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# Informer

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## *Bring A Friend Day!*

Sunday, January 10th  
Fellowship meal to follow  
honoring new members.  
Afternoon Worship - 12:30 P.M.

This is an excellent opportunity  
to invite friends and family.

**Who will you bring?**

Attendance Goal  
450

*Last year's attendance was 429!*

## **Level Paths**

Hebrews 12:13 "Make level paths for your feet,"  
so that the lame may not be disabled but rather healed.

Are you careful where you walk? Most of us have our eyes on where we are walking. Whether it is in your house, in your yard or walking through the woods, we want to prevent ourselves from falling. If you walk into your child's room and find it very cluttered then immediately you find the child to clean it up. Why? It is a danger to all who enter. If a tree root has raised your sidewalk then you seek to put it back in its proper place due to the possibility of friends, neighbors or yourself tripping over it. While passing through the great outdoors, we watch where we place every step. We watch for rocks, limbs, holes or anything that will cause us to stumble.

Are we as careful with our spiritual life? Specifically in Hebrews are we careful with our faith. Do we open our eyes to observe things that might harm our faith? When we see them do we avoid them to keep ourselves from being hurt? The first half of this verse comes from the book of Proverbs. In this book the remainder of the verse says to take only ways that are firm. Why do we do this? The first reason is self preservation but the second is because people are watching. If we take the wrong path, then it is likely that others may follow us. Our goal is to help others instead of bringing them harm. During this coming new year, let's stay on the level path with our Christian journey and let's be a good example for those around that may be weaker.

Joe

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**OUR MEMBERS**

- Iris Anderson - undergoing chemo
- Mike Andrews
- Ann Brady
- Carly Britt - home
- Alice Bolton - surgery Jan. 11 at Vanderbilt
- Bernice Bratton
- Joy Brown & Fred Brown
- Bill Carroll - 2502 Shangrila Trail
- Ruth Childress - NHC Hillview, Rm. 217
- Mary Chumbley
- John Churchwell
- Athaleen Cox
- J.W. Gilliam
- Margaret Johnson
- Maetta King - Poplar Estates 215
- Linda Luna
- Minnie Morrow - home
- Frances Petty - NHC Columbia, Rm. 111-A, 375-4887
- James Ed Pollard - NHC Hillview, Rm. 227-A
- Ned Pollard - Skyline Medical Center, Rm. 303
- Jimmy Quirk
- Barney Roland - NHC Hillview, Rm. 101B
- Ethel Spears - NHC Hillview, Rm. 115
- Virginia Staggs-Poplar Estates 101
- Melissa Stutts - undergoing chemo
- David Upchurch - home
- Donald White
- Elaine Whitehead

**FRIENDS AND FAMILY**

Doug Wilson - brother of Peggy Jones, Norma Boyette - sister of Bill Jones & Elaine Whitehead, Van Brown, Mata Tzane-tos' brother, Roiki Phillips, Juanita Boyd - stepmom of Gary, Carolyn Hutcherson, sister of Larry Nicholson, Billie Andrews, Kathy Reed - friend of Linda Mabry, Tracey Davis Baker - daughter of Donnie & Sharon, Sherry Pritchett - mother of Jody, Dora Bolton - mother of James, JoAnn Anderson - mother of Katherine Nicholson, Ginger Chesnut - cancer, Jay Morgan - father-in-law of Kim, Elvis Frierson - friend of John Mayberry, Glenda Collins - sister of John Mayberry, Katherine Jones - mother of Alice Bolton, Daniel Harrington, Mike Primm, Nick Tank - student at Baker - leukemia, Clara Harvey, aunt of Ray Rummage, Clarence Weaver - Poplar Estates, Rm. 219, Joan Hermsdorfer - aunt of Robin Weaver, Stacey Brown - cystic fibrosis, Billy Oliver (Poplar Estates, Rm. 201) - brother of Corrine Goetz, Lou Miller NHC Columbia Rm 152, Dorothy Rea - sister/Elmer Lusk, Evelyn Felker, sister/Benny Bolton, Ann Graham - Morning Pointe, Rm. 113, Beverly Dawson, Jack & Daisy White, Jane Davis - sister of Nell Hood, Allen Brown, Ronnie Springer-leukemia, friend of John & Debbie Massey, Stormy Lyle - 1305 Old Mill Road, Moore, OK 73160, David Luther, Jacqueline Potts, Mary Blocker, NHC Hillview Rm. 106.

Congratulations to Jeremy & Carly Britt on the birth of Benjamin Gabriel born Dec. 22 weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz. Proud brothers and sister are Conner, Lex and Abigail.

**WORSHIP LEADERS JANUARY 3, 2016**

**SUNDAY 9:00 A.M**

Welcome.....Richard Farris  
 Song Leader.....Greg Lusk  
 Prayer.....Boyd Wood  
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Jody Pritchett  
     Donnie Davis                      Sonny Hargrove  
     Sam Quirk                         Jason Kelley  
     Chris Mobley                     Daniel Thomas  
     David Gray                        Lee Winchester  
 Read: Psalm 34:3, Phil. 1:20,21.....DeWayne Hickman  
 Sermon: The Year of our Lord 2016.....John Thomas  
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Richard Farris

**SUNDAY 5:30 P.M.**

Welcome/Song Leader.....Conner Arnett  
 Prayer.....Trent Hill  
 Read: Matt. 4:23-5:1.....Charlie Willis  
 Sermon: Introducing The Sermon On The Mount.....Joe Macer  
 Lord's Supper Presiding.....Blair Keeling  
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Kevin Mick

Ushers: Duane Allen, Jim Anderson, John Massey  
 Greeters: Chris & Angela Mobley, Lisa Kelley, Linda Lasater  
 Audio/Visual: Chase Thomason

Security Team: A.M. Jason Kelley, Benny Bolton P.M. Cheyenne McNeese, Chris Mobley

If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (446-0668) or Joe Williams (388-9183)  
 Or go to our website and follow the "Unable to Serve" link and submit the information.

**NURSERY CARE**

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 6, 2016 - 6:30 P.M.**

A.M.....Rita Skelley, Morgan Belew  
 P.M.....Cindy Hickman, Jadonna Hight

Song Leader .....Jerry Wilson  
 Prayer.....Charlie Willis  
 Announcements/Speaker.....Jim Pollard