# THE CENTER POINT

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## **THOMAS' TIDINGS**

# THANK YOU, CHURCH FAMILY

I want to thank you all for your many prayers and acts of kindness during my recent surgery. I am recovering well and will be back to wide open soon.

Special thanks to Rob Cain and Ken Lee for filling the pulpit during my absence. I am so thankful for being part of a great, caring church.

### SPECIAL SERVICES

October 1 — The Lord's Supper.

This is always a highlight of our Sunday worship. I hope you will be present and prayerful for this special service.



October 15-18 — Awakening Revival with Dr. Jeff Crook. Jeff has been with us on several occasions and is one of the finest preachers in our convention. Be in prayer now for God to lay someone on your heart to pray for and invite.

I hope to see you in the services Sunday. Come with expectancy and invite someone to come with you. God is going to greatly bless!

To God Be All The Glory, Bro. Herb

#### **CAIN'S CORNER**

**Wow!** As of today, we only have 12 slots open (out of 75) for our Holy Land Trip coming up on May 22-30, 2024. This is going to be a GREAT trip! The total cost is \$4,200 and includes round-trip airfare, lodging, entry fees, 2 daily meals, and in-country transportation. Give me a call if you have questions or would like to sign up. *Don't miss it!* 

Big Fellowship! All College & Young Adults are invited to our HUGE "Holy"ween Fellowship on Wednesday, October 25, at 6:00 PM, at our house. We will enjoy a nice catered meal, plus games, prize drawings, costumes, and more. This is a great opportunity to bring a friend!

**Each One, Reach One:** As this campaign continues, we are GROWING! The challenge is for each person to reach one unchurched individual and invite (or bring) them to church! *Will you help us?* 

Blessings, Rob

### FROM DONNA'S DESK

"Then God said, 'Let the earth produce living creatures according to their kinds: livestock, creatures that crawl, and the wildlife of the earth, according to their kinds.' And it was so." Genesis 1:24



A huge THANK YOU for the support you gave to our Children's Ministry Humane Society Project! The response was such a blessing and the staff at The Humane Society of West

Alabama was so appreciate of our donations. These items will assist them greatly in caring for our community's homeless pet population. Once again, thank you so very much!

Our Annual Children's Fall Festival is set for Saturday, October 28th, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. in our Christian Life Center. This event will be



a fun-filled afternoon for the children of our church and their guests. We will feature carnival style games, face painting, inflatables, door prizes, and snacks! Don't miss this fun family activity!

Joyfully, Donna

#### **NELSON'S NEWS**

I have been trying to be more intentional about outreach in our Student Ministry this fall. As part of this, I have planned several great series that we are studying and ending each series with a "fun" event. We have done a night of Pickleball and a night of Skating as we ended two different series and we have "Donuts & Dodgeball" coming up on October 25th. The goal behind these events is to provide students with an easy way for them to invite their friends to church. On each of these nights, we shift our focus a tiny bit and spend a lot of time fellowshipping and building relationships while hearing an "evangelistic" message. My hope is that students will invite their unchurched friends who will hear the gospel preached and come to saving faith in Jesus. This week, join me in praying for our students and their friends.

In Christ, Steven

#### **RECORD - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2023**

(Due to the printing schedule of The Alabama Baptist newspaper, the Sunday Record is one week behind.)

 Budget Offering.
 \$19,331.00

 Operation Christmas Child.
 \$50.00

 Myers-Mallory.
 \$2,337.00

New Sunday School Member:
(3) Abigail Robinson — 2nd Grade Class

#### IN HONOR OF

A gift for Operation Christmas Child was received in honor of J.C. and Lorene Sims from Walter and Juanita Boyd.

Dr. Herbert Thomas, Pastor
Winton Patterson, Minister of Music
Rob Cain, Associate Pastor
Steven Nelson, Student Minister
Donna Cicero, Children's Minister

## EVERYBODY LOVES SPAGHETTI



# Youth Ministry Project SPAGHETTI & SAUCE

Please help us reach our goal of "50 Meals". Donations may be left @ the Welcome Center by October 15th. Thank You!!

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FALL
REVIVAL
with
Evangelist
Jeff Crook

Sunday-Wednesday October 15-18, 2023 6:00 p.m. nightly

Mark your calendar NOW and don't miss a service!

