2017 STAFF PARISH RELATIONS (SPR) TEAM MEMBERS are urged to attend the Called SPR Meeting today at 5 p.m. in the Parlor. Team members for 2017 are Wendy Thurman, Scott Henderson, Glenda Keylon, Gary Gilmore, Pat Douglas, Virginia Bond, Kevin Rose, Pat Horton, and Pastor Dale.

JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY tonight at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall with Pastor Dale, teaching. Participation is welcomed.

POPOCORN & MOVIE NIGHT for those 60 and up, Tuesday, January 10th, at 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The movie is Miracles from Heaven; it is based on a true story. Please sign the sheet on the bulletin board near the side entrance if you plan to attend.

2017 TRUSTEES meet Thursday, January 12th, at 7 p.m. in the Parlor. 2017 Trustees are Bill Ruffner, Chairperson, Joe Lisa, Tom Heimel, Randall Gibbs, JoAnn Moorshead, Jay Maddox, Patty Crowder, and Billy Ray Patton.

LETS DO LUNCH (LCL) RESERVATIONS deadline is Thursday, January 12th. Ladies who are 60 and up and plan to attend the next LCL meeting on Tuesday, January 17th, at noon in the Family Life Center should RSVP by the deadline by calling 365-2342 or send an email to soumc@volsate.net.

SCOUTS’ PINewood DERBY is scheduled in the Family Life Center, Saturday, January 14th, 8 - 2. The set-up is on Friday, 5 - 9, in the Family Life Center.

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO A RECEPTION to honor Mike and Angela Jackson on their recent wedding, December 22, 2016. The reception, which includes lunch, is from noon to 2 p.m. following the worship service on Sunday, January 15th, in the Family Life Center. No gifts, please, but a money tree will be on hand.

CPR CLASSES are scheduled on Saturday, January 28, 9 - 12 and 1 - 4 in the Fellowship Hall and again on Sunday, January 29, 1 - 4 in the Family Life Center. The classes will certify you in CPR for a 2-year period. The classes are limited to 9 participants each. Sign up to reserve your spot with Sharon Brown in the church office.

YOU ARE INVITED to celebrate with Ben and Davinity Ross (Davinity is Krissy Tallent’s daughter) as they are welcoming baby, Nora Elizabeth Ross. The woodland animals themed, there will also be a money tree available.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

William Ruffner (Bill & careen Ruffner’s grandson)
Jonathon Harrison (James Weaver’s step-grandson)
Tyler Shaffer (Kathy Haimer’s nephew)
Branson Reed (Nancy Gilman’s nephew)
Justin Reed (Nancy Gilman’s nephew)
Monty Johnson (John & Judy Johnson’s son)
Nathaniel Taft Moffett (grandson of Glenn Moffett)
Derek Niehaus (husband of John & Sam Hanson’s granddaughter)
Christopher Yonke (Diane Yonke’s grandson)
Troy Brown (Tom Heimel’s friend)
Sam Shaffer (Kathy Haimer’s nephew)
Christopher Eicher (son of David & Joyce Eicher)
Robert Flynn (Whitney Flynn’s brother & Tammy Flanagan’s grandson)
Amy Kester (Eleanor Trail’s cousin)
Charles Krumweide (Eleanor Trail’s nephew)
John Lewis (Vickie Cheek’s “other son”)
Aaron D. Mooneyhan (Jim Pitman’s grandson)
Colby Nelson (Leon & Nancy Hicks’ grandson)
John Cody Robinson (Virginia Hale’s grandson)
Emily Stewart (George & Phyllis Schaller’s grandson)
William Wilkey (Eleanor Trail’s grandson)
Larry Ware and Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware’s sons)

Thank you for your prayers as they plan to move back to Spring City.


**Upcoming Events**

**Week of January 8, 2017**

**Sunday, January 8**
- 9:45: Sunday School
- 11:00: Morning Worship, Sanctuary
- 4:30-8:30: Youth, Family Life Center
- 5:00: Called Staff Parish Relations Team, Parlor
- 6:00: Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
- 8-9 p.m.: AA, Fellowship Hall

**Monday, January 9**
- 6:30: TLC, Library
- 6:30: Cub Scouts
- 7:00: Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, January 10**
- 8:30: MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 5:00: Popcorn & Movie Night, Family Life Center

**Wednesday, January 11**
- 10:00: Disciple 4, Fellowship Hall
- 4:30-8:30: Youth & Children's Class, FLC, FH
- 7:00: Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

**Thursday, January 12**
- Deadline for LDL Reservations
- 8:30: MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 7:00: Trustees, Parlor

**Friday, January 13**
- 5-9: Scouts Setup for Pinewood Derby, Family Life Center

**Saturday, January 14**
- 8-2: Pinewood Derby, Family Life Center

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**SCIENTIFIC READING**

**Matthew 3:13-17**

13 Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him.
14 John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?"
15 But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfill all righteousness." Then he consented.
16 And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him.
17 And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased."

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**SERVING IN WORSHIP JANUARY 15, 2017**

**MINISTER:** Rev. Dale S. Wyrick
**WORSHIP LEADER:** Kevin Rose
**CHOIR DIRECTOR:** Judy Ezell
**GREENERS:** Mary Drinkard, Lynda Smith
**ACOLYTE:** Rachel Heimel
**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** Susan Maddux, Natalie Baker
**SS NURSERY:** Peggy Bowman, (to be announced)
**WORSHIP NURSERY:** Constance Garrison, Katie Rose
**USHERS:** Shirley Corbin, Trish Cole, Richard Cole, Carol Price
**WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR:** Jay Maddux
**SOUND OPERATOR:** Marty Gilliam  **BACKUP:** Chris Haerr

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**Thank You**

This Christmas has been one of the best ones ever for me. I received so many wonderful gifts and beautiful Christmas cards expressing your kindness and love.
You have always made me feel blessed.

Thank you so very much.
Pastor Dale

"SOUPER BOWL" SUNDAY is Sunday, February 5th. The Celebration Class won the trophy last year for donating the greatest number of cans of soup to Our Daily Bread, and they challenge every class to get into the game this year. Please bring cans of soup with you to church on "Sooper Bowl" Sunday. Everyone we help at Our Daily Bread is a winner.

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**Monthly Giving to the General Budget**

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