NOTES

Monday, November 5
1:00-7:30pm—Blood Drive

Tuesday, November 6
Please Vote. Remain in prayer for our nation and all who are positions of authority. 1 Timothy 2:1-3.
6:30am—Men’s Bible Study
9:15am—Women’s Bible Study
11:30am—Community Prayer

Wednesday, November 7
9:30am—Explorers Women’s Study
7:00pm—All Evening Ministries Meet

Coordinating Council

Saturday, November 10
6:00pm—100th Anniversary Dinner
(by reservation only)

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We are growing disciples of Jesus Christ, committed to worshipping God & transforming our world.

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Business & Missions
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Elementary Children
Brent Slater
Senior Pastor
Jimmy Smith
Young Adults
Katie Williams
Students

100th Anniversary Celebration
Guest Speaker: Dr. Joseph Stowell
Plan to join us on Sunday morning, November 11 for our worship services that will focus our praise and thanksgiving on the faithfulness of God to this church over these past 100 years of ministry. Our celebrations will continue into 2013, as we anticipate the two special Sunday morning services on January 13 and 20.

Church Family Finances
Seven Months through October 31, 2012
Actual Giving $2,116,104
Budgeted Giving $2,125,000
Deficit $8,896

November 4, 2012
Welcome

This is a day to celebrate together as we witness 16 baptisms in our two morning services. The Lord is changing lives for His glory! It is also our privilege this morning to hear from one of God’s choice African servants, Pastor Andrew Mwenga, of Kampala Baptist Church in Uganda. Inell and I served with Andrew in Uganda and he is a close personal friend.

As we begin our 100th Anniversary celebrations next week, it is so appropriate to hear from a leading pastor in one of the countries where we have sent four different missionary units over the past 30 years. We have also sent four short term medical teams to serve at Pastor Mwenga’s church. Let’s celebrate together.

Brent

Ministry Details

Herd Middle School & Crash High School ministries will meet this this week from 7:00—8:30pm in their usual locations.

Young Adults. If you’re a college student, young professional, or newly married couple, our Young Adult AFB meets each Sunday at 10:15am in the Chapel.

Our sympathy to the family of Ralph Dage, who passed away on October 27.

Missionary Christmas. On behalf of the Mission Board and our missionary families, we thank you for your generous giving this year. Our offerings totaled $41,313! We give thanks to God for the generous gifts given through His people.

New Connection. The latest edition of the Connection Newsletter is on the table as you exit the Worship Center, and will be available on the church website this coming week.

Outreach Resources. A refreshed supply of current tracts and New Testaments are available on the display shelves in the Cafe. Please take advantage of these excellent complimentary resources for sharing Christ with others.

Thanksgiving Dinner. Sunday, November 18 is the International Friends HPBC Thanksgiving Day Dinner in the East Fellowship Hall at 12:30 PM. This is a catered event, and cost is $12.50 per person or $30.00 per family. Student sponsorships are appreciated. HPBC families can meet with International students from Lawrence Tech. Stop by the table in the Atrium Foyer for further information and reservations.

International Friends. November 22 is Thanksgiving Day, and IF is looking for those from our church family to invite International Students home with them for Thanksgiving Day dinner. We can match a student(s) with a family. Please contact Dave West at devowest3@cs.com, or 313-212-7001.

Missions With a Heart. Mark your calendars for lunch ($7) on Tuesday, November 13 at 11:30am in Fellowship Hall, as Lorna Muha shares what God is doing in Madrid, Spain. Childcare is available. Sign up at the Missions table in the Foyer, or call Ruth Leonovich at 248-380-3505.

Pray for Angel House as they prepare for this year’s benefit with keynote speaker, Jay Smith, at HPBC on Saturday, November 17—7:00pm. Pray for this ministry to move forward to reach more in the community with improved facilities and programs, and for protection and good health for the staff. angelhousenewsletter@gmail.com.

Welcome Guests. It is always a privilege to have visitors with us for Sunday morning worship. Please take a moment to complete a Communication Card located near your seat, and place in the drop box as you exit the service today. Further ministry information is available at the Welcome Center, or on our church website.

Ministry Highlights

Women’s Christmas Brunch
Plan to invite friends and family members to the Women’s Christmas Brunch on Saturday, December 8, from 9:30—11:30am at the beautiful Townsend Hotel in downtown Birmingham.
You and your guests will enjoy a delicious brunch, seasonal music, and a Christmas message. Pick up some invitations at the table in the Atrium Foyer today.
Tickets are $15 per person, and available beginning today in the Foyer, and also online on the HPBC website.

The Next Chapter
Copies of the Next Chapter white pages distributed at the informational meetings last week are available at the Welcome Center and also on our website. We encourage you to take advantage of this important information regarding the potential of these facility renovation projects.

Southfield Christian School
As Today’s learners, Tomorrow’s leaders and Forever lovers of Christ, SCS students are well prepared academically and spiritually to be leaders in our world. Come and learn why. Parents of children, preschool through grade twelve, are invited to Discover Us Open House on Sunday, November 11, beginning at 9:00am. Check out www.southfieldchristian.org or call 248-357-3660 ext 258.

Media Resource Center
We are featuring several new titles for sale recommended by members of our staff team. Explicit Gospel by Matt Chandler; Father, Son and Holy Spirit by Bruce Ware; Love Does by Bob Goff; and When the Darkness Will Not Lift by John Piper.