

Sunday, November 6, 2011

9:45 am Morning Worship
I Am the Resurrection and the Life
John 11

Rev. Dennis Strawn
11:00 am Sunday School
7:00 pm Sm. Group—Kettel's
7:00 pm Sm. Group—Sunset Nursing

Monday, November 7, 2011

6:30 pm Finance Committee
7:00 pm F & F Board Meeting
Youth 7-12 gr. (Lock-in)
Baptist Women's Day of Prayer

Tuesday, November 8, 2011

ELECTION DAY—VOTE!

2:30 pm Adventure Club
6:30 pm Circle 6
7:00 pm Mary Martha Circle
7:00 pm Pic 'N Grin

Wednesday, November 9, 2011

6:00 pm Choir Practice
7:00 pm Bible Study—Ramona
7:00 pm Family Night

Thursday, November 10, 2011

2:30 pm Truth Works
7:00 pm Small Group @ Strawn's

Friday, November 11, 2011 VETERANS DAY

7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, November 12, 2011

10:00 am Praise Band
7:00 pm Tri-County Choir, First Church
of the Nazarene, Ironton

Pulpit Assistants and Visitation:

11/6 Jon Cook, Chris Barnes
11/13 Ralph Carrico, Mark Cartmell

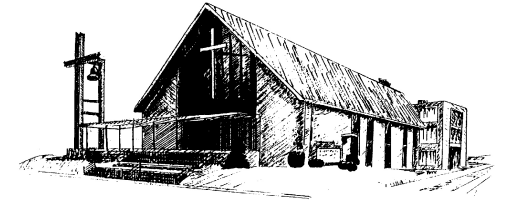
Please Pray For:

Deacon: Fred Kingery
Shut-Ins: Don Edwards
Missionary: P. J. Elkins
Teacher: Dennis Strawn
Class: Faith Works Class
Youth: Emily Strawn
Young Adult: Bryce Barnes
Serviceman: Ryan Wylie



The Messenger

NOVEMBER 1, 2011



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

PASTOR DENNIS STRAWN

FROM THE PASTOR'S HEART:



Our dedication Sunday for Operation Christmas Child will soon be here! November 13, 2011 is our deadline. Please use these last few weeks to finish up your shoeboxes.

If you are still shopping for items, the following are some suggestions from the Samaritan Purse Website.

TOYS

Small cars, balls, stuffed animals, dolls, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, small Etch A Sketch

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Pens, pencils & sharpeners, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads or paper, solar calculators, coloring and picture books

HYGIENE ITEMS

Tooth brush, tooth paste, mild soap (in a plastic bag), comb, washcloth

OTHER

Hard candy and lollipops, (please double bag all candy), mints, gum, T-shirts, socks, ball caps, sun glasses, hair clips, toy jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries)

A PERSONAL NOTE

In a separate envelope, you may enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself or family. (If you include your name and address the child might write you back.)

DO NOT INCLUDE:

Used or damaged items, war related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures, chocolate or food, out-of-date candy, liquids or lotions, medications or vitamins, breakable items such as snowglobes or glass containers, aerosol cans.



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IN GOD WE TRUST



Invite a friend to church!
"Invite a Friend" Sunday
November 20, 2011

Pastor Dennis



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STAFF:

Pastor: Rev. Dennis Strawn
Youth Pastor: Eric Barnes
Financial Secretary: Debbie Dickess
Secretary: Sandy Caudill
Custodian: Laura Kettel
Pianist: Linda Brammer

**USHER
SCHEDULE
November 6**

PROGRAMS

Danny French

FRONT DOOR

Jack Dennin

VERNON STREET

Bill Reis

ELEVATOR

Danny Gool

LIBRARY

Chris Dickess

UPCOMING EVENTS
(INVITE FAMILY & FRIENDS)

Nov. 3-4 11:00—2:00 pm Apple Dumpling Days
Nov. 4 1:00 pm Church Women United, World Community Day—First Methodist
Nov. 12 7:00—9:00 pm Tri-County Choir, First Church of the Nazarene, 2318 S. 4th, Ironton
Nov. 14 6:00 pm Organizational Mtg. Fellowship Hall
Nov. 20 9:45 am Invite A Friend Sunday
Dec. 4 6:00 pm LBA Songfest
Dec. 10 7:00—9:00 pm Tri-County Choir, Oak Street Chapel FWB Church, Flatwoods



This Sunday, November 13 is D-Day! **Dedication Sunday!** Bring your boxes to the sanctuary Sunday morning (or any day the week leading up to Nov. 13). Pray for the recipient of your boxes, for all the volunteers all over the world working on this ministry, and for governments that are hostile, to be willing to cut the red tape in getting the boxes delivered. We will take the boxes to the collection center early the week of Nov. 13. A couple years ago we filled 711 boxes. We CAN do that again! Jesus said "As you do it to one of the least of these, you do it to ME".

Our deepest sympathy to Donita Cook and family due to the death of her father, Billy Fairchild.

Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers. Thank you for being there for Betty and Harold and loving on them as you all have done! Thank you, Vivian Brown & family

Thanks for your kind expressions of sympathy at the death of our son, Tim. For the many prayers, visits, cards and flowers. A special thanks to Dennis. Love, Harold & Betty Brown

NO MESSENGER THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 21ST.

Nursery Volunteers

Baby Nursery

Debbie & Leslie Delong
Margaret Ng, Michael Gleichauf

Sunday School

Volunteers

Sunday Morning

November 6
November 13

FINANCES:	Receipts	Disbursements
10-30-11	\$4,112.06	\$5,598.05

Due to budget restrictions we will not have our annual Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners.

CONTINUE TO SAVE YOUR CANS!

Discount Cards—\$10.00—Exp. 9-30-12, Available in the office.

Kroger Cards still available from Phyllis Greenwood

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 3 & 4 11 am – 2 pm
Apple Dumpling Days \$3.00
(you can call in orders)

If you have sold discount cards or Gattiland booklets, please turn in any money you have as soon as possible or by the first of December.

Lawrence County Courthouse

Thurs., November 10, 2011
11:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.
HONORING OUR VETERANS

Board of Christian Education needs the names and addresses of our college students. Please submit to the office as soon as possible. Thanks, Laura Kettel

Sunday night small group will be going to Sunset Nursing Home this Sunday, Nov. 6. To ride in the church van, be in front of church no later than 6:45 pm.

Give God what's right—not what's left!
Check out our web site: fbcironton.org

ATTENDANCE

	Adults	Youth	Total
Wednesday 10/26	17	85	
Adv. Club 10/25	71		
Truth Works 10/27			
October 30	2011	2010	
Morning Worship	114	113	
Sunday School	84	56	



Week 45

- Day 1 Matthew 26:36-75; Mark 14:32-72; Luke 22:39-71; John 18:1-27
- Day 2 Mathew 27:1-31; Mark 15:1-20; Luke 23:1-25; John 18:28-29:16
- Day 3 Matthew 27:32-66; Mark 15:21-47; Luke 23:26-56; John 19:17-42; Psalm 22
- Day 4 Matthew 28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 20-21
- Day 5 Acts 1-4; Psalm 1100
- Day 6 Acts 5-8

Small Group Meetings

- Sunday:** 7:00 pm Young Adult @ Ron & Laura Kettel's
- Sunday:** 7:00 pm @ Sunset Nursing Home (Strawn)
- Thursday:** 7:00 pm @ Dennis & Melinda Strawn's

Circles Bible Book of the Month:
I, II, III JOHN

Memory Verse Week 45: Acts 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witness in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.