

HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

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December 9, 2018

Call to Worship	<i>"Open Up the Heavens"</i>	
Announcements		Keith Ruether
Mission Moment		Maggie Hill
Welcome & Prayer		Pastor David Brown
Worship in Praise	<i>"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"</i> <i>"Good Christian Men, Rejoice"</i>	Hymn #88 Hymn #96
Choral Special	<i>"Come and See, Go and Tell"</i>	Worship Choir
Offertory Music	<i>"Who Can Satisfy"</i>	
Offertory Prayer		Brian Wallace
Children 3 yrs.-9 yrs. leave for Children's Church		
Special Music		Kim Stephens
Message	<i>"What Child is This?"</i> <i>The Christmas Story According to Matthew</i> <i>Matthew 1:18-25</i>	Pastor David Brown
Opportunity to Respond	<i>"Untitled Hymn (Come to Jesus)"</i>	

**Hillcrest Baptist Church exists to see lost people saved,
saved people disciplined, and disciplined people sent.**

**Weekly Opportunities for Worship and Service
December 9—December 15**

Worship & Activity Schedule

Today	9:00 am Connection Corner
	9:30 am Life Groups
	10:30 am Praise Celebration
	5:00 pm Children's Choir Practice
	6:00 pm Evening Worship Youth Common Man, Uncommon Life—Rod Everage The Faithful—Ann Holley, Ava Baker
Wednesday	4:45 pm Family Meal—Soup and Sandwich
	5:40 pm Awana
	6:00 pm Prayer/Bible Study Youth
	7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	6:30 pm Women on Mission
Friday	6:00 pm Game Night
Saturday	7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast
	10:00 am Can We Talk
	6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal



LOTTIE MOON POST OFFICE

Labels for Christmas cards can be picked up from the Welcome Center for \$5 per set. We have 163 names in the Post Office, so it will save you a lot of time writing! All money goes to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

LOTTIE MOON OFFERING GOAL: \$5,750

Received to Date: \$1,350

You may find that the location of your mailbox has moved one or two spaces, because names have been added. Please check your mailbox each week for Christmas cards, etc.



Last Week at Hillcrest

Life Groups	187
Praise Celebration	228
Evening Worship	126
Awana	84

Budget Offering

Requirement weekly	\$ 7,731.00
Received week of 12/02/18	\$ 12,475.74
Budget amount needed	\$177,813.00
Budget amount received	\$187,714.71

Loan

Paid on loan principal this week	\$ 750.00
Loan balance	\$328,059.73



SHIRTS AVAILABLE

Black Servolution shirts—1 medium youth, 3 large youth, 1 XL youth, 4 adult small, 2 adult medium, 10 adult large, 6 adult XL, 2 adult 2XL.

COMING EVENTS

- December 13—Women on Mission will pack boxes for Hillcrest Education Center, 6:30 pm
- December 14—Game Night in Family Life Center, 6 pm
- December 15—Adult Choir rehearsal, 6 pm
- December 16—Adult cantata, 10:30 am
Children's Choir rehearsal, 12 pm
Children's Choir program, 6 pm
- December 19—Last Awana until January 9
- December 20—Children's Christmas party at Doug and Marty Kinnett's home, 6 pm
- December 23—No evening service
- December 24—Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 5 pm
- December 30—Lord's Supper during morning service



MEN'S WINTER RETREAT

January 11-12, 2019

Cross Pointe Conference Center

Rocky Mount, MO On the Lake of the Ozarks



Special Guest—Spencer Plumlee,
Senior Pastor

First Baptist Church, Mansfield, TX

Worship with Nathan Warson
LifePoint Church, Worship Pastor, Lebanon, MO



ALERT * FAITHFUL * HOPEFUL * LOVING

WANTED: VAN DRIVER

Requirements: Must like ice cream, kids, grown-ups, driving, little animals, pot holes, road closed signs, and last but not least, map reading.

Skills: Ability to drive many miles on a short road, answer the question "Are we there yet?", and pass the test, "This isn't my house."

Pay: A blessing every trip.



See Tim Blake to sign up.

Our Adult Choir will present *Come and See, Go and Tell* on Sunday morning, December 16. Bring someone with you that morning to Life Groups and to hear this wonderful Christmas cantata.



GAME NIGHT



Join us for Game Night this Friday at 6 pm in the Family Life Center. There is no specific type of food to bring, just any snack you would like to share.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

If the roads are icy or there is danger in driving, please listen to one of the following stations for an announcement of services being cancelled:



- KTTK 90.7
- KJEL 103.7
- KCVO 91.7

Remember, also, that on Wednesdays if there is no school or school is cancelled early because of weather, there will be no services—no meal, Awana, Bible study and prayer, youth or choir.

Business Meeting

Our business meeting will be held tonight at 7 pm.



Service Opportunities

Immediate Opportunities:

- Work in Awana

Ongoing Opportunities:

- Go on a mission trip to Senegal or Cuba
- Give to the Christmas Project for Hillcrest Education Center
- Donate to Human Trafficking victims

...and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth.



WOMEN ON MISSION CHRISTMAS PROJECT



Thank you for helping with this endeavor throughout the year. We are still a little short on some of the items we need for the Christmas boxes for Hillcrest Education Center. You are welcome to bring any of the following and leave them in the office:

- 13 Cake/brownie mixes
- 5 Packages of spaghetti
- 9 Spaghetti sauce
- 1 Jelly
- 24 Syrup
- 28 Pancake/baking mix

The items need to be here by Wednesday night. Boxes will be packed on Thursday evening.

WILL YOU HELP?



There is a sign-up sheet in Connection Corner for Upward Basketball and Cheerleading. If you would like to help with concessions, be a referee or scorekeeper, or will pray, please add your name.

Sermon Notes

MORNING WORSHIP

“What Child is This?”

The Christmas Story According to Matthew Matthew 1:18-25

1. We can rediscover the wonder of Christmas when we reflect on the _____ of Jesus Christ. (vv. 18-20)
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2. We can rediscover the wonder of Christmas when we reflect on the _____ of Jesus Christ. (v.21)
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3. We can rediscover the wonder of Christmas when we reflect on the _____ of Jesus Christ. (vv. 22-23a)
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4. We can rediscover the wonder of Christmas when we reflect on the _____ of Jesus Christ. (v. 23b)
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SUNDAY EVENING

Parables of Jesus “Heading for a Wedding” Matthew 22:1-14

1. God’s invitation is _____: He invites _____ to His _____.
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2. God’s invitation is _____: You must _____ through _____.
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3. God’s invitation is _____: Those who _____ will face _____ consequences.
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WELCOME CENTER & USHERS

Today, Dec. 9
Welcome Center
Vonda Wallace
Lynette Franklin

Next Sunday, Dec. 16
Welcome Center
Joy Strick
Kay Cruz

Ushers
Brian Wallace
Dean Morrow
Justin Stephens
R. D. Brown
John Stowe
Shawn Light

Ushers
Gilbert Mendoza
Larry Hill
Wayne Williams
Dave Brisco
Randy Sutter
Dave Veanes

CHILD CARE

Today, Dec. 9
Morning Service
Judy Clark
Amanda Frazier
Deidra Edwards

Next Sunday, Dec. 16
Morning Service
Brandie Bax
Brenna Weddle
Deidra Edwards

Evening Service
Deidra Edwards
Jane Bunch

Evening Service
Laura Ruether
LeeAnn Hackworth

Children’s Church 3 yr.-K
Marty & Jen Kinnett

Children’s Church 3 yr.-K
Kim & Justin Stephens
Cynthia Jennings

Child. Church Gr. 1-3
Pastor Bradley
Micah Veanes

Child. Church Grades 1-3
Scott & Lynette Franklin

Awana, Dec. 12
Pastor David

Awana, Dec. 19
Dave Veanes

Nursery, Dec. 12
Tim & Nancy Blake

Nursery, Dec. 19
Sue Stowe & Ann Holley

SECURITY MONITORS

Sunday Services
9:00 am
5:30 pm

Today, Dec. 9
Luke Handley
Bill Salsman

Sunday, Dec. 16
John Frazier
Don Porter

AWANA
4:45 pm

Wed. Dec. 12
Jim Hackworth

Wed. Dec. 19
Doug Kinnett

Today
Tim & Nancy Blake

CONNECTION CORNER **Sunday, Dec. 16**
Bill & Linda Salsman

Week of Dec. 9
Brian Wallace 718-0125

DEACON ON CALL

Week of Dec. 16
John Stowe 573-645-0201

Today
Mike McDaniel

VAN DRIVER

Sunday, Dec. 16
Robert Jennings

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