



SACHSE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

NEWS

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WHAT'S NEW

Youth To Collect Food Saturday, November 21st

**Our Youth Group is planning a food drive
At the Kroger Store (Sachse) to collect
Holiday Food for the
Wylie Christian Care Center (food pantry)**

**Call the Church 972/495-1244 for Information,
Or speak with Tom Sorrells on Sunday**

CHURCH STAFF

- *Rev. Hal G. Hinckley, Pastor*
- *Shawn Tanksley, Pianist*
- *Debbie Nuss, Children's Teacher*
- *Twyla Sorrells, Youth Leader*
- *Miss. Shekinah, Nursery Teacher*

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

Deck The Halls

**Sunday Evening November
22nd**

6:00 to 7:30

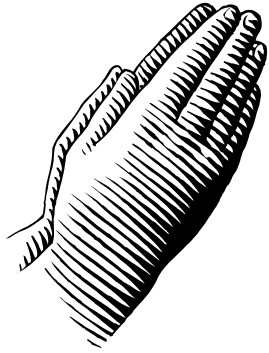


Please Join us as we unite with Acts Christian Family
To prepare our worship and fellowship space for the Advent Season
Pizza and Soft Drinks will be provided.



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PRAYER REQUESTS

Members With Ongoing Health Concerns —

Marceline Lively

Jo Ann McNatt

Margaret Smolka

Alan and Jo Ann Wright

Friends and Relatives With Health Concerns —

Jan Doleh—recovering from cancer surgery and awaiting treatments

Note, our prayer list has seen many names of friends and family remain without update, some for over a year. In an effort to maintain current information, we need you to re-new your requests as necessary. Please e-mail or call with your current prayer needs and they will be updated in the next newsletter.

With Ongoing Concern —

Our Soldiers Worldwide

Our members and friends in economic turmoil

In Joy —

The Prestenbergs, in their anticipation. Please keep Heather in your prayers during her stay in Ethiopia. And, keep her and Matt in your prayers as they await a court date in their adoption.

Our Growing Congregation

Acts Christian Family

In Sorrow —

Jeanne Daniels family in the loss of her Sister-in-Law

Banana Boxes are Here

We have less than a month to fill and return our donation boxes for

Mike's Kids

Benefiting the Southwest Good Samaritan Ministries

Gently used or new clothing, toys, toiletries,

New children's underwear and socks.

BIRTHDAYS

11/16 Tina Stelnicki

11/22 Rachael Stoffregen

11/25 Adam Bell

11/29 Lisa Sachse

Make sure the church office knows your Birthday!



Future Elder Schedule

Nov. E—Leslie White, D—Jr. Deacons

Dec. E—Matt Prestenberg, D—Heather and Twyla

NOVEMBER ELDER DEACON

Elder—Lelsie White

Deacons—Our Junior Deacons

Looking Forward

Taking care of those in need.

Bring Clothes for Mikes Kids—Bring Food for the Christian Care Center—Help Matt Stuff his Suitcase for Ethiopia (see back page)

As I sit here writing on this Veterans Day of 2009, I want to say to all of our veterans, Thank You for your service to our country. This year we are saddened not only by the loss of lives in combat, but perhaps even more deeply saddened by the tragedy last week at Fort Hood. We should all be thankful each day for the men and women who, for centuries, have stepped up to protect our freedoms, just as we should be thankful for the freedoms themselves.

Thanksgiving is upon us, and it should never be taken as just another holiday feast followed by a football game. It should always be observed with reverence and thanks to God for what truly is a blessed way of life. That being said, not all of us feel so blessed these days. I still receive calls almost weekly from neighbors who don't know how they are going to feed their families. We are helping with our outreach dollars, but the need is overwhelming.

I am excited about our youth and their plans to collect food at Kroger for the Wylie Christian Care Center, and our response to Mike's Kids is always one of the highest among churches in the area. But, what has gotten to me most this year is Heather Prestenberg's letters from Ethiopia. We are truly making a difference with our gifts to the orphanage there. She speaks of experiencing such a different way of life. It bring home the point—we are blessed, and it is a blessing to be able to help those less fortunate both here and around the world. Thanks for caring and sharing your blessings, Hal

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GENERAL BOARD
MEETING THIS
SUNDAY

DECK THE HALLS
SUNDAY NOV 22

WE'RE ON THE WEB

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These are the items needed
For Matt to take to Ethiopia

Toothbrushes / Toothpaste

Coloring Books / Crayons

Colored Pencils

Stickers

Socks / Underwear (girls and boys,
youth small and youth large)

Please bring them this, or next Sunday



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