

WELCOME TO MT. ZION!

We rejoice in having you here today. If you're a guest, please complete the guest information on your worship guide and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like to request prayer or visit with someone about spiritual decisions or the opportunities here, please mark the space provided and either put the card in the offering plate or hand it to a staff member upon leaving. *Have a great day with us at Mt. Zion!*

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE THIS WEEK

Sunday, January 3

Sunday School.....	9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	10:00 a.m.
Nursing Home Services	2:00 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....	5:00 p.m.
Building Committee Meeting.....	5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....	6:00 p.m.
Children's Ministry Team Meeting.....	after p.m. services

Monday, January 4

Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting	6:00 p.m.
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Wednesday, January 6

Awana	6:25 p.m.
2-4:5 (Youth Ministry).....	6:30 p.m.
Adult Bible Study Class.....	6:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 9

Teen Service Project	9:00 a.m.
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Sunday, January 10

Sunday School.....	9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	10:00 a.m.
Nursing Home Services	2:00 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....	5:00 p.m.
Education Committee Meeting	5:00 p.m.
Revival Services.....	6:00 p.m.
Church-Wide Potluck Fellowship.....	after p.m. services

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Join us for **Nursing Home Services** today at 2:00 p.m.
2. Now would be a great time to **JOIN THE CHOIR!** Rehearsals will start **TODAY** at 5:00 p.m.
3. The **Building Committee** will meet today at 5:00 p.m.
4. The **Ladies' Auxiliary meeting** tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. will be hosted by Amanda Kratz and Jennifer Rood. The theme will be a "slumber party", so wear your pajamas and bring finger foods!
5. There will be a **baby shower** for Adam & Jamee Cordell Sunday, January 10 at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Vicky Hohrine (585 Cloud Rd.). It's a girl! They are registered at Target and Babies R Us. If you have any questions, contact Heather Grigsby or Vicky Hohrine.

AFTER CHURCH THIS MORNING...

...we will take down the outside sections of chairs. TONIGHT, after services, we will need to take down the remaining chairs in preparation for Awana.

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Fellowship Hymn Congregation
"When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder"
As our musicians continue to play,
please take this time to turn and greet those around you.

Welcome and Prayer..... Bro. Maxie Haynes

Special Music Sanctuary Choir
"Wonder-Working Power"

Hymn Congregation
"When We All Get To Heaven"

Hymn Congregation
"In The Garden"

Special Music Wink Kratz

Worship Chorus..... Congregation
"Revelation Song"

Message from God's Word..... Bro. Donis Smead
"Back to Bethel: A Revival of Heart and Home"

Time of Reflection and Response..... Congregation
"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Dismissal Prayer..... Fellowship

SERMON NOTES

Genesis 35:1 - *"And God said unto Jacob, Arise, go up to Bethel, and dwell there: and make there an altar unto God, that appeared unto thee when thou fleddest from the face of Esau thy brother."*

I. ACTION

II. ALTAR

III. ALLONBACHUTH

REVIVAL SERVICES SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 10

- Revival Services begin @ 6:00 p.m.
- Church-wide potluck fellowship after p.m. services in the multi-purpose building

Monday, January 11

- Adult #2 & Faithweaver SS classes provide the meal @ 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Revival Services begin @ 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 12

- Christian Discipleship SS Class provide the meal @ 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Revival Services begin @ 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 13 (Youth Night)

- Prime Timers & Adult #1 SS Class provide the meal @ 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
- Revival Services begin @ 7:00 p.m.



WHAT THE BIBLE MEANS

A father was approached by his small son who told him proudly, "I know what the Bible means!"

His father smiled and replied, "What do you mean, you 'know' what the Bible means?"

The son replied, "I do know!"

"Okay," said his father. "What does the Bible mean?"

"That's easy, Daddy." the young boy replied excitedly, "It stands for 'Basic Information Before Leaving Earth.'"



GUEST INFORMATION—JANUARY 3, 2010

Mr./ Mrs./ Miss (circle)

_____ () Married () Single

Age (circle) 0-21 22-40 41-60 61-up

Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best Phone #: _____ (Circle) Work Home Cell

E-mail address: _____

Church Member? Yes ___ No ___ What church? _____

Where? _____

How did you learn of our church? _____

I am a guest of _____

Name & ages of children at home: _____

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER ADDITIONS

1. Prayer was requested for Duane Sowell and family in the death of his mother; Kelli Albey (heart attack); Steve Cordell's grandma Carrie Brashears; Bobby Williams; George Doris; Karen Fite; Donna Golden.
2. All those on the January prayer guide (available in the foyer.)

5 RESOLUTIONS TO KEEP: *New Year's goals that are worth making*
Susan Alexander Yates

REACH SOMEONE WHO DOESN'T KNOW CHRIST

Perhaps like me, you're tempted to spend all your time with fellow Christians—people just like you. After all, if you want your kids to grow in the faith, you need to expose them to people of faith! Yet at the same time, God commands us to be salt and light in the world (Matthew 5:13-16); that won't happen if we spend all our time with believers.

BECOME A GRATEFUL PERSON

I used to wake up in the morning thinking about all the things I had to do and all the people who needed me. I got depressed before I even got out of bed! I realized I needed an attitude adjustment. So I started meditating on one of God's character traits the moment I awoke. As I lay quietly in my bed, thinking about how awesome God is, my perspective on the day changed dramatically!

SPEND MORE QUALITY TIME WITH MY FAMILY

Don't let "other things" choke your family life. Resolve to nurture it. This year, ask the question, what can I do to help my family and I grow closer together? Begin by making a commitment to spend time together; at home, at church, at supper. Be mindful, families are created by God and should honor Him. (Ephesians 2:19)

SAY "NO" TO SOMETHING!

Okay, we all know there are simply too many demands, too many choices, and too little time. But part of maturing means learning to postpone something you'd really like to do now to another season of life in order to focus on something even more important. Maybe this is the year we say no to the devil than we do to God!

PURSUE CHRIST WITH FRESH VIGOR

Do you sometimes feel as though your relationship with Christ is stale? I sure do. But when that happens, I pray King David's prayer, "Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit." (Psalm 51:12). As this New Year begins, resolve to recapture that joy. Vary what you normally do for your time alone with God. If you make some changes but still feel stale, ask God to show you the reason. Is there sin in your life you're ignoring; a wrong relationship, self-pity, jealousy? The writer to the Hebrews encourages us to "lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith;" (12:1-2).

PRAYER REQUESTS

We will be glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs. Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:

() Please keep this name on the prayer request list.

Requested by: _____ Telephone _____

DECISIONS

- () I'd like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about my relationship with God.
- () I'd like to speak with someone about getting more involved with this church.

LOOKING AHEAD

SUNDAY SCHOOL

- January 11 -- Meal Provided by Adult #2 & Faithweaver Classes; 5:30 p.m.
12 -- Meal Provided by Christian Discipleship Class; 5:30 p.m.
13 -- Meal Provided by Adult #1 Class & Prime Timers; 5:30 p.m.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- January 3 -- Children's Ministry Team Meeting; after p.m. services
13 -- "Winter Wonderland" Night in Awana
February 3 -- "Super bowl" Night in Awana
7 -- Children's Ministry Team Meeting; after p.m. services

YOUTH MINISTRY

- January 9 -- Teen Service Project; 9:00 a.m. - Noon
20 -- Guest Speaker at **2-4:5**
February 10 -- Panel Night at **2-4:5**

OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

- January 3 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
-- Building Committee Meeting; 5:00 p.m.
4 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
10 -- Education Committee Meeting; 5:00 p.m.
10-13 -- Revival Services
11 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
21 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
31 -- Joyfest!!
February 1 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
7 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
8 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
14 -- Monthly Business Meeting; p.m. services
18 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.

NURSERY WORKERS

This Week

MW Sara W.; Mindy W.;
Beth N.

EW Casey O.; Katie C .

Next Week

MW Sara W.; Jean L;
Burdean T.

EW Casey O.; Alesa L.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

December

Debbie Jackson
Barbara Collie
Ronnie Collie

January

Dorothy Daniel
Pat Hodges
Ellen Busch

SPECIAL MUSIC

January 10

a.m. Rachel Gregory
p.m. Virginia Crumby

January 17

a.m. Southern Cross Quartet
p.m. Marsha Clayton

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School attendance—115; Morning Worship attendance—182
General Fund offering—\$3,865.50
Building Fund offering—\$869.00



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