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FOOTBALL & DEMONS?!

In case you weren't here last week, I mentioned at the end of the service that we are doing a collection of soup for Neighbors Helping Neighbors with a theme—the Souper Bowl Showdown! Tables have been setup in the Fellowship Hall and decorated in support of both the Eagles and the Chiefs. For the entirety of this week (including Sunday morning), we are inviting you to bring in cans of soup and to place them on the table of the team you think will win! We will post a final picture to see where we all stand as a church, and then after the game, one person who donated to the table of whichever team wins will be drawn to win a prize. Ellen has also encouraged us to give soups that have protein/meat in them, as they receive very little in the way of meat donations. As it stands right now, donations are neck and neck—be sure to get your purchases made so you can cast your vote—let's empty the shelves!

And yes, while the “big game” is just a few days away, so is the next focus in our “Just As I Am” sermon series—Demons! When I put this series together, I decided to follow lectionary passages that take us right through Luke 4. As I mentioned last week, the chapter gives us a wide sweeping view of who Jesus is—including Lord of the things of earth AND the heavens. Candidly, I will be a bit out of my comfort zone with this sermon, so I'm doing a good deal of reading, research, praying, and prep to make sure we encounter Christ and the Holy Spirit in our time of worship. I won't be able to answer questions during the service, but if you want to get them ready for me if I don't address them in the sermon, I'd be happy for it!

Another event I've mentioned that we could use some more participation for is a discipleship event we are hosting at the end of the month with other area churches called “ReKindle”. The event will feature speakers on the topics of Deacons ministry, Hospitality ministry, Young Adult ministry, and unique ways to raise revenue for your church. I'd love to have good representation from our church, and you are invited to attend wherever you deem meaningful. It will be Sunday, February 23 from 3-7pm with dinner provided. Please let me know if you would like to attend!

Finally, let me extend another invitation to you to join us before Sunday School for the Second Sunday Breakfast at 9:15am. Table fellowship is one of the great witnesses of the Church, and I'd love to see each of you at our tables this Sunday. Remember to bring a dish to share! Hope to see you in all that lies before us! -**Josh**

SUNDAY MORNING

9:15 AM - FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

9:45 AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 AM - MORNING WORSHIP

SPECIAL ELEMENTS

Rev. Josh Beeler's sermon: “Demon”

Luke 4:31-37

Chancel Choir: “I Knew He Was Love”



WOMEN ON MISSION....

is sponsoring the collection of pants and underwear for girls, sizes 5-8 for students at Monelison Elementary. Collection will continue until Feb. 26. Items may be placed in the hallway near the elevator.

CHRISTMAS CHEER BASKETS

February items are peanut butter and jelly.



WEDNESDAY EVENING FAMILY MINISTRIES

6:30 p.m. Music & Kids in Action, Acteens and Man-Up & Music
6:45 p.m. Adult Bible Study

WOMEN'S DAY BREAKFAST & WORSHIP FEBRUARY 22-23

Breakfast - Saturday (Feb. 22)
8:30 a.m. **Sign-up sheets are in the hallways by main entrances.**
Worship - Sunday (Feb. 23) at 11 a.m.

KEENAGERS

Tuesday, Feb. 11 at 10:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP MEAL

February 26 at 6 p.m.
Menu: Baked spaghetti, salad and toast
Alpha Gal menu: Baked turkey spaghetti, salad and toast
Kids: Hotdogs & fries
Drinks & dessert provided
Please sign up by Feb. 23. Sign up board is in the hallway near the sanctuary entrance.



CHURCH LIFE

DEACONS OF THE WEEK

Feb. 9 John Grieser & Carl LaFerney

DEACONS SERVING FEBRUARY 9

Allen Ashwell Beth Freeman
Carl LaFerney Donna Massie
Angela Sale Irene White

FEBRUARY 2, 2025 OFFERINGS

Budget Envelopes.....\$9,211.00
(Weekly Budget Needs \$9510.00)
Plate Offering.....\$ 20.00
Designated Offering.....\$ 1,082.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT..... \$10,313.00
Find Us Faithful.....\$ 825.00

USHERS FOR FEBRUARY

Glen & Lisa Lang and Stevie Yeatts

IN THE HOSPITAL

Darrell Sandifer - LGH

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family,
We want share a heartfelt thank you for all of the love, prayers, visits and blessings you provided for us. The phone calls, cards, and food have all been blessings to us and we appreciate all of the love bestowed on us.
Blessings to all,
Herbert & Peggy Wood

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