

Missions Ministry Opportunity
Rio Grande Valley Christmas Stocking Ministry

December 2 - 4, 2016

Start planning now to be a part of this inspiring Ministry Trip. For those with children, take this opportunity to spend a weekend as a family showing others what the love of Christ is all about as we celebrate the Christmas season.



Call or email our office for full details, 281-422-3604 or sjba@sanjacintobaptist.com

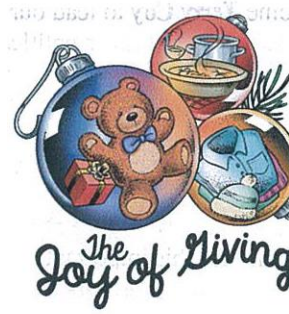
Thank You

Dear Beloved Church Family,
 Thank you from the bottom of my heart for all your cards, phone calls and love. Hopefully I'll be able to walk again soon and come back to church. I miss you all and love you.
 Linda Harrell

Dear Friends,
 How exciting and thankful I am to receive your check to Safely Home Refugee Ministry! Thank you for your interest and desire to help refugees. Your gift will help me to show them that Jesus loves them. Thank you for praying for me as I direct the ministry as well as minister to refugees daily.
 Cynthia Martin

The SABC church-wide Thanksgiving luncheon will be Sunday, November 20th after the morning service. Please bring a side dish or dessert. Please bring dishes in disposable containers to assist in the cleanup process. Invite your family and friends.

Stockings & Stuffers Needed for Valley Mission Trip and International Boys' Shelter



This year we will need 500 stockings. If you are interested in making stockings we have the pattern and some material available in our office. The pattern we have has the specific opening size of the stockings so they are able to be stuffed. Please stop by and pick up the pattern and material at your earliest convenience.

Suggestions for Valley stuffers (need by 11/14/16):

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| 4"-8" dolls (not easily broken) | Die cast cars |
| Jacks or jump rope | Yo-Yo's |
| Jewelry (necklace, bracelet) | Play dough/ clacker toys |
| Scrunchies / barrettes | Marbles |
| Crayons, rulers, scissors | Kids meals toys |
| Tooth brush & tooth paste | Coloring books |
| Small toys or small stuffed animals | |

Suggestions for Boys' Shelter gifts (need by 12/12/16):

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| Playing cards | Deodorant / hair gels |
| Plastic wrist watches | Body spray/lotion/wash |
| Yo-yo's / dominoes | Candy / Throw blankets |
| Puzzles / board games | Socks / Shirts / Boxers |
| Sketch pads / charcoal pencils | Shorts / Gloves / Jackets |
| Sunglasses / hats / beanie hats | House shoes / Pajama set |
| Christian Spanish music | PG Spanish movies |
| Soccer balls | Footballs |

(body and hair products must be in plastic containers only)

San Jacinto Baptist Association Senior Life Ministry Upcoming Events

(formerly known as the SJBA 50+ Club)

Call 281.422.3604 to register or email: sjba@sanjacintobaptist.com

- Nov 1: Thanksfeast at Bayshore Baptist Church, La Porte, TX featuring The Salvation Army Harbor Light Choir 10:30 am - 1:00 pm
- Nov 19: Liberty Opry Matinee Performance of Michael HIX & Dizzy With a Dame and dinner afterward; cost \$29 for ticket and bus; leave at 1:00 pm and return between 6:30 pm - 7:00 pm. Must be Registered and Paid no later than November 14th
- Dec 10: Houston's First Baptist Church "Celebration". Ticket and bus cost \$32 per person. **IMPORTANT: Tickets go on sale mid-October so Registration and Payment DEADLINE is no later than OCTOBER 10th for this event to secure tickets due to the popularity of this event!! Leave at 1 pm /return between 6:30 - 7 pm**
- Dec 13: Carol Sing at Nueva Vida, 10:30 am

November Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1) 10:30 AM to 1 PM – Thanksfeast, Bayshore Baptist, LaPorte	2)	3) ONE DAY ONE CHURCH	4)	5) 10 AM – Celebration Choir Christmas Rehearsal 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM – Pastor-Deacon Workshop, Bayshore Baptist, LaPorte
6) Noon – SONshine Kidz Club Thankful Sunday	7) 10 AM Senior Adult Game Day	8) 9-11:45 AM Food Pantry	9)	10) Noon – Ministry Assistant Brownbag lunch, SJBA	11)	12)
13) 4 PM – Deacons' Meeting	14) Valley Mission Trip stuffers due to SJBA office	15) 9-11:45 AM Food Pantry	16) 6 PM – Business Meeting	17) 10 AM Homebound Meeting	18)	19)
20) NOON – Church wide Thanksgiving Pot Luck luncheon NO EVENING ACTIVITIES	21) 10 AM Senior Adult Game Day	22) 7 AM – Youth workday at the Houston Food Bank NO FOOD PANTRY	23) NO EVENING ACTIVITIES	24) SABC OFFICE CLOSED <i>Thanksgiving</i>	25) SABC OFFICE CLOSED <i>Holiday</i>	26)
27)	28)	29) 9-11:45 AM Food Pantry	30)			

SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES (unless otherwise noted above)

- 9:30 AM – Sunday School
- 10:45 AM – Morning Worship/Children's Church
- 5 PM – Evening Worship/Crossroads at South Avenue/SONshine Kidz Praise
- 6 PM – Celebration Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY SERVICE TIMES

- 5 PM – Wednesday Night Supper
- 6 PM – Service time for all ages

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November Birthdays

- 11/1 Steve Phelps
- 11/3 Snooks Nolen, Lisa Villanueva, Alexis Braughton
- 11/4 W.D.Alfred
- 11/5 Kade Aga, Josh Purvis, Ashley Steyer
- 11/6 Fernando Gonzalez
- 11/8 Paula Thorp, Barbara Chandler
- 11/10 Sarah Crenshaw
- 11/11 Arash Keyhani
- 11/12 J. Hail
- 11/13 Nila Kirk
- 11/14 Kathy Pond
- 11/17 Melinda Keyhani
- 11/19 Jimmy Harrison
- 11/20 Paula Crandall, Crystal Everding
- 11/21 Debbie Brooks
- 11/22 Gary Gray
- 11/23 Tommy Dixon
- 11/25 Benjamin Glatter
- 11/28 Brenda Steyer
- 11/29 Casey Hendrix

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

CLASS	Sept 25	Oct 2	Oct 9	Oct 16	Oct 23
Adult	67	59	63	64	66
Youth	8	13	9	8	6
Children	23	15	12	17	13
Preschool	9	7	7	5	8
SS Total Attendance	107	94	91	94	93
Worship Attendance*	124	98	106	98	122

BUDGET REPORT

	Sept 25	Oct 2	Oct 9	Oct 16	Oct 23
Budget Receipts	\$9,632.72	\$6,899.75	\$4,727.00	\$4,361.00	\$7,810.79
Budget Requirements	\$6,532.00	\$6,532.00	\$6,532.00	\$6,532.00	\$6,532.00
Budget Receipts YTD	\$247,216.88	\$254,116.63	\$258,843.63	\$263,204.63	\$271,015.42
Budget Requirements YTD	\$254,748.00	\$261,280.00	\$267,812.00	\$274,344.00	\$280,876.00
Missions	\$53.00	\$105.00	\$125.00	\$27.00	\$10.00

*includes Worship Service, Children's Church, Nursery, and Money Counters

Nursery and Sanctuary Flower Calendar

Date	Worship Service Nursery Workers	Altar Flowers
11/6	Gay Dalton, Paula Cortez	COMMUNION
11/13	Donna Bell, Morgan Petty, Ellena Tharp	
11/20	Kathleen Crenshaw, Paula Cortez, Donna Bell	
11/27	Donna Bell, Paula Cortez	Casey Hendrix

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GOD'S LIGHTHOUSE FOR OUR COMMUNITY



The Herald

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“A burning lighthouse for a coming Savior” is the SABC motto. Since 1953 this church has brought the light of that Savior, Jesus Christ, to hundreds of people in Pasadena and Deer Park. Jesus Christ is still the Way, the Truth and the Life. He is the same yesterday, today and forever. He is still the head of the Church, and we are supremely honored to be His people, His army, His servants. We thank Him for His faithfulness in the past, and look forward to His mighty works in and through us in the future.