

NOVEMBER 8
2010

Work Day

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SOUTHWEST CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST



Encouragement Brunch Planned

A number of folks in our church family have lost loved ones in recent years. On **Saturday, November 13th** we would like to invite you over for brunch! We hope for this to be a time to share and encourage one another. If you would like to be a part of this gathering, please RSVP to Joyce Van Houten or Laure Tucker (713-806-9584) by November 11. The brunch will begin at 10 am at the home of the Tuckers. We are looking forward to being with you!

International Day of Prayer

Christians are persecuted in many countries of the world. They consistently ask, "Pray for us." They aren't asking us to pray that all of their trials and persecution will cease. They are asking us to pray that in spite of the things they suffer, God will enable them to remain faithful.

The second Sunday of each November, churches around the world gather to fulfill that request as part of the **International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church**. We will join this year's International Day of Prayer on **November 14**.

Cradle Roll on Sunday Morning

There is a need for a Cradle Roll on Sunday mornings during class time, 9am-10am. We are looking for a few adults who could rotate in and out each month to care for the babies of this congregation. There needs to be at least 2 responsible adults - adept in quality care and safety procedures - in the Cradle Roll at all times.

If you are interested in helping out, please contact the office.

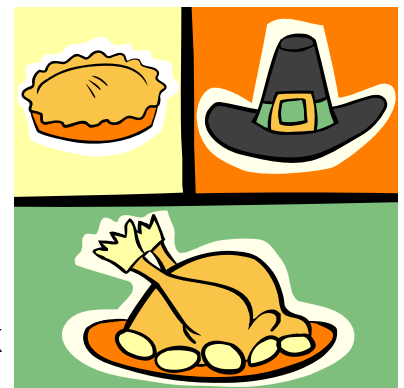
Houston History Book Fair and Symposium

On **Saturday, November 13** at the Heights Church of Christ there will be a History Book Fair. There will be speakers beginning at 10:30 a.m. For more information, please visit www.sloangallery.com or www.houstonartsandmedia.org.

32nd Annual Thanksgiving Big Feast

The City Wide Club invites you to join the 32nd Annual Big Feast on Thanksgiving Day, **Thursday, November 25** at the George R. Brown Convention Center. The door will open at 10:00 a.m. There will be a complete Thanksgiving dinner served with live entertainment. Also, the City Wide Club will be assisting those in need of jobs, housing, clothing, various household goods and medical assistance.

If you are someone you know are in need of assistance during this time or would benefit from a free food basket or a hot turkey dinner, please call (713) 752-2582. To receive food baskets and Thanksgiving dinner, you must call in and write to: City Wide Club, PO Box 8446, Houston, TX 77288 ATTN: Family Assistance.



There is more information on the bulletin board near the nursery.

As God has loved us, we will meet people on common ground and journey together to the higher ground of life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Choir for Annual Community Thanksgiving Service

The Southwest Houston Community Thanksgiving Service, sponsored by the Southwest Ministerial Association, is announced for **Sunday, November 21**, at 4:00 PM, at Congregation Beth Israel, 5600 North Braeswood.

Pastor Matt Vandagriff, senior pastor of Willow Meadows Baptist Church, is the featured speaker. The 50-voice Braes Interfaith Choir will participate, as will Cantor Robert Gerber.

A special offering will be taken for Braes Interfaith Ministries, which was founded by the SW Ministerial Association.

The congregations of SW Houston have been privileged to work together to minister to the needs of Hurricane Katrina survivors and also after Hurricanes Rita and Ike.

This is the twenty-second Community Thanksgiving Service.

For more information contact Pastor David Roschke, chair of the Association at 713-723-3509



Maggie Bell and Ellery McDaniel enjoying Sunday morning worship.

Update on Michael Greenwood

Michael Greenwood sends his greetings to everyone. The mass on his back has shrunk significantly. The family will be able to go on vacation to Disney World.

Mission Love Offering

The Missions Love Offering will **Sunday, November 21**. The contribution being made that day will be divided among our missionaries as a year end bonus.

Mark Your Calendar...

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10
Café Grace

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11
Ladies Bible Class Luncheon

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14
Sandifer preaching
Care Groups

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17
Café Grace
Web Review Meeting

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18
Ladies Bible Class

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19
Bridge Night

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20
Seasons meeting at 8:30 a.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21
Missions Love Offering
McAlister preaching
Community Thanksgiving

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

November 8	John 12,13
November 9	John 14-16
November 10	John 17,18
November 11	John 19-21
November 12	Acts 1-3
November 13	Acts 4-6
November 14	Acts 7,8
November 15	Acts 9,10
November 16	Acts 11-13