A Moment with Matt...

Dear Church Family,

For the next several weeks, my article will be a prayer guide to help us pray for various areas of our church. My prayer is that as each member will follow the Biblical mandate to "Pray for one another", we will see God move in new and powerful ways. Each week, I will give you a specific area of our church to pray for.

"God is perfect love and perfect wisdom.

We do not pray in order to change his will, but to bring our wills into harmony with his."

Sir William Temple

This Week's Prayer Focus:

Deacons – Lord, I lift up our deacons to You. May they walk worthy of respect with sincere hearts. Keep them from indulgence and greed. Help them keep hold of truth. May they keep short accounts with You so that their conscience is clear. Bless their households with peace and respect. Fill them with Your Spirit and let them operate in wisdom as they carry out their responsibilities. **(1 Tim. 3:8-9, 12; Acts 6:3)**

Cory's Column...

Our Worship Choir will present a Fall musical "Still the King" Sunday, October 25th at 6:00pm

Fall 2015 Rehearsal Schedule

Worship Choir Wednesdays - 7:30pm
Worship Band Sundays - 8:30am & 5:15pm

Youth Praise Team Sundays - 4:15pm

Katey's Korner...

Family Bible Challenge Verses for October

October 4-10	Joshua 24:24
October 11-17	1 Chronicles 16:9
October 18-24	Psalm 56:3
October 25-31	Psalm 119:11

Operation Christmas Child

Fill a shoe box (or lots of shoe boxes) from October 4-November 15.

Family Day in the Park

Sunday, October 11 @ Joyner School Playground Fun & Games start at 3:00 Hamburgers & Hotdogs will be served at 5:00. If you can help cook, please see Katey

Trunk or Treat

Saturday, October 31, 3:00-5:00pm

Nursery Parking Lot

If you can provide a trunk, please sign up in the glass hallway. If you need help with a theme or some easy ideas, see Katey.

John Mark's Memo...

Super Summer 2016

If you came to our parent/youth meeting in September, you had the chance to get a Super Summer covenant. These are due by October 11 if your student is interested in Super Summer next year. If you missed the meeting and are interested, please set up a time to meet with me before October 11.

Super Summer Dates: July 11-15

9-10th Grade Fellowship Supper

Monday, October 19

Youth Worship Teams—Sunday Practice Schedule Praise Band—4:30 in the youth room Youth Choir—5:15 in the choir room

It's more than just singing songs, it is growing in our WORSHIP.

Get your student plugged into these great teams!

Student Discipleship Groups in October

Sunday, October 4 Sunday, October 18

The Record Speaks September 27, 2015

Sunday School Attendance	144
Guests	6
Sunday School Avg. Attendance (August)	130
August Income	\$33,731.18
August Expense	\$31,018.79
Margaret Lackey Offering	\$1,589.00

The Lord's Additions

September 1, 2015 – August 31, 2016

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<u>Announcements</u>

Operation Christmas Child Emphasis Sunday, October 4th October Donations: Candy, Hard Plastic Cups

Ladies' Bible Study Sunday, October 4th at 4:30 in room 209

LACE

Tuesday, October 6 at 6:00p.m.

We will hear about the Forrest Spence Fund.

Please bring some of the following items for this organization:

Children's books (new)

Chapstick

Lotion (trial size)

Hand Sanitizer (trial size)

All ladies are invited!

Family Day In The Park Sunday, October 11th Joyner Elementary School Playground 3:00p.m. – Fellowship & Games 5:00p.m. – Meal (Hamburgers & Hotdogs) Bring a lawn chair

If you can provide a trunk for Trunk or Treat Saturday October 31st from 3:00-5:00p.m., please sign up in the glass hallway. For help with a theme or easy ideas, see Katey.

October Church-wide Goal

Connect with each person in your Sunday school class

Invite one new person to Sunday school

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