

PHBC CALENDAR

Wednesday, October 26 **MIDWEEK**
 1:00 p.m. Men of Faith Rehearsal - Room 310
 4:00 p.m. Library is Open
 5:15 p.m. Serving Line Opens
 5:30 p.m. SS Teacher/Outreach Team Meeting - Library
 Quarterly Business Meeting - Hicks Hall
 Young Musicians/Tone Chime Choir - Room 100
 Angel Choir - Room 106
 Wednesday Youth - Rec Hall
 Worship - Hicks Hall
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - Room 310

Thursday, October 27
 11:45 a.m. Ladies Bible Study - Library
 7:00 p.m. Reunion Swing Band Rehearsal - Hicks Hall

Sunday, October 30
 8:45 a.m. Library is Open
 9:30 a.m. Bible Study for all ages
 10:30 a.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - Room 310
 10:45 a.m. Worship
 4:00 p.m. SonPower Choir - Room 310
 5:00 p.m. Hosanna Ringers - Room 215

Monday, October 31
 5:30 p.m. Brownies - Rec Hall
 Trunk or Treat - Cedar Street Parking Lot

Tuesday, November 1
 9:00 a.m. Women on Mission - Hicks Hall
 2:00 p.m. Staff Meeting and Worship Planning - Pastor's Office
 6:-6:30 p.m. Beginning Stretch Class/Yoga - Gym
 6:30-7:15 p.m. Zumba - Gym

Wednesday, November 2 **MIDWEEK**
 1:00 p.m. Men of Faith Rehearsal - Room 310
 4:00 p.m. Library is Open
 5:15 p.m. Serving Line Opens
 6:00 p.m. Young Musicians/Tone Chime Choir - Room 100
 Angel Choir - Room 106
 Wednesday Youth - Rec Hall
 Worship - Hicks Hall
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - Room 310

Thursday, November 3
 11:45 a.m. Ladies Bible Study - Library
 AARP - Hicks Hall
 Reunion Swing Band Rehearsal - Hicks Hall

Sunday, November 6
 8:45 a.m. Library is Open
 9:30 a.m. Bible Study for all ages
 10:30 a.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - Room 310
 10:45 a.m. Worship
 12-Noon First Sunday Lunch
 1:00 p.m. Bridal Shower for Mattie Rogers - Parlor

Sunday - October 23, 2011

Sunday School Attendance 106
 Worship Attendance 121

Our Year-To-Date Stewardship

YTD General Fund Expenses \$559,941
 YTD General Fund Receipts \$570,750
 Balance \$10,809
 October 23, 2011 Receipts \$5,699

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Tuesday, October 25, 2011

Leena Lavanya & ServeTrust Ministries

~ Serving Christ in India by Serving Others ~

"I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

This remarkable Christian Indian woman has dedicated her life to God's call to serve the marginalized and forgotten in southeast India.

Come hear this inspiring story!



Sunday, October 30
 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School, Hicks Hall
 10:45 a.m. Worship

Tuesday, November 1
 PHBC Women on Mission
 9:00 a.m., Hicks Hall

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Pick up a wrapped shoe box in Hicks Hall (or wrap your own), fill it per instructions inside the box, and return to Hicks Hall during the week of November 13-19.

Pulaski Heights Baptist Church
 2200 Kavanaugh Blvd.
 Little Rock, AR 72205

Wednesday Menu November 2

Bacon, Sausage
 Eggs
 Grits
 Biscuits, Jellies
 Hash Browns
 Pancakes
 Fruit

Publishing Schedule
Friday
 - The Tidings - The Call - The Worship Guide
 Information due by 9:30 a.m.
Tuesday
 - The Tidings
 Printed at 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday
 - The Call
 Printed at 2:00 p.m.
Thursday
 - The Worship Guide
 Printed at 10:00 a.m.
 - The Sunday Call
 Printed at 2:00 p.m.

Monday October 31

Trunk or Treat

Come to the Cedar Street Parking Lot by 5:30 p.m. Plan to stay until about 7 p.m. You won't regret it!!



Dr. Randy L. Hyde

This may come as a surprise to some of you, but the property directly behind our church belongs to the Little Rock Parks and Recreation Department and not to us. Our possession ends at the door. Evidently, some years ago, when the late Arthur Mills was "mayor" of Hillcrest, he worked it out with the city for the area that is now "our" parking lot to be developed from what was basically an empty lot. Of course, many people use it for parking access to Allsopp Park, and it gets more than its share of wear-and-tear from the parents who deliver and pick up their children from our Dayschool. The agreement was that we would maintain the lot for what would be our regular use of it.

Goodness knows we needed it...and still do. At one point, we were a neighborhood church. Many of our folk simply walked to church because of its close proximity. That is why our parking is now so limited.

And it's also true that the city doesn't seem to see much need to maintain the area around our back parking lot, nor the edges of the park that encroach upon our buildings, especially the playground and Dayschool area. Trust me... we do plan to have a conversation with city leaders about this. But in the meantime, a group of our folk gathered last Saturday to clean up the area around the parking lot (in the vicinity of our dumpster), and along the west side adjacent to the apartment building and house on the corner of Cedar and Hill. I would encourage you, even if you do not regularly park in the back, to take a look next time you come to church. You will see a decidedly better sight because of all the weeds and dead trees that were hewn down, and the landscaping that was spruced up.

As I have said before, I can get in trouble with lists of those who do such work because someone may be left out. However, it's worth the risk because the following people worked hard Saturday to make "our" grounds beautiful. Thanks to Arral Austin, Beci Austin, Charley Benson (and his GMC truck that pulls down large dead trees!), Gene Blagg, Leann Broadway, Ralph Brodie, Haddon Brown, Darrel Coleman, John Cooper, Jimmie Cromwell, Betty Farrar, Coreana Hall, Marcis Hall, Virginia Hummel, Randy Hyde, Emo Johnson, Bob Leckie, Mary Leckie, Kathryn Smith, Ted Snider, Carolyn Staley, Jerry Staley, Debbie Tillery and Mike Turner.

I took some pictures of a few of the workers, and thought you'd like to see them. They're on page 3 of this newsletter.

Sometimes it's the little thing that gets one's attention, and when it does, it becomes much larger. Sunday morning, I announced that Diane, Allie, and Taylor McNary were present for worship. I admitted that I do not usually point out the presence of church members, but when they come all the way from Slovakia I thought perhaps it merited a mention (the McNarys are our CBF-affiliated missionaries and PHBC members). Following the service, I could hardly get to Allie and Taylor for all our young people who had come up to them to say hello. Our youth made them feel at home and welcomed, and it filled my heart with a real warm feeling that they would do so.

Our church is known for its welcoming spirit. It's good to know that this attitude includes our younger folk as well.

*Our Worship, Sunday
October 30, 2011*

"Go Light Your World"
Beloved

Acolyte -
Makenna Whittington

"Be Unto Your Name"
SonPower Choir

Deacons of the Week -
Betsy Berry
Jim Cox

"Our Hearts Embrace the Cross"
The Sanctuary Choir

Greeters of the Week -
Cass Pierson
Becky Cornett

Children's Sermon -
Leena Lavanya

Tim Hyde
Jerry and Linda Wardlaw

Guest Speaker
Leena Lavanya

Bridal Shower honoring
Mattie Rogers
bride elect of
Kevin Baker

Sunday
November 6
1:00 p.m.
Parlor



Registered at
Home Depot
Target
Bed, Bath and Beyond

**Love Offering
for
Leena Lavanya**

*Leena, our Indian missionary friend,
also known as the
"Baptist Mother Teresa of India",
will be with us Sunday, October 30,
in Sunday School and worship.*

*A love offering for her mission work
will be taken at the close of the
worship service. Your generous gift is
deeply appreciated.*

Thanksgiving Dinner

November 24
Noon, Hicks Hall

If you or anyone you know would like to share Thanksgiving Dinner with friends from UAMS, our church and community, please join us! Bring a dish or two to share. The turkey, dressing and gravy are provided. We look forward to a wonderful meal together!



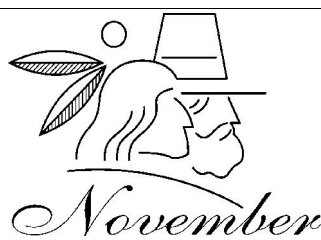
Women on Mission

Tuesday, November 1
Hicks Hall

9-10 AM coffee and
informal conversation with
Leena Lavanya, ladies from
Calvary and 2nd Baptist

10 AM program
Speaker -
Leena Lavanya

The sympathy of our church
family is extended to the
family and friends of
Frances Fields
and
to the family and friends of
Marjorie Trimble.



- 4 - Betty Wade
- 5 - Mary Leckie
- 5 - Carrey Reynolds
- 6 - Elise Temple
- 7 - George Lee
- 7 - Mallory Ferguson

- 8 - Patrick Lee
- 9 - Paul Leopoulos
- 9 - Jack Cornett
- 10 - Cynthia Davison
- 11 - Martha Riley
- 12 - Katherine Sparks
- 13 - Lois Henry
- 13 - Shelly Pate
- 15 - Imogene Miller
- 15 - Kathryn Smith
- 16 - Larry Toll
- 17 - Carson Wheat
- 19 - Mary Alice McDermott

- 20 - Carolyn Oswald
- 20 - Mason Templeton
- 23 - Belinda Birdsong
- 23 - Brandon Cate
- 23 - Chad Clements
- 26 - Shirley Reid
- 27 - Clyde Karnes
- 27 - Betty Fraim
- 27 - Clay Patterson
- 29 - Otho Hesterly
- 29 - Deborah McAfee
- 30 - Angie Greer
- 30 - Karen Pickler



A Note
from the
Minister
of Music

"Mary, Did you Know?" arranged and orchestrated by Russell Muldin is the cantata for our Christmas presentation. The Sanctuary Choir will present the cantata on December 4, 2011 for the morning worship service. Our choir will be accompanied by orchestra, organ, and piano. Make your plans to be here and to invite family and guests. This will be a great way to begin your Christmas season.

SonPower Choir will be singing this Sunday during the worship service. SonPower Choir has almost doubled in membership this fall. They will be singing "Be Unto Your Name" by DeShazo and Sadler.

~ Jim



Tuesday
November 22
7:00 PM
Pulaski Heights
Presbyterian Church



WORKDAY

Carolyn's
Corner

Leena Lavanya is here this week! We are excited that our VBS mission story heroine will be with us to share what God is doing in India. Leena is the founder of ServeTrust ministries, and I am honored to be on that board with representatives from churches in VA, NC, SC, TX and as far away at Australia. I met Leena through the Baptist World Alliance and was impressed that she is doing more with a dollar than anyone I've met in a long time. Plus, the needs for sharing the Gospel are so great in India. Her work with orphans, lepers, elderly, HIV/AIDS, Christian schools and more is phenomenal.

Pray as our children come to hear Leena in a special combined Sunday School class on Sunday, October 30. Pray that our VBS families will respond to the invitation to come meet Leena personally. Pray for Leena as she preaches on Sunday. She will also visit with Heifer staff about partnership opportunities, with our Women on Mission and go to Helena to see Delta Jewels making jewelry—a ministry Leena has started in India to give women job options.

Pray also about your response to a new Church-to-Church opportunity for us to adopt a church in India for assistance with pastor's salary of \$100/month. Will you give to help us reach \$1200 annually for this purpose in sharing Christ's love? Just a few extra dollars will help us reach this goal. Note on your giving envelope "India", please. Thanks!

PHBC is in the news! Pick up a copy of the *Heights-Hillcrest magazine* where you shop in the neighborhood and you'll find a quarter-page ad for our church and an article about the Hillcrest Farmers Market. We are also featured in the November issue of the *Hillcrest Residents Association News* in an ad for our church that includes invitation to worship, to Thanksgiving Dinner, and more. We also brought the area churches together for a double-page announcement about Advent and Christmas events. Pray as our community reads these articles that they will be motivated to come worship with us. Ask folks if they've seen it, and invite them to come with you to church!

Blessings and thanks!
Carolyn