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*Winning lost souls to Christ and discipling them to become devoted followers of Him.
Jan. 4, 2012*

Sunday's Attendance

We ended 2011 on a sweet note when we gathered at the church on December 20th to share in the confession of faith and baptism of T. J. Johnston. Praise God for the faith that led T. J. to take this step of salvation in his life! Keep him in your prayers as he seeks to grow in Christ.

God blessed us with a good day of services on January 1 to launch us into 2012. Our focus was on moving into the future with faith. We prayed together that God would help us to set up a plan, stay in His Word, and step out in faith in the year ahead. I'm confident many of you are doing exactly that.

None of us knows what the future holds. Some in our church family have already encountered hardship and heartache in these first few days of 2012. Stand firm. Trust God. He alone knows what the future holds. He alone can sustain us and bless us regardless of what comes our way.

Dec. 25

10:00: 315

Jan. 1

8:30AM: 98

Bible School: 131

10:45AM: 154

6:00PM: 145

A Special Evening of Gospel Music

With

Joani Tabor

January 8, 2012 at 6:00PM

Plymouth Church of Christ

Family Life Center

No Admission Charge

A Love Offering Will Be Received for Joani's Ministry

Just Hittin' the High Spots

- Choir members are reminded that we will resume practice this Sunday at 5:00PM. We will be preparing some music for worship services and beginning work on our Easter presentation. Let's have good participation in both efforts.
- Hey guys, our first Carpenter's Crew meeting is set for January 16th in the Conference Room. We are continuing our study in the book of Revelation. Meal time is 6:30PM. A Bible study and meeting will follow the meal. Sign up in the Greeting Center if you plan to join us. There are several service projects to discuss as we move into 2012.
- The Elders and Deacons will meet January 8th following evening worship.
- If you have spoken with Bob about getting any of the items available from the Cole house, we ask that you get them as soon as possible. Most of the usable items have been spoken for. Windows and outside doors will be the last to be removed for security purposes.
- If you know of families who are in need of winter firewood, please contact the church office. Our men have cut and split some firewood to help families in the community who have difficulty getting firewood to heat their homes.
- "Talent Night" returns January 29th in PM worship. Be sure to sign up. Use your gifts for God's glory.
- The church staff will host the Elders and Deacons and their families for a meal and spiritual challenge on Monday, January 23rd at 6:30PM in the Family Life Center. Please let Denise Moulden, Kay Cox, or Jane Modlin know if you will attend. We will provide child care, if needed.
- Your generosity enabled us to help several families with gifts for children, school clothing, a bicycle, and some groceries. Our shoppers did a great job in making your \$\$\$ go as far as possible. Thank you.
- Members of our PCOC praise band, (fondly known as "The Peacocks"), were the recipients of our 2011 Penny per Pound Jar. These folks log long hours of practice and performance to help make our praise and worship an uplifting experience.
- Sunday evening worship services will see the return of the "Trifecta" service on January 16th. These services feature a balance of 20 minutes worship time, 20 minutes special music, and 20 minutes message and invitation time. How's that for a balanced spiritual diet? Join us on Sunday evenings!

January Events

January 3: Katie Staley Ladies Aid meets

January 4: Pork Chops for midweek meal

January 8: Joani Tabor Concert in FLC, 6:00PM

January 8: Elders and Deacons meet after Evening Worship

January 9: Myrtle Williams Ladies Aid meets 1:30PM

January 10: Senior Saints meet at noon

January 11: Health Department meeting in FLC 8:00-12:00

January 11: Chicken and Pastry for Family Meal

January 16: PCOC Men's Wildlife supper

January 18: Soup and Sandwiches for Supper

January 19: Elders and Deacons appreciation meal and spiritual challenge hosted by the church staff.

January 25: Beef Stew Crew on duty

January 29: Talent Night in PM Worship

New Arrival

Allison and Durwood Waterfied welcomed Gage Allen into their lives December 31, 2011. He weighed in at 8 lbs. 13 oz. Proud Grandparents are Phyllis and Jimmy Peal and Michael and Sandy Ownby.

What's Happenin' with Our Youth

High School and Middle School Students - It's time to sign up for CCYC 2011. It will be the weekend of February 17th thru 19th. The cost is \$50 per person. Music will be led by "Hudson" and Neal Alligood will be the speaker. This will definitely be a weekend you don't want to miss so if you are in grades 6th - 12th you should sign up. We are also looking for sponsors for the weekend. See me for questions.

The Path - January 29th First Church in Washington, NC. Tony Wolf will be the speaker.