



**PULPIT PREVIEW – DECEMBER 17, 2006**

**Worship AM – Like A Thief**

**Worship PM – Guyana, South America Report**

**GREETERS – DECEMBER 17, 2006**

Allen & Avella Padgett

Tom & Linda Payne

**SUNDAY – DECEMBER 17, 2006**

• **Visitation Team #7** will meet after the evening services.

• **Senior Youth Christmas Party** at the home of Michael & Kara Kirschbaum after the evening services.

**SICK LIST**

**David Ellegood** fell and broke his leg in an accident at work, he is now at home.

In Jackson Purchase Medical Center:

- **Jeanette Chandler** is in ICU.
- **Ned Burnette** is in ICU.
- **Clyde Dick** is in room 306.
- **Hugh Washam** is in room 417.

**SYMPATHY**

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of **Ivan Locke** on his death on Friday. Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday.

**THANKSGIVING TRAYS**

*We received cards from the following people thanking the Junior & Senior Youth Groups for the Thanksgiving fruit baskets:*  
**Ernestine Basting, Wanda McClure, Lillian Ray, and Fern Shockley**

**CARDS**

*Thanks to everyone for all the cards and prayers on mine & Howard's behalf. I really appreciate everything.*

**Imogene Riley**

*Dear Northside friends,*

*Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers while I was in the hospital. They nearly beat me there! You're wonderful people.*

*Thanks again for everything.*

*Love you all,*

**Sandra Behrens**

**SERVICE CHANGE**

• On **Christmas Eve (December 24<sup>th</sup>)** we will meet at **4 p.m.** for our evening services.

• On **New Year's Eve (December 31<sup>st</sup>)** we will meet at **7 p.m.** for our evening services. We will have a finger food fellowship following our services and will then sing in the New Year.

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**

We will be hosting a blood drive on **Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> from 1:30 to 6:30 p.m.** in the fellowship building. We need volunteers to work at registration and refreshments. If you would be willing to help, please call the office.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS**

**Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>** is the last day to bring Christmas cards to be delivered to those in the congregation.

**LADIES' BIBLE CLASS BRUNCH**

The Ladies' Bible class brunch will be at the home of Shirley Satterwhite on Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. Please meet at the church building at 10 a.m. to carpool. Please bring a potluck dish.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to **Rachel Fortner**, who along with **Savannah Tucker**, designed the winning entry for the holiday card for the Challenger Center at WKCTC. The card will be mailed to various places, including the White House.

**GRADUATES**

We have several individuals who are graduating from college this December.

- Freed-Hardeman University
  - **Miranda Carr**
  - **Nick Bruce**
  - **Rachel Carter** – Masters
- Murray State University
  - **Zach Baldwin**
  - **Zach English** (son of Buddy English)
  - **Danielle Gream** - Masters
- West KY Community & Technical College
  - **Russ Kirby**

**DONATION**

• A donation has been made to the church's library **in memory of Ivan Locke** by Gene and Ondine Baldwin. The book is *Truth for Today Commentary on Isaiah* by Don Shackelford, Th.D.

• A donation has been made to the church's library **in honor of Clyde Dick** by the congregation. The book is *Dangerous 'Isms from the 1997 Power Lectures*.

• A book has been donated to the church's library **in memory of Ivan Locke** by Larry & Margaret Baldwin. The book is *Truth for Today Commentary on the Life of Christ, 1 A supplement* by David L. Roper.

**OH YES, IT DOES MATTER  
DOESN'T IT?**

When Dr. Pierce Harris, a preacher of Atlanta, Georgia spoke recently at a prison work camp, the prisoner introducing him recalled earlier days of association with this minister.

"Several years ago," the prisoner said, "two boys live in the same community in North Georgia and attended the same school, played with the same bunch of fellows, and went to the same Sunday school.

One of them dropped out of Sunday School because he felt that he had outgrown it, and that it was "sissy stuff." The other boy kept on going because he felt that it really did mean something in his life.

The boy who dropped out is making this introduction today. The boy who kept going to Sunday school is the preacher who will speak to us this morning."

Parents, we need all the help we can get in training children to do right. A Bible class cannot take the place of parents. However, it can greatly supplement their work. If you will attend an adult class and see that your children are in their respective classes (and both prepare the assigned lessons) you will see a big difference in all.

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