

Thanks for Coming

If you are a visitor in our worship service today, we are thrilled to have you. Our prayer is that you are drawn into the presence of Christ during this time, and your encounter with Him will leave you more transformed into His image. If you are new to our community, or if you don't have a current Church home, we hope you will prayerfully consider Southern Heights Baptist Church as your regular place of worship.

If you are just visiting the Berryville area, we hope you enjoy your stay and will come back soon. In either case, we would like to have a record of your visit, and be made aware of any prayer concerns you might have.

Thank you for being here today.

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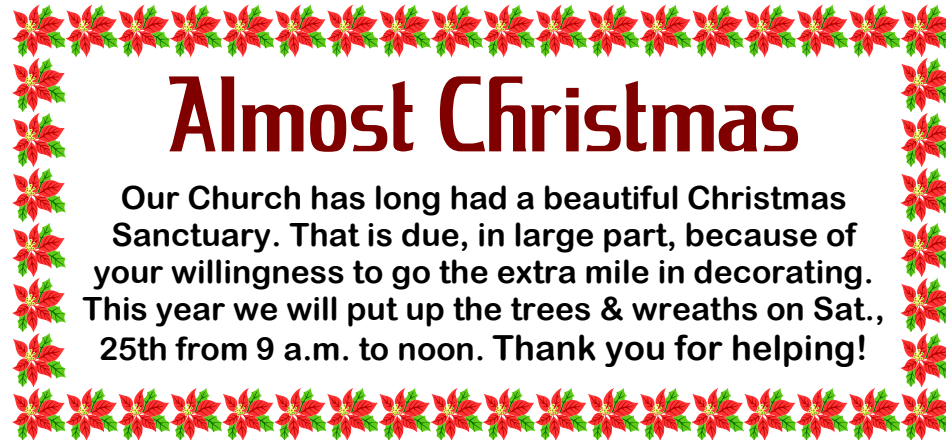
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I would like more information about Southern Heights: (Y) (N)

Prayer needs:

A Time For Prayer

The Church is facing more opposition than ever before. What can we do to protect ourselves? There is a time-honored, Biblical means of protection available to us: Prayer. This is a Call to Prayer for the members and friends of SHBC. Join us Sunday mornings at 9:00 for Corporate Prayer in our sanctuary. This is not just our best hope, it is our only hope.



Almost Christmas

Our Church has long had a beautiful Christmas Sanctuary. That is due, in large part, because of your willingness to go the extra mile in decorating. This year we will put up the trees & wreaths on Sat., 25th from 9 a.m. to noon. Thank you for helping!

The Continuing Need: Part 19

(Which Means This Need Has Gone Unmet for the Past 19 Weeks)

As you are by now well aware, we have critical needs in our Children's Department: Teaching positions in Sunday School, Children's church during worship, and expanded nursery help, also during the worship hour. This moment of choice can have two outcomes: 1) you will respond by volunteering to help in one of these areas (once every 6-8 weeks), thus maintaining a level of excellence that will be attractive to area families; or 2) you will not respond and our Children's programs will flounder, with a corresponding negative impact on our future. I believe you will meet this need. If you can help please see Debbie ASAP. Thank you.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL NEEDS:	MONTHLY FINANCIAL NEEDS:
WEEKLY BUDGET: \$5544.48	MONTHLY: \$24,026.07
LAST WEEK: \$4438.00	LAST MONTH: \$26,458.00

Southern Heights News

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THANKSGIVING DINNER

SUNDAY THE 19TH we will have our annual Church **Thanksgiving Dinner** at noon, after our worship service. The Church is buying 7 turkeys, but **WE NEED 7 PEOPLE** to take them home today, cook them, and then bring them back (carved) on next Sunday morning.

The rest of us will **BRING SIDE DISHES** like dressing, potatoes, sweet potatoes, casseroles, green beans, corn, rolls...and anything else you can think of to go with a Thanksgiving meal.

But **DON'T FORGET THE DESSERTS!** What's Thanksgiving without pie! Chocolate pie, Pecan pie, Apple pie, Mince Meat pie, Lemon



Bro. K says: "Alone"

"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze." Isaiah 43:1-2

"Then he said to her, 'Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace.'" Luke 8:48

Have you ever found yourself in a crowded room- perhaps at a convention or event- where everyone wears name tags, and you can't help but feel like the most insignificant person in the room? You wear a smile, but deep down, you sense that others might be peering over your shoulder, searching for the supposed "important" figure in the distance. It's in these moments that an internal discussion begins: "Does anyone truly see me? Does my existence carry any meaningful impact? Does anyone even know my name?"

In the Gospel of Luke, we encounter a woman burdened not only by physical ailments but also by societal labels- sick, impoverished, unwanted. She remained nameless in the eyes of the world. The world had labeled her as unimportant. However, when Jesus crossed her path, He did more than address her needs and restore her health; He gave her an eternal identity- He called her "daughter."

At times, we become so engrossed in the world's perspective of importance- often equating it with wealth or fame- that we lose sight of a fundamental truth. How would you answer this question:

Who does God say you are? Are you his child?

Have you decided to follow Jesus and become His child? Settle your identity. Ask Him to be your Lord and Savior. Give Him control of your life.

Hineni: "A Sad Day, But Christ is King"

Tuesday morning I was so preoccupied with work that I completely forgot it was election day around the nation. To my great dismay, I learned Tuesday night that Ohio had legalized abortion. What was even more shocking was the absurd number of people, claiming to be Christian, trying to justify abortion.

Here is a quick lesson on the biblical stance on abortion: Life begins at conception: *"For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works;"* Psalms 139"13-14

Evil is evil: *"Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter!"* Is. 5:20

It's a commandment: *"You shall not murder"* Exodus 20:13

These are not my words but the words of God. Anyone that argues with this argues with God. Let the reader

Hmmm, Hmmm, Good!

**WEDNESDAY MEAL: FRIED FISH! FRENCH FRIES!
HUSH PUPPIES! DESSERT!**



Welcome to SHBC **About SHBC**

We are a group of Christ-followers who believe in the power of God to change lives. We want to see transformation take place in your life, and in your family's. We see that happening in this Church through the consistent teaching and preaching of God's Word, and through the encouragement and support of fellow believers. Our worship is simple and Spirit-led, meaning God is the focus of everything we do, because He alone is able to help; He alone is able to save; therefore, He alone is worthy of our devotion.

Our activities and teaching are centered around the Biblical directive to "make disciples." Simply put, everything we do is for the purpose of pointing people to Jesus, so they can become more like Him. SHBC is a relatively young Church, but a Church that God has already blessed in miraculous ways. We invite you to become a part of our family, and experience the power of Christ in your life.

Join The Family

The only biblical requirements for Church membership are that you are born again and have been baptized. That means that you have publicly professed your faith in Christ and then been baptized by immersion after your salvation. If that is the case, you are eligible for membership.

There are several different ways to join SHBC, depending on your situation. Please talk with our Pastor if you have questions about becoming a member here.