Remember in Prayer

Our Sick in the Hospital Milton Fenner - Baylor Ortho

Our Sick in Rehab

Ron Elerson - Green Oaks Ester Turner - OnPointe

Recovering at Home

Paula Branen, Vernon Cross, Ofelia DeLeon, Ron Elerson, Maisy Inlow, Norma Robertson, Becky Shirley, Christian Smith, Elaine Toney

Thank You Notes Received

Craig & Leslee Altrock Cathy Hannah

I want to thank my church family for prayers for support for my time away from church. Mike Gibbs

Calendar of Events

November

Making it Through the Holidays Ladies' Game Night 30th

December 1st Ladies' Breakfast 5th Blood Drive 5th Making it Through the Holidays 7th 49er Christmas 8th 3-6 Grade Christmas Party Evening of Remembrance Cookies & Cocoa 12th 14th Children's Christmas Musical 15th Youth Christmas Party 16th Fellowship Sunday 16th Christ's Haven Christmas Party 19th Ridge Tones Christmas Concert 19th Youth Volunteer Christmas Party

Office Closed

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24th

25th

31st

We are collecting bulk snacks for Delaney Elementary school

Bulk Snacks Drive (**)

Schools Funded Account.

Ladies' Game Night

Ladies' Breakfast (*)

Winter Blood Drive

sheets are at PR Central.

during the month of November. Snacks are an ongoing need

for the school. Daily, an average of 3-5 students per class do

not have a snack. You can help the school by donating non-

dry cereal, and breakfast bars (no candies please). Please

deposit your donations in the bin located in the Atrium. If

you prefer to contribute financially, please make your check

payable to Pleasant Ridge Church of Christ, designated for

Ladies of all ages, please join us on Friday, November 30,

Bring your favorite game and a snack to share.

Rd.), at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 1.

6:00 p.m., in the REC, for games, fellowship and good food.

All PR ladies are invited to breakfast at Jay Jay's Cafe (Little

Wednesday, December 5, 4:00 - 8:00 p.m., is our annual

Once again, our 3rd through 6th grade children will be

assembling gift bags to deliver to our Slow Go and No Go

members. The children will be preparing approximately 60

gift bags for some very special PR members, and they need

your help! Items that are needed for the gift bags are small

loaves of baked bread (pumpkin, spice, banana, etc.) and

homemade cookies; no nuts, please. Baked goods can be

December 5. Other items that are needed are large boxes of

Kleenex, full size bottles of lotion, large tubes of toothpaste,

individually wrapped tooth brushes, individually packaged

bottles of hand soap (SoftSoap). These items can be placed at

drink mixes such as hot chocolate and hot tea, and large

Devotional Books Authored by Member

I am excited to let you know that Walking with God 2 is now

printed. Thank you for the response you gave me with the

1st book. I have paperback copies of both devotional books

available for \$13 each, as well as How *God Turned Strangers*

through this journey, and I hope that HE will bless all that

817.319.9288 if you would like a copy. In Christian Love,

A special group of Tri-C supporters has offered a \$15,000

donation. Please prayerfully consider helping us meet our

goal by sending a one-time donation, or consider extending

www.pleasantridgechurch.org, click "Online Giving", enter

the amount you wish to donate, click "Go", click the pull

and enter the requested information. 2. Write a check to

send a check directly to the Tri-C at UTA Box 195369, Arlington, TX 76019, with a note for the Matching Grant.

down menu where it says "to", select "Tri-C Grant Match",

Pleasant Ridge with the note of Tri-C Matching Grant, or 3.

matching fund giving us the opportunity to double the

your blessing with a monthly gift to help sustain the

ministry. How do you donate? 1. Go online to

into Family (my adoption story). God has blessed me

read these books. Catch me at church or call me at

Diane Johnson

Double the Donation

PR Central by Wednesday, December 5.

placed in the kitchen labeled for KFC by Wednesday,

winter blood drive. Please sign-up to donate blood and/or

bring sandwiches, chips or cookies for the donors. Sign-up

Baked Goods & Gift Bag Items Needed (4)

perishable snacks such as goldfish, pretzels, animal crackers,

ONE ON ONE—The holidays are right around the corner, which means it will soon be time to prepare gift bags for our



needed are large boxes of Kleenex, large bottles of lotion, large tubes of

Christmas Gift Bag Deliveries - December 9, Everyone is invited to pick up a

cocoa, games, crafts and the story of the greatest gift.

Christmas Musical - December 14, Invite your friends. Hot chocolate and cookies served following the musical.

Be Loved



Come & See







Step Out in Faith

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STUDENTS

Our annual children's Christmas musical is almost upon us. On Friday, **December 14**, at 7:00 p.m., 50 of our kindergarten through 6th graders will perform "The Loaned Manger" in our Auditorium. The show is a fun and high-spirited, but ultimately meaningful look at Christmas through the lens of the Wild West in the late 1800's. As always, we will have cocoa and cookies following the show. Please mark your calendar and plan to be here to support our children!

Christ's Haven Christmas Party

Our party will be Sunday, December 16, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Please come and enjoy the fun. We will be needing 2-liter drinks and homemade cookies for the party. Please put in the large kitchen labeled with "Christ's Haven" on them. We appreciate all your generous support of this party each year. Thank you. Questions? Call Doris Green.

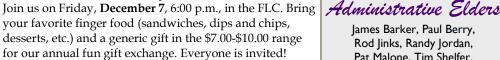
Caregiver Support Group

Fourteen people responded to the Caregiver Support Group survey, expressing the desire to participate in our CARING for Caregivers Education & Support Group, more than enough to restart our Group in January. Our first group meeting will be Thursday, January 12 (always on the second Thursday of the month), 7:00 – 8:00 p.m., in room NW-2. If you want to participate in our group, be watching for more details as January 12 approaches.

Box Tops Drive

Help Miller Elementary school earn cash by donating Box Tops. Box Tops are each worth 10¢, and they add up fast! Clip Box Tops from your favorite products, bring them to the church, and put them in the Box Tops box located at PR Central. It's very important that each Box Tops clip has a clearly visible product acronym and expiration date. If Box Tops for Educators are unable to read the acronym or expiration date, they won't accept the clip. Additionally, expired Box Tops are not accepted. If the expiration date only shows a year that is in the future, they will accept it. Clipped Box Tops don't need to be trimmed perfectly you can cut them neatly or just tear them off the package. Contact Carlos Acosta if you have any questions.

49er Christmas Party (*)



GALS Christmas Party •



Join us for the GALS (single women 45+) Christmas party on Saturday, December 8, at 12:30 p.m. at the Ridge Event Center. Lunch will be provided. Bring a \$10 gift for gift exchange game, if you would like to participate. Please RSVP by December 3 to 817.980.5407. Hosted by Glenda Wade and Debbie Owens.

An Evening of Remembrance

Join us on Sunday, December 9, at 6:00 p.m. to honor the memory of loved ones lost. Hear words of inspiration and hope, and light a candle for those you wish to remember. Please invite friends, family, and neighbors to join us.

Children's Christmas Musical





Ministers

Equipping/Community Carlos Acosta

> Lead Ryan Inlow

Children Lou Ann Jordan

> Senior Care Pat Malone

Youth **Brandon Owens**

Worship Dean Willis

James Barker, Paul Berry, Rod Jinks, Randy Jordan, Pat Malone, Tim Shelfer, Mike Walker

Shepherding Elders

Neil Bell, Bob Bohannon, James Burleson, Ron Haker, Steve Hastings, David Holland, Carlton Holt, Chris Jackson, Mike Monroe, Billy Rhodes

Sunday

November 18, 2018 **Worship Service 565**

Contribution \$24,079.00 **Hope Chest \$445.00 Building Reno \$50.00** Weekly Budget \$32,048.41

Serving Sunday, December 2

Prayer Nick Martin/Ron De Roxtra

Scripture Richard Ham/Carlton Holt

Communion Prayer John Hunt/Timothy Johnston

Communion Preparation Ernie Encalade, Jerry Lindsey, & Danny Harris

Worship Coordinators Rex Williams/Will Waller

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CHRISTMAS GIFT BAGS FOR CARING

Slow Go and No Go members. Items



toothpaste, and individually wrapped toothbrushes. Items may be placed at PR Central in the Atrium.

COMING EVENTS

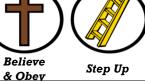
3rd-6th Grade Christmas Party - December 8, Join us for dinner, Christmas games, and filling gift bags for our No Go/Slow Go members.

gift bag and deliver to one of our No Go/Slow Go members.

Cookies and Cocoa (Preschool) - December 12 @ 7:00. Join us for cookies,









Step Up

Youth Ministry I www.TheYouthArea.com

Our Winter Retreat is coming up in a few weeks. We will be at Mt. Lebanon, December 7-9. All students are encouraged to attend. This year's theme is called: Future Self. The cost is \$60. Register now online at www.pleasantridgechurch.org/events.

Larger Than Life Game Night (Youth Christmas Party)

Have you ever wanted to play real life Angry Birds or life-sized Skeeball? Ever wanted to play volleyball with a 10 foot tall beach ball??? Grab your friends and join us on Saturday, December 15, from 6:45-8:45pm, in the FLC! We will have over 10 games to play, food, prizes, and more. This awesome party is FREE!!!! Register you and your friends today at www.pleasantridgechurch.org/events.

Winterfest is a Church of Christ retreat hosted right here in Arlington! About 3000 people from all over the country come together to learn and experience lesus. Registration is \$39 per person, and an optional t-shirt is an additional \$14. Winterfest will be at the Arlington Convention Center, January 18-20. For more information, visit winterfest.org. Register online at pleasantridgechurch.org/events.

Bible Study-Sundays @ 9:30 a.m. Transform-Sunday Nights @ 5:30 p.m. Small Groups-Wednesdays @ 7 p.m.

PR-Guests WIFI Password: access123

More Blessed to Give

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good. His love endures forever—a psalm written long ago, a song we often sing, and words written on the hearts of the children in children's worship this month. I am thankful that I have been able to worship with our little ones this month. It was pure joy to see our young children give thanks for the blessings in their lives—the sun, a blanket, cats, sisters, food and mom— as they learned this verse from Psalm 136. It has reminded me to be truly thankful. I am especially thankful that Ryan has encouraged us to remain faithful in giving thanks. We are abundantly blessed. As we move from a season of giving thanks to a season of giving, I pray that we will remember how blessed we are and give out of that abundance. Don't get me wrong. I'm not advocating for more Christmas gifts. I am encouraging you to give of your time, resources, money, and yourself to impact the lives of others. Here are a few ways you can easily do that right here at PR: Give your blood, it can literally save lives—sign up at PR Central. Donate baked goods and items for Christmas gift bags for our No Go members—see inside the bulletin for items needed. Deliver a gift bag to our No Go/Slow Go members on Dec. 9—you'll brighten their day and your own. Attend the Christmas Party for the children from Christ's Haven on Dec. 16—show them they are loved. Gather your family and together serve someone who needs to see the light of Jesus. It won't cost you much, just a little bit of your time. After all, it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Lou Ann Jordan

When We All Get to Heaven

FIRST SERVICE - ORDER OF WORSHIP

Worship led by Dean Willis Song # 851 I'll Fly Away Welcome Ryan Inlow # 469 Faith is the Victory Song Scripture Dean Willis I'll Live in Glorv Song # 895 Song #881 Mansion Over the Hilltop #882 No Tears in Heaven Song Dean Willis Prayer # 315 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross Song # 313 The Old Rugged Cross Song Communion/Contribution Kyle Cooke # 736 To Christ Be True Song Song #381 Years I Spent in Vanity Message Ryan Inlow Response Song # 608 He Gave Me a Song **Receiving Responses** Tim & Jan Shelfer Paul Berry & Pat Malone Shepherd's Prayer Ron Haker **Family News**

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Song

SECOND & THIRD SERVICE - ORDER OF WORSHIP

Worship led by Dean Willis

Song Days of Elijah
Song #851 I'll Fly Away

Welcome Ryan Inlow

Song Let God Arise

Scripture Dean Willis

ong There's a Stirring

Communion/Contribution Mike Godknecht/Caven Marsh

Song # 313 The Old Rugged Cross
Song # 736 To Christ Be True

Dismiss for Children's Worship

ong Your Kingdom Until Then

Message Ryan Inlow

Response Song # 608 He Gave Me a Song
Receiving Responses Tim & Jan Shelfer
Paul Berry & Pat Malone

Pat Malone/Bob Bohannon

Shepherd's Prayer Family News

Song Build Your Kingdom Here

Thanksgiving for Our Church Colossians 1:3-8

Give thanks for this church	Vs. 3-4
Give thanks for the	we all share. Vs. 5
Give thanks for whatthe people here. Vs. 5-6	in the lives of
It's not happiness that makes us that makes us	It's gratefulness

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Blood Drive

Wednesday, December 5 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

GIVE BLOOD SAVE LIFE

Sign up to donate or bring food at PR Central

Details inside

Children's Christmas Musical



Friday, December 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Worship

Sunday - 8:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m., & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday evening @ 6 p.m.

Wednesday - Classes @ 7 p.m.

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