

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, July 25

- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Education Committee Meeting after a.m. service
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal @ Friendship MBC5:00 p.m.
- Evening Worship @ Friendship MBC.....6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 28

- Youth Ministry Mission Trip Work Night.....6:00 p.m.
- Adult Bible Study.....6:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 29

- Youth Ministry Mission Tripload luggage @ 6:30 a.m.

Sunday, August 1

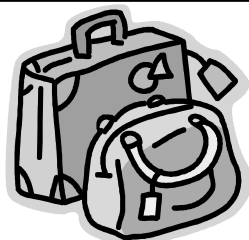
- Sunday School.....9:00 a.m.
- Morning Worship.....10:00 a.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....Dismissed
- Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The **Education Committee** will meet today after morning service.
2. **We will be meeting with Friendship Missionary Baptist Church** this evening at 6:00 for our Sanctuary Choir's presentation of "Nail It To The Cross"
3. The Youth Ministry will be leaving for their **Mission Trip** to Mercer, Pennsylvania on Thursday at 6:30 a.m. Please begin praying for them, Mercer Baptist Church and the VBS we will be helping with.
4. Betty Beason and Burdean Cave will host the **Ladies Auxiliary** meeting Monday, August 2 at 6:00 p.m. Jennifer Rood will giving the devotional. All ladies are welcome to attend!

TRIP TO BRANSON

If you are interested in going to Branson and attending the the Pierce Arrow theater on Thursday, October 14 and Friday, October 15 please sign the list in the foyer. The cost will be approximately \$125.00 / person.



TODAY IN WORSHIP

- Special Music Southern Cross Quartet
"Every Question Will Be Answered"
- Hymn Congregation
"He Is Able To Deliver Thee"
*As our musicians play,
please take this time to turn and greet those around you.*
- Welcome and Prayer.....Mike Clayton
- Special MusicSanctuary Choir
"Reason Enough"
- Hymn Congregation
"Send The Light"
As we sing, the ushers will receive our tithes and offerings.
- Hymn Congregation
"I Love To Tell The Story"
- Special MusicShirley Hall
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- Worship Chorus..... Congregation
"Casual Christian"
"We Are Standing"
- Message from God's Word.....Bro. Donis Smead
"Mission: Implementation of Jesus"
Acts 2:41-42
- Time of Reflection and Response..... Congregation
"Softly And Tenderly"
- Dismissal Prayer..... Fellowship

SERMON NOTES

AFTER CHURCH THIS MORNING...
...we will leave everything as it is. *Thanks for your help!*

FIRST PLACE

If you are interested in participating in "First Place" please contact Cindy Prince by Sunday, August 15. If there is enough interest, they will begin meeting in October..



The Children's Ministry "**Back to School Splash**" will be at the Arkadelphia Aquatic Park Friday, August 13 from 8:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. The concession stand will be open. Children 6th grade and down and their families are encouraged to come. They will be leaving from the church at 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 per person. Sign the list on the bulletin board by Wednesday, August 11 if you plan to participate.

WHAT DID YOU LEARN IN SUNDAY SCHOOL?

One Sunday, after church, Mom asked her little daughter what the Sunday school lesson was about. Her daughter answered, "Don't be scared, you'll get your quilts." Needless to say, Mom was perplexed. Later in the day, the pastor stopped by for tea. Mom asked him what that morning's Sunday school lesson was about. He said, "Be not afraid, thy Comforter is coming."

AND THE LORD ADDED...

....Alex and Raechel Lindsey on their profession of faith and upcoming baptism. Their address is 1226 Dyer St., Malvern; their phone number is 454-9358.

May the Lord bless them as we serve Him together!

GUEST INFORMATION—JULY 25, 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 Sheri Pierce (tests last week); R.W. Lindsey; James Daniel; Nancy York; Abby Holmes; Chad Almond; Joyce Overton and family in the death of her sister; Garnelle Cheatham; Elizabeth Hohrine; James Paine; Wilma McIntire; Dewey Lambert.
2. Be in prayer for all those that are going on the Youth Ministry mission trip and those that will be working/attending the Vacation Bible School in Mercer, Pennsylvania.
3. All those on the prayer guide.

GRACE, MERCY, AND PEACE

The words *grace* and *peace* are found in all of Paul's greetings in his New Testament letters to the churches. And in his letters to Timothy and Titus, he also includes *mercy*: "Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord" (2 Timothy 1:2). Let's examine each of these words.

Grace is what our holy God gives that we, as sinful people, don't deserve. In Acts 17:25, we learn that "*He gives to all life, breath, and all things.*" His gifts include our very next breath. Even in our darkest hour, strength is given by God so that we can endure.

Mercy is what God withholds that we do deserve. In Lamentations 3:22, we read, "*Through the Lord's mercies we are not consumed.*" Even when we're wayward, God gives time and help for us to turn back to Him.

Peace is what God brings to His people. Jesus said: "*Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you*" (John 14:27). Even in the worst of times, we have inner tranquility because our God is in control.

We can be encouraged that throughout our lives the Lord will give us the grace, mercy, and peace we need to live for Him.

He giveth more grace when the burdens grow greater,

He sendeth more strength when the labors increase;

To added affliction He addeth His mercy,

To multiplied trials, His multiplied peace. —Flint

God's grace is immeasurable, His mercy is inexhaustible, His peace is inexpressible.

(Albert Lee; *OUR DAILY BREAD*- July 20, 2010)

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

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

August 13 -- Back-To-School Splash
 25 -- Awana Resumes; 6:25 p.m.

YOUTH MINISTRY

July 29-8/8 -- Mission Trip to Mercer, Pennsylvania
 August 18 -- Small Group Leader Training; 6:30 p.m.
 21 -- ~~2-4:5~~ Back-To-School Celebration
 25 -- ~~2-4:5~~ Resumes; 6:30 p.m.

OTHER MT. ZION ACTIVITIES

July 25 -- Education Committee Meeting; after a.m. service
 August 1 -- Bro. Danny Fudge Preaching; a.m. service
 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
 -- Bro. Billy Jackson Preaching; p.m. service
 2 -- Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
 8 -- Bro. Trey Emory Preaching; a.m. & p.m. services
 9 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; HSCMC boardroom, 7:00 a.m.
 15 -- Deacons Meeting; 4:00 p.m.
 -- Monthly Business Meeting; p.m. service
 17 -- Sunday School Teacher Meeting; 6:00 p.m.
 19 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
 22 -- Pre-Promotion Sunday; 9:35 a.m.
 -- Joyfest!
 29 -- Promotion Sunday
 -- "Friend Day"
 -- Fellowship Lunch; after a.m. service
 -- Evening Service Dismissed
 Sept. 5 -- Nursing Home Services; 2:00 p.m.
 12 -- Monthly Business Meeting; p.m. service
 13 -- Men's Fellowship Breakfast; 7:00 a.m.
 16 -- Prime Timers Game Night; 6:30 p.m.
 19 -- Bro. Heath Loftis Preaching; p.m. service
 25 -- Church Work Day; 8:00 a.m. - noon

NURSERY WORKERS

This Week

MW Sara W.; Cindy P.;
 Ellen B.

EW Casey O.; Marietta B.

Next Week

MW Sara W.; Nita W.;
 Bruce W.

EW Casey O.; Lois G.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL WORKERS

July

Dorothy Daniel
 Pat Hodges
 Corey Lindsey/Kreg Smead
 Sunni Carlton/Jordan Beard

August

Jill Green
 Wanda Buck
 Anita Cordell

SPECIAL MUSIC

August 1

a.m. Cindy Prince
 p.m. Virginia Crumby

August 8

a.m. Mary Penny
 p.m. Michael Blasingame

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Sunday School attendance—122; Morning Worship attendance—201
 General Fund offering—\$5,459.00
 Building Fund offering—\$760.00



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