

# THE CENTER POINT

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## THOMAS' TIDINGS

REMEMBER TO  
**VOTE**  
NOVEMBER 5

### ELECTION DAY FAST APPROACHING

The BIG DAY is November 5. I pray everyone is registered to vote and will turn out "to vote". This is a crucial election. Pray earnestly for the Lord to guide you in your nomination. This election is during our 30 Days of Prayer for Revival (October 28-November 26). Many will be praying.

### "PROVE-THE-TITHE"

This Sunday, November 3, is our annual "Prove-The-Tithe" Sunday. We have observed the first Sunday of November for this special day for several years. You will receive a letter with a special envelope inside. Use this envelope if possible. Pray the Lord continues to guide and bless our members as we honor Him with the tithe.

## THANKSGIVING REVIVAL NOVEMBER 24-26

Dr. Bob Pitman will be our evangelist. It begins on Sunday morning and ends on Tuesday night. On Sunday we will have our annual Thanksgiving meal after the morning service. Renee Robertson will cater the meal, so you know it will be great!

Praise the Lord for the good service Sunday. Alan Johnston brought a timely message and God greatly blessed. We welcome Flora Kays to our fellowship. I hope to see you this Lord's day. Pray much, invite your friends, and come with expectancy. God is going to bless.

With Holy Expectancy,  
Bro. Herb

## CAIN'S CORNER

**What a Night!** Our annual "Holy-ween" Fellowship was a huge success, with 25 in attendance. The most exciting part is that 8 of those who came had never been to one of our fellowships before. *Praise the Lord!*

**Mark Your Calendars:** Our College & YA Christmas Dinner will be Sunday night, December 8, at the Bright Star Restaurant in Bessemer. We will leave from the church at 4:30 PM, with our dinner reservation at 5:30 PM. **NOTE:** The deadline to register for this meal is Sunday, November 24. *Will you join us?*

**Wednesday Bible Study:** All College & Young Adults are encouraged to attend our weekly scripture studies! They take place at 6:00 PM in the C'wood House (at the end of the big parking lot). *Bring your Bible and a FRIEND!*

Blessings, Rob

## FROM DONNA'S DESK



"What is impossible with men is possible with God." Luke 18:27

When we hear the word "power", many thoughts come to mind. Perhaps you think of electricity, a weight lifter, or a big storm. Jesus said that God can do anything, even the things that are impossible for people to do. That is true power. Only God has the power to create the universe, make the sun rise and set, and even heal people from sickness. Isn't it wonderful to know we have a God who can do whatever is needed to take care of us... there is no need to worry about anything. Our God is powerful and in control!

Joyfully, Donna

\*Special thanks to all the wonderful volunteers who served at the Fall Festival Pumpkin Party! The children enjoyed the event so much! A special thank you to The Historic Drish House for their kind balloon donation! Thanks also to Chris and Ansley Duncan for the fun hayride!

## NELSON'S NEWS

There are a lot of things coming up for our Student Ministry. This week we are painting pumpkins; next week we are packing shoeboxes. We have Friendsgiving and Christmas parties in November and December along with a trip to Holidays on the Plaza. In January, we are heading to Strength to Stand in Pigeon Forge. Our DNow weekend is in March with a couple of other events in April and May, and then it's summer time! I want to encourage all of our students to jump in and join us for all of these events. I would like to encourage everyone else to pray for our Student Ministry this week.

In Christ, Steven

### LOOKING AHEAD:

November 6 - Packing Shoeboxes



### RECORD—SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2024

|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Budget Offering.....              | \$13,870.18 |
| Operation Christmas Child.....    | \$100.00    |
| Myers-Mallory State Missions..... | \$100.00    |
| And The Lord Added.....           | 1           |

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### Dr. Herbert Thomas, Pastor

Rob Cain, Associate Pastor  
David Williams, Minister of Music  
Steven Nelson, Student Minister  
Donna Cicero, Children's Minister

### IN MEMORY OF

A gift for Operation Christmas Child was received in memory of Regina Noland and Jean Crawford from the KIT Club.

### DONATIONS NEEDED:

Please donate any size  
**RED CHRISTMAS  
ORNAMENTS**  
for our church  
decorations this year.  
Bring them to the church  
office and place in the  
bin by November 24.

Thank You, Decorating Committee



## Prayerfully I Walk

Time alone in an autumn wood,  
I stroll on a mosaic carpet  
of moist multicolored leaves--  
rust brown, yellow, crimson.  
I ponder the deep red patches,  
scattered every step of my way.  
Silently they speak of our Savior's  
redemptive, sacrificial blood--  
blessing each pace on the path of life.

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