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November 12, 2008

**Charge
Conference
Tuesday,
November 18th
6:30pm**



3890 Altama Avenue

Brunswick, GA 31520

COLLEGE PLACE VISION

College Place is a community of love and faith, training and nurturing disciples of Jesus Christ, equipping them with God's Word, and spreading His redeeming love to every soul in need.

The 2nd Commitment Sunday for *Sharing God's Gifts in 2009* Is November 16, 2008

"Thank You" to those of you who placed your 2009 commitment cards on the altar during last Sunday's worship services. Your early submission of your 2009 financial commitment to our church assists in finalizing our church's 2009 Operating Budget in a timely manner.

Those of you who have not yet submitted your pledge for our 2009 Operating Budget and the Building Debt Retirement Fund will have the opportunity to do so during our worship services next Sunday, November 16th. You should have received a commitment card in a previous mailing from the church, but if you didn't, or have misplaced it, copies will be available in the seats and pew racks next Sunday. Envelopes will also be available in which you can enclose your commitment card for placement in the "Gifts Basket" at the altar.

In 2008, your giving to our Church Operating Budget, which is just over \$500,000, has allowed us to fulfill much of the vision God has given us for ministry. We were able to assume the full costs of earlier improvements and additions to our ministry. In order to do this, we also had to implement cost-saving measures in some areas and do some cost cutting in other areas. The same forces that are driving up costs outside of the church are also driving up the costs of doing ministry. The good news is that we have grown. We have had more people join in sharing the costs of ministry. Every commitment card that is turned in will make a difference in what we project we will be able to do in 2009.

We also look forward to receiving everyone's commitments to the Building Debt Retirement Fund. That's when we will be able to see the progress we will make next year in our retiring our debt. We will only have a little more than \$200,000 in debt remaining at the end of this year. That's amazing when you consider almost a million and a half dollars worth of building expansion and renovation projects in the last six years. We can see the light at the end of the tunnel. With everyone's help, we will accomplish this goal.

If you have not yet made your commitment to our 2009 Church Operating Budget and the Building Debt Retirement Fund, please pray for God's guidance and place your commitment card in the "Gifts Basket" during our worship services on November 16th.

May God continue to bless our Church as we seek to do His will, and may all our efforts be pleasing to Him!

Prayer List

All Military Personnel

Bill Adams (Barbara Moons & Miriams brother)

Barbara Adams (Barbara Moon's sister in law)

*Pat Benton

Henry Brauda

Jean Brown

Lillian Browning

Tom Bullock

Ellen Dawson

Paul Forster

Tommy Fussell

Jim Gore (Gina Rogers father)

*Harley Green

*Haley Haraway

Bruce Hampton (Brent Hampton's brother)

*Carol Henderson

Louise Henslee

Melinda Hulling (Melanie Williamson's mother)

Cathy Fogle Jenkins (Doyle Fogle daughter)

Jenny Lee

James & Linda Long

*Rex Moon

Cora Purvis

T.M. Purvis

Carter Roberts

Bobby Shupe

Casey Strickland Russell

Laurel Russell

*Venita Schwartz

Beverly Sisson

Lisia Sullens

Johnny Teele (Alice Teele's brother)

Curtis Tucker

James White (Beth Morrison's brother)

(Names will be removed after two weeks unless office is notified. The names with an * beside them will remain on the list until further notice)

Pray for our Homebound

Lillie Blocker
Armatha McCall
Madeline Rouse

Operation Christmas Child

Samaritan's Purse

Operation Christmas Child

Notice:

Shoebox collections for Operation Christmas Child shall continue through this week. Please have your boxes in by the week of 17-22.

We would like to invite you to join in this year's Operation Christmas Child project, a world-wide outreach of Samaritan's Purse that touches the lives of millions of hurting children each year through the power of a simple gift.

Shoeboxes filled with presents by caring people can bring love, joy, and hope to little ones living in the some of the most desperate circumstances imaginable. The power of a simple gift, a gift of joy and a message of God's love.

Please help us meet our goal of 175 boxes. Bring your boxes to the Welcome Center hallway. A Christmas tree will be provided. If you need more information, please call Joshua Harper at 267-9886 or Carolyn McCollum at 265-4754.

The final week for collecting will be November 17-22. Thank you!

Joshua Harper, Coordinator

Noah's Ark Pre-school

Thanksgiving Party
Monday, November
24th.

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

USHERS 11:00 AM

*Martha Strayer Shirley Shirley
Brenda Antonio Cathy Haase

ACOLYTES

November 16—Jamie Rogers & Joe Rogers
November 23—Sam Stalvey & Ben Stalvey

GREETERS

November—Friendship

VISITING FRIENDS

November 16—Bob & Mary B. Rice
November 23—Alice Teele & Marie Williams
November 30—Richard & Barbara Moon

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Gail Ashurst

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Randy Ashurst

Hanging of the Greens

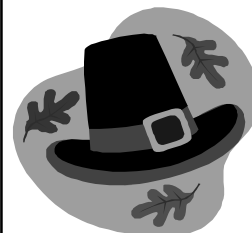
Hanging of the Greens
Sunday,
November 23rd
5:00pm

Soup, sandwiches & dessert will be serve.

*Looking for volunteers to help
in decorating and making
sandwiches & dessert.*

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Given by Randy and Gail
Ashurst



Happy
Thanksgiving



Building 429 Concert – November 23rd

Concert will be at North Glynn UMC and tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. We will meet at 5:00 and return back to the church following the concert.

Youth Ski Trip – December 19th – 23rd

Snow Shoe Mountain West Virginia, Cost is \$450 and the deadline is November 30th with a \$100 deposit. We have limited spaces available, don't delay to sign-up, its first come first serve. You don't want to miss this chilling experience!

The Fruit is Coming! Deadline for orders is Sunday, November 16th

CHILDREN

WOW KIDS

November 19

5:45 - 6:30 D/C Club rehearsal

6:30 - 8:00

IT'S GAME NIGHT!

Don't miss this!

Remember November's "choice"

"Choose to Pray"

memory verse... "Do not be anxious for anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." Philippians 4:6

WANTED

Noah's Ark Preschool needs the following items for upcoming holiday projects.

Wanted: Empty oatmeal containers and coffee cans (large and small).

Please put them in the purple plastic container in the coffee greeting area.

AMITY HOUSE

Can Goods for Amity House
The Co-ed Sunday school class is collecting can goods and other non-perishable food for Amity House.

They also need any size pampers & paper products.

You can leave the items in the Co-ed room for the next two weeks- November 16 & November 23rd.

ABIDING MEMORIAL

IN MEMORY OF DALE HAMILTON

Given by: Fellowship Sunday School

NON-PROFIT
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
PERMIT NO. 257

College Place Methodist Church
3890 Altama Avenue
Brunswick, GA 31520
RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, November 16

Coffee in the main entrance

8:45 AM Contemporary Worship Service

10:00 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

5:00PM Youth

5:00 PM Bible Study

MONDAY, November 17

9:00 AM Noah's Pre-school

7:00 PM Friendly Outreach

7:00 PM Praise and Worship Rehearsal

TUESDAY, November 18

9:00 AM Noah's Pre-school

10:00 AM Prayer Group

10:00 AM Lamplighters

6:30 PM Charge Conference

7:00 PM Doing Life Together Class

7:00 PM Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, November 19

9:00 AM Noah's Pre-school

11:00 AM Grea Meeting

6:45 PM Children's

7:00 PM Choir Practice

THURSDAY, November 20

9:00 AM Noah's Pre-school

6:00 PM Finance Committee

7:00 PM Church Council

FRIDAY, November 21

9:00 AM Noah's Pre-school

Calling all Retired Educators

Grea will meet Wednesday, November 19th
at 11:00am in the Conference room.

Lunch will be served.

Monday, November 17

UMW Executive Board—6:00

Friendly Outreach—7:00

Tuesday, November 18

Lamplighters— 10:00am

Thursday, November 20

Finance —6:00

Church Council— 7:00

Financial Report November 9, 2008

OPERATING MINISTRIES FUND

Amount received this week \$12,168.25

Amount received this month \$26,145.10

Amount received this year \$422,788.81

BUILDING FUND

Amount received this week \$2,042.00

Amount received this month \$4,573.00

Amount received this year \$102,679.00

Building Fund Principal amt. 9/30/08 \$246,500.00

Building Fund Principal Paid 10/22/08 (6100.00)

Building Fund Principal Amount \$240,400.00

Bus Fund (CD-\$25,000) \$28,752.08

8:45AM Service 109

11:00 AM Traditional Service 192

301

Sunday School Total 192