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Pine Street Baptist Church:

Where "Welcome" is not Just a Greeting, but a Way of Life.

Upcoming Dates

November 2 All Saints Sunday

November 5 Family Worship

November 8 Cooking Club

November 9 Youth Group—Noon

November 10 Deacons Meeting

November 17 WMU

November 21-22 Youth Lock In

November 23 Humphrey Home Thanksgiving

November 24 Christmas Store Orientation at 7:00 pm

> November 25 Thanksgiving Worship 7:00 pm

> November 26 Thanksgiving Meal for the Homeless

November 30 Youth Group—Noon

Thanksgiving Food Collection:

The Oregon Hill Center is once again asking for Thanksgiving "like" foods. We will be giving out Thanksgiving Bags on MONDAY, Nov. 24th to families who have pre-registered.

The types of foods we are requesting include: Instant Stuffing & /or Potatoes &/or Rice Gravy (Turkey or Brown) Flavored Rice (Rice-a-Roni, etc.) Canned Hams Yams/Sweet Potatoes (Family Size Cans) **Cranberry Sauce Apple Sauce** Green Beans (Family Size Cans) Cream of Mushroom or Chicken Soup Cans of Fried Onions Corn (Family Size Cans or 2 smaller cans) Muffin or Cornbread Mix Macaroni & Cheese (Family Size Box) Pre-made Pie Crust already in Pie Pan (Graham Cracker) Instant Puddings to make pies **Apple Juice** Instant Coffee (small jar) Box of Tea Bags (small box) \$10 Gift Cards from Kroger (to be used toward purchase of Turkey or other perishable items



Missions for the Christmas Season through the Oregon Hill Baptist Center



RBA/OHBC Christmas Store December 4 & 5, 2014 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

The annual Baptist Center Christmas Store will be held at the South Richmond Baptist Center. Families with children involved in our Center & Church programs as well as others from our community & be-

yond will have the opportunity to shop for Christmas gifts for their children for only a \$5 donation per child. All donations are put into an emergency relief fund to assist people in need throughout the winter with heating bills.

Volunteers are needed in several areas:

Donate items (please place in boxes around church building by Wednesday, Dec 3rd)

Sort & Organize items at the store location on Dec 1-3 (9AM – 2PM) Assist Shoppers on Dec. 4 or 5 to pick out gifts for children or carry items to car. (9AM-2PM)

Clean & Pack Up items at conclusion of store on Dec. 5 (1:30 PM - 3:00 PM)

Please let Jennifer Turner know or sign up on the Bulletin Board if you would like to volunteer @ the Store



Children's Christmas Store December 13, 2013 1:30-3:00 PM



All children ages 3-12 are invited to attend the Oregon Hill Baptist Center annual Christmas Store! This is the place where you can get cool gifts for your parents & siblings. Come and browse and then take your selections to the gift-wrapping station. Parents and children enjoy yummy refreshments while you wait. AND it is all FREE!! Arrive anytime between 1:30 & 2:45, no appointment necessary.

If you would like to DONATE new or "like-new" items for our children to choose from then just give them to Jennifer Turner.

November Birthdays

- 1: Marvin Hill
- 6: Merit Carrington Jim Arthur
- 8: Doug Clark
- 9: Marjorie Kidd
- 12: Allen Townsend
- 14: Russell Robinson Roy Robinson
- 20: Freddie Ann Crouch Sara O'Mary
- 24: Glenn Neal
- 29: Buddy Thomas
- 30: Bryan Patrick O'Mary

Anniversaries

- 19: Richard and Marie Johnstone
- 24: Glenn and Ellen Shaw

Special Gifts

Contributions were made to the Properties Endowment in memory of: Billy Wells, Joyce Inge, Grace and George Donohue,

Contributions were made to the Ministries Endowment in memory of: Robert, Clara, and James Hagan, Joyce Inge, Ruth Carter, Phyllis Verdi, Dot Wood

Contributions were made to the General Fund in memory of: Charles Gibson



Community Thanksgiving Meal Wednesday, November 27—Noon



Once again this year on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving we would like to invite those in our community without a home or family to join together for a home cooked meal with all the fixings. If you are interested in contributing a prepared dish or volunteering to help serve, then please sign up on the downstairs bulletin board or let Jennifer Turner know



Annual Thanksgiving Worship Tuesday, November 25 7:00 pm

Lottie Moon Banquet for International Missions Friday, December 6 at 6:00 p.m.

Cost: \$8.00 per adult, \$4.00 per child, \$20 per family Frances Schultz will be taking reservations through Wednesday, November 26. Please pay at the time you make your reservation

Winter Clothing Items Needed

Men's Long Johns, Adult Knit Gloves & Hats, Adult Sweatshirts, Blankets & Adult Sleeping Bags

These items are greatly needed to assist our homeless neighbors as the cold winter months are upon us. If you are able to donate any of these items please give them to Jennifer or place them by her office door. Thank you in advance for your assistance!!

Humphrey Home Thanksgiving Meal on November 23

If you would like to participate in the annual tradition then please sign up on the missions' bulletin board or talk to Betty Stowell