

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24

JOY Fellowship Starlite Luncheon Cruise (11:30 a.m.)
Crown Ministry Orientation (7:00 p.m.) Adult Ed Building

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25

Awana (7:00 p.m.) (2 yrs. Old - 5th grade)
Outlet Student Ministries (7:00 p.m.) (6th - 12th grade)
Mid-week Bible Study (7:15 p.m.) Guest speaker
Tom Meyer, WordSource Ministry

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26

Visitation (6:30 p.m.) Adult Ed Bldg.
BLT Weight Loss Class (7:30 p.m.) Chapel

FRIDAY, JANUARY 27

MOPS & DOPS Dinner (6:30 p.m.) Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

Heart to Heart Brunch (10:00 a.m.) Chapel

Blessings from January 15, 2011

General	\$ 16,971.21
Missions	\$ 4,716.50
Expansion Fund.....	\$ 643.00
	\$ 19,081.71
Love Offering, Rich Rudolph.....	\$ 2,496.02
Love Offering, Bob Anderson, Trails End Ranch.....	\$ 1,350.00



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A Note from Pastor

Dear Congregation:

Today is January 22nd, the very month and day in 1973 that the United State Supreme Court made the historic decision that “within the right to privacy, was a basic constitutional right of the mother to ‘terminate her pregnancy.’” The court stated that “legal personhood does not exist prenatally” and that the unborn child was, in effect, property of the mother.

For the past 39 years there has been a flood of legal wrangling, attempting to alter or change this decision. Political, social, and religious wars about abortion have escalated.

Many renowned scientists and geneticists have testified before Congress that life begins at conception. Medical experts know that the unborn child is not a “potential life” as the *Roe* court would have us believe. Rather, it is a life with great potential. For example, Dr. Hymie Gordon, professor of medical genetics and a physician at Mayo Clinic, said in 1981:

“But now we can say, unequivocally, that the question of when life begins is no longer a question for theological or philosophical dispute. It is an established act. Theologians and philosophers may go on to debate the meaning of life, or the purpose of life; but it is an established fact that all life, including human life, begins at the moment of conception.”

On a more personal note, in December 1981, my wife, Joy, sensing we might be expecting our third child, went to a nearby clinic for a pregnancy test. When the lady called her back into the office for the results, she said, “We have the results of your test. It is positive. Do you want to continue or terminate?” Joy was shocked that it was stated to her in such an unconscionable, matter of fact, and businesslike manner.

“Because that, when they knew God, they glorified Him not as God, neither were thankful, but became vain in their reasonings, and their foolish heart was darkened.” Romans 1:21

In Christ,
Pastor Lancaster

Starkey Road Baptist Church



Sanctity of Human Life



Every life is precious because we are
all made in the image of God.

Genesis 1:27

STARKEY ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

This Lord's Day, January 22, 2012

9:00 A.M. FIRST HOUR

Children's Sunday School Teen Bible Fellowships
Adult Bible Fellowships First Hour *

10:30 A.M. HOUR

Preschool Church (3 & 4-year olds) in the Chapel
Primary Church (K – 2nd grade) in the Fellowship Hall
Parents, all children grades 2 and under must be picked up in their classroom.

Junior Church (3rd – 5th grade) upstairs in Education Building
Adult Bible Fellowships, Second Hour *

*(For information on Sunday School, Children's Church, and Adult Bible Fellowships, please pick up a flyer in the Information Center)

9:00 & 10:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICES

Pianist: Melanie Pav

Organist: Linda Thomas

"Saved, Saved" No. 500
Worship Choir "Above All"
Vocal Solo Pam Zeitler
Prayer Pastor Lancaster
Offertory Orchestra
"Wonderful Words of Life" No. 406
"More Precious Than Silver" No. 88
Testimony Gale Heinzen
Sermon Pastor Lancaster

"Everlasting Life"

Series: *What the Bible Teaches about Salvation*

Hospitality Time for First-time Guests At the conclusion of the morning service there is a brief hospitality time. Our pastor would like to meet each of you personally.

MEETINGS & REHEARSALS:

- **Ladies pre-service prayer meeting:** (5:15 p.m.) Hospitality Rm.
- **Choir** rehearsal (4:30 p.m.); **Orchestra** rehearsal (4:30 p.m.)
- **Cherub, Grace Notes, Chords of Joy** rehearsals (6:00 p.m.)
- **Crossroads College Ministry** (7:15 p.m.) Chapel

6:00 P.M. LORD'S SUPPER SERVICE

Pianist: Bonnie Hall

Vocal Duet Michelle & Ed Jocelyn
Vocal Solo Ben Puckett
Offertory Bonnie Hall
Lord's Supper Service Pastor Lancaster

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **Crown Ministries** will begin a new series of classes in February, with an orientation meeting on Tuesday, January 24th., at 6:45 p.m. in the Adult Ed. Bldg. Crown teaches biblical financial principles to change lives. Call Bob Swatland to register (392-6364) or use a church registration envelope.
- This Saturday morning, at 10:00 you will have the opportunity to relax around a great brunch with some great women. Our 2012 **Heart to Heart Mentoring** program will be beginning then, so don't miss out!
- The **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** will start a new year of food and fellowship this Saturday, January 28th, at 8:00 a.m. They meet at Perkins Restaurant, corner of Park and Starkey, and all men are invited to come and to bring a friend.
- The **JOY Fellowship** will be embarking on their luncheon cruise on the Starlite Princess this Tuesday, January 24th. Boarding begins at 11:30 a.m. at 3400 Pasadena Ave. S., St. Petersburg (left side of the Corey Causeway). The cruise departs at 12:00 noon and returns at 2:00 p.m.

ANNUAL MISSION CONFERENCE

Mark your calendars now for the Mission Conference coming February 22nd - 26th. Great things are already planned. Here are the missionaries that will be joining us for the Conference:

Jim & Susan Cook - Next Generation Ministry
Will & Nancy Chandler - United World Mission
Eric & Brenda Kosiorek - Togo
Stephen & Edna Muindi - Kenya
Ryan & Joy Owen - Ghana
Scott Taylor - Togo

- If you would like to host one of the families for a meal, please notate that on a registration envelope and drop it in a box today.
- A **Ladies Tea** is being planned for Saturday, February 25th, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We are currently looking for ladies interested in decorating a table. Please contact Karin Benefiel if you can help (409-6192).

A COUPLES RETREAT

Relationship experts, Bill & Pam Farrel will be here on Valentine's weekend for a couple's retreat on the topic "Understanding & Delighting in Your Differences." It will begin Friday night, February 10, at 7:00 p.m. with dinner at the Bayou Club, followed by the first conference session. Saturday morning we will reconvene for breakfast at 8:00 a.m. at Bardmoor Country Club. The conference will end at noon on Saturday. The cost is \$100 per couple and includes dinner, breakfast, and both conference sessions. Register using a registration envelope now or online at www.srb.org Please indicate your dinner preference when registering (petit filet or chicken piccata). Registration ends Wednesday, February 1st! (*Please note new deadline to register!*).

VETERANS FELLOWSHIP NEWS

The Veterans group will be traveling to Belleview, Florida (just south of Ocala) on Saturday, February 11 to visit the Florida Military Vehicles Preservation Association Exhibit. On display will be more than 100 restored military vehicles from WWII to the present. After lunch their will be short WWII "reenactment" and there may be a shooting gallery as well. Transportation will be provided. Food booths will be on site to purchase lunch, or you may bring your own. There will be a flea market offering memorabilia. We will leave church at 8:30 a.m., returning around 4:30 p.m. There is no charge to attend, but a small fee will be collected to cover the cost of transportation. Please register using a registration envelope no later than February 6th, or contact Phil Fogle (596-5936 or bjfogle@juno.com).

THE VINE

A new Adult Bible Fellowship class will begin on Sunday, February 5th in Room 103 at 9:00 a.m. This class is for singles that are established in their careers, regardless of circumstances. This class will be interactive, where everyone can share their heart and answer questions openly. Our goal is to reach out to others who have similar needs and struggles. The name The Vine comes from being connected to Jesus Christ (John 15:4-5). This class will be led by Sean Spivey and Mason Phillips. If you have questions or would like to join, please contact them (Sean 667-7407, Mason 412-5121).

JOY FELLOWSHIP UPDATE

A second bus has been secured for the trip to the Outta Control Comedy Dinner Show in Orlando on Thursday, February 16th. If you have signed up on the waiting list and still would like to go, please pay using a registration envelope. If you have not yet registered there are still some limited seating available. Deadline to register is next Sunday, January 29th. Cost is \$25.00 per person.