

The Corinth Monthly

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The extraordinary must become ordinary here on campus.

Teaching and preaching that develops our faith, focused on our family, centered on Jesus Christ.

December Birthdays

Terron Swindall..... December 5
Aasjaa Dobbs..... December 8
Teleka Edwards..... December 12
Milton Sanders.....December 13
Linda Petties.....December 14
Clayton Benjamin... December 14
Kristie McGee.... December 16
Derrick Dobbs..... December 19
Darrien Willis..... December 19
D.J.Mon Burkhalter.....Dec. 21
Zinat Turner.....December 22
Phyllis Wells.....December 22
Helen Gordon.....December 29
Elizabeth Adair....December 31

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Carlos and Trish Wells.....December 5
Carlos and Bridget Moore... December 15
Raymond and Linda Moore.... December 22

Coming soon!

Today, Sunday, Dec. 4 Teen Mime Ministry practice at 3:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec 7..... Campus Bible Study at 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 10.....Chickasaw District Board Meeting at 9:00 a.m. at Corinth
Sunday, Dec. 11..... Vision practices at 2:00

p.m., Teen Mime Ministry practice at 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 17.....Christmas Outreach at 8:00 a.m.

Sunday, Dec. 18.....Christmas Program at 9:00 a.m., Christmas Banquet at 2:00 p.m. (Please sign up if coming) at Lake Murray Lodge

Wednesday, Dec. 21.....Campus Bible Study

Sunday, Dec. 25.....Christmas Day

Dec.26 through Dec. 30.....Soup Kitchen
Saturday, Dec 31.... Watch Night Service

There are still a few CBC sun visors for sale for \$15.00.

Contact Carmen Moore to purchase. (Make great Christmas gifts.)

December Sunday School Lessons

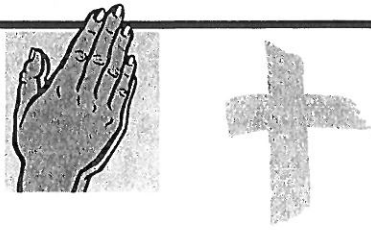
Dec.4..... A Blessing for All Nations—Gen. 12:1-9

Dec. 11..... A Promise to Abram—Gen. 15:1-6, 12-18

Dec. 18..... The Lord Provides—Gen. 22:1-2, 6-14

Dec. 25..... According to God's Promise (Christmas)—Luke 1:46-55

Prayers



**Caring makes us
keep praying for:**

**Pat Smith
Nadine Dinwiddie
Evelyn Henderson
John L. Moore
Eurgin Pirtle
Lee Vera Washington
Rosetta Atkins
Trish Wells
Our City, Nation, Schools and Churches**

Sign up is taking place for Corinth's Annual Banquet scheduled Dec 18 at 2:00 p.m. at Lake Murray Lodge. Sign ups will take place in the Fellowship Hall after church.



**When preparing for Christmas, focus on how
and why it all began.
Jesus is the reason for this and ALL seasons!**

Neighborly Kindness

One of the major obstacles to showing compassion is making prejudgments about who we think is worthy of our compassion. Jesus told a parable to answer the question: "Who is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29). Or, who qualifies as worthy of our neighborly acts?

Jesus told of a man who traveled on the notoriously dangerous road from Jerusalem to Jericho. As he traveled, he fell among thieves and was robbed, beaten, and left for dead. Religious Jews (a priest and a Levite) passed him, but they walked by on the other side, probably for fear of being religiously defiled. But a Samaritan came along and had unconditional compassion on the wounded stranger.

Jesus' audience would have gasped at this because Jews despised Samaritans. The Samaritan could have limited or qualified his compassion because the man was a Jew. But he did not limit his neighborly kindness to those he thought were worthy. Instead, he saw a human being in need and resolved to help him.

Are you limiting your kindness to the ones you deem worthy? As followers of Jesus, let us find ways to show neighborly kindness to all people, especially to those we have judged as unworthy.

Gift Ideas for Senior Citizens

1. Phone Cards
2. Postage Stamps
3. Envelopes and Stationary
4. Note Paper
5. Audio books
6. Store Gift Cards
7. Throw Blankets
8. Family Photo Calendar with special occasion days pre marked (birthdays, anniversaries, etc.)
9. Contact utility companies and pay for one or more utility bills.
10. A day at the spa
11. A box of assorted cards