

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, March 22

Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... Dismissed
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 24

“Esther” Bible Study Begins..... 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, March 25

Teens—Pinnacle Mountain..... 11:00 a.m.
Children’s Ministry going to Party Central..... 3:15 p.m.
Teens—Movie Night..... 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 26

Teens—Gator Park..... 1:00 p.m.

Friday, March 27

Teens—Pizza and Bowling..... 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, March 29

Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.
Praise Band Meeting..... after A.M. service
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... 5:00 p.m.
Joyfest!!..... 6:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- If you'd like to **host lunch** for Bro. Donis and family during the month of March, sign the list in the foyer.
- The **morning Bible study—“Esther: It’s Tough Being A Woman”** will begin Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. The cost of the books are \$12.00.
- The Youth Ministry has **several activities planned for Spring Break**. Sign the lists on the bulletin board if you would like to participate.
- Bro. Paul will meet briefly with everyone who signed up to participate in the **Praise Band**, Sunday morning, March 29 following the morning service.
- If you would like to participate in **JOYFEST!** next Sunday night, please sign the list in the foyer.
- The **evening Bible study—“Esther: It’s Tough Being A Woman”** will begin Monday, March 30 at 6:30 p.m. The cost of the books are \$12.00.
- There will be a meeting with all those who are interested in going on the **mission trip to Mexico** this summer, immediately following the morning service, Sunday, April 5. This meeting is to determine the amount of interest before further plans are made.
- If you would like to decorate one of the tables with your own place settings for the **Mother Daughter Brunch** on Saturday, April 25 please sign the list in the foyer by Sunday, April 19.

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Fellowship Hymn.....Congregation

“Sunlight”

*As our musicians continue to play,
please take this time to turn and greet those around you.*

Welcome and Prayer..... Bro. Maxie

Hymn.....Congregation

“I Am Resolved”

As we sing, the ushers will receive our tithes and offerings.

Hymn.....Congregation

“I Love To Tell The Story”

Special Music..... Catherine Smead

Worship Chorus.....Congregation

“Thank You, Lord”

Message from God’s Word..... Bro. Donis Smead

Time of Reflection and Response.....Congregation

“I Surrender All”

Dismissal Prayer.....Fellowship

SERMON NOTES

AND THE LORD ADDED...

...Nicole English on her profession of faith and upcoming baptism. Her address is 310 Country Oaks Lane., Malvern; her phone number is 332-5589.

...Kandice Woodruff on her profession of faith and upcoming baptism. Her address is 196 Blue Meadow Lane, Malvern; her phone number is 304-0777.

May God bless them as we serve Him together!

AFTER CHURCH THIS MORNING

...we will leave everything as it is. *Thanks for your help!*

CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are excited to announce that we are going to create a new pictorial directory of our church family. The directory will help us to connect names with faces. It will be an ideal outreach tool and will capture the history of our church congregation.

Please participate! All we ask is that you have your picture taken by the Professional Photographer and meet with a Portrait Consultant at the church. For the next several weeks, we will be making appointments after the morning worship service. Please sign up as soon as possible to get the best appointment to fit your schedule.

- Every participating family/household that selects a pose for the directory will receive a free directory and a complimentary 8x10 Custom Natural Portrait.
- You will come to the church only once for photography and for portrait viewing.
- The program is available at no cost to the church budget.
- You will have the opportunity to order additional portraits during your scheduled appointment time.
- If you wish to purchase extras, the portraits come with a 100% satisfaction guarantee.
- Whether you decide to dress formal or casual, you will want to make the most of this opportunity.

The scheduled dates for photography and portrait viewing are:

Thursday, April 2 from 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday, April 3 from 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 4 from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Childcare will be available from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. on Saturday.

If you have any question, please contact Jennifer Rood, Amanda Kratz, Jill Green, Amber Childers, or Alesa Lambert.



There will be a wedding shower for **Bryan Crites and Caitlyn Taylor** on Sunday, April 5 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Kohl’s and Wal-Mart. If you would like to help with the shower contact Anita Cordell.

GUEST INFORMATION—MARCH 22, 2009

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 Arlene Bridges (cancer); David Karrer (cancer); Cheri Ashlin; Lorene Smith; Florence O'Neal; Shane Hartsell; Edna Neeper; Hunter Crumb; the family of CE West; Randy Roger (Adv. Care @St. Joe's room 312); Brenda Keisler; Landon Jackson (had surgery last week); Gifford Montgomery; Dewey Lambert (pneumonia).
2. All those on the March prayer guide (available in the foyer.)

HIGH POWER SOCCER

The Children's Department is beginning a new summer program for children ages 5 yrs. - 6th grade.

But, we need your help—we need coaches (it doesn't matter if you know about soccer or not), group leaders (to escort kids from place to place), and other volunteers. If you would be interested in helping, contact Jennifer Rood or Debbie Jackson ASAP.

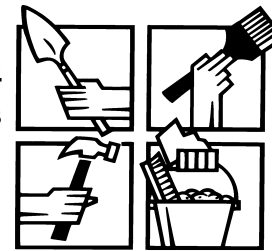
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY SPRING BREAK ACTIVITY

The Children's Ministry will be going to **Party Central** on Wednesday from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. The cost is \$15.00 / child, this includes 1 1/2 hours of play and a meal (probably pizza). They will leave the church at 3:15 p.m. and return by 6:45 p.m. If you plan to attend, sign the list in the foyer **TODAY**. Pay Ms. Debbie when they meet at the church to leave.

CHURCH WORK DAY

We'll be having a work day on **Saturday, April 4 from 8:00 a.m. until noon**. If you can, bring tools and equipment to accomplish the following:

- Clean Chairs in MPB
- Power Wash Buildings (we'll do a lot of this)
- Sweep Parking Lot



**CHURCH
WORKDAY**

We will work, rain or shine, there are plenty of things inside to be done.

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

- March 24 -- "Esther" Morning Bible Study Begins; 9:00 a.m.
 25 -- Adult Bible Study Dismissed
 -- Teens going to Pinnacle Mountain; 11:00 a.m.
 -- Children's Ministry going to Party Central; 4-6 p.m.
 -- Teens "Movie Night"; 6:30 p.m.
 26 -- Teens Going To Gator Park; 1:00 p.m.
 27 -- Teens Going To Eat Pizza & Go Bowling; 11:00 a.m.
 29 -- Joyfest!!
 30 -- "Esther" Evening Bible Study Begins; 6:30 p.m.
- April 2 -- Church Directory Pictures Taken; 3:00-9:00 p.m.
 3 -- Church Directory Pictures Taken; 3:00-9:00 p.m.
 4 -- "Work Day" at the Church; 8:00 a.m. until noon
 -- Church Directory Pictures Taken; 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
 5 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
 -- Education Committee Meeting; 4:00 p.m.
 -- Observing the Lord's Supper; p.m. services
 -- Children's Ministry Team Meeting; after p.m. services
 6 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
 9 -- Prime Timers Luncheon; 11:30 a.m.
 11 -- Children's Ministry Egg Hunt
 12 -- Evening Services dismissed
 13 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
 15 -- "Nautical Night" in Awana
 -- ~~2-4:5~~ Small Group Outing Night
 16 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
 17-18 -- Arkansas Youth Conference, Little Rock
 25 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Sponsoring Mother/Daughter Brunch
 29 -- Special Guest, Illusionist Ken Sibley, at Awana

NURSERY WORKERS

This Week

MW Casey O.; Erin R.
 EW Sara J.; Crystal T

Next Week

MW Casey O.; Mindy W.
 EW Sara J.; Katie C.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

March

Jennifer Rood
 Heather Grigsby
 Vicky Hohrine

April

Jennifer Rood
 Ellen Busch
 Chris Aaron

SPECIAL MUSIC

March 29

a.m. Katie Cordell
 p.m. Joyfest!!

April 5

a.m. Cindy & Bro. Paul
 p.m. Lord's Supper

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School attendance—145; Morning Worship attendance—209
 General Fund offering—\$6,761.50
 Building Fund offering—\$1,330.00
 We had 136 children, teens, and adults here Wednesday night!



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