

CALENDAR

Wednesday, March 19

5:30 pm Family Night Supper  
6:30 pm House of Prayer,  
Youth on Mission,  
Kids of the Kingdom



7:30 pm Adult Choir/Drama Rehearsal

Friday, March 21

Church Office Closed  
7:00 pm Good Friday Communion Service  
7:30 pm Adult Choir/Drama Rehearsal

Saturday, March 22

7:00 pm "Tell Me The Story of Jesus"

Sunday, March 23

7:30 am Sunrise Service  
8:00 am Easter Breakfast  
9:15 am Bible Study  
10:30 am Morning Worship—"Tell Me The Story of Jesus"

Sandy Valley Baptist Church  
1124 S. Houston Lake Rd.  
Warner, GA 31088  
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Return Service Requested



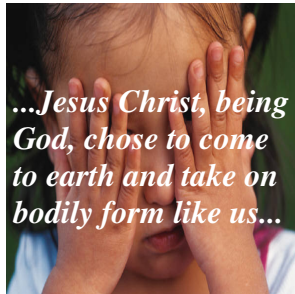
# The Pastor's Page

Not long after a mother put her little girl to bed for the night and turned off the lights, she heard a quivering voice say: "Mommy, I'm scared of the dark." "It's okay, honey, Jesus is there in your room with you," the mom said. After a few moments of silence, the little girl replied: "But mommy, I want a Jesus with skin on."

day? If not, why? He has promised to be with us every step of our lives— don't you believe that? If you don't feel His Presence, why not fall to your knees NOW and pray for Him to stir your spirit? He is waiting!

Yours In Christ,  
*Bro. Phil*

We are to walk by faith, not by sight. But when a child of God walks by sight and not by faith, something is not right! Many people struggle with this and other things of faith. But think about this: We serve a Jesus who has put on skin!



*...Jesus Christ, being God, chose to come to earth and take on bodily form like us...*

This weekend we will celebrate that. Jesus Christ, being God, chose to come to earth and take on bodily form like us, so that we could move from a hopeless situation to one of hope (Philippians 2:5-11)! And this same Jesus with skin on is with us always in the form of the Holy Spirit, One who walks beside us to help us each day (John 14:16).

Do you feel God's Presence with you each day? Do you call on Him as you walk the paths of life each day? Do you know He is beside you each

**Devotions for the Week of March 24-29**  
*"You Reap What You Sow, More Than You Sow, And Later Than You Sow"*

Monday:	<i>Galatians 6:7-10</i>
Tuesday:	<i>Philippians 4:19</i> <i>Revelation 22:12</i>
Wednesday	<i>Acts 5:1-10</i>
Thursday	<i>Genesis 32:22-30</i>
Friday:	<i>Hosea 8:1-8</i> <i>II Corinthians 5:10</i>
Saturday	<i>I Samuel 12:1-14</i>



**Offering Total to Date: \$ 1,144.00**

## CHURCH STAFF

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### Sunday School Report

March 16, 2008

Record (March 29, 1998)	210
Members Enrolled	252
Total Present	132
Previous Week's Attendance	112

### Service Opportunities

Deacon of the Week for March 23:  
Bro. Otis Wilson 953-3374



**Congratulations to  
Jeff & Shauna**



**McCoy on the birth  
of their baby girl,  
Caitlin Cassaday,  
born on 3-15-08.**



### Nursery Volunteers

#### Sunday, March 23

AM – Donna Harrison

PM – No Service

#### Sunday, March 30

AM – Cindy Jones

PM – Sandy Hambrick



### FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

Join us every  
Wednesday night  
from 5:30 p.m. till  
6:15 p.m. Prices are

\$4 for each adult and \$2 for each child 6<sup>th</sup>  
grade and under. *Please call the church  
office (953-4328) by 5:00 p.m. Monday to  
make your reservation*

#### Menu for March 26:

BBQ'd Chicken, Rice, Butter Beans,  
Salad, Bread and Dessert

Dear Friends,  
This is just a short note to  
express my appreciation  
for your thoughts and  
prayers. My family and I  
have felt the Lord's presence and conso-  
lation knowing that our mother is with  
the Lord enjoying His eternal rest.  
Thank you so much for your concern.



In His Love,  
Noemi Padilla

Dear Sandy Valley Church Members,  
Thank you so much for your love, con-  
cern, and especially your prayers during  
my illness. Thank your members for  
loaning Anita and me your pastor the  
day of my surgery. It was great comfort  
having him there before I went to sur-  
gery.

All our love,  
Anita Stevens & Jewel Smith

**“TELL ME  
THE STORY OF JESUS”**  
**PRESENTED BY THE SVBC  
CHOIR & DRAMA TEAM**  
**2 PERFORMANCES:**  
**SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 7 PM**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 23, 10:30 AM**

### SVBC Easter Schedule

**Friday, March 21**—Office Closed  
7 pm—Good Friday Communion  
Service

**Saturday, March 22**  
7 pm—“Tell Me The Story of Jesus”  
**Sunday, March 23**

7:30 am—Sunrise Service  
8:00 am—Church-Wide  
Easter Breakfast  
9:15 am—Bible Study  
10:30am—Morning  
Worship w/ Encore Presentation of  
“Tell Me The Story of Jesus”  
No Evening Activities or Services



### Yard Sale Benefit for Olivia Culpepper

We are currently seeking donations of  
new or gently  
used items in an  
effort to assist the  
Culpepper Family  
with expenses  
associated with  
Olivia's medical  
care. **Modern  
Woodmen of**

**America** has agreed to match  
donations up to \$2500. The yard sale  
will be held on **Saturday, April 5th**  
**from 7:30 am-12:30 pm** in the  
parking lot beside Stanley Furniture  
Store in Perry. Helpers to assist  
customers during the sale will be  
needed, also. Please contact Bro. Phil  
Bryant (953-4328) or Mrs. Hadden  
(987-2524) with any questions.

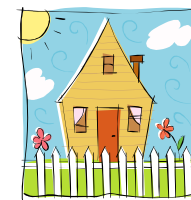


**160** is our goal for Bible Study  
attendance on **April 13** as we kick  
off revival with “Bring a Friend  
Day!” Begin NOW inviting your  
friends and family to be part of  
our Spring Revival !

**CONTINUE TO PRAY THROUGH**  
your Prayer Emphasis Calendars for the  
Spring Revival Services, April 13-16. Ex-  
tra calendars are available in the foyer.

### Cottage Prayer Meetings

If you would be willing to host a Cottage  
Prayer Meeting in prepara-  
tion for Revival during the  
week of **April 7-11**, please  
contact **Janice Simpson**  
at **781-5831**.



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*Medical technicians will be at SVBC on  
**Thursday, March 27** to administer 4 life-  
saving screening tests for **\$129**. All tests  
can be accomplished in one hour. **Pre-  
registration is required**. Call 1-800-324-  
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