

**Lancaster Baptist Church**

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A COMMUNITY OF GRACE  
THAT IS **GROWING**  
AND **GOING**

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**NOVEMBER**

- Joy Club Thanksgiving Meal on Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 AM
- Turkey Distribution on Saturday Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM
- Community Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM
- Thanksgiving Meal on Thursday, Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM
- The Insanity of God (Fork's Church) Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM



**PRAYER WARRIOR**  
Sunday, Nov. 20, 2016  
Donna Sutton

**FAMILY LIFE CENTER WALKING**  
Monday – Friday  
(7:42 – 10:02 AM)

**From Your Pastor**

***Tis the Season for Outreach***

'Twas the night before Thanksgiving, And all through the church  
The deacons and women's club Were left in a lurch.  
"We didn't plan well," they said "Oh, what a sight!  
If only we had 10 ideas To make this season bright!"

By Caroline Smith

The holiday season offers us lots of opportunities for outreach and ministry. But, if we aren't intentional, we will let the season pass by without considering ways to reach out to our community and minister to the needs in our neighborhoods. Let me just throw out a few outreach activities that we might consider individually or as a church.

- 1) **Host a Christmas program.** Our choir will have a musical (From the Cradle to the Cross) on Sunday Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. This year we will have songs, children's message, candle lighting, and refreshments after the service. We are making up invitations to invite our community.
- 2) **Go Caroling.** We will plan on going caroling on Monday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM. We will go to Christian Care and by some of our shut-ins. If we have enough participants we could carol through the neighborhood.
- 3) **Participate in the local Christmas parade.** Anybody interested in building a float. Maybe we could serve hot chocolate after the parade or set up a hot cocoa station up on the square?
- 4) **Plan a Parent's Night Out.** Lots of parents need a night to go shopping for their children. Maybe your Sunday School class would host a night (5:30-9:00) with a snack, movie, games, etc. for the children while the parents get out.
- 5) **Adopt a child/family this Christmas:** The Family Resource Center has identified some families who need some help during Christmas and maybe your SS class could buy them some gifts.
- 6) **Have a Christmas Eve Service.** We will plan on having a special Christmas Eve service on Saturday, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 PM with candle lighting, Christmas carols, and a short message.
- 7) **Show a holiday movie in the church parking lot.** Ok, so it might be a little too cold for this idea in December but at least we are thinking.
- 8) **Have a Thanksgiving or Christmas meal for the community.** We will have a Thanksgiving meal on Thanksgiving Day (24<sup>th</sup>) at 11AM. We will make deliveries and serve those who come to the FLC. The Deacons also sponsor a meal on Sunday, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> after the AM service. Invite somebody to come with you on that Sunday and stay for the meal.
- 9) **Christmas Day Worship Service.** What a great day to invite somebody to join you for worshipping the Lord. Greet those who visit with us on that Sunday (as well as all other Sundays).
- 10) **What is your outreach idea for this Christmas???** \_\_\_\_\_

I would be thrilled to hear what you and/or your SS class is doing to reach out this holiday season. May God bless our efforts.

**Bro. Harold**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**JOY CLUB REMINDER:** Our Thanksgiving meal (potluck) will be Thursday, **Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>** at 11:30 A.M.

**COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE:** Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM at Lancaster Church of the Nazarene. All churches are asked to bring some desserts or finger foods.

**SUNRISE T/G OFFERING:** We will receive our annual Thanksgiving offering for Sunrise Children Services this Sunday.

**TUESDAY MIDWEEK SERVICE:** We will have a joint midweek service **next Tues., Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 PM** in the Youth Room. (Wednesday evenings before Thanksgiving are not usually well attended because of Thanksgiving preparations.)

**UPWARD BASKETBALL & CHEERLEADING:** Volunteers are needed for Coaches, Referees, concessions, & clean up. We also need some scholarships this year. See Michael Dailey or Anna Ward (792-3419) with any questions.

**THE INSANITY OF GOD:** This is an excellent missionary movie that we are partnering with Fork's of Dix River Baptist on Sunday, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM (at Fork's truck). We will be receiving donations that will be split between the Chervens and the Jeffries (Bruce & Tammy).

**RIGHTNOW MEDIA:** This is like "Netflix for the church" featuring thousands of video sessions that members can access anytime, anywhere. We will be able to instantly stream biblical teachings to our Sunday school classes, home groups, men's/women's groups or youth/children groups. Resources from over 150 leading Christian publishers and ministries will be available. Exclusive streaming resources from David Platt, J.D. Greer, Eric Mason, Francis Chan and more will be a click away. Join Bro. Stephen in the youth room following Sunday AM worship for a preview.

**THANKSGIVING MEALS:** We will give out 100 turkeys this Sat., Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM. We will also be having a Thanksgiving meal on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM. We have a sign-up sheet for those who can help (cook, deliver, or minister to those who come). If you have any questions, please see Georgia Long or Della Hall.



**THANKSGIVING DAY MEAL**

**Location:** Lancaster Baptist Church (Family Life Center -201 Richmond St.)  
**Date:** Nov. 24, 2016 – Thanksgiving Day  
**Time:** 11:00 am

A FREE Traditional Thanksgiving Day meal will be served.  
 Please call Georgia Long (339-0268) or Vicki Murphy (339-0264) to reserve your seating or for delivery to those who are homebound.

Turkey Rolls Desserts	<b>MENU</b> Gravy & Dressing Mashed potatoes Drinks	Green Beans Cranberry Sauce
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### PRAYER REQUEST *(Pray without ceasing... 1 Thessalonians 5:16)*

Della Hall – 548-9250

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| Buddy Arnold<br>Blanche Ballard<br>Sue Ballard<br>Ronnie Barnes<br>Lynn Bateman<br>Melvin Bottom<br>Pat Brown<br>Kaleigh Burkhardt<br>J.O. Burkhead<br>Bud Byrd<br>Jerry Carrier<br>Brianna Cherven<br>Leah Cherven<br>Levi Clontz<br>Susan Conley<br>Rosa Cranfill<br>Kristine Caudill<br>Lloyd Dailey<br>Charles Denton<br>Jo Denton<br>Jeanne Dobbins<br>Mike Doughty<br>Josh Duncan<br>Mike Durham | Stephanie Elam<br>Mark Fields<br>Jimmy Flynn<br>Jim France<br>Rosetta France<br>Arthur Gaffney, Jr.<br>Zachary Gay<br>Barbara Hackney<br>Barb Hall<br>Jeanne Hall<br>Leland Hall<br>Marsha Hodge<br>Misty Horton<br>Ryan Hunt<br>Carolyn Hunt<br>Linda Jones<br>Julia Kay<br>Donna Kendall<br>KY Choice Treatment<br>Mandy Lynch<br>Carl Kidwell<br>Bill Lamb<br>Jean Land<br>Molly Lanham | Landan Maynard<br>Lindsay Meadors<br>Verity Morrow<br>Cline Mullins<br>George Peek<br>Amber Rankin<br>Sheridan Ratliff<br>Adriana Rodriguez<br>Lisa Logan Rogers<br>Dave Ruda<br>Jane Sammons<br>Amos Sharp<br>Kathy Shelton<br>David Simpson<br>Virginia Simpson<br>Danny Smith<br>Pam Smith<br>Katherine Sowder<br>Tyler Stratton<br>Andy Sutton<br>Pauletta Teater<br>Tink Teater family<br>Bill Vanderpool<br>Tonia Warren | Lucy Wayne<br>Flonnie Whitaker<br>Billy Williams<br>Charlotte Winter<br>Melanie York<br><br>The Lost<br><br><b>HOMEBOUND</b><br>Jewell Callis<br>Lois Carrier (CCC)<br>Nellie Cole<br>JoAnn Grow<br>Allene (Peg) Dollins<br>Juanita Gullett<br>Della Meadows (CCC)<br>Anna Meadows<br>Tina Montgomery (CCC)<br>Marie Naylor<br>Dorothy Shockley (CCC)<br>Myrtle Stump (CCC) | <b>LBC</b><br>Bro. Harold & family<br>Bro. Stephen & family<br>Bro. Nehemiah & family<br>Bro. Ken & family<br>Chervens<br>Amanda Hubler<br>Michael Anderson<br>Our Deacons<br>Our SS Teachers<br>Church Leaders<br>New Believers<br><b>COMMUNITY</b><br>County Judge (Wilson)<br>City Mayor (Davis)<br>Representative (Shell)<br>Police/Sheriff Dept.<br>Fire/EMS<br>Schools<br>Lost<br><b>NATION</b><br>President (Obama)<br>President Elect (Trump)<br>Governor (Bevins)<br>Legislatures<br>Armed Forces<br>Missionaries |
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