

Financial Summary

	November 5, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 3,576.85
Designated Gifts		\$ 960.81
Total Offering		\$ 4,537.66
	November 12, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 3,344.87
Designated Gifts		\$ 427.75
Total Offering		\$ 3,772.62
	November 19, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 4,429.26
Designated Gifts		\$ 398.25
Total Offering		\$ 4,827.51
	November 26, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 2,751.42
Designated Gifts		\$ 651.81
Total Offering		\$ 3,403.23



12/1	Beth Reavis, Faye Lakey
12/3	Mark Reavis
12/4	Heather Dortch, Chase Nelson, Delese Venable
12/5	Hannah Litaker
12/7	Bob Spencer
12/11	Zachery Beaver
12/12	Edna Bond, Vicki Boyce
12/14	Bobby Boggs
12/15	Marty Daniels
12/16	Irene Cheek
12/17	Kenley Flynn
12/19	Kathryn Ashworth
12/20	Elvert Lakey
12/21	Andy Smith
12/22	Tony Nichols, Jackson Striplin
12/24	Ethan Reavis
12/25	Michael Lauten
12/26	Rick Cochran
12/27	Avery Lindley, Tammie Weavil
12/28	Robin French, Russell Grose
12/30	Wayne Bottoms
12/31	Clinton McCann

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Join us for these events this Christmas:

Children Christmas Program

A King Is Coming To Town
December 10th, 7:00 pm
Followed by refreshments in the Fellowship Hall



Christmas Covered Dish

Our annual family supper
December 17th, 5:00 pm

Adult Choir Cantata

Jesus, There's Something About That Name
December 17th, 11:00 am

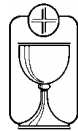


Candlelight Communion

A service of carols, candles, and communion
December 20th, 7:00 pm

Drama Team

Christmas Program
December 17th, Following covered dish meal



Dr. H. Mark Ashworth
Ms. Gayle Lauten
Rev. Marty Daniels
Mrs. Angie Weavil
Mrs. Becky Longworth
Mrs. Teresa Tucker

Pastor
Minister of Music
Minister of Education
Organist
Pianist
Secretary



**MERRY
CHRISTMAS!**

MARK'S MUSINGS

“Hurry up and wait.” That old saying came to mind more than once as we were flying to see Kathryn’s parents last month. Traveling with a 2-year-old makes you realize just how much waiting is involved in flying. Wait in line at security. Wait for the flight to be called. Wait to take off. And then even the flight itself is mostly a matter of waiting. Waiting isn’t the favorite activity of a 2-year-old. But then, it isn’t the favorite activity of his parents or of most of us, either.

Advent is a season of waiting. We wait to celebrate the birth of our Savior. It isn’t that we somehow pretend that Jesus hasn’t really already been born. But waiting is a helpful, if hard, spiritual discipline. Waiting reminds us that everything isn’t in our control. Waiting asks us to trust God, God’s faithfulness and God’s timing. Waiting whispers to us that God is present with us even now, even before the celebration, in the quiet moments, and even in the anxious moments of our lives. Christmas will come. It always does. And Christmas will make God’s presence clear in a new and glorious way. But let us also find comfort and assurance in these days of waiting. Remember the promise of Isaiah: “Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.”

Grace and peace,
Mark



Senior Moments Highlights

Join us for our monthly events: On Thursday, December 7th, we will be going to Griffith Baptist Church for the PMBA Senior Adult Candle Tea at 2:00 pm. Our monthly luncheon will be on Thursday, December 14th. We will be loading up and leaving the church at 11:15 am to go to Christy Litaker’s house to see all of her beautiful Christmas trees. We will eat lunch, and play our Santa gift game there. So bring a covered dish and a \$5.00 gift. For more information contact Brenda Grose.

Support Our Children

Help support the Children’s Ministry by purchasing a 2007 magnetic calendar and/or notepad. They are \$5.00 each. They make great gifts. Please see Tammie Weavil or Julie Striplin if you would like to make a purchase.

2007 Budget Presentation

At our December Church Conference on Wednesday, December 13th, at 7:00 pm the Budget Committee will present the 2007 Budget. You should receive a copy in the mail & have time to review it prior to the conference. We are taking a step of faith next year trusting God to continue to bless us as He has this year. Your prayerful consideration of increasing your giving for 2007 will insure we meet & exceed our goals. After discussion on Wednesday, we’ll vote before worship Sunday, December 17th.

International Covered Dish Supper Wednesday, December 6th

You’re invited to bring a covered dish that commemorates a foreign country & join us at 6:30 pm Wednesday, December 6th, for a special supper to remind us to place our focus on Foreign Missions during the month of December. During December we receive an offering to benefit our foreign missionaries. Please prayerfully consider giving to the “Lottie Moon and/or Global Missions Offering.” Envelopes are available in the Sanctuary foyer for your use.



Children, you’re invited to the birthday of a King on Friday, December 15th, at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Make sure you bring Mom & Dad with you for a fun filled time of crafts & worship.

Youth Events

On Wednesday, December 13th, we will be going to Tanglewood to see the lights. We will be leaving the church by 5:30 pm. Youth Christmas Social will be Friday, December 15th. Meet at the church at 6:30 pm to go to the Litaker’s. Bring a \$5.00 gift to exchange and some sort of snack to share. Guests welcome.

Nursery Schedule

December 3, 2006 (Sun)	Jennifer Lindley & Beth Reavis AM Nancy Clodfelter 7:00 – 8:00 PM
December 6, 2006 (Wed)	Kathy Horton
December 10, 2006 (Sun)	Alan & Delese Venable AM Kathryn Ashworth 7:00 – 8:00 PM
December 13, 2006 (Wed)	Barbara Snyder
December 17, 2006 (Sun)	Amy Simmons & Beverly Yokeley AM Beverly Weavil 7:00 – 8:00 PM
December 20, 2006 (Wed)	Jean Foster
December 14, 2006 (Sun)	Kenny & Amy Smith AM No Evening Service
December 27, 2006 (Wed)	Tammie Weavil
December 31, 2006 (Sun)	Kathy Idol & Billie Weavil AM Edna Bond 7:00 – 8:00 PM



During the month of November, the Women on Mission were involved in the following projects:

- 1) Assisted the Baptist Men with the BBQ Chicken Dinner on Saturday, November 4.
- 2) Made cookies for the Hospice Home and these were delivered on Monday, November 6. We certainly appreciate the Youth Group’s participation in this project--they made dozens of cookies!
- 3) We are pleased to report 27 Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes were delivered to the collection church in Kernersville. Many thanks to everyone who participated. Please remember to pray for “your” child during the holiday season.
- 4) Sponsored the Pilot Mountain Baptist Toy Store by collecting toys for local youngsters.

The WOM will be helping with the International Supper on Wednesday night, December 6. Remember to bring a covered dish representing a typical food from any foreign country where we have missionaries serving (or of course, a good, old American dish will also be welcome). On that night we will only have a brief meeting to discuss a few December projects, then on Wednesday night, December 13, we will again meet to assemble some “goodie” bags for some of our shut ins. Please keep in mind **ALL** ladies in the church are most welcome to attend our meetings.

May our community feel warmth this season as UNION CROSS TO REACH OUT TO SHOW HIS LOVE.