

Mount Hermon Baptist Church

Enewsletter – November 7, 2013

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BAPTISM – this Sunday, Nov 10, - 10:00 am in chapel

(Adult classes will not meet so everyone can attend the baptism)

If you would like to be baptized, contact Lee or Susan now.



CCHASM Thanksgiving Dinners

We can make it possible for many very needy Chesterfield County families to have a nice Thanksgiving dinner by providing contributions for the purchase of \$15.00 gift cards (for a turkey) and/or donating the items listed below. Mount Hermon youth will collect, sort and deliver the packages to CCHASM. Please bring donations to church by Nov 17.

A complete meal gift package includes:

- 1- 40 oz. can (large) of yams or sweet potatoes
- 1- 13 oz. box of mashed potatoes
- 1- 14 oz. can of cranberry sauce
- 2- 15 oz. cans of corn
- 3- 15 oz. cans of green vegetables
- 2- bags of stuffing or 2 boxes of "Stove Top"
- 3- cans or packages of gravy
- 1- box of hot chocolate
- 1- box of tea bags
- 1- box or bag of cookies



Youth! Meet at church this Sunday, 5:00 pm
to go shopping for CCHASM's Thanksgiving Dinner program and for Samaritan's Purse,
two great projects helping people in need. And it's fun to do this together!



Bring **shoeboxes** to church by **Sunday, Nov 17**

Wednesday – Nov 13



5:45 pm - Dinner: **Soups, Sandwiches, Chips**
and desserts you bring

6:45 pm - Children's music & activities

Regular Business Session



7:30 pm - Choir rehearsal

Food for Thought...

Your Life is your message to the world.
Make it Inspiring. - Lorrin L Lee

The dictionary is the only place that success comes before work.
Hard work is the price we must pay for success.
I think you can accomplish anything if you're willing to pay the price.
- Vince Lombardi

Prayers appreciated for...

- **Jean Togawa**, Ilene Rutherford's sister, is in Memorial Regional Hospital being treated for a stroke
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***Happy Birthday!* November**

11 Timothy Morris 14 Vincent Russell
13 Genesis Wirt 14 Palmer Hollister

Sunday – Nov 3

Contributions – \$ 4,531.00 Adult Classes – 37
Avg. weekly need – 3,881.00 Worship – 68
CCHASM - \$180.00 Building Fund - \$10.00
Nursery – 8 Children – 9 Youth – 12
Budget needs to date – \$170,764.00
Contributions to date – 163,959.00



This Sunday

10:00 am – Baptism in Chapel
11:00 am – Worship
Children's Church
5:00 pm – Youth shopping for CCHASM and Samaritan's Purse

From the Pastor

You Are a Magnet



The unthankful heart... discovers no mercies; but let the thankful heart sweep through the day and, as the magnet finds the iron, so it will find, in every hour, some heavenly blessings! – Henry Ward Beecher

What Beecher asserted a hundred plus years ago has been echoed in modern times by those who espouse *The Law of Attraction*. This principle basically claims that each of us attracts whatever we think about. The energy of our spirit draws to itself similar thoughts, feelings, and even objects. Whatever has our attention, interest, or desires will sooner or later appear in our lives. One common factor emphasized by those who advocate *The Law of Attraction* is *gratitude*. Beecher (and the Bible) certainly agree: thankful gratitude is a crucial link to finding blessings.

I think there is a lot to this principle because I have often experienced it myself, and I see it at work in the lives of others. Negative people attract negativity and other whiners and complainers. Positive, friendly people attract happy souls and experiences. What we are interested in is usually what we end up finding. It's uncanny, but real. Look for it in your life today, and make good use of gratitude. The warm glow of a genuinely thankful heart attracts many good people and things.

God's best to you today,

Lee

November 10, 2013 - 11:00 am

Call to Worship

Scripture & Prayer Gina Thompson
Romans 11:33-12:1

* Song of Praise 140 Down at the Cross

* *Transformed People* 2 Corinthians 5:17-18

* Song 73 God Moves in a Mysterious Way, vss.1&4

* Greeting Time

Veterans Day 2013

Welcome & Church Highlights

The Bible Says... Luke 19:1-10

Prayers of the People

* Offering Song 141 The Old Rugged Cross

* Offering Statement & Prayer Gina Thompson

Duet Bonnie Culley, Peiling Zhao

I Will Sing of My Redeemer

