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That Binds The Church and Home Together

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Ballots... come in different shapes and sizes, and are cast in various ways.

On Tuesday, November 8th, we cast our ballots at the voting booth. We stood behind a curtain and pulled a lever, which mechanically registered our convictions about political candidates and public issues. Every Christian should vote. Peter Marshall, in one of his prayers, expresses well my sentiments regarding whomever is elected to local, state, and national leadership. "Help them to come to understand the real source of their mandate - a mandate given by no party machine, received at no polling booth, but given by God; a mandate to represent God and truth at the heart of the nation." Whenever we vote, we first pray for God's guidance and then cast our ballot, as a matter of spiritual responsibility and civic privilege.

There will be another ballot cast in the upcoming weeks. This one will not be done in a voting booth, but it is a decision we will make nonetheless. A decision regarding our financial commitments to the ministries of First Baptist Church in 2012. While we don't use pledge cards here, this is the time to think and pray about how we will financially support the church in the upcoming year. The 2012 Budget, which has been presented and will be voted on November 16th, is a challenge. It is a 3% increase in a still-tight economy. But it's what we believe God is leading us to do.

In making your decision, you will be casting a "ballot" for the support of the church's ministries in 2012. We will "vote" our convictions as to the kind and quality of ministry that will be ours in the coming year. This, too, is a ballot that every Christian should cast. Our stewardship commitment will speak of our love and commitment to God - it will show the priority we give to His church - it will demonstrate our understanding of Christian stewardship. And most of all it, too, is a matter of spiritual responsibility. Would you pray for God's guidance and then make your decision?

Two "ballots". Two important decisions. Two ways we allow God to lead and direct our lives.

George Fletcher



⇒ Advent Bible Study announced for Thursday mornings in December

⇒ White Christmas, our annual Angel tree adoption mission to help local children and families in need, continues, see inside for details

⇒ The Tie is how old? Find out inside

Generation Gap

After crawling into Grandpa's lap, little Freddie asked, "Were you in the ark with Noah, Grandpa?"

The grandfather chuckled, "Why, no, Son, I wasn't."

The youngster persisted, "Then why weren't you drowned?"

Check Out Our Website

www.firstbaptistwinchester.com

We continue to work at building an interesting and helpful church website. If you have any suggestions for additional material please let us know. The Tie is now available for viewing from the website on the News page.

ATTENDANCE			
DATE:	8:30AM	11:00AM	TOTAL
OCT. 30	70	126	196
NOV. 6	97	177	274

CONTRIBUTIONS:	OCT. 30	NOV. 6
NEEDED WEEKLY	\$ 11,788	\$ 11,788
RECEIVED TODAY	\$ 8,310	\$ 15,418
NEEDED TO DATE	\$ 518,672	\$ 530,460
RECEIVED TO DATE	\$ 496,730	\$ 512,148
BUDGET OVER (UNDER)	\$ (21,942)	\$ (18,312)
RESTRICTED GIVING	\$ 395	\$ 2,139
RESTRICTED TO DATE	\$ 57,006	\$ 59,145
FOOD ITEMS TODAY	253	tbd
FOOD ITEMS TO DATE	627	tbd
FOOD FINANCIAL DONATIONS TODAY	\$ 130	\$ 0
FOOD FINANCIAL DONATIONS TO DATE	\$ 130	\$ 130



REMINDER POINSETTIA ORDERS

Order forms are located in each Narthex and in the Church Office. Each poinsettia costs \$8. A check along with your order can be mailed to the church at 205 W. Piccadilly St., Winchester, VA 22601.

Last Date to order Poinsettias
Monday, November 28, 2011

**WATTS Dates for 2012:
February 13 - 20
Mark your calendars now.**

Bible Friends Schedule

Volunteers for the 11:00 am service for the coming Sundays are:

Nov. 13 Jennifer Turman Bayliss - Courtney Bragg
Nov. 20 Peggy Fletcher - Joanne Lloyd
Nov. 27 Michelle Gordon - Judy Hylton
Dec. 4 Lynne Esslinger - Laura Beavers

Nursery Volunteers

Volunteers for the 11:00 am service for the coming Sundays are:



Nov. 13 Teresa Rhodes
Nov. 20 Bobby Bragg
Nov. 27 Cheryl Jones
Dec. 4 Jae Hinson



Heartfelt sympathy goes out to **Audrey Grimes** and family, whose nephew's wife **Karen Elizabeth McKown** died October 22, 2011.

Choristers Thanksgiving Mini-Musical & Thanksgiving Meal with Time of Sharing

On Sunday, November 20, 2011 at 5:30pm we will meet in the CEB for our annual Thanksgiving meal. Please bring two of your favorite dishes (meat will not be provided). Following the meal, the Choristers of First Baptist will present their first mini-musical! After their performance Pastor Fletcher will guide us in a time of sharing and giving thanks. Please plan to attend this special evening!





White Christmas 2011

The White Christmas program has been a community mission of First Baptist Church since 1926. This year we continue the tradition of providing toys, food and clothing to local children and families in need. These include families referred to us by the Salvation Army, children and teenagers in the custody of the



Winchester Department of Social Services as well as members of First Baptist who are homebound. If your family needs assistance or if you know of a family you want to refer for help please contact Pastor Fletcher or Cheryl Jones.

This year's White Christmas service falls on **December 11th**. Prior to that, an **Angel Tree** will be located in the new narthex decorated with angel ornaments representing the individuals we will help at Christmas. Adoption Sundays will be **November 20th and 27th**. On those days, after each church service, members of the White Christmas committee will be in the narthex to assist you in adopting a child, teenager or entire family. You will be given purchasing instructions and a shopping bag for each individual you adopt. We ask that you place purchased items, unwrapped, in the shopping bag and attach the corresponding Angel card to the outside of the bag and bring it to the White Christmas service on the 11th. Please include in your bag a roll of wrapping paper for the recipients use. If you would like to deliver your bag in advance you may take it to the church office or make other arrangements through Cheryl Jones. Homebound adults will also be adopted on November 20th and 27th. Their gifts may be wrapped. The White Christmas Committee will provide a poinsettia and fruit bag for each of the homebound.



Angel Tree

If you would prefer to contribute cash to the White Christmas program rather than purchase gifts you may do so through the offering plate or by sending your donation to the church office. Indicate "White Christmas" on your check. Offering envelopes will also be available at the White Christmas service on December 11th. Donations of cash, checks and grocery store gift cards will be used by the WC Committee to fill the needs of all groups as best we can.

We encourage everyone at FBC to join in the White Christmas mission. Sunday school classes and other groups in the church may wish to adopt an entire family or take on a special request. You may contribute your time as well. If you would like to help out please contact Cheryl Jones (665-1880) or Sharon Woodard (662-2519). See the facing page for additional details.

White Christmas 2011 (cont.)



"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat. I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink. I was a stranger and you invited me in. I needed clothes and you gave them to me."
Matthew 25:35-36



HOW YOU CAN HELP

Six Sundays

On the six Sundays prior to White Christmas Sunday we will be collecting various items in a bin in the new narthex.

October 30	canned tuna or chicken
November 6	paper towels
November 13	toilet paper
November 20	tooth paste and tooth brushes
November 27	full size bottles of shampoo
December 4	full size bath soaps

On Adoption Sunday:

Adopt a Child - Purchase one or more toys and an outfit of clothing

Adopt a Teenager - Purchase a gift certificate, a small gift, and/or an item of clothing

Adopt an FBC Homebound Adult - Purchase a gift or remembrance.

Assist a Family - Donate food (including turkeys or turkey coupons!), gift certificates to grocery stores, the mall, retailers, or service providers are very flexible and may be used by the White Christmas committee to purchase items for families, or may be given as gifts themselves.

Additionally - Please include in the shopping bag with your gifts a roll of wrapping paper and perhaps tape and ribbon so that the families will be able to wrap the presents.

We need boxes (heavy-duty medium and large size) Please bring to lower auditorium

Donate your Time:

Saturday, December 10th - from 1pm to 4pm, we will have a work session in the CEB.

Monday, December 12th - help make homebound deliveries and other assorted tasks.

Tuesday, December 13th - help distribute gifts & food to families in the CEB, from 9am to 2pm.

****This year the White Christmas Committee will not require help in the CEB after the White Christmas Service on December 11th. ****

If you would like to help, please contact Cheryl Jones (665-1880).

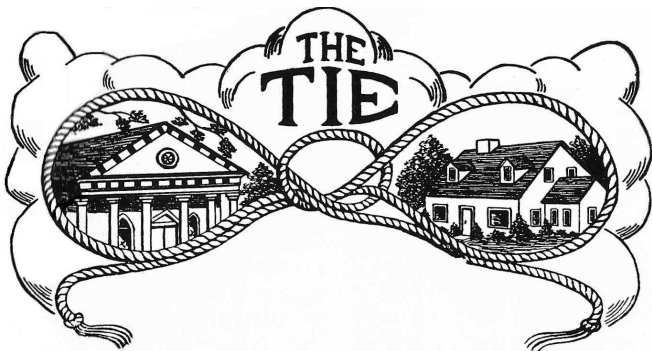
Lori's "Senior Moments" Tips for Senior Safety during the Winter BE PREPARED!

Winter can be a season of cold winds, ice, snow and isolation for many people. It is an important time to check on family, friends and neighbors to make sure they are safe and have what they need.

- Check on elderly loved ones regularly and provide them with emergency numbers to call.
- Help your loved one make arrangements to clear their sidewalks of ice and snow.
- Make sure seniors have emergency supplies on hand, including enough medication for at least one week.
- Make arrangements for transportation during bad weather to doctor appointments and the grocery store.

Remember that bad weather can mean isolation for seniors. Make efforts to spend time with them and offer rides to events. When the weather makes it difficult to get out, pick up the phone for a chat!

Always remember to keep our seniors in your prayers. Romans 15:2 "Let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to build him up."



Has it Really Been 60 Years?

In 1950 Pastor Dr. Edward T. Clark, while visiting in another community, found a little church paper being published weekly by a local Baptist church and mailed to each family. When he returned to Winchester he recommended that First Baptist do the same. Although the cost was somewhat prohibitive, after much consideration

by the Executive Board and the Board of Deacons, the church adopted the recommendation and on **April 22, 1951**, *The Tie* came into being. Initially published on a trial basis, the first issue included on its cover these words,

“Today is born a New Publication - its purpose is to tie our church and homes closer together. Read this issue and the three which will follow, and then let us know what you think as to its future. Whether it will die in its infancy or live to a ripe old age will depend on you.”

Since its beginning the Tie has continued to serve its purpose well. As a tribute to its longevity, and while continuing to tie the church and home together, why not tie in a little history? Going forward, when space allows, look for “**50 Years Ago in the Tie...**” where excerpts from past Tie’s will be highlighted.

Advent Bible Study



Featuring: *A Christmas Carol*

There will be a four-part Advent Bible Study on **Thursday mornings** beginning **December 1** and ending **December 22**. Similar to what was done on Wednesday nights a few years ago, it will combine reading and watching Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" with related Bible readings. Sessions will be held from 10:00 to 11:30 am in the lower auditorium. There will be a somewhat different approach from what was done before and there will be more time for discussion of what we have seen and read. No book will be required, but a copy of "A Christmas Carol" is recommended. Please call the church office if you would like to be a part of the group. If you need to secure a copy of the book, please call Bob Stainback at 722-2006. The study will be facilitated by Lori Pendleton and Bob.



November 19th, 9am - 1pm: In celebration of **National Family Volunteer Day**, and in the spirit of service, **Our Health Volunteer Action Center**, in coordination with families in our community, will provide a room "makeover" to a local nonprofit partner organization who touches the lives of many. Families are invited to enjoy the opportunity to give back to the community. The day of service begins at Our Health Community Campus, 329 N. Cameron St. Please register by contacting Stacey Iden, siden@valleyhealthlink.com or 540-536-1605.

What's Up With That Church Down the Street?

Ever wonder what the church down the street is like? You know, that church with "Catholic" or "Lutheran" or "Episcopal" on their sign. Where did they come from? How did they end up in your town? What are their worship services like? How are they like our church? How are they different? The Thursday morning study group this fall will answer these questions for ten different Christian faith traditions. Ten total sessions will be held in the lower auditorium.

Each session will begin at 10:00am and end about 11:15am. The class will be led by Bob Stainback and Lori Pendleton. If you would like to participate, please call the Church Office.

FROG Needs Your Support!



Not the amphibian – the area's foster parents, **Families Reaching Out Group**, need your help collecting clothing and other children's items for foster children. Many times items are needed on short notice, so the group is starting a new project called **Our Children's Closet**. By collecting clothes of different sizes for different seasons and other children's items, they'll pool their resources and be able to get what they need quickly, without the added stress of shopping. Look for receptacles at FBC to leave new or gently used children's clothing and other children's items. Contact Jennifer Turman Bayliss for additional information (540) 327-2118. Cash donations to the non-profit organization are also appreciated.





Fall 2011 Calendar

November 11	Singin' Seniors Veterans Day Concert	2:30 pm
November 13	Youth Council	9:45 am
	Youth Leadership Lunch	12:15 pm
November 16	4 th Qtr. Business Meeting	6:30 pm
November 20	Thanksgiving Dinner/Service	5:30 pm
November 24-25	Thanksgiving - Office closed	
December 2-6	Hunters' Retreat	
December 5	Deacon Christmas Dinner	6:00 pm
December 10	Children's Pageant Practice	9:00 am
	Children's Christmas Party	11:00 am
December 11	Christmas Cantata (one service only)	11:00 am
	Schoolage visit Homebound	
	White Christmas Service	6:00 pm
December 13	Philia Class Christmas Dinner	5:30 pm
December 14	Children's Pageant	6:00 pm
	Bill Harper Memorial Christmas Dinner	6:30 pm
December 18	"Bowl" Fellowship & Caroling	5:00 pm
December 23	Office Closed	
December 24	Christmas Eve Services	5:00pm, 11:00pm
December 25	Christmas Day Worship Service (one service only)	10:00 am
December 26	Office Closed	
January 1	Sunday School (one service only)	9:45 am
	Worship Service	11:00 am
January 2	Office Closed	



Hunters' Retreat

The Hinge. No gate is worth its weight without a good hinge. A gate is just a fence without a hinge. We are all swinging on the gate until we accept Christ and God's salvation. Let us not be a fence that keeps others out of heaven. Oil up your hinges at Sunday School,

Bible study, song and prayer to open the gate to the narrow gate.

Come join the Hunters at Hunting Ridge Retreat on Dec. 2 - 6, 2011 for more information. For reservations, call **Brian Bayliss** at 662-9004; for more information call **Jim Christiansen** at 667-3873.

Mixed Up World Got You Off Track?

Please join the women of FBC on Wednesday evenings for a six-week Bible study entitled "1st Thessalonians - A Spiritual Roadmap in a Mixed Up World". This study, produced by Rick Warren's Saddleback ministries, explores 1st Thessalonians, Chapters 1-3 using video and study guide.

Come at 5:45pm for a delicious dinner and good fellowship and stay for spiritual nourishment with the Women's Bible Study at 6:30pm. Cost is \$7.00 for the book. Contact Cheryl Jones at 665-1880.



Singin' Seniors Veterans Day Concert

The Singin' Seniors will present a Veterans Day Concert at Hilltop House in Winchester on Friday, November 11th, 2011 at 2:30pm. They will sing a Patriotic Medley of songs in honor of the day. We have two church members who reside at Hilltop House, Jonas Chamberlin and Mary Webber. All are welcome to attend and visit with Jonas and Mary!

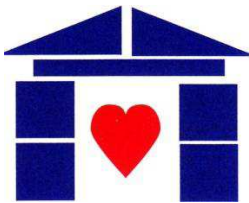
Break-Out Sunday School Class

The Break-Out Sunday School Class has a new name - "The Word." Anyone is welcome to drop in and out for a particular study of interest at any time. We will be studying the following topics:

Jeremiah: through November 20th

Advent: November 27th - January 8th (or 15th)

For further information, please call John Habeck 336-5158 or Jan Habeck 336-5159.



Doll Auction to Benefit Evans Home

The 42nd Evans Home Doll Auction will be held Sunday, December 4th at 2:00pm at the Alumni House of the Evans Home in Winchester. Refreshments will be served. A catalog of dolls will be available for viewing and bidding www.evanshome.org.

Wednesday Night Activities

Wednesday night activities continue with dinner and fellowship at 5:45pm in the CEB. Permanent reservations can be made by calling the Church Office or filling out a dinner reservation card and marking it "permanent." Then you only need to call the Church Office if you *cannot* come. If you expect your attendance to be irregular, please call the Church Office by the preceding Monday. 2:00pm that day is the deadline! We will keep the prices the same as last year.

ADULTS: \$4.00

YOUTH: \$3.00

CHILDREN UNDER 10: \$2.75

CHILDREN'S PLATE (IE., PB&J): \$1.50

MAXIMUM FAMILY TOTAL: \$12.00

Youth Bible Study/Fellowship begins at 6:15pm in the 301 House. Adult Bible Study, Women's Bible Study, and Preschool care and W.N.B. begin at 6:30.

Please Join Us For Good Food & Fellowship

FELLOWSHIP



DINNER

Youth Group Update

YOUTH ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

PLEASE REMEMBER your canned or dry goods on Sundays and Wednesdays!

Date	Day	Activity	Time	Location
November 13	Sunday	Youth Council	9:45 am	church office
November 13	Sunday	Youth Leader Luncheon	12:15 pm	301
November 20	Sunday	Winter Retreat Leaders Planning	12:15 pm	301
November 20	Sunday	Church Thanksgiving Dinner	5:30 pm	CEB
November 23	Wednesday	NO YOUTH GROUP		
November 30	Wednesday	MISSION NIGHT @ YG	5:45 pm	301

There are still spots available for PASSPORT (July 16 - 21 in Danville, Va)!
A deposit of \$75 will hold your spot.
Call the church office or Kristin ASAP to reserve your space!

UPCOMING EVENTS - what to know

- YOUTH COUNCIL:** We will meet during Sunday school on **November 13th** in the church office.
- YOUTH LEADER LUNCH:** All youth leaders and teachers are invited to lunch after church on **November 13th** in the 301 House. Please RSVP to Kristin.
- WINTER RETREAT PLANNING:** All adults who are involved in leading large group or small group sessions are invited to our planning meeting on **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20** after the 11:00 service in the 301 House. We will go over the theme and any questions you might have about the retreat. The meeting will be brief.
- YOUTH GROUP:** Please note that we will **not** have youth group on Wednesday, **November 23rd**. On **November 30th** we are thankful to Cheryl Jones and Gretchen Kaderli for providing our dinner in 301. We will have a **MISSION NIGHT**, making care packages for Aspen Chapman, and Lino and Angelo, two of Jade and Shelah Acker's adopted sons from the Congo who are studying in Canada. See facing page for details.

THANK YOU!

Parents and other committed adults provide dinner for our youth the last Wednesday night of every month so that we can eat together as a group in 301.
Thank you to Sharon Woodard for our September meal and
Aimee Bragg Holgate and Courtney Bragg for our October meal!

You can get a medical release from the 301 House or at www.firstbaptistwinchester.com/youth

QUESTIONS? Please contact Kristin at
THE CHURCH OFFICE: 540-662-5367 or e-mail kristinwhitesides@gmail.com



Bible Friends Ministry Volunteers Needed

Jesus said, "Let the children come to me. Don't stop them! For the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to those who are like these children" Matthew 19:14

Thank you so much to those already volunteering for the Bible Friends Ministry! We need two unrelated volunteers for the Bible Friends Ministry for each eleven o'clock service.

As coordinator of this wonderful Children's Ministry, I'm hoping to get **six additional volunteers** for 2012 to either teach or help our teachers. It is truly a blessing to teach and work with the children ages older three's to first grade. The lessons are prepared for us and are geared to their learning level. To see the art work they make for parents and siblings on special occasions demonstrates the true blessings we have in our life!

Please help us in this worthwhile ministry for the young children at First Baptist Church and contact me as soon as possible at (540) 664-3135 or email lgfletcher@comcast.net to volunteer in 2012!

God bless you as we continue with this ministry.

In Christ's love,
Linda Fletcher

YOUTH GROUP MISSION NIGHT

November 30th, 5:45-7:30 pm, 301 House

On the last Wednesday night of every month, our youth group either has a game night or a mission night. This year, November 30th will be our first **MISSION NIGHT**. To adequately prepare, there are a few things you should know.

YOUR MISSION (should you choose to accept it...and you really, really should!): To prepare care packages for Aspen Chapman (a youth member who moved to Boston this year to live with his dad), and Lino and Angelo Acker (adopted sons of our missionary partners in the Congo, Jade and Shelah Acker.) Lino and Angelo are participating in an exchange program in Canada. Coming from Africa, they are bound to get cold and homesick! Let's send all three guys something fun as Winter begins to draw closer.

TO PREPARE FOR YOUR TASK: Please bring any of the items listed below to church during the month of November. We will collect them during Sunday school or Youth Group and then assemble the packages together on November 30.

LINO	ANGELO	ASPEN
Cherry Flavored Twizzlers	Dark Chocolate	Any Candy
iTunes Gift Card	iTunes Gift Card	iTunes Gift Card
Men's Shirts (Large)	Men's Shirts (Medium)	Men's Shirts (Extra Large)
Men's Pants (33/34 or 34/34)	Men's Pants (32/34)	Gloves
Gloves	Gloves	Warm Socks
Warm Socks	Warm Socks	Hats
Hats	Hats	Sweatshirts
Sweatshirts/Coats	Sweatshirts/Coats	Art Supplies
Homemade Cookies	Homemade Cookies	Sharpies, Art Pads



Get creative! Use these lists, or, if you have a great idea, just use your own imagination!

We want these care packages to be fun to open and full of great things!

With your help our **Mission Care Packages** can become **Mission Accomplished!**

Questions? Contact Kristin
office: 540-662-5367 home: 540-667-1326
email: kristinwhitesides@gmail.com



CHILDREN'S NEWS



The Children's Ministry of First Baptist Church Winchester, VA
November 9, 2011



RETURN APPROVED CHILDREN'S 2012 SIGNATURE CARDS

Please review your handbook and return the signature card to Josephine. Thank You!



NOVEMBER 20
Schoolage
Sunday School
Teachers Mtg. @
9:00am.



"FEEDING OUR NEIGHBORS"

Bring in a food item weekly as part of your tithes and offerings.

YTD - Food Items
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"CHORISTERS"

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BUNCH
SCHOOLAGE GROUP

The Choristers will be singing at the Thanksgiving Dinner, November 20th. The potluck dinner begins at 5:30pm. The music program will follow the dinner.



THANK YOU!

The snow caused us to cancel the Children's Fall Festival. We want to thank Aimee Jo Brumback and Sarah Kite for all the hard work and planning they did for this event.



Loving God,

Thank you for all that you have given me. Open my eyes to see your children in the shadows. Teach me the difference between want and need. Help me to share what I have with others in my life,

In Jesus Name,
Amen.

ATTENTION PARENTS!

WE will be talking with the children about their part in the Christmas pageant and handing out costumes soon. Mark your calendar for the rehearsal on Saturday Dec. 10 at 9:00am. The Christmas party will follow at 11:00am in the CEB. More details to follow.



Snapshots from the Ageless Adventurers Halloween Party

Hunting Ridge Retreat Offers Help with Thanksgiving

Last year the kitchen staff at Hunting Ridge had several requests to prepare some of our signature soups and pies for "take home". We decided to go ahead and make this available to all of our church family at Thanksgiving. The result was that we were able to do something which we love to do, share it with those we love and raise much needed funds for Hunting Ridge. **Thank you** to all those who supported us!

We are pleased to announce that we will once again make these offerings available on **two dates** this fall. We have included a quick form that you can fill out and leave at the church office or email us with the order. If there are special requests, we will try to accommodate, but cannot promise.

The selection of homemade goodies for your Thanksgiving feast this year is as follows:

- Curry Pumpkin & Winter Squash Soup
- Roasted Red Pepper Soup
- Pumpkin Pie
- Pumpkin Praline Pie
- Coconut Custard Pie
- Peanut Butter Pie



Prices are \$8 for 1 quart of soup and \$10 per pie with all proceeds going to the **Hunting Ridge Retreat Fund.**

The soups will be delivered in labeled quart canning jars. Both soups and pies are made fresh and will keep for one week refrigerated or may be frozen.

Fill out an order form and have it turned in to the Church Office by **November 16th** or emailed to office@huntingridgeretreat.com

Pickup dates will be **Sunday, November 20th** before and after both services, and on **Tuesday, November 22nd** from 4 to 6pm in the church parking lot.

HRR THANKSGIVING FOOD SPECIALTIES ORDER FORM

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

___ Original Pumpkin Pie

___ Curried Pumpkin and Winter Squash Soup

___ Pumpkin Praline Pie

___ Roasted Red Pepper Soup

___ Coconut Custard Pie

___ Peanut Butter Pie

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Newsletter Deadline

The next Tie will be mailed on **Wed. Nov. 23rd**. Please submit content to Kay by **10:00am Friday, Nov. 18th**. Email is tie@firstbaptistwinchester.com

Bulletin Deadline

The Church Bulletin is printed **EVERY Thursday Morning**. Please submit content to Kathy by **noon on Wednesday**. Email is fbcwinc@firstbaptistwinchester.com



First Baptist Church Prayer Chain Ministries

Direct your prayer request(s) to:

Daytime Hours: Donna Walter @ 722-2230 or Linette Spicer @ 662-1120
Evening Hours: Janet Luttrell @ 667-8758 or Laura Beavers @ 667-3191



Remember Our Homebound

Homebound Spotlight

Earl Printz
Willow Tree Manor Nursing Home
1263 S. George Street #206
Charles Town, WV 35414

We encourage everyone to send a note to Earl.
In His Love, Lori & the Homebound Team



Christmas Dinner

The Philia Class will hold their Christmas Dinner at Hunting Ridge Retreat on Tuesday, December 13th, 2011. The Social will begin at 5:30pm. Dinner will be served at 6:00pm.

