go Hard

(Please note I need your forms and money by Dec 1)

Our winter retreat this year is December 27-29th at the Paint Rock Valley Lodge & Retreat Center. Cost is \$100. We will check in on the 27th starting at 3 and leave before lunch on the 29th. The theme this year is "Go Hard" and is based off of James 1:22. This is for our Jr. / Sr. High students. Please start signing up today if you are interested in attending!

JESUS READS

We will be meeting today at 4pm to discuss chapters 3-5. We are reading Radical: Taking Back Your Faith from the American Dream by David Platt. You can still come if you have not started to book!

Toby Mac & Skillet Concert

*The concert starts at 7pm at Bridgestone Arena on Dec 3rd. **We will meet at the church at 6pm** to travel there together. **Please eat dinner before you come! If you signed up and can't go please let me know ASAP.***

W.O.W.

Jr./Sr. High We will meet for worship at 6:30 and then split up into our two different small groups. Debbie Hatfield teaches the Jr. High and Patrick teaches the Sr. High.

Adults

The adults will also meet for worship at 6:30 and then continue their study on Ephesians.

Young Life Voices

Practice is Wednesday December 1 @ 5:00 pm.

Contact Sveta Yatsky, if you have any questions or would like your children to join the ensemble.



Satisfy us in the morning with your unfailing love, that we may sing, for joy and be glad all our days. Psalm 90:14

A big Thank You goes out to Steve Almore and the Kitchen Committee for the GREAT JOB they did in putting together the Thanksgiving Dinner/30th Anniversary. Also to anyone/everyone who had a helping hand in this event. THANKS, THANKS, THANKS!!!!!!!