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A Place to Belong....A Place to Become....A Place to Call Home....

2010: AN UNSHAKABLE KINGDOM

This is going to be a great year. We can do anything with Christ strengthening us. (Phil 4:13) In fact he can do more than we think or imagine. (Ephesians 3:20)

We have to think in terms of possibilities, not limitations.

We must act in faith, not fear.

We must change, not just rearrange.

Our success will only be as great as our faith, added to our love, and multiplied by our unity. Satan can't defeat us. The world can't drag us down. God will not forsake us. So who am I to fear? We are more than conquerors. (Rom 8:28)

Friend Day: January 24th, with Willie Hamblen

This is a great opportunity for you to give that friend a special invitation to worship with us. Our goal is 300. We have attractive flyers in the foyer for you to use. We will have a fellowship meal after the morning service. We will provide the meat, and are asking you to fill in with vegetables, salads, and deserts. Our early service will be limited to only a brief devotional and communion. We are asking and encouraging all members to attend the second service and Bible class. All adult classes will meet in the auditorium.

Next Saturday at 9:00 A.M. we will meet to canvas the area in which we handed out the newsletters. We need 20 people to get this done and will be finished in one hour. Please help us.

Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire. Heb 12:28-29 (ESV)

Joe Palmer

YOUTH MINISTRY

January 10, 2010

TODAY at the building!!

Lads to Leaders Meeting 6:00 pm

...Looking Ahead...

Jan 11: High School Devo 6:30-8:30 pm

Jan 16-18: G.U.L.F.

Jan 18: Combined Devo 6:30-8:30 pm

“Shout Out About It”...News about our church...

Do you have a “Shout Out About It” news about our youth?... let David Copeland know by e-mail:

youth@nicevillechurchofchrist.org

Lads-to-Leaders Registration: We need all registration forms in so we can begin inputting your information this year. Time is ticking down, become a part of it today! See Marsha Babe or Wintress Stephens for more information.

YOUTH DEVOTIONALS

Are you looking for a positive way to be involved? Host a devotional at your home this year. There are three different types of devotionals that we have with our youth: **Middle School** ages devotional; **High School** ages devotional; and a **Combined devotional** for both Middle and High School ages.

If you would like to host a devotional in your home, please sign up for the month of your choice with the corresponding type of devotional. Sign-up sheet is in the foyer. If you would like to give a devotional lesson, please let me know so that I can schedule it!

David Copeland

FRIEND DAY - January 24th

January 24th is Friend Day at the Niceville Church of Christ. Our goal for the day is to have 300 in attendance at our morning worship. Willie Hamblen will be our guest speaker for the day. We will have an abbreviated early worship, and then our regular worship times. We will have a fellowship meal after the 10 a.m. service. Our goal for the new year is to reach out to our friends and neighbors with the gospel. How can we do that? By inviting them to church.

So right now, begin to think about friends, relatives, and neighbors whom you care about. Who can you invite to church? Don't prejudice who will come. Just give a heartfelt invitation. Please pray for this effort.



WORSHIP CAFE

Please come and join us this Wednesday at the “Worship Café”! This week’s menu will be Hamburger Medley over Rice, Vegetable, Salad, Rolls, Dessert, Tea and Coffee.

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## WINGS Women IN Gods Service

### LADIES BREAKFAST

Ladies, we will have a breakfast and kick off the New Year on Saturday the 23rd at 9:30 a.m. Please sign up in the foyer if you will attend and what you would be willing to bring. Can't wait to see you there!

### GATEWAY LADIES RETREAT

You are invited to the 2010 Gateway Ladies Retreat, February 26-28th, at the Hilton Hotel and Convention Center in Pensacola. This year's theme is “**Choosing to be Holy**”. Payment and registration is due by January 15th. See Kim for more info.

### “MASQUERADE”

You are invited to a Ladies Retreat at the Destin Church of Christ on Friday, January 15th - Saturday, the 16th. Doors open at 5:30 pm for Hors d'oeuvres. Phantom's Delight at 6:15 pm. Cost is \$10 each. You need to sign up (and pay if possible) by this Sunday. You can call Paula Wilcox (609-4829) or the Destin church office (837-8050) if you want more info or to sign up.

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K-5TH EVENTS



Jan. 8th: Fellowship at the Williams' 6-9 pm

Jan. 22nd: Fellowship at the Williams' 6-9 pm

Feb. 5th: (Boys Only) Camp-In at the Williams' house
(Girls Only) Girly-Girl Pajama Party - at the Moody's

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### LADIES LUNCH

Beginning January 19th, we will be having a monthly ladies luncheon on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. This month we will meet at the building at 11:30 a.m. and go to Giuseppe's. This will be a great opportunity to get to know each other in Christian love. If you have any questions, please see Sandy Stickel.



THIS WEEK AT NICEVILLE

Today: Early Service 7:45 AM
Jan. 10th: Bible Class 9:00 AM
Worship 10:00 AM
Nursing Home Singing 3:30 PM
Evening Service 5:00 PM
Lads-to-Leaders Meeting 6:00 PM
Tues: Helping Hands Luncheon 12:30 PM
Wed: Worship Café 5:30 PM
Bible Study 7:00 PM
Sat: Men's Breakfast 8:00 AM
Sat - Mon: G.U.L.F. - Youth Event
18th: Martin Luther King Day - Office Closed
19th: Ladies Lunch 11:30 AM
23rd: Ladies Kickoff Breakfast 9:30 AM
24th: Friend Day & Luncheon
31st: 5th Sunday Singing 5:00 PM

NURSING HOME SINGING



This afternoon at 3:30 PM, we will meet at the Sterling House in Bluewater Bay for singing and encouragement to the folks there.

LADS-TO-LEADERS MEETING

We will have a meeting immediately following the evening worship service for all adults, parents and children who will be participating in any way with Lads-to-Leaders this year. The puppet teams will also meet after the initial meeting. Please make your best effort to attend this meeting as it is very important that we go over final registration and other details. Please bring finger foods and we will have a light meal along with the meeting.

HELPING HANDS LUNCHEON



Remember our Helping Hands Luncheon this Tuesday, January 12th, at 12:30 pm. Bring a dish and come enjoy the fellowship!

DIRECTORY PHOTOS



Last chance to get your new photo in the new directory coming out this month! Please see Ray Nevius today to get your picture taken, or let him know when you would be available.

Please continue to remember all of our military, especially, Joshua Born at Ft. Leonard Wood, MO, Tony Carrender in Iraq, Mike Kaseman and Ryan Ehrhard in Afghanistan, Mark Horton in Okinawa, and Jason Conner in CA.

Continue to remember Steve Horton, Patrick Ehrhard, and Fred Courington in your prayers.

Continue to remember Hoyt Dossey in your prayers for his health to improve.

Pete Everett fell and broke a couple of bones in his foot and is at home recovering.

Dreeta Copeland has been in the hospital this week with complications, and may be home this weekend.

Chase Fudge had gallbladder surgery Friday morning in Crestview. He had a lot of infection and they will keep him a day or so to treat that.

Barbara Summers will be going to the Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville later this month for a procedure.

Stephanie Wood, Nita Kirkland's granddaughter, had gallbladder surgery on Friday.

Kevin Moody's mother had neck surgery Dec. 30th. Pray for her recovery.



Our sympathy goes out to Bob Ezell in the passing of his twin sister, Merle Childers, of Philadelphia. She passed away on Tuesday.



Our sympathy goes out to Betty Bouley in the passing of her sister, Louise Smith this past week. The funeral was Wednesday in Foley, Alabama.



CRADLE ROLL CLASS

Cradle Roll Class will resume today, January 10th. Carolyn Stokes will be the teacher for Cradle Roll, ages 6 months- up to 2 years old.

AGAPE THRIFT STORE

Get a jumpstart on your spring cleaning. Call Skip at the Agape Thrift Store for pickups. Phone: 582-3910.

**AN HONOR TO SERVE**

**ELDERS**

Mark Conner .....897-2403  
Doug McCown .....678-8562  
Ken Stanley .....678-1494

**EVANGELIST**

Joe Palmer .....678-5509

**YOUTH MINISTER**

David Copeland .....678-1005

**SECRETARY**

Kimberly Smith .....699-7294

**DEACONS**

Doyle Babe ..... Education  
Johnnie Duke ..... Team Life  
Dennis Dwyer ..... Treasurer  
Ron Higdon ..... Lord's Supper/Greeters  
Basel Queen ..... Visitation  
Keith Stephens ..... Sound Room  
Lewis Williams ..... K-5th Grade & PALS

**LEADERS**

Dennis L'Orange ..... Missions  
..... Grounds  
Tim Stickel ..... Team Life

**MINISTERS**

Every member of this Congregation

**WEEKLY REPORT**

**FOR**

**January 3, 2009**

Sunday Bible Class ..... 119  
AM Worship ..... 219  
Wed. Bible Class ..... 105  
Contribution ..... \$5,880.50  
Weekly Average YTD ..... \$5,880.50  
Budget ..... \$6,199.08  
Building Fund Total ..... \$254,429.02

**REMINDERS FOR THOSE WHO SERVE**

**Preside Over Lord's Table**

January 10th: Joe Butler  
January 17th: Fred Carrender

**Lead Prayer - Sunday**

January 10th: 10 AM: Open: Jim Coville  
Close: Bob Lauderdale  
5 PM: Open: Dennis L'Orange  
Close: Ron Higdon  
January 17th: 10 AM: Open: Dewayne McCormick  
Close: Greg Murry  
5 PM: Open: Steve Stephens  
Close: Tim Stickel

**Lead Prayer - Wednesday**

Open: Kevin Moody  
Close: Doyle Babe

**Lead Devotion - Wednesday**

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LOCK BUILDING

JANUARY: Doyle Babe

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**PREPARE COMMUNION TRAYS**

JANUARY: Kathy Everett

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PALS SCHEDULE

January 10th: Teacher: Dianne Nevius
Helper: Tyler Andrews/Paris
January 17th: Teacher: Lynn Stephens
Helper: Grant Higdon

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**SIGN-UP FOR COMMUNION  
PREPARATION 2010**

If you are willing to prepare the Communion Trays for next year, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer. We have a few open slots left.