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**DAILY
BIBLE
READING**

November 13
November 14
November 15
November 16
November 17
November 18
November 19

2 Chronicles 4:1-22
2 Chronicles 5:1-14
Psalm 118
Psalm 135
Psalm 92
Psalm 93
Psalm 95



NURSERY VOLUNTEERS November 13
Todd and LeAnn Vick
Kawana, Aubrey and Allyn McCary

CANNED FOOD DRIVE
Highland Baptist Church will have a Canned Food Drive for the Lauderdale Baptist Association Crisis Center on Sunday, November 27.
Items may be placed on your car.



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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Deacon's Meeting	8:00 AM
Sunday School	9:00 - 9:45 AM
Worship Service	10:00-11:00 AM
Youth Bonfire	5:30 PM

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY Adult Exercise at 8:30 AM

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 Thanksgiving Brunch at the Highland House at 9:30 AM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

- Precept Bible Study
- Family Night Supper at 5:00 PM
MENU: Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Slaw, Salad, Dessert

CHILDREN'S MENU: Chicken Nuggets or Hot Dogs

- Kidz Praise (5:45-6:30 PM)
- Youth Worship (5:45-7:15 PM)
- Prayer Meeting (6:00 PM)
- Churchwide Operation Christmas Child Packing Party for Children 4 years old—Adults **(6:30-7:15 PM)**
We will meet in the Gathering Area to pack the boxes.
- Adult Choir Rehearsal (7:00 PM)



Help us pack shoeboxes!

And share the love of Christ!

FROM OUR CHIEF OF STAFF...

The Kingdom of God Is Not Going To Arrive On Air Force One

I attended a prayer breakfast in Meridian many, many, many years ago where Cal Thomas was the keynote speaker who started his presentation with the statement “The Kingdom of God is not going to arrive on Air Force One”. Mr. Thomas’ career was in the news business working as a reporter for NBC, a commentator for Fox News and a columnist for several newspaper conglomerates. He is also an unabashed evangelical Christian who was affiliated with the Moral Majority movement in the 1980’s. The Moral Majority was a movement begun by Jerry Falwell in 1979 which emphasized the involvement of evangelical Christians in politics and had strong ties to the Republican party. We all expected Mr. Thomas to emphasize how important it was for us to get involved in conservative politics, and he surprised us all. The lesson I learned in the 80’s still applies to us today.

I personally believe that Christians should be involved in the political process including running for office and voting. I also believe that we all need to remember that “The Kingdom of God is not going to arrive on Air Force One”, and that we should behave and speak in a manner that glorifies and honors the Lord. Unfortunately, our country has become very divided, and we often do not listen to each other (especially on social media).

I am writing this on November 7, 2022, and tomorrow is election day. I do plan to vote tomorrow, but I also plan to remind myself that Jesus Is Lord and not any political party be they conservative, liberal, or libertarian. I think this means the following.

- Someone can disagree with me on absolutely everything and still be a Christian.
- Being wrong does not make someone stupid.
- God has and will use non-believers to accomplish His will.
 - Nebuchadnezzar
 - Pharaoh
 - The Roman Empire
- Jesus died for everyone.
- Politics and college football should not be our main areas of concern.

See you at the polls, and “The Kingdom of God is not going to arrive on Air Force One”.

SPECIAL THANKS...

to David and Nancee Greer’s Sunday School class for initiating the project to power wash the Highland House and thank you Dave Carr for accomplishing the task!

A THANK YOU NOTE HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM:
...the family of Mrs. Dot Espey.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Please turn in all items for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes by Sunday, November 13.
The Packing Party (for age 4—adults) is Wednesday, November 16, 6:30—7:15 PM in the Gathering Area.

ANNIVERSARIES

This month Mrs. Sarah Kitchens begins her 7th year as our Financial Assistant and Mrs. Libby Davidson begins her 4th year as our Children’s Director.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are in honor of Donnie and Vickie Mathis’ 50th Wedding Anniversary given by their children.



STEWARDSHIP REPORT NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Budget	25,186.60	CDC Req. to date	1,129,905.00
CDC	.00	(45@25,109.00)	
Designated	.00	CDC Receipts to date	1,026,274.50
Total	25,186.60		
Budget Req. to date		SUNDAY SCHOOL	223
(45@23,996.67)	1,079,850.15	WORSHIP	246
Budget Receipts to date	984,741.25		