



Please complete a Guest Card, and return it to the Welcome Center; place it in the offering plate; or give it to an Usher.

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE...

TODAY 7:00 pm Christmas Cantata
WEDNESDAY 6:15 pm Christmas Caroling to the homebound
 7:15 pm Youth Christmas Party
THURSDAY 6:00 pm Christmas Eve Service

OFFICE CLOSED THURSDAY & FRIDAY
 HAVE A BLESSED CHRISTMAS!

Deacons for December :
 Ernest Morris (572-6847) & Jim Chandler (572-2256)

Property Custodians for December:
 Mike Harris & Norman Patterson
 Please report to them any church repairs.



Youth Christmas Party at the Eures at 7:15 pm. Youth will meet at AABC at 6 pm to go caroling prior to the party.

Thursday evening at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary



ASH AVENUE PRAYER MINISTRY

* Please Use Prayer Cards to Submit a Request

PRAISE & ANSWERED PRAYER

Lottie Moon, this month: **\$1384.85**

CHURCH FAMILY

Michael Britt	Faye Clark	Laura Conner
John Banks James	May James	Hilda Johnson
Jan Smith		

FRIENDS & FAMILY

cleared each month, unless notified

Unsaved /Un-churched	Jobs & Economy	Inez Adkins
Aiden Bryant	Sandy Coates	Doris Conner
Mickey Conner	Bob Dawson	Rufus Dickerson
Katie Dillon	Gwen Dorsey	Mary Durand
Michael Eaves	Lisa Fisher	Steve Freeman
Kylan Gayles	Mike Giordano	Jamie Hall
Tom Hayes	Harvey Kendrick	Linda Lankford
Carolyn Link	Richard Loftis	Ronnie & Dean Newbill
Joy Powell	Geraldine Redd	Deborah Roark
Larry Roller	Betty Jean Seat	Russell Short
Brendan Snead	Brenda Thaxton	Sambo Vaughan
Cassidy Walker	Sarah Watts	Michelle Weddle
Elizabeth Wilborn		

LONG TERM

cleared each quarter, unless notified

Spc Wade Barton (Iraq)	Mary Bass	Helen Bomar
Caleb Brinkley	Ophelia Brogden	Hattie Brown & family
Clayton Buchanan (Iraq)	Milton Chandler	Irene Clay
Zack Cole	John & Shirley Conner	Archie Cox
Pam Crenshaw	Richard Crowder (Iraq)	Nellie Ford
Kathryne Foster	Ronnina Furches	Jimmy Gregory
Barbara Hailey	Caroline Laughorn	Connie Lowery
Elna Martin	Alice Meeler	Justin Morgan (Iraq)
Annie Overby	Dustin Phipps	Ginny Price
Lutie Pugh	Stefan Rogge	Elizabeth Simmons
Joe Stewart	Jeanne Taylor	D.J. Thaxton
Ruby Wade	Anne White	Renay Wilborn
W.H. & Louise Witcher		

➔ Want an appointment with the Pastor? Contact John Eure at the office-572-2006; home- 572-8798; or email pastorjohn@aabc900.org
 ➔ Contact our Administrative Assistant, Liz Price, for Prayer List updates or any other assistance. You may call her at 572-2006; fax- 572-2043; or by email, office@aabc900.org

Ash Avenue Baptist Church

December 20, 2009



I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. Galatians 2:20

Jesus Is Lord!

MINISTERS, Every Member!

John D. Eure	Pastor
David Baird	Deacon Chairman
Gail Bosiger	Music Director/Organist
Debra Cage	Pianist
Cora Cliborne	Sunday School Director
Liz Price	Administrative Assistant

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Church Office Hours:
 Monday-Friday, 8:30am-2:30pm

Sunday Worship at Ash Avenue

December 20, 2009

* The congregation is invited to stand

10:45 AM

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

*Medley- *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling & Silent Night*

Welcome and Opening Prayer

11:00 AM

Call to Worship

Tom & Hannah Ward

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle

Psalm 63:1-3

*Christmas Hymns

199 *All Come, All Ye Faithful*

188 *It Came upon the Midnight Clear*

Collection & Blessing of the Offering

*Gospel Reading

John 1:10-14

Choral Message

Worship Choir

His Name Will Be Called...

Morning Message

*Revelation 1:4-8

"THE FIRSTBORN"

*Invitation

196 *O Little Town of Bethlehem*

Sharing the Church Life

*Closing Chorus

449 *Because He Lives*

*Benediction

Remember.....be courteous to other worshippers.

- ▶ Please take your children out of Worship as necessary.
- ▶ Turn off cell phones off or set to vibrate; and refrain from texting during worship.



The *Lottie Moon Christmas Offering* will end next Sunday. Offering envelopes are in each pew.

The 2009 AABC Goal is \$2100.

Collected to date: **\$1384⁸⁵**

TONIGHT the AABC Worship Choir will perform
"It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year"

The service begins at **7:00 pm**



COLLEGIATE SUNDAY is *Sunday, December 27th.*

Brianne Eure, niece of Pastor John Eure, will be the guest speaker. Brianne is a native of Sunbury, NC and is a senior at Baptist College of Florida. Also, she serves on campus as the *Baptist Collegiate Ministries (BCM) Director.*



MERRY CHRISTMAS

For Children & Parents

For Safety, please **REGISTER** your Children before leaving them in the **NURSERY** or **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP**.

The **Nursery** during **Morning Worship...** is available for **Ages 3 & under.**

TODAY - John Lewandowski & Betty Redd

Dec. 27 - Joy Eure & Linda Parker

Jan. 3 - Cora Cliborne & Tyler Patterson



Children's Worship Ages 3 – Grade 2
December 27th

HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

During the *Invitation*, you are encouraged to come forward to share your decision to accept Jesus as your Savior & Lord, or learn more on how to become a Christian. **To surrender yourself to Jesus:**

- Admit to God you are a Sinner. (Rom. 3:23; 6:23)
- Believe in Jesus as God's Son. (John 3:16)
- Confess your faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord. (Rom. 10:9-10)

Be sure to share with others your decision to follow Jesus!

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HOW TO JOIN ASH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Pastor & Deacons are glad to schedule a time to discuss membership with you. Those desiring membership should present themselves during the *Invitation*.

Requirement:

- Become a Christian and be baptized by immersion.
- Transfer a Letter of Membership from another Baptist Church
- By statement of prior salvation experience in a Baptist Church.
- Transfer a letter of Membership from a non-Baptist Church and be baptized by *believer's baptism* through *immersion*.