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# **COMING UP!**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10** 

**Deacon's Meeting** 8:00 AM

**Sunday School** 9:00 - 9:45 AM **Worship Service** 10:00 -11:00 AM Youth-Parent Meeting following morning worship.

**Quarterly Business Session** 5:00 PM

ADULT EXERCISE MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY, 8:30 A.M.

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12** Senior Adults at the Highland House at 5:30 PM

## **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13**

- Family Night Supper at 5:00 PM Call the office to make reservations!

MENU: Beef Stroganoff, Carrots, Peas,, Rolls, Salad, Dessert CHILDREN'S MENU: Chicken Nuggets or Hot Dogs

\$5.00 Adults (6th Grade and up) \$3.00 Children \$20.00 Family Maximum

- Prayer Meeting (6:00-7:00 PM)
- Youth Worship (6:00 -7:00 PM)
- Kidz WOW (6:00-7:00 PM)
- Adult Choir Rehearsal (7:00-8:00 PM)



FROM THE CHIEF OF STAFF...

A Beautiful New Sanctuary & A Tribute To A Brother

The worship service on Sunday really impacted me for many reasons and on many levels. The renovation of the sanctuary was a success for many reasons not the least of which was adherence to "Snowden's Law For Renovations" which states "To have a successful renovation, start with an ugly room or building". Unfortunately, we as a congregation deferred the needed maintenance to a point that the room had indeed become ugly (e.g. duct tape on the floor to cover worn carpet). The main reason this project was successful was that we prayed as a congregation and acted as one on what needed to be done. Those on the project team were interested in doing what was the best for the church and egos were put on the back burner. Simply stated, we worked as a team with the goal being to honor the Lord in what we did. God has blessed us with 334 people attending the worship service on October 3, 2021.

This celebration was bittersweet for those of the Snowden family as a very key member, Tim, was not there to celebrate with us. I would like to tell you why we miss him and some of the things that he has done.

Tim was the chairman of the property committee at the time of his death, and he was very influential in improving the maintenance from a prolonged period of deferred maintenance. He kept me on the right track of balancing a major renovation with maintaining the other parts of the building as needed. I am somewhat prone to have tunnel vision when dealing with a project. Tim kept me grounded and looking at the big picture.

Tim also served as the chairman of the Finance Committee during a time of near financial crisis at Highland Baptist Church. Tim was not an accountant but was most assuredly a God centered leader. His tenure as chairman of the committee led to correcting a lot of ills and put this church on firm financial footing that allowed us to complete a major renovation without going into debt.

Tim was foremost a strong family man who honored the Lord with how he treated his wife, raised his children, and ministered to his mother during her final days. He often took the brunt of her anger during the periods that her dementia was in control. He did so without complaining or getting angry. I received some of this anger, but not nearly as much as he did.

I request that as you worship in the newly renovated sanctuary you remember my brother and pray for his family. Heaven has gained a great man, and we miss him greatly.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT OCTOBER 3, 2021			
Budget	45,905.15	CDC Req. to date	933,683.20
Child Development Center	.00	(40@ 23,342.08)	
Designated	1,246.00	CDC Receipts to date	934,989.35
Total	47,151.15	State Missions Offering:	\$3,250.00
Budget Req. to date (40@ 23,309.06)	932,362.40	Disaster Relief	\$4,337.00
Budget Receipts to date	932,984.64	SUNDAY SCHOOL	236
Dauget Receipts to date	752,704.04	MORNING WORSHIP	334



### CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY ARE EXTENDED TO:

...Robin Gough in the death of his brother.

...Ms. Regena Clark and Jeff Clark and family in the death of their cousin.

### SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are in celebration of Helen Stubbs on her birthday given by Becky and Eric, Eric, Laine and Wes and Patrick, Alex, Luke and Cooper.

