

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! We are glad to have you as our guest today. Please fill out one of the blue cards in the pews and place it in the offering plate. Be sure to log on to our website www.LOPCA.org. Sunday sermons can be heard by clicking the "Sermons On-Line" link, and may be ordered by calling the church office (582-5686) or by requesting a copy on one of the blue attendance cards. Full text versions of the sermons are also available on the website.

Congregational Meeting after this morning's worship service will be for the purpose of electing elders and deacons.

New Adult Sunday School Class is underway in the Christian Education building. All the adults will be together for this eight part series entitled "Amazing Grace: The History and Theology of the Reformed Faith." This marks the beginning of the year 2009 as we celebrate the 500th anniversary of the birth of the great French/Swiss reformer, John Calvin. At the end of January (after the Spiritual Life Conference), we will return to the elective structure, with four different classes for adults to choose from.

The Outreach Team will be meeting next month on Tuesday, January 27th to welcome new members. If you have felt moved to become involved in Outreach then, please, come join us. We meet once a month for about an hour to pray for the Lord's effectiveness of past events. See you there! Contact Jay Myers, Outreach Team Leader. 561-923-9087, jay.myers@nsn.com

The Keenager Group would like to know if you would be interested in making a trip to Orlando's "Holy Land Experience" after the 1st of the year. Prices: 15 people or less \$30 per person. There will be a slight discount for a group count of 15 or more people. If there is enough interest we would need drivers to car pool. Please contact Jane Burhans at 588-4787 for more information.

"Boxing of the Greens" is scheduled for 5:30 next Sunday evening, January 4 as we put the Christmas decorations away until next year. Please come and help us with this project. There will be a brief Christmas devotional at the conclusion.

Wednesday evening dinners and ministries will resume on January 7.

2008 Contributions IRS rules require that churches record contributions in the year in which they are received. A check dated 2008 but received by the church in 2009 must be recorded as a 2009 contribution. Checks mailed and postmarked in 2008 but not received by the church until 2009 are exceptions. They will be recorded as 2008 contributions. Thank you for your ongoing support of God's Kingdom.

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THIS WEEK
PRAY DAILY FOR OUR PULPIT COMMITTEE
and for our pastor, our elders, and our deacons.

Jimmie Miller (*injury from a fall*); Doris Campbell (*health difficulties*); Roy Saunders (*now recovering at home*); Mayetta Lee's brother, Mel (*acute leukemia*); Tom Noller (*health problems*); Bill Skeen (*continued cancer recovery*); Our service men/women: Keith Tate; Brandon McCreight (*Helen McCreight's grand nephew-Iraq*)

THIS WEEK AT LOPC Dec. 28 – Jan. 3

Today	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Sunday School; Nursery
	10:00 am - 10:25 am	Fellowship; Library Open
	10:30 am - 11:30 am	Morning Worship; Children's Church
	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Evening Worship
Mon	11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Ladies' Encouragement Group
Thurs		<i>HAPPY AND BLESSED NEW YEAR!</i>
Sat	7:00 am - 8:00 am	Sat. Prayer Group (CE Bldg)

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING CENTER
Here at LOPC, by appointment only (582-5686)

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

2s and 3s	Vicki Backus
Pre - K	Jinny Keller
Grades 1 - 2	Tom & Margaret Doyle
Grades 3 - 5	Betsy Dixon
Teens	Charlie Gauger

Adults

All adults in CE Bldg; "Amazing Grace: The History and Theology of the Reformed Faith"

NURSERY

During Sunday School: Vicki Backus; Becky Forester

During Worship

Lois Miller; Babe Ruth; Bob Williams (0-2 yrs)
Mary Ann Griffin; Megan Wade (2-3 yrs)

Children's Church: Lisa Lennon; Caroline Tate (4 yrs – 3rd grade)

WELCOMING YOU TODAY

Greeters Marc and Martha Smith

Ushers: Thomas Kauper, Ron Backus, Dennis Clark,
Phil Elder, Richard Eubanks, Don Hair

FLOWERS

The flowers today are presented to the Glory of God.

Flower dates open: Jan.11, 18, 25 - Cost: \$23.00

We thank Monica Bailes for the beautiful arrangements she prepares for us each week!



SPIRITUAL LIFE CONFERENCE

with Dr. Donald S. Whitney

Lake Osborne Presbyterian Church
Lake Worth, FL
561-582-5686 www.LOPCA.org

January 16 – 18, 2009

Registration: \$10 per person; \$15 per couple

Since 2005, Don Whitney has been Associate Professor of Biblical Spirituality at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, where he also serves as Senior Associate Dean. He is the founder and president of The Center for Biblical Spirituality.

Prior to his ministry as a seminary professor, Don was pastor of Glenfield Baptist Church in Glen Ellyn, Illinois (a suburb of Chicago), for almost fifteen years. Altogether, he has served local churches in pastoral ministry for twenty-four years.

He is the author of Spiritual Disciplines for the Christian Life (NavPress, 1991), which has a companion discussion guide. He has also written How Can I Be Sure I'm A Christian (NavPress, 1994), Spiritual Disciplines Within the Church (Moody Press, 1996), Ten Questions to Diagnose Your Spiritual Health (NavPress, 2001), Simplify Your Spiritual Life (NavPress, 2003), and Family Worship (Center for Biblical Spirituality, 2006). *(Conference booktable will offer these titles for purchase.)*

Friday evening (7:00 – 9:00 pm)

1. Do You Thirst for God?
2. Are You Governed Increasingly by God's Word?

Saturday morning (8:45 – 11:45 am)

3. Are You More Loving?
4. Are You More Sensitive to God's Presence?
5. Do You Have a Growing Concern for Others' Spiritual and Temporal Needs?

Saturday evening (6:00 – 8:30 pm)

Covered Dish Dinner

6. Do You Delight in the Bride of Christ?

Sunday morning (9:00 – 11:45 am)

7. Do You Still Grieve Over Sin? *(Sunday School)*
8. Do You Yearn for Heaven and to Be With Jesus? *(Worship)*

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY



“Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!
Behold, your King is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is He.”

Zechariah 9:9