



WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
OF SPRINGFIELD
7300 GARY STREET
SPRINGFIELD, VIRGINIA 22150
703.451.1500

DECEMBER 27, 2009

10:30 AM

THE SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS
Preparation for Worship
Video: "Prophecy Fulfilled"
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Prelude Music "Bring a Torch"
Chris Kang, Peggy Newhall - Piano Four Hands

***We Greet One Another In Christ** Hammond Coates

***Chorus of Fellowship:** #203

"His Name Is Wonderful"
His name is Wonderful, His name is Wonderful,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus, my Lord;
He is the mighty King, Master of ev'rything,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus, my Lord.
He's the great Shepherd, the Rock of all ages,
Almighty God is He;
Bow down before Him, Love and adore Him,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus, my Lord.
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***Prayer of Invocation** Hammond Coates

***Hymn of Praise:** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #208
Sherrill Edwards, Guest Worship Leader

Instrumental Praise: "Bethlehem Morning"
Peggy Newhall, Piano

***Hymn of Thanksgiving:** #93
"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"

***Prayer for our Offering** Roger Price, Deacon

Offertory In Song "I Wonder As I Wander"
Chris Moman, Soloist

The Message: "A Bridge to Somewhere New" Hammond Coates
Luke 2:21-40

The Invitation to Follow Christ Hammond Coates

***Hymn of Invitation:** "Child In the Manger" #105

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you have joined us to worship today. We want you to feel at home in our Fellowship. In order to provide you with additional information about our ministries, we invite you to take a few moments to fill out this guest form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Welcome Center in the foyer after the service. Thank you for being a part of the First Baptist family today. May God bless you and touch you with the joy of His presence.

Date: _____

Mr. Mrs. Ms.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Are you a member of another church?

Yes: No:

Church: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Please check the applicable items:

- First-time visitor
- New to the area
- Returning visitor

Age Group:

- 18-19 40s 60s
- 20s 50s 70+
- 30s

Single Married

Names and Ages of Children:

Sanctuary Flowers



If you wish to place altar flowers in memory of or to honor a loved one on any Sunday during the year, please contact the Church Office to request a date for your donated arrangement. You may pick up the arrangement on the following Monday morning for extended enjoyment in your home or simply indicate when you call that the flowers may be shared with our homebound members.

Crafts

Tuesday, January 12
10:00 am in C302

Visit Your Church Library and Media Center

(Second Floor near the Elevator)

Open:

Sundays 8:45-10:30 am

Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm

Check the table marked "FREE ITEMS" outside the Library periodically for media being retired. Help yourself!

December Mission Resources

Commission Stories, Winter issue, new IMB newspaper-style quarterly

Prayer booklet - "Loving the Lost of the World Through Prayer"

PrayerPoints - "Totally unacceptable!"

Prayer-Gram - "How to Pray for 'Across North America'"

Pray for Missions - back page of Mid-Weekly Prayer Calendar; weekly Missions email

Resources located in foyers and office

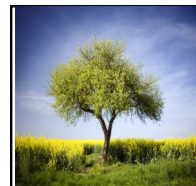
Service Recordings Available

Recordings of the 10:30 am worship services held in the Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall are now available on CD by request (\$1).



YOUTH SKI RETREAT
JANUARY 15-18, 2010
At Seven Springs Mountain Resort

Skiing - \$200 Tubing - \$100
Visit TheRecRoom.org for details.



Schedule for Youth

To see a full calendar of Student Ministry events, please visit www.TheRecRoom.org.



DRIVEN is our Wednesday night service for Jr. and Sr. High students. We play games and

Worship with our student led band, then we discover what the Bible teaches us about being a Christian in a crazy world.

Wednesdays:
6:30 pm - Hang Time
7:00 pm - Driven



Small Groups meet each Sunday Night. These are friendly small groups where you will meet other Christian students

your age.

Sundays:
4:00 pm - Junior Band Practice
5:00 pm - Student Band Practice
6:00 pm - Game On
7:00 pm - Small Groups

CHURCH STAFF MINISTERS

James A. Weaver, *Pastor*

Hammond A. Coates, *Minister of Discipleship and Congregational Ministries*

Christopher T. Jenkins, *Minister of Music and Worship*

Jay Rawls, *Minister to Students*

Jey Kim, *Minister to Korean Fellowship*

(Vacant), *Minister to Hispanic Fellowship*

Website: www.fbcspringfield.org

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WEEKDAY OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm



Visit us online at
www.fbcspringfield.org

Church Announcements and Concerns Hammond Coates

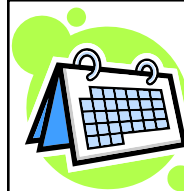
*Closing Prayer Hammond Coates

*Closing Chorus: "Angels We Have Heard on High" #100
(Chorus)
Glo - - - ri-a in excelsis Deo!
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*Postlude Music Chris Kang, Organ

*Congregation Standing

Join us for Fellowship Dinner:
Wed., January 6, 5:30 pm
Chef Molina's Gourmet Delight
Sign up for dinner in Sunday School
classes or call the Church Office
by noon Tuesday.



Mark Your Calendars!
May 22 and 23, 2010

Eddie Hammett and Randy Pierce,
co-authors of *Reaching People Under 40 While Keeping
People Over 60*, will be our guest seminar leaders. Look
for more details to come.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions

Church Goal: \$45,000
Given to Date: \$22,419



Ladies of the Church,
You Are Invited to a
Baby Shower
For
Renaë Crawford
On
Saturday, January 23
2:00 pm
At
The Home of Carol Stewart
6806 Mallow Court
Springfield, VA 22152
Drop in for cake and fellowship. Renaë is registered
at Buy-Buy-Baby, Target and Babies R Us. Please
RSVP to Leticia Rawls at 703.372.2540 or rawlsfam-
ily4@hotmail.com or Carol Stewart at 703.913.4765
or va6stewart@cox.net. It's a girl!

**PACE Trip to the Smithsonian National
Museum of American History**
Saturday, January 9
The PACE group will meet at the Springfield Metro
Station at 9:00 am. There will be no charge for
parking or the museum. Lunch will be in "The Stars
and Stripes Café" at noon; the cost will range from
\$10 to \$12. Departure is set between 2:00 and
3:00 pm. Sign up by **January 3, 2010** in your
Sunday School class.

No Children's Church
In December

No Evening Activities
Tonight

No Wednesday Night
Meal or other activi-
ties except Youth
December 30.

No ESOL classes
December 31.
Classes resume
January 7, 2010.

Lottie Moon
Post Office Open
Be sure to
check the Lot-
tie Moon Post
Office for
Christmas
cards that you
may have received from
fellow worshippers.



OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF December 27, 2009

(The Nursery is available for all
English-language worship services)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27:
8:45-10:30 am - Library Open
9:00 am - Hispanic Worship
9:15 am - Sunday School
10:15 am - Sanctuary Choir
10:15 am - Instrumental Ensemble/Sanc.
10:30 am - Joint Worship/Sanctuary
10:30 am - Hispanic Sunday School
12:00 pm - Hispanic Fellowship
No Evening Activities

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28:
No PACE Choir

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30:
6:30 pm - Youth Hang Time/Student Ctr.
7:00 pm - Driven for Youth/Student Ctr.
No Other Activities

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 1:
New Year's Day - Office Closed

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2:
6:00 am - Hispanic Prayer/C211
7:00 am - Men's Prayer/C302
4:00 pm - Contemporary Band Practice/FH

