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Ы 903/628-1292 903/733-1137 Mon. - Fri...... 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM ..10:25 AM6:00 PM Kevin Cauley......Cell # 1-601/620-3474 ... 903/628-2891 9:30 AM 7:00 HEAR the Gospel – Romans 10:17 SCHEDULE OF SERVICES: BELIEVE on the Lord & His Word – Mark 16:16; Secretary: Wilma Alexander WEDNESDAY: PM Worship SUNDAY: REPENT of our sins – Luke 13:3,5; Acts 17:30 Johnny Thomas..... CONFESS Christ – Matthew 10:32; Luke 12:8; Romans 10:9 **Russell Tyndell** AM Worship... **BE BAPTIZED** for the remission of sins – Acts 2:38; Bible Classes. Bible Classes. Office: Mark 16:16; Galatians 3:27; 1 Peter 3:21 **Minister: LIVE a** faithful, dedicated life – Revelation 2:10;

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Jesus, The Reason for Every Season

The central character of the Bible is Jesus, and the Bible tells His story. What the Author, God, wants us to understand is that knowing Jesus tells us who God really is.

In John 1:18, we read, "No one has seen God at any time. The only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the Father, He has declared Him." What God is telling us about Jesus is that He is the only one who has intimately known the Father, that is, really comprehended God and His glory. That is the significance o the expression, "who is in the bosom of the Father." Jesus is intimate with God because He is the son of God, God in the flesh. This means that Jesus is in the perfect person to tell us who God is so that we can come to know Him better. When we come to know who God is, that means that we can also know something about ourselves, because we were created in the image of God (Genesis 1:27). This is why John writes in John 20:30-31, "And truly Jesus did many other signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name."

God bless you and I love you.

Kevin Cauley

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Wednesday, Nov. 25----

BIBLE LESSON TEXT

Sun. December 6-The Good Shepherd

Wed. December 9-Teach Us to Pray

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

SUNDAY, November 29, 2015

Bible Classes—

AM Worship-

PM Worship-Contribution-

Average to Date—

Budget to Date-

Matthew 6:9-15; Luke 11:1-13

John 10:1-18

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John 8:24

2 Peter:5-10

DECEMBER 6, 2015 SERVANTS

AM PRAYERS

Weaver Mills Jerry Boston

Announcements: Scott Hobson

LORD'S TABLE: Mike Raney, Jim Scarbrough, Ben Dooley & Charles Cauley

Sunday PM Communion: Austin Cauley

VISITOR CARDS: Sawyer Hobson Gavin Cauley

NURSERY: Sandra Conley

DECEMBER 13, 2015 SERVANTS

AM PRAYERS Jimmy Smith Thomas McGee PM PRAYERS Ernest Shelton Jerry Yates

Announcements: Scott Hobson

LORD'S TABLE: Mike Raney, Jim Scarbrough, Ben Dooley & Charles Cauley

Sunday PM Communion: Austin Cauley

VISITOR CARDS: Sawyer Hobson, Chance Powell

NURSERY: Janice Love

If you are unable to serve, please call Billy Johnson @ 903.628.5827



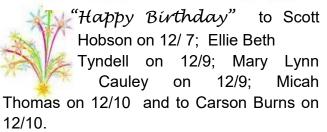
Remember in Prayer

Peyton Richardson (Janiece Richardson's granddaughter); James Shirley; Jr. Hammonds (Betty Hammond's husband); Ricky Champion; and Jean Jones had surgery on Thursday in Tyler.

Remember also our shut-in's: Hubert & Glenda May, Keith & Helen Clark, Phil Williams, Faye Anderson, & J.D. & Thelma Johnson. Marie McPherson (DeKalb Nursing home).

Remember Alan Wright and his family as they go through the process of adoption for this baby. Pray for a positive outcome.





Calendar of Events.

<u>Tues. Dec. 8</u>----Ladies Night Out @ Gayle Floyd's home with a Cookie & Ornament Exchange and bring Finger Foods. <u>Sat. Dec. 12</u>---Holiday Dinner @ 6 PM. Hosted by the Cauleys. <u>Sun. Dec. 13</u>----Learning to Serve @ 3 PM. Ages 4 thru 4th grade. <u>Mon. Dec. 14</u>----Bible Bowl

COOKIE AND ORNAMENT EXCHANGE

The ladies of the congregation are invited to a cookie & ornament exchange Tuesday evening December 8, 2015 @ 6 PM at Gayle Floyd's home. Please bring 4 dozen favorite everyday or favorite Christmas cookies. If you wish to share the recipe, please make copies to pass out. Also, please bring a gift wrapped or gift bagged ornament for the fun exchange (names aren't necessary). If you wish, bring some hors d'oeuvres (finger foods) to snack on, since there will be many sweet food.

If you have any question, please ask or call Mary Lynn Cauley or Gayle Floyd

We are in need of some men volunteering to handle the worship services at the New Boston Nursing Home on December 27. Please let Kevin know before Dec. 20th. Kevin and his family will be enjoying the holidays with family from Dec. 21st thru the 28th.

Our Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Class is dismissed until January 6, 2016. The class will resume at 10 AM in the Multipurpose Room.

Our prayers and our sympathy is extended to Janiece Richardson and Lynda Braley upon the passing of their sister, Norma Wash. She passed away Tuesday evening. Services are pending.

"Incline your ear and hear the words of the wise, and apply your heart to my knowledge; for it is a pleasant thing if you keep them within you; let them all be fixed upon your lips." Proverbs 22: 17-18