



The *Heartbeat* of Hghwater

Pray then in this way: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And do not bring us to the time of trial, but rescue us from the evil one". For if you forgive others their sins, your heavenly Father will also forgive you" *Matthew 6: 9-14*

September 2008

Rally Day 2008! Sunday, September 14



We are excited to announce that the "Hands of Faith Puppets" will be performing during the 10:30 service in the Legg Center. Also, all the children are invited to meet the puppets during Sunday School at 9:30 in the Legg Center. Today, all students move up one grade for Sunday School. A potluck dinner will be held following the 10:30 service.

The "Hands of Faith Puppets" is a group of 6 adults from the Alexandria Baptist Church headed up by Lori and Mike Sharrock. Lori is the sister of Tim Bevier. Their group has performed in many churches in the area using puppets and music to spread the gospel message and has inspired congregations of all ages!

Plan to attend our annual Rally Day....and bring a friend(s)!

Fish Fry / Game Night
Sunday, Sept 28th
6:00p.m.

Bring a game to share and
Join our family of faith for fun, food and fellowship!

A free will offering will be accepted to help defray



WISH
Mystery



Trip

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, September 20th** for this year's WISH Mystery Trip! Open to all Ladies of the church and their (female) friends, this is a great day of getting to know new friends and explore our beautiful state. The sign-up list is on the WISH bulletin board. The cost this year is \$50, but if you need assistance with this, please see Becky Campbell, President or Sue Baughman, Treas-

Pick-up Softball Game
Sunday, Sept 7, 6:30p.m.

Bring your bats and gloves and a dessert to share.

Everyone welcome!



Christian Fiction Book Review “Yada Yada Prayer Group”

By Neta Jackson

We have a new book series in the Library, There are 7 books in the series. The series is best read in order, as the relationships of characters develop and progress from one book to the next. However, each book stands on its own and can be enjoyed without having read the previous one.

Book one begins with a group of women meeting at a conference, who become friends and decide to meet in each other’s homes on a regular basis. As their friendships develop, they are confronted with their own personal problems.

I thought this series was a light read, funny, and about women who have real problems I could relate to. It was also inspirational to see how their prayer life became stronger as their friendships grew.

For those of you who enjoy Christian Fiction, you might want to check these out!

Perhaps there are more of you who enjoy reading Christian Fiction and have books you would like to share or donate to the library?

From the Highwater Keckley Library Nook,
Nancy Schmidt

Church Directories 2008

If you would like a church directory, but did not have your picture taken, you may order them for \$7.00 each. Those who got their pictures taken will receive one free, but may order additional copies for \$7.00 each.



Sunday, September 7

GRANDPARENTS

Few can bring the warmth
We can find in their embrace,
And little more is needed to bring love.
Than the smile on their face.
They've a supply of precious stories,
Yet they've time to wipe a tear,
Or give us reasons to make us laugh,
They grow more precious through the years.
I believe that God sent us Grandparents
As our legacy from above,
To share the moments of our life,
As extra measures of His love.
~Author Unknown~

Check out the carpet samples in the front pews. There are new ones to look at that better compliment our stained glass windows.



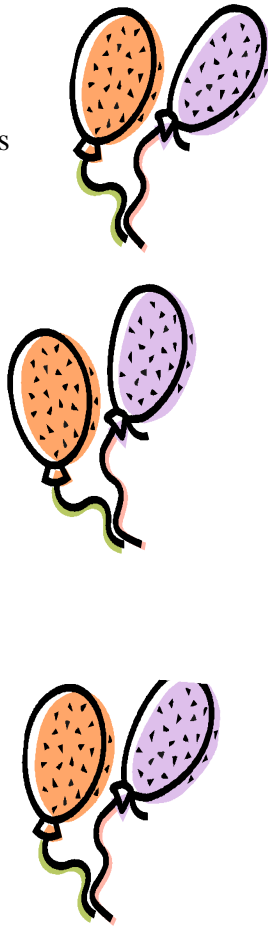
Come to the special question and answer session about the Highwater constitution on October 5th after worship.
(copies of the constitution are available in the office or on our website).

Think about a mission statement for Highwater and share the idea with Rev. Torie and /or Karen Holt.

**“When you get to your wit’s end,
You’ll find God lives there.”**

Happy Birthday to :

- 9/03 Jessica Martin
- 9/03 Jack Schmidt
- 9/06 Larry Bruce
- 9/07 Nancy Siegel
- 9/08 Andrew McKimmins
- 9/10 Bridget Magers
- 9/12 Randy Shipley
- 9/13 Bruce Claggett
- 9/13 Julie VanWey
- 9/14 George Myers
- 9/14 Virginia Freas
- 9/16 Beverly Keener
- 9/16 Brad Atherton
- 9/19 Larry Steele
- 9/19 Phyllis Buxton
- 9/19 Kianna Hays
- 9/19 Grant Ellis
- 9/20 David Nash
- 9/20 Nancy Schmidt
- 9/24 Merl Davis
- 9/25 Jeff Wintermute
- 9/26 Louis Cullison
- 9/26 Susan Steele
- 9/26 Megan Payne
- 9/30 Mackenlee Marston



Celebrate Birthdays

This page is changed monthly to reflect our current prayer outreach within our Family of Faith.

For Health and Healing:

Our Members:

- Tom Lake Jr.
- Mary Dodsworth
- Lori Yoakam
- Betty Nash
- Amanda Cullison
- Dorothy Bruce
- Dorothy McGruder
- Larry Smetts
- Donna Shipley
- Jim Farmer

Our Greater Church Family:

- Mindy McDaniel (Eileen Preston's granddaughter)
- Brody Brill
- John Walton (Cindy Campbell's dad)
- Daryl Nash
- Mark Hoar
- Susie Dawson
- Margaret Brill
- Marvin Baker
- Peggy Colophy
- Bob Kennedy
- Frank McKimmins
- Susie Harmon

For Grief and Loss:

In Memoriam: We join with the families in mourning the passing of their loved ones:

*Joan Woosley Ruth Wilson Catherine Barber
Phil Durbin Tom Babb Mark Keller Ken Nash*

In the Military:

All Troops overseas & their families

- Jacob Shipman
- Dennis Loveridge
- Geoff Stewart - in Iraq (Jack Schmidt's nephew)

Happy Anniversary

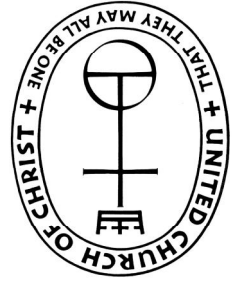
- 9/01 David & Melanie Shipley
- 9/02 Larry & Debbie Smetts
- 9/03 Chad & Lisa Kegler
- 9/06 Dick & Carol Hoar
- 9/07 Jim & Janna Yost
- 9/17 Vince & Torie Front
- 9/19 Gene & Mary Jo Branstool

Highwater Day at the Polo Field
 Sunday, August 31, 2:00p
 Tailgating Competition

You're Invited
The children of
Gene & Mary Jo Branstool
Invite you to share in their
50th Anniversary Party

Sunday, September 21
Open House 4-7:00p.m.
A light dinner will be served

Worship: 8:30 & 10:30a.m.
Sunday Schools: 9:30a.m.
HS Youth: 6:00p.m.
MS Youth 5:30p.m.
(every other Sunday)



Sunday Schedule

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WE'RE ON THE WEB! Check us out! www.highwaterchurch.org

Did You Know?

- ♦ Flowers for the month of **September** are donated by **Jim & Melody Hover in honor of Holly Evse Hover**
- ♦ Greeting us with the love of Christ in the month of **September** are **Andy, Elli, Rebekah, & James Kalas; and Dave & Betty Nash**
- ♦ Acolytes for **September**: **Tanner MacLachlan, Riley Kessler, Austin Campbell, and Evan Rowe**

Office Hours :

Monday 8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.
Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30a.m. - 10:30a.m.
Thursday 8:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

Planning an Event? Use the LEGG Center

Call Peggy Green at 740-892-3235 for rates, information and to reserve your date.

Sept-Oct Missions Ministry
S.A.R.A.



WISH Dinner Meeting
Monday, September 8th
6:30p.m.

At Becky Campbell's home;
2994 Crosley Rd
Please bring a covered dish to
share. See ya there.