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Today is the last day to order Poinsettias. The cost is \$7.50 per plant and can be placed in memory or in honor of someone. Order forms are in the bulletins.



Don't forget the paint fund. Drop your change in and watch it grow.

People on Missions

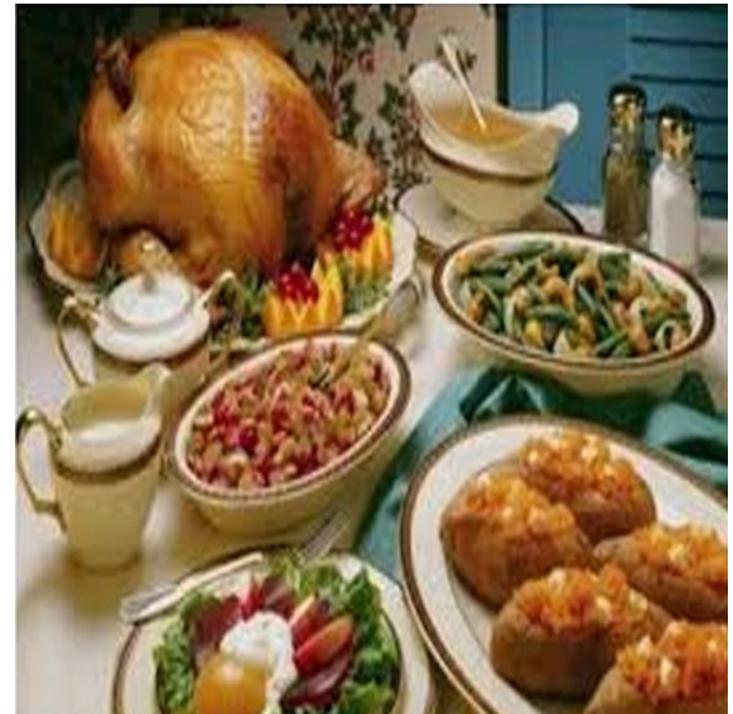
*Please pray every day as they prepare to serve on the mission field:
The Wade Killingsworth Family: Slovenia*



"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

Pastor: Rick Erwin, D. Min.; D.D.

November 22, 2015



Fellowship starting at 5:30 p.m. tonight

Thanksgiving Dinner at 6:00 p.m.

Invite your family, friends and neighbors to come and enjoy good food and fellowship.



FROM A THANKFUL HEART

THE SONG, "COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS" IS A REMINDER of how wonderful God is to us. Just think about it. Better yet, look around you right now and just say a big "Thank You" to the heavenly Father for your blessings. Just to name a few, I am thankful today that I can be back in the church I love with the best congregation in the world. I am thankful for the roof over my head; freedom of religion; a good education; a good car to drive; a ministry that connects me with people; all the food I need and more; prayer; God's Word; the great outdoors; living in America; good friends; comfortable home to live in; God's provision for all our needs; good doctors; . . . on and on.

I AM THANKFUL TODAY FOR MY FAMILY. A WIFE THAT puts up with me, cares for me, prays for me, makes me laugh, is a good mother, encourager, lets me grow a beard, deer hunt, have toys, fun to travel with, loves her mother and takes care of her, works hard, supports me in the ministry and is part of that ministry. She is a keeper. My girls are such a blessing. Stephanie and Tad are a good, dedicated, hardworking, family that loves the Lord and are serving in Mimosa Lane Baptist Church in Mesquite. Beau, of course, is the apple of my eye. They are bringing up Beau to have Christian values and I love that about them. Elizabeth is a hard working school administrator and loves her job. She loves children and wants to help them succeed in life. She is giving me another son-in-law this summer. Jeff Wright is a Baptist Preacher, school teacher and college history professor. I am really not sure he has me figured out. My Mother-in-law, Thelma McGee lives in our home and is so much a part of us. Finally, there is Louie. Yes, I am thankful for my dog. He makes me happy, keeps me company, pretends to like me, doesn't pretend to do what I tell him. **BUT, he is part of the family. I AM SO BLESSED, UNWORTHY, WEAK, YET HAPPY IN THE LORD! THANK YOU FATHER FOR YOUR BLESSINGS!**

Bro. Rick



As members of Procter Baptist Church and First Baptist Church Port Arthur, we are very blessed and have much to be thankful for. Tonight, at 5:30 p.m. we will fellowship in the Family Life Center and at 6 p.m., we will be coming together for our annual Thanksgiving feast. This is always a great outreach opportunity for our congregations and we usually have many guests. Cornbread dressing, rice dressing, as well as turkey, ham and bread will be provided but we are asking our members to bring salads, sides and seasonal desserts for your family, as well as the many guests we are inviting. This will be a great time of fellowship and a time to reflect on all we have to be thankful for.

***"Out of them shall come songs of thanksgiving, and the voices of those who celebrate. I will multiply them, and they shall not be few; I will make them honored, and they shall not be small."* Jeremiah 30:19**

Plan now to invite a friend.



Gloria needs six people tomorrow from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. to help pack the trailer to take to Beaumont. All help will be greatly appreciated. Cookies, drinks and water are also needed.



The church office will be closed Thursday, November 26th, and Friday November 27th, for the Thanksgiving Holidays.



We received a Thank You note from Kelsey Thibodeaux. The note is on the bulletin board by the Library.



Bro. Rick and Lynn, along with the Procter family, wish to express their heartfelt sympathy to the family of Effie Silkwood.