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# The Messenger



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*a sanctuary for your soul*

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- Christine Hamilton  
Children and Youth  
Summer Intern



**\$2,106 collected at this awesome auction**



**Many Thanks . . .**



**. . . to all who helped**



**You made the difference . . .**



**. . . and we'll soon have new choir robes.**



**OFFICE NOTE: CHRIS WILL BE ON VACATION JULY 25 THROUGH AUGUST 8.**

### SERVERS' CALENDAR

Sunday, August 1, 2010

- WORSHIP DEACON: Meredith Hamilton
- ELDERS: Roger Dillon & Jan Lyle
- WORSHIP LEADER: Christine Hamilton
- HOME CENTERED ELDERS: Pat Fukes & Beth Gay
- TITHE COUNTERS: Roger & Donna Dillon
- GREETERS: Sid Elliott, Shelby Evans, Weldon Haney & Jim Purkey
- USHERS: Shanna & Randy Moore
- OPEN/CLOSE BUILDINGS: Sid Elliott

## Youth News

Galavander game day was a blast! Thanks to all of you that helped make it possible, especially our guests. Our mosaic crosses and picture frames were a big hit at Christmas in July- I think we almost made enough to buy one of the choir robes needed! This week as you know we joined forces with Northwood's youth group to help build their church, rapping up our theme of service for the summer. The summer is winding down but I still want to have a little more fun before we all go back to school. Next week our high schoolers will meet for BINGO and a meal- check your phones for details! I've had so much fun spending time with each of you this summer and I hope that everyone can join us this Sunday for worship. See you soon!



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Meditation Walk  
and Labyrinth  
open daily



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July 20, 2010

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Dear Rev. Warren and Congregation,

Thank you so much for the wonderful meal you provided for First Christian Church of Richlands, NC when we were there. It was awesome! As their pastor, who is from Texas, I constantly remind them there is different meat than pork. You came up with the beef brisket. Oh praise the Lord.

And there was the Blue Bell, enough said!!!!!! Thank you Jesus!!!!!!

Above all of these, thank you for your sanctuary and a few special moments of worship. We had a good time of silent prayer. Most of our people went to the steps of the altar and knelt in prayer and praise to God. As we started to walk out one of our folks began singing "We are standing on Holy Ground" and soon after, all of us turned towards the stained glass window and sang in unison. It was a God Moment. Thank you in the name of Jesus.

God loves you and so do we,

  
 Dr. Gary L. Edens

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Sunday August 1 — Birthday Blessings**  
 9:15 am Sunday School  
 10:30 am Worship

**Tuesday August 3**  
 7:00 am Men's Breakfast

**Wednesday August 4**  
 7:00 pm Choir Practice

Dear Christine & Youth,

It was so much fun being with you, playing games and eating pizza. **Thank you** for all you did to make it a wonderful day and for your efforts to make us laugh. Keep up the good work.

Love,  
 Galavanders



Fellowship



Games



Wii Bowling



Pizza & special cookies



## PRAISE & PRAYER REQUESTS

### Prayer Requests:

**John Griffin**, Pastor Brenda's father, has been moved to a skilled nursing facility in Dallas.

**Gulf Coast Oil spill** capping and cleanup.

**Ed Painton**, son-in-law of the Lowrey's, is having tests on his lungs.

**Stanley Plettman**, cousin of Norma White, has leukemia.

**Harvey Warren**, has a broken clavicle from a bicycle accident.

**Keith Wedgeworth**, a young fireman in Houston and a friend of the Milich's, is having tests for seizure.

### We continue to remember:

Joshua Bridges, Tommy Busselle, Wayne Dillon, Beryl Eldridge, Eileen Garrett, Jo Hamilton, Charles Hutto, Joyee & Floyd Morrison, Harland Tanner, Joann Youngblood, our troops and their families.

Remember to pray for our church that the Holy Spirit will give us wisdom and guidance as we worship God and minister in His name. If you know of others who need spiritual uplifting, please call the church office.



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

The **NEXT** CYF Day at TCU will be  
 October 9, 2010

Texas Christian University Horned Frogs

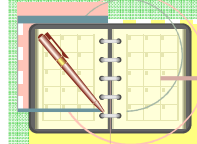
vs. University of Wyoming

Kick-Off 2:30 p.m.

A complete packet of CYF Day information will be sent to you in early September.  
 If you have questions, please contact Dr. Jim Atwood ■ 800.TCU.FROG or 817.257.7490  
 Please note: **AFTERNOON KICKOFF TIME**

## A Tasting for Some Other Place

The "Tasting" is right around the corner. Tuesday, August 17, will find the Beaumont Civic Center bustling with activity. A record number of booths will provide plenty of "tastings" to what they hope will be the biggest crowd ever at the annual "Tasting." We hope you have "saved the date" and plan to come out for some simply delicious food, wonderful fellowship and loads of fun. Tickets can be purchased for \$10 from Bob or Beth Gay. If you can bake bread, help at the booth or any other way, please contact Bob or Beth Gay, 833-4722, or sign the sheet provided in the Narthex.



**Rev. Horace E. Williams, Sr.**  
 celebrates 30 years as pastor of  
 Temple of Praise Christian Church, Beaumont