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IN GOD WE TRUST

And the Lord added

by letter:
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“Souper Bowl” Party

As many sports fans look forward to the super bowl, let’s have our own version among our church family. Bring cans of soup to add to the Center for Lay Ministries box which will be located in the lobby under the clock. Soup is especially good during the cold winter months. Since many people who receive the food do not have can openers, please bring the type cans with the pull tab lid. Our goal will be 100 cans of soup brought to church between now and Super Bowl Sunday, February 3, 2013. Each family member could bring a can when they come to services.

Christian Love & Sympathy

is expressed to April Budd & family in the loss of her grandmother, Virginia Huttelmayer.

Offering Information

Budget Needed: \$ 10,636.21
 Offering Received: \$ 8,854.00
 Designated Other: \$ 100.00
 Designated V2V: \$ 90.00
Total: \$ 9,044.00

Sunday School		Worship Services	
Adult	109	AM	174
Youth	16	PM	66
Children	21		
Preschool	21	Discipleship Training	17
Total:	167	Graded Choirs	23
		Total:	40

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 serving...in the name of Jesus
 Christ and for His glory.*

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Calendar of Events

- Saturday, January 26**
 Youth Choir Fellowship at Borengasser’s - meet at church at 5:00 PM
- Sunday, January 27**
 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
 Rose Condra guest speaker in morning worship service - 10:45 AM
 Baby bottle campaign starts
- Monday, January 28**
 Sunday School Team Meeting - 1:00 PM
- Sunday, February 3**
 Sunday School Worker’s Meeting - 9:00 AM in FLC
 Youth Super Bowl Party in Youth Room after the evening worship service
- Friday, February 15**
 Youth Open Gym Night in the FLC - 7:00-9:30 PM
- Sunday, February 17**
 Business Meeting - 7:00 PM
- Monday, February 18**
 President’s Day - Office Closed
- Tuesday, February 19**
 XYZ Pitch-in luncheon and Game Day in FLC - 12:00 PM
- Saturday, February 23**
 Cub Scout Pack 10 Blue/Gold Banquet & Pinewood Derby in FLC - 4:00-7:00 PM
- Sunday, February 24**
 Senior Adult Day

Pastor's Paragraphs

I can't adequately express the thanksgiving I have in my heart for the wonderful reception and the more-than-generous gift you gave us in recognition of our fifteenth anniversary here as pastor. The FLC was beautifully decorated, the refreshments and food were delicious, and the spirit of love and fellowship was sweet. Your love gift was over-the-top! You bless our lives every day, and this outpouring of love blessed us more than you can know. I hope the church has been somehow blessed through our ministry here over the past fifteen years. Our own lives certainly have been. From the day we came here, you have shown us nothing but love and grace, and have been willing to step up to the plate and do the work of the ministry, relying on God and believing in his word. God has done many great things, people have been saved, mission projects have been accomplished, the building has been modernized and expanded and almost paid for, and the name of Jesus has been glorified. I don't know what lies ahead, but I am excited about what God can and will do through the ministries of the FSBC family if we all are faithful and willing to follow his lead and step out by faith to pursue his mission. Let's do it for Jesus' sake. Again, my beloved church family, thank you!

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Sunday is "Sanctity of Human Life Sunday." Rose Condra, director of our "Choices for Women Resource Center" will be here to update us on the life-saving and soul-saving ministry of "Choices" and our opportunities to get involved. Don't miss it!

In Christ, *Bro. Russ*

## The Upcoming Week

### Sunday, January 27 - Sanctity of Human Life

- 9:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 10:45 AM Worship - Rose Condra
- 5:00 PM Preschool & Graded Choirs  
Discipleship training for Adults & Youth
- 6:15 PM Worship Service

### Monday, January 28

- 1:00 PM Sunday School Team Meeting

### Wednesday, January 30

- 5:00 PM Youth Choir
- 5:45 PM Meal: Chili
- 6:30 PM Mission Friends, GA's, RA's  
Youth Bible Study  
Adult Prayer/Bible Study  
Worship Choir Rehearsal  
La Respuesta Bible Study
- 7:40 PM Handbell Team Rehearsal

### Thursday, January 31

- 8:30 AM Men's Prayer Breakfast at Denny's

### Saturday, February 2

- 8:00 AM Men's Intercessory Prayer Meeting

### Sunday, February 3

- 9:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting  
Sunday School Worker's mtg in FLC
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 10:45 AM Worship Service
- 5:00 PM Preschool & Children's Choirs  
Discipleship Training for Adults & Youth
- 6:15 PM Worship Service
- 7:15 PM Youth Super Bowl Party-Youth room

### Wednesday, February 6

- 5:00 PM Youth Choir
- 5:45 PM Meal: Bean soup, hot dogs, cornbread
- 6:30 PM Mission Friends, GA's, RA's  
Youth Bible Study  
Adult Prayer/Bible Study  
Worship Choir Rehearsal  
La Respuesta Bible Study
- 7:40 PM Handbell Team Rehearsal

## A Word from Keith

Hopefully if you have made a New Year's Resolution it is still going strong. It's estimated that only 8% of people that make some type of resolution will follow through on their new commitment for the year. A few weeks ago in youth group we discussed setting some individual spiritual goals as well as goals for our youth group. The teens filled out some resolutions for both and then we all put them in an envelope with the understanding that we would pull them out and look at them a few times throughout the year to make sure we were striving toward our goals. I would encourage all of us if you haven't made a spiritual commitment for this year it's not too late to begin. Maybe you set a goal and it has been difficult to keep going strong. Pray and ask God for help to follow through on a goal you have set for yourself this year.

The GMAA Conference for youth is at SBTS is March 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>. The early registration costs is \$59 but must be completed by January 28<sup>th</sup>. Otherwise, the cost is \$79 per person. The prices do include meals for Friday supper, Saturday breakfast and lunch. Teens need to sign up by January 27<sup>th</sup> (do not have to pay amount then) so that they can be registered. There will be a sign up sheet this Wednesday night and next Sunday morning for those needing to register for the early discount. This is a great conference for our young people to attend. They will get to hear Al Mohler, Russell Moore & Jimmy Scroggins this year. If you have any questions please ask, we would like to see all of our youth attend.

God Bless,  
Bro. Keith



## Remembering in Prayer

**So. Indiana Rehab:** Ruth Leffler

**Wedgewood:** Katie Cawthorn

**Riverbend:** Maxine Burke

**Home:** Annette Anderson, Adrian Brummet, Marie Click, George Coleman, Ada Dunn, Mary Eddings, Esther Figueroa, Brenda Gaunce, Ione Howard, Donna Huff, Abbey Hunter, Danny Jones, Muriel McKinney, Mary Alice Northington, Sandy Ragan, Daphne Ryan, Kenny Sullivan, Beulah Truesdell, Ed & Sarah Vance

**Shut-Ins:** John & Mattie Stith, Bettyruth Wilson, Juanita Zuberer

### Through the Bible in a Year

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| January 23 | Exodus 4-6 & Matthew 16         |
| January 24 | Exodus 7-8 & Matthew 17         |
| January 25 | Exodus 9-10 & Matthew 18:1-20   |
| January 26 | Exodus 11-12 & Matthew 18:21-35 |
| January 27 | Exodus 13-15 & Matthew 19:1-15  |
| January 28 | Exodus 16-18 & Matthew 19:16-30 |
| January 29 | Exodus 19-21 & Matthew 20:1-16  |
| January 30 | Exodus 22-24 & Matthew 20:17-24 |

### Youth Super Bowl Party

The youth will be having a super bowl party in the youth room right after the evening worship service on Sunday night, February 3, 2013.

### Choices for Women Baby Bottle Campaign

Next Sunday is Sanctity of Human Life Sunday. Rose Condra, director of "Choices for Women Resource Center" in New Albany will be here as our special guest. We will launch our Baby Bottle Campaign in support of "Choices" next Sunday. Baby bottles will be available. You may fill the bottle with silver coins, paper money, or a check made out to **Choices for Women Resource Center**.

### XYZ Update

Pitch-in luncheon and "Game Day" on Tuesday, February 19, 2013 in the FLC. Please sign up on the sheet in the lobby.