

December 15, 1996

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

300 WEST 13TH STREET

LORAIN, OH 44052

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**THE REV. TERRANCE N. BIVINS,
PASTOR**

Second Baptist Church
 500 West 13th Street
 Lorain, OH 44052
 The Reverend Terrance N. Bivins, Pastor
 11:00 Worship Service

Sermon Notes

Spiritual Preparation

Introit	Pulpit
Invocational Prayer	Pulpit
Morning Hymn	
Scripture	Pulpit
Song of Praise	Sanctuary Choir
Responsive Reading	
Tithes and Offerings	
Doxology	
Acknowledgment of Visitors	Official Greeter
Announcements	Administrative Assistant
Songs of Praise	Sanctuary Choir
God's Message to the Church	Pastor Terrance N. Bivins
Invitation to Christian Discipleship	
Altar Call	
Benediction	

Sunday School Lesson December 15, 1996
 The Shepherds Lesson: Luke 2: 8-20
 Golden Text - "The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising
 God for all the things that they had heard and seen" Luke 2:20

* Service subject to change, due to the presence of the Holy Ghost!!!

Sunday School	Sunday,	9:30 AM
Morning Worship	Sunday,	11:00 AM
WEEKLY MEETINGS		
CDB Choraleers	Tuesday,	7:00 PM
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting	Wednesday,	6:00 PM
Missionary Society	Thursday,	4:00 PM
David's Crew & Giant Slayers		
- Youth Dept.	Saturday	1:00 PM
Sanctuary Choir	Saturday	3:30 PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 15, 1996

4:00 PM

Deacon's Ordination

The Reverend Melvin Woodard from the Mount Zion Baptist, Lorain, will deliver the message and the Sanctuary Choir will minister God's music. Refreshments to follow.

All December birthday people, please give me your names. Your month is here.

Sister Maneera Hitchens

Thursday, December 19, 1996

7:00 PM

All auxiliaries please turn in your officers for the 1997 calendar year to the Deacon Board. All members in good standing, will meet Thursday, December 19, 1996, to officially vote them in. Thank you.

Friday, December 20, 1996

7:00 PM

Our annual Sunday School Christmas Program & the play, "The Choice is Yours", written and directed by our own Kimberly Brown-Ware, cast of "The David's Crew". Children, please see Sisters Marilyn Parker-Jeffries and Doris Rogers for your speeches.

December 21, 1996

6:00 PM

Parsonage Christmas Party.

Sponsored by the Bivins Family. Everyone welcome.

The Reverend Terrance N. Bivins Family

December 28, 1996

12:00 - 4:00 PM
"Feed The Hungry Saturday"

All members who have clothes and donations for our Feed the Hungry Saturday, please start bringing in your donations, so we may sort for them before that Saturday. Thank you.

The Genesis Missionary Ministry

The CDB Choraleers wish to thank Sister Catrina Lewis for the wonderful time we had on yesterday. God Bless You Catrina.

The CDB Choraleers

December 31, 1996

7:30 PM

KWAANZA CELEBRATION

There will be an African style show, musical presentations, readings, and dance. Any member interested in styling their African garb, please contact Sister Charlesetta Brown. Thank you.

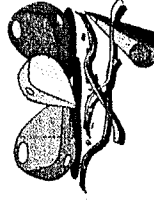
Sister Charlesetta Brown, Chairperson

December 31, 1996

10:30 PM

Watchservice.

We will have our annual watchservice at home this year. Come and bring in the year of our Lord and Saviour, 1997, with Him.



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

DECEMBER 10	(ANNIVERSARY)	TINA & DOUG
DECEMBER 11		CYNTHIA LEWIS
DECEMBER 11		CHERYL BROWN
DECEMBER 14		TAMARA BROWN
DECEMBER 15		TREVARES BIVINS
DECEMBER 18		CHARLOTTE LUMPKIN
DECEMBER 27		LOIS BILLINGS

GOD BLESS AND KEEP YOU!!

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dearly Beloved:

We are now in the Holy Season. Christmas is fast approaching and it is a time of reflection on how much Our Lord loved us. He loved us so much that he sent his only begotten son down into this sin sick world, so that you and I might be saved. There is no greater love. . . .

Let us try to show some of that love this season and every day to others. Let us try to help someone that is less fortunate than we are this Christmas season. There are some who dread this time of the year, because it is a lonely time for them. If you can help someone and show them that Christ love, it could make a difference and bring joy into their season.

Remember, Jesus is the Reason for the Season.

God Bless.

Your Pastor

PRAYER LIST FOR SICK AND SHUTINS

Bro. Richard Anderson
Sister Clara Anderson
Sister Mary Arnold
Sister Lois Billings
Sister Mary Brown
Sister Mary M. Crisp
Sister Jennie Francis
Brother John Glover
Sister Gustine Harrell
Sister Virginia Hemphill
Sister Evelyn Henry
Brother Calvester Hodge
Sister Grozelia Hodge
Sister Esmer Howard
Sister Beatrice Lassic
Sister Mary Lykes
Sister Charlotte Lumpkin
Sister Tracey Lumpkin
Brother James Mastin
Sister Mary Mastin # 2
Sister Mamie Montgomery
Brother Isaac Montgomery
Brother Hix Moon
Sister Josephine Naylor
Brother Isaac Naylor
Brother Greg Patton
Sister Lula Perry
Sister Betty Phillips
Sister Darlene Quinn
Brother Arthur Rogers
Sister Doris Rogers
Sister Sallie Reed
Sister Arthula Scott
Sister Courtney Tucker

Ohio Extended Care
1414 W. 22nd Street
Center Ridge Nursing Home
1030 W. 19th Street
St. Joseph Hospital & Health Center
1435 W. 19th Street
1424 W. 18th Street
Ohio Extended Care
Ohio Extended Care
Center Ridge Nursing Home
St. Joseph Hospital & Health Center
Veterans Hospital
Ohio Extended Care
Kennedy Plaza
Cleveland, OH.
4420 Shore Drive
1816 W. 21st Street
505 W. 24th Street
1402 W. 21st Street
1904 W. 22nd Street
Retirement Center/Michigan
Retirement Center/Michigan
3543 Toledo Avenue
219 W. 17th Street
2419 Lexington Avenue
325 W. 22nd Street
840 W. 23rd Street
501 W. 25th Street
1502 Lehigh Avenue
2736 Rita Drive
2736 Rita Drive
Oak Hills Nursing Home
2554 Denver Avenue
Home

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

***"A half-truth is usually less than that."
"The Lord detests lying lips, but he delights in men who are truthful."
Proverbs 12: 22 NIV***

**WELCOME TO OUR SANCTUARY
TO GIVE THANKS AND PRAISE TO THE LORD
TO LIFT HIM HIGH, AND MAGNIFY
AND HONOR HIS PRECIOUS NAME.
HERE AT SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
WE OPEN OUR ARMS TO YOU
FROM PASTOR TERRANCE BIVINS
AND THE CONGREGATION
WE WELCOME YOU
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