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THE CHURCH AT QUAIL CREEK

DECEMBER 20, 2015



PROCLAIM

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LUKE 1:5-25, 1:67-80

PROCLAIMING JOHN

FAMILY HISTORY:

_____ - Abijah's division of priest
_____ - Aaron's family line

(Surely the Savior would be born to this family!)

PERSONAL HISTORY:

Both were _____

Both were _____

Prophecy: vs 13-17

_____ - though barren

_____ - while in the womb

_____ - through the plan of the Messiah

The Real Reason

I believe that I am a Christmas romantic. Let me explain. I love to see snow on Christmas because it takes me back to hearing Bing Crosby sing White Christmas. I love driving to look at Christmas lights because it reminds me of my childhood riding along with my parents, singing Christmas songs and dreaming of Christmas gifts. I believe that I may be more anxious than my kids about opening gifts on Christmas day. I love to join with my church family and enjoy a night of the Candle Light Service. I set my DVR on fire by recording all the Christmas movies that I can find so that I can watch them back to back on Christmas day. Are you as crazy about the season as I am?

Christmas reminds me of how thankful I am for a Savior that would come and join us in flesh and ultimately pay the price for my sin. In 1997, I was introduced to an artist named Chris Rice. Chris was a student pastor who, due to some remarkable God happenings, became a recording artist. Chris sat down to write a song about the gravity of the person of Jesus and the sacrifice of His life for us. What followed is now known as a Christmas song, although that was not the original intent. I want to leave you with them today and invite you to remember the real reason for the celebration of the Christmas season...that little baby in Bethlehem!

Welcome To Our World Lyrics 1997

By Chris Rice

Tears are falling
Hearts are breaking
How we need to hear from God
You've been promised
We've been waiting
Welcome, Holy Child
Welcome, Holy Child

Bring Your peace
Into our violence
Bid our hungry souls be filled
Word now breaking Heaven's silence
Welcome to our world
Welcome to our world

Hope that You don't
Mind our manger
How I wish we would have known
But long awaited
Holy Stranger
Make Yourself at home
Please make Yourself at home

Fragile finger
Sent to heal us
Tender brow prepared for thorn
Tiny heart
Whose blood will save us
Unto us is born
Unto us is born

Kyle Clayton, Senior Pastor

Merry Christmas!

**There are no
Wednesday Night Activities
On December 23!
The Church offices
will be closed December 23-25!**



2015 CHARITABLE DEDUCTIONS INFORMATION

To claim a deduction for contributions to the Church at Quail Creek in 2015, the following must be observed.

1. **MAIL:** If you mail your contribution to the church, your envelope must be postmarked **NO LATER** than Dec. 31, 2015, for your contribution to be included on your 2015 record.
2. **CHURCH OFFICE:** If you choose to bring your contribution to the church office, you must do so by **NOON** on Monday, **DEC. 28, 2015**.
3. **NOTE:** The date on your check has no bearing on how your contribution is applied. Only the above criteria determines if the contribution will apply in the year 2015.
4. **TO INSURE** your deductibility on your contributions, please do not file your 2015 income tax until you receive a written acknowledgment of the contributions from the church.

Thank you for your support of The Church at Quail Creek ministries through your faithful and generous contributions.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

**The Church at Quail Creek needs volunteers
who have HVAC Experience.**

**Please Contact Dale Moreland @ 358-7681
if you are interested in helping.**



PRAY WITH US!

CIRCLING THE CREEK @ 7:14

JOIN US AS WE PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH

**SATURDAYS @ 7:14 PM
IN THE SANCTUARY**

Christmas Poinsettias

Name

In Honor of

Ramona Price17 Great Grandchildren
 Doug & Diann Daniels Loretta Bonsal

In Memory of

Vaughn Price Ramona Price
 Beloved Family Members Jess & Nancy Sisemore
 Alisyn Rollins Dale & Carolyn Rollins
 Ashley Meagher Fayma Drummond
 Bob Bonsal Doug & Diann Daniels
 Joy Barnett Linda Wingate
 Kohen Maddox Lusk Sherry Ross
 Eddie Meadows Leta Meadows
 Joe Gill Leta Meadows
 Jack Perryman Carole Perryman
 Fran Curriagan Pam Acklin
 Norma Kirkland Blessed & Highly Favored Group
 Randy Keller Don & Carol Keller
 BT & Velma Shoemake Ben & Gail Shoemake
 Melvin Watkins Ben & Gail Shoemake
 Betty Shoemake Johnson Ben & Gail Shoemake
 Anita Watkins Todd Ben & Gail Shoemake
 Allen Simpson Jearlyn Simpson
 JW & Helen Michie John & Jolyn Michie
 Lyman & Jonnie Hall John & Jolyn Michie
 Daniel Sexton Colleen Sexton
 Terry Lynn Sexton Colleen Sexton
 Jed Humphrey Jed Humphrey Family
 Bill Solomon Jessie Solomon
 Bretta Solomon Fite Jessie Solomon
 Janet Baker Passow Bob & Cheri Walker
 Buddy & Linda Winferey Bob & Cheri Walker
 Debby Hedrick Hardy Wayne & Mary Alice Hedrick
 H. & Alice Vaught Wayne & Mary Alice Hedrick
 John & Lois Hedrick Wayne & Mary Alice Hedrick
 VK & Louise Orr Ron & Linda Wagner
 Loraine Wagner Ron & Linda Wagner
 A.D. Brown, Michael Brown,
 Gwendalyn Brown Milford, Morgan Milford Laura Brown

PROMISED LAND

WOMEN'S
BIBLE
STUDY
SET IN THE
HOLY LAND

PROPHETS & KINGS

TUESDAYS
BEGINNING
JANUARY 12
9 A.M.

GRIEF'S JOURNEY
We will walk with you!

Celebrating the Holidays with Hope

Displayed in the foyer are materials for those who have lost loved ones or knows someone who is hurting because of a loss.

The materials are free for you to have and to share with others.

Our Care Notes are designed with support information and comfort.

Also displayed are poems of comfort and information from books of comfort. The books are available for checkout in the library.

If you would like to have someone to share with, call Care Community Coordinator Ardith Jones at 358-7681.





HOW TO JOIN QUAIL CREEK

1. By receiving Jesus as your Savior and being baptized at Quail Creek.
2. By statement of faith in Jesus and previous baptism.
3. By transfer of letter from a sister church.

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QC GIVING UPDATE

AS OF 12.13.15

DECEMBER TO DATE

\$61,049

DECEMBER TO DATE

REQUIREMENT

\$49,659

YEAR TO DATE

\$1,195,269

YEAR TO DATE

REQUIREMENT

\$1,241,490

THE CREEK'S MINISTERIAL STAFF

Kyle Clayton
Senior Pastor

Dale Moreland
Associate Pastor

Bart Starr
Music Minister

Brian Enevoldsen
Student Pastor

Tana Cox
Children's Director

Leslie Bigham
Assistant Children's Director

*In the event of an emergency after office hours,
please contact Dale Moreland at 679-3932*

Bible Reading for December 20-26

- SundayMicah 5-7, Revelation 11
- MondayNahum 1-3, Revelation 12
- TuesdayHabakkuk 1-3, Revelation 13
- Wednesday..... Zephaniah 1-3, Revelation 14
- Thursday Haggai 1-2, Revelation 15
- Friday Zechariah 1-3, Revelation 16
- Saturday Zechariah 4-5, Revelation 17

**ASSISTED
HEARING
DEVICES
AVAILABLE
AT
CONNECTION
CENTER**



DEACON PRAYER PARTNERS

SUNDAY

Hal Skaggs & Jonathan Williams

MONDAY

Dr. Steve Norris & Stan Stout

TUESDAY

John Schell & Mickey McCurdy

WEDNESDAY

Terry Burns & Jason Miles

THURSDAY

Joe Brogdon & Troy Bigham

FRIDAY

Jim Bursleson & Don Ewing

SATURDAY

Mark Fannin & John Michie

Glowing Embers

Fellowship & Games

Wednesday, December 30

9:30 am - 1 pm

Enjoy Classroom (Office Entrance)

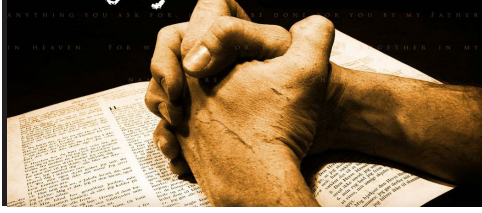
55 years of age and older

House of Prayer

4:30 pm

Sundays in the

Enjoy Room • C152



Deacon Visitation Teams for Sunday, December 20

GUEST VISITATION TEAM

ERNIE SAUNDERS & JON HOFFMAN

HOSPITAL VISITATION TEAM

HAL SKAGGS & JONATHAN WILLIAMS

ATTENTION

If you are hospitalized,
please inform the
hospital registration
staff that you attend

**The Church
at Quail Creek,
not San Jacinto
Baptist Church.**

**Otherwise, we will not
be given your name
from the hospital.**

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

QC'S GOAL
\$20,000

TOTAL RAISED
\$3,233

Happy Birthday

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

SCOTT STEINKRUGER

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22

CHRIS COMANS

NANCIE SISEMORE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23

TOM BURLESON

GENA FOX

JOSHUA MILFORD

JERRY ROGERS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24

KYLE COX

SPORT WEDDEL

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26

BRANDON FOGLESONG

Sandi
PATTY

FOREVER GRATEFUL

THE FAREWELL TOUR



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VERITAS

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THURSDAY, MARCH 3
7 P.M.
TICKETS AVAILABLE
IN THE CHURCH OFFICE
OR AT TCQC.ORG

Christmas Eve at the Creek

YOU ARE INVITED

TO OUR SPECIAL

CHRISTMAS EVE

CANDLE LIGHTING SERVICE.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24TH

6 PM

