

PRESCHOOL EXTENDED SESSION

10:30 AM WORSHIP (January 10)

PRESCHOOL I: Crystal Hill, Stacy Barton

PRESCHOOL II: Tim Bass, Michele Wilder

PRESCHOOL III: Dallas Ratliff, Dudley McHugh

USHERS (January 10)

Waymon Ferrell, Chairman

James Karnes, Bill Orrick,

Carl Cumbow, Aaron Carroll

GREETERS (January 10)

Fred & Sue Luethke, C.B. & Ina Shanks

And the People Came . . . (January 3, 2010)

Sunday School	143
Bible Study (B. Seymour) (HOLIDAY)	0
Homebound	0
SONshine Seniors Bible Study (Fri.)	0
Total in Bible Study last week	143

And the People Gave . . . (January 3, 2010)

Weekly Requirements	\$ 9,823.26
Received January 3	\$ 5,124.37
Designated January 3	\$ 973.68

Our church is supported by tithes and free-will offerings.

It is the privilege of all members to give regularly as God has prospered.



Drop In Baby Shower For
Kacey Blevins

(granddaughter of Bob & Marlene Allen)

Sunday, January 17, 2010

1:00 – 3:00 PM

Caslvary Baptist Activities Building

IT'S A GIRL!

Registered at : WalMart & Baby Depot



Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
Calvary Baptist Goal: \$ 12,000.00
Amount Given as of 1/3/2010: \$ 15,198.36

PLEASE NOTE – TIME CHANGE

Evening Worship at 6:30 PM;
Starting Sunday, January 10, 2010

Calvary Baptist Church

Pastor:	Dr. Donnie C. Brannen
Music/Education:	Rev. D. Mikel Caywood
Secretary:	Jennifer Ramey
Organist:	Frances Mooney
Pianist:	Debbie Johnson
Keyboard:	Lemuel Mixon
Drummer:	Brian Shoemaker
Parish Nurse:	Barbara Bowling, RN

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Filled with compassion Jesus reached out and touched the man. – Mark 1:41

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Schedule of Ministry

Sunday, January 10

9:15 AM Bible Study

10:30 AM Morning Worship

4:45 PM Instrumental Praise Ensemble (Rutledge Class)

5:30 PM The Refinery

5:45 PM Pioneer Club (FH)

6:30 PM Evening Worship

Tuesday, January 12

10:00 AM Bertha Smith Circle

6:00 PM Personnel Committee (Conf. Rm.)

Wednesday, January 13

No Handbells

6:30 PM Older RAs, RAs, Acteens, GAs & M. Friends

6:30 PM Business Meeting

7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

Friday, January 15

12:00 Noon SONshine Seniors Bible Study

2009 Contribution Statements are available from the church office. You may either pick your copy up (Monday thru Friday) or call the church office and request that it be mailed to you.

A SEASON FOR BREAKTHROUGHS

“The Breaker goes up before them; they break out, pass through the gate, and go out by it. So their king goes on before them, and the Lord at their head.” (Micah 2:13)

“I will go before you and make the rough places smooth; I will shatter the doors of bronze, and cut through their iron bars, and I will give you the treasures of darkness, and hidden wealth of secret places, in order that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who calls you by your name.” (Isaiah 45:2-3)

It is my prayer for 2010 that this year will be a year of breakthroughs for us both as individuals and for our church as a whole. What is a breakthrough? Breakthroughs are those key moments in time when obstacles fall and progress leaps forward. Spiritual breakthroughs happen when everything God is working into a person's life or a church's life suddenly comes together, and they see major obstacles that may have stood for years crumble and they make a major advance forward in knowing and doing the will of God. Breakthrough moments are when faithful labor that has previously been barren and without results suddenly begins to yield fruit in abundance. Breakthrough moments don't happen when just any old obstacle falls; a true breakthrough is when a seemingly insurmountable obstacle, something that can't be overcome by mere human manipulations, crumbles suddenly and dramatically in a way that only God could orchestrate. In Joshua 6, we see several principles of breakthrough.

1) **Breakthroughs come in the context of doing God's work (vv. 1-2):** God's work is not just church work; God's work is anything we do in obedience to the Word and will of the Lord.

2) **Breakthroughs come in the context of obeying God's will (vv. 3-5):** If we have been disobedient to the Lord, we cannot expect Him to send a breakthrough to remove the consequences of our disobedience.

3) **Breakthroughs come in the context of expressing God's worship (vv. 6-8):** True, authentic worship tears down walls, breaks down barriers, bolsters faith in God's promises, energizes our efforts, and unleashes the miracle-working power of God right into the midst of even the most negative of situations. It is not an overstatement to say that NOTHING is more important than the worship of the Lord!

4) **Breakthroughs come in the context of marching with God's warriors (v. 9):** No church will experience breakthrough apart from unity and harmony, and no individual Christian will experience breakthrough apart from active participation in a local body of believers.

5) **Breakthroughs come in the context of walking in God's wisdom (v. 10):** God calls us not only to do His will, but to do it in accord with godly wisdom.

6) **Breakthroughs come in the context of holding onto God's Word (vv. 11-15):** God will many times delay our breakthroughs as a test of our character and commitment. Will we continue to obey Him when results don't happen quickly, and when it seems that nothing is happening?

7) **Breakthroughs come in the context of understanding God's wonders (vv. 11-15):** Many times, God will have us “march around” a problem for awhile, long enough for us to realize that it is indeed a God-sized problem that only God could solve. When God does solve the problem, we then have no doubt that the solution has come from Him.

8) **Breakthroughs come in the context of keeping God's ways (vv. 16-17, 22-23, 25):** Just as Joshua was faithful in keeping the covenant that had been made with Rahab, so too God expects us to be faithful to our promises and commitments to Him and to our spouses, parents, friends, co-workers and fellow church members.

9) **Breakthroughs come in the context of fighting God's warfare (vv. 20-21):** The collapse of the walls of Jericho was not the end of the battle, but the beginning of the battle. Likewise, when obstacles fall in our lives, we must be

willing to advance quickly to do battle with the enemy. Always remember: the opportunity of a lifetime must be seized within the lifetime of the opportunity.

10) **Breakthroughs come in the context of recognizing God's worthiness (vv. 17-18):** God deserved the spoils of the battle because He had won the battle. Likewise, God deserves all the glory, honor and praise for any breakthroughs He brings into our lives.

These principles constitute worthy goals for us as we move out to do God's will in 2010. Let us meditate on these Biblical principles, and on how to make them more of a reality in our lives this year.

Numbers 6:24-26,

Bro. Donnie

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family:

Thank you for all your prayers, the calls, cards, flowers and food!! You are indeed a special, loving church and I am happy to be a part of the group. I am gradually getting better and hope to be back soon!

Thanks again,
Mildred Rutledge

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I give our father all the glory for He is to be glorified. He has used you to bless us through prayers, hugs, smiles and compassion. I'm thankful for each one of you and feel truly blessed to have you in our lives. I will honor and praise the Lord who supplies all our needs by His riches in glory. God Bless You.

Howard Williams Family

Your help is needed...

Please notify the church office of all name, address and email changes.