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July 14, 2010

BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, July 26th

1:00-6:00pm

***Christian Life
Center***



3890 Altama Avenue

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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.

"Always With Us"

The World Cup finally came to an end Sunday with Spain capturing the title from the Netherlands. At the international level this is called "football." We tend to call it "soccer." Andres Iniesta scored the winning goal in overtime. In his excitement to celebrate he pulled off his uniform shirt to reveal a white shirt with writing on it.

The message on the shirt written in Spanish said, "Dani Jarque always with us." Spain's defender Jarque suffered a heart attack this past year. He was the same age as Iniesta and came up in the Spanish national team ranks together.

For his tribute to his friend, Iniesta received a yellow card (penalty). But for his effort to remember a fallen friend and teammate he wins our hearts.

Please be in prayer for our worship Sunday, July 25. It is on this day that we will also pay tribute to fallen friends and family. My sermon time will focus on "Things We Don't Want to Talk About." One of those things we don't want to talk about is preparing for the worst.

I've noticed that the family member who made their wishes known by putting things in writing prior to their illness helped their families greatly. This took the guess work out of some big decisions upon ones death. Those family members who did not leave anything in writing tended to put a heavier burden on the shoulders of their loved ones.

I pray that when a family member passes away, we too can pay tribute to their lives in a healthy way that pulls families together rather than pulling them apart. For they are truly, "Always with Us".

Rob

Remember the youth will be leading our worship this Sunday, July 18. Please make every effort to support them with your presence.

Prayer List

All Military Personnel

Bill Adams (Barbara Moons & Miriams brother)

Barbara Adams (Barbara Moon's & Miriam's sister in law)

Donald & Jackie Bartlett

Patsy Benton

James Blocker

Shirley Bonamie

Lillian Browning

L.J. Clawson

Aimee Combs

Cheryl Crosby

Bill Daisher (Valerie Turner's father)

Ellen Dawson

Betsy Douglas (Jay Morris grandmother)

Barbara Foster

***Harley Green**

***Haley Haraway**

***Carol Henderson**

Louise Henslee

Margie Hitt

Mary Huling (Melanie Williamson's grandmother)

Carley Hutchinson

Joyce Hight

Frances Jones

Robert McAlum

***Rex Moon**

Crawford Morris (Jay Morris's father)

Becky Lee Weyrich (Jack Moran's cousin)

Carter Roberts

***Venita Schwartz**

Melinda Sellevold (Melanie Williamson's cousin)

Virginia Smith

Deborah Snyder

Sam Stalvey

Willie Mae Tapley

Nellie Taylor

Curtis Tucker

Gloria Tucker

Bobby Turner

Heather Turner

Les Turner

Elizabeth Walker (Nancy Rainey's mother)

Frank Wood

Mary Yanda

David Young

Jane Zeh

Pray for our Homebound

Madeline Rouse
William Strickland

Staff Parish Relations

Continue to be in prayer for our Staff Parish Relations Committee as they seek to fill our ministry with youth position. Jason Lee will remain on staff until July 31. The Lee family will remain as active participants in College Place with Rachael continuing as our Director of Adult Discipleship.

RUMOR!

"Rumor! Gus the Bus is headed our way to pick up donated school supplies!"

UMW

UMW EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING.

Ladies, If you are a member of the UMW Executive Board, our next meeting is scheduled for July 19, 2010, at 6:00 pm in the Welcome Center. We will be discussing the UMW Fellowship Night coming up in August. We will also discuss the vision statement being developed by the committee established during our last Executive Board Meeting. Please plan to be there. Gail

UMW: Ladies, please mark your calendars for UMW Fellowship Night on August 13 at 6:30 in the Conference Room. More information will be forthcoming but one thing is for sure, we will have our fun-filled auction to support missions.

Several new Vera Bradley bags have already been donated and will be included in the auction. Ladies, you do not want to miss this fun evening!!

WORSHIP

USHERS 11:00 AM

***Bob Williamson**

Randy Ashurst Tim Holcomb

David Pierce

ACOLYTES

July 18: Allison Durham & Ashley Williams

July 25: Megan Leotis & Abby Yanko

CHILDREN MOMENTS

Ruth Hampton

CHILDREN CHURCH

Donna Bazemore

There will be a Adult Assembly in the CLC during the Sunday School hour, Sunday, July 25th. Please join us on this informative hour with the chaplain from Hospice.

BUS NEWS

Update on the new bus: Our Trustees authorized the purchase of a new 2009 Starcraft 15 passenger bus through a dealer in Jacksonville. A deposit of \$5,500.00 was sent to them to secure the order. Delivery should be within 8 to 10 weeks

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for the giving of your time, your energy, and yourself, many thanks.

May God bless each and everyone of you.

With love,
Bobby Shupe, Patti Crawford, Mitzi Smith and their families.

CHILDREN

ATTENTION ALL PARENTS OF PRE-K THRU 5TH GRADE CHILDREN

Family/Children's Ministries Team Fall planning meeting is Sunday, August 1, immediately following the 11:00am worship service in the Conference Room.

We want to share ideas for MEF, and special events for the fall.

Making a successful children's ministry requires dedicated parent involvement on many levels.

You have a unique gift to share with our children for God's glory. If your child is participating in any of our children's activities, we need you! Plan to attend and get plugged in!

A Grandy's fried chicken dinner will be served, and child care will be provided.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who aided in our Fire Donation Party Saturday, July 10. Thank you to the mission group for putting it together. The fire took their homes but not their hearts.

Thank you to the many donations of gift certificates, clothes, furniture, music, food and love.

The families of Connie Palmer and Shannon Stafford were surrounded by your support.

THANK YOU

Church Family-

I was overwhelmed with the reception that you gave me when I came to church. It really wore me out, but I'll be back soon. I want to express to you from the bottom of my heart, the warmest thank you for all you did for Glenda and I. Love all of you.

Your church friend,
James Blocker

HOW CAN WE HELP OUR CHURCH GROW?

The answer is simple: we can grow our church by being friendly. I think we are a friendly church. In our first visit here a year ago the thing that left the biggest impression on us was the friendliness of a particular church member. Friendliness sure goes a long way and we all have room to grow.

Group publishing conducted a survey asking 750 church and unchurched people "What's the most important factor that makes a place friendly?" These are the results in ranking order:

1. The number 1 quality of a friendly place is that it "makes me feel like I **belong**."
2. The **comfort** of a warm and inviting environment, both physical elements (i.e., comfortable seating and easy-to-follow signage) and inter-personal elements (i.e., remembering my name and avoiding church jargon).
3. Helping people feel **relaxed** by letting them know your church is a safe environment.
4. **Talk to me** by gradually going beyond small talk to deeper conversations.
5. The final ingredient of a friendly church is a genuine **smile**, especially from 'the front'.

Over the next several newsletters, I will expound on each factor listed above to help us grow our church by strengthening our 'friendly' muscle.

Rachael Lee

COLLEGE NEWS

We have some who have turned in a deposit for the Florida Keys Adventure. The date is set for August 4-11. Spread the word.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, July 18

8:45 AM Contemporary Worship Service

10:00 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

6:30 PM Youth-Gathering Place

MONDAY, July 19

7:45 AM Church Camp

10:30 AM Staff Meeting

6:00 Pm Staff Parish Relations Committee Called Meeting

7:00 PM Praise & Worship Practice

7:00 PM Bible Study-Middle School class

TUESDAY, JULY 20:

7:45 AM Church Camp

WEDNESDAY, July 21

7:45 AM Church Camp

5:30 Pm Staff Parish Relations Committee

7:00 PM Choir Practice

THURSDAY, July 22:

7:45 AM Church Camp

FRIDAY, July 23

7:45 AM Church Camp

SPREAD THE WORD

Youth: Deep Creek here we come! Get your registration forms and funds into the church office to secure your place for our "spiritual life camping retreat," July 25-30. Don't miss this opportunity to enjoy the beauty of God's creation of the Smoky Mountains and to grow in our understanding of God.

Financial Report

July 11, 2010

OPERATING MINISTRIES FUND

Amount received this week	\$5,975.37
Amount received this month	\$21,011.37
Amount received this year	\$260,956.29

BUILDING FUND

Amount received this week	\$740.00
Amount received this month	\$2360.00
Amount received this year	\$27,282.30
Building Fund Principal as of 7/11/10	\$42,381.98

Building Fund Principal Paid on
 Building Fund Principal Remaining

Bus Fund Balance in CD & Designated Fund after \$5,500.00	
Deposit paid on prospective New Bus:	\$42,381.98

Contemporary Service 8:45pm	76
Traditional Service 11:00	185
	261
Sunday School	167