



# CONNECTIONS

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## From the Child Safety Committee

In an effort to strengthen HABC's child safety and to enhance the effectiveness of the Child Check-In system, new drop-off and pick-up procedures for the first floor hallway in the education wing will soon take place. Beginning the first Sunday in October, the 12th street glass door at the end of the children's hallway will not be used as an entrance/exit unless in case of emergency. The deacon assigned to that location will be stationed outside the door to greet people coming from the parking lot and to direct them to either the prayer garden or F Avenue doors.

Inside, there will be a table set up just beyond the children's wing ladies' restroom that will serve as a drop-off and pick-up station for children in the nursery or in a class on the first floor. A parent will bring his/her child to the table, where someone will help print necessary name badges from the Check-In system, if that hasn't already been completed. A runner will then walk the child from the table down to the

appropriate Sunday School room/nursery. Exceptions will be made for those dropping off babies into the baby nursery, as often there are additional items to drop off and special directions to give the workers.

At the end of the church service, a parent with the printed parent badge will come to the table to pick up the child. After verifying that the parent and child badges match, the child will be brought from the room to the table to go with the parent. Please send just one parent to the table to pick up the child, as it will cut down on traffic in that area. Again, exceptions will be made for one parent per child to pick up an infant from the baby nursery.

The safety and security of our children is important to us all and we appreciate your cooperation as we make this switch.

The Child Safety Committee

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# Children's Ministry Update

## Sunday Funday!

Sunday, October 26 • 10:30 am

Fun and games for all children ages 3 and up.  
Costumes are welcome (no scary costumes, please).  
We'll have a hayride around the avenues.

No tricks, just treats!

Bring a guest and get an extra treat.



## Budget Reminder

Hello Committee Members/Chairpersons,

Hopefully you are wrapping up your budget requests for submission about now. Please make sure they are in the Finance Committee box no later than September 28, in order to allow the finance committee to meet the deadline for the 2015 budget proposal. We ask for your assistance in trimming the

budget this year as we will likely incur substantial increases to the budget that we didn't have for the last budget year. Thank you for all you do for HABC.

Sincerely,

The Finance Committee

## August

### Attendance

Avg. SS Attendance 176  
Avg. Worship Attendance 235

### Lakewood Ministries

Avg. SS Attendance 15  
Avg. Worship Attendance 17

### Budget

Budget Offering \$49,517.02  
B.O.F. \$2,208.00  
Total Designated \$6,329.15  
Children's Offering \$38.04  
**Total Offering \$55,884.21**  
Monthly Budget Requirement: **\$42,298.68**

## October Extended Session

### Nursery Volunteers

**October 5** - Team 3  
**October 12** - Team 4  
**October 19** - Team 5  
**October 26** - Team 6

### Children's Church Leaders

**Wee Worship** - Lindsay Shupe  
**K-1st Grade** - Angie Sanders  
**2nd - 5th Grade** - Tammy Adams

## Thank You

Dear Church Family,

I would like to thank everyone for all the calls, cards, and to thank Johnnie Neese for the beautiful flowers during my illness. It's awesome to be a member of such a caring church family.

Thanks,  
Betty Hare

Holland Avenue Baptist Church,

We want to thank you for the wonderful meal you sent to our home after mom's funeral. It was delicious and such a thoughtful gesture. Your kindness is greatly appreciated. Also, a special thank you for all the cards and to those who visited and took flowers to mom in the nursing home. She always looked forward to your visits.

Gratefully,  
The Melba Amick Family



## October Birthdays

2 Mary Grace Heustess  
3 Jane Driggers  
3 Clark Berry  
4 Evelyn Coffey  
4 Joy Lynn Boozer  
5 Mary McGee  
5 Tonya Franklin  
7 J.C. Sutton  
8 Raymond Brown  
8 John Mower  
8 Greta Siedschlag  
9 Barbara Antley  
9 Taylor Day  
10 Vivian Coleman

10 Hannah Rea  
11 Ernestine Derrick  
11 Katherine Baumgardner  
11 Kathy Lorick  
11 Lynn Epps  
11 Tom Waring  
12 Jennifer Waring  
13 Annet Tidwell  
13 Christy Henderson  
14 Marie Jeffcoat  
14 Bill Whisonant  
14 Kelly Nation  
14 Sarah Burggraaf  
15 Madeline Duncan

16 Debbie Craig  
16 Chris Netherton  
16 Kierstan Chavis  
17 Garrett Williams  
18 Claude Lucas  
21 Larry Fowler  
21 Bill West  
22 Frank Long  
24 Grant Adams  
26 Brian Conner  
29 Jessica Able  
30 Emily Crow  
30 Warren Franklin

## Church Staff

**Dr. Ken Harmon**  
Transitional Pastor

**Brad Siedschlag**  
Minister of Youth

**Tammy Adams**  
Minister of Children

**Lindsay Shupe**  
M.O.M. /Preschool Director  
& Preschool Outreach Dir.

## Office Hours

Monday - Thursday  
8:30am - 4:30pm



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## October Calendar

### Sunday Schedule

9:15am - Sunday School  
10:30am - Worship Service

### Fourth Sunday

9:15am - Prayer Time in room 105  
9:30am - Sunday School  
10:30am - Worship Service  
6:00pm - Church Conference

### Wednesday Schedule

4:30pm - Prayer Time  
5:00pm - Supper  
6:00pm - Adult Bible Study  
6:00pm - Children's Choirs  
6:00pm - Youth Class  
6:30pm - Celebration Choir Rehearsal  
6:45pm - Children's Missions Classes

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
	Labor Day Office closed		Regularly Scheduled Activities			Women's Ministry Yard Sale
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Regularly Scheduled Services			Regularly Scheduled Activities			
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Regularly Scheduled Services			Regularly Scheduled Activities			9:30 am - Churchwide Corn Maze Event
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Regularly Scheduled Services			Regularly Scheduled Activities			
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Regularly Scheduled Services 10:30 am - Children's Sunday Funday	"Connections Newsletter"		Regularly Scheduled Activities			