

**Weekly Scheduled Activities**

**Sunday**

9:15 AM Bible Fellowships  
 10:30 AM Morning Worship  
 Children's Church  
 5:30 PM Community  
 Groups  
 Worship Center

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**Wednesday**

6:00 PM Prayer and  
 Bible Study  
 6:30 PM "Overflow"  
 Youth Bible  
 Study  
 7:00 PM "Cross Roads"  
 for college



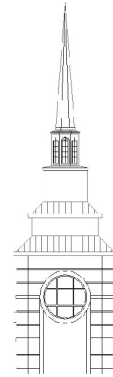
Watch worship  
 services televised  
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# Second Baptist Church SIGNAL

My first pastorate was in Coolidge, Arizona in 1978. At that time, although I was a recent graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, I knew very little about missions. I knew nothing about Lottie Moon except that every year we collected an offering that was named in her honor. I noticed that all of our missions offerings were named after women so I assumed it must be some kind of tradition. Well, needless to say, there is a whole lot more to her story.

Born into privilege on a Virginia plantation, Charlotte Diggs Moon was a smart, forceful woman who could have achieved most any goal. But God's call focused "Lottie" Moon's life on sharing Christ's love with China's lost masses. For 37 years she endured hardship and danger in a land oppressed by famine, disease and war. In the end, she loved the Chinese more than life itself, giving her own food to starving neighbors—eventually dying of starvation herself.

Why is Southern Baptists' international missions offering named for her? Throughout her career, she wrote numerous letters home urging Southern Baptists to greater missions involvement and support. One of these letters triggered the first offering for international missions in 1888. That first offering totaled \$3,315 and was enough to send 3 more missionaries to China. In that letter she wrote: "How many there are...who imagine that because Jesus paid it all, they need pay nothing, forgetting that the prime object of their salvation was that they should follow in the footsteps of Jesus Christ in bringing back a lost world to God." (Lottie Moon, Tengchow, China, Sept.15, 1887)

You'll be hearing a whole lot more about the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions. I would ask you and your family to begin praying now about God's will for your gift to this important offering. We still have the challenge of "bringing a lost world to God."

Stan

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Dear Church Family,  
The flowers you sent for Mrs. Taylor's visitation and service were very pretty. Glen and I appreciated it very much and thank you. Thank you also for all your newsletters and cards and visits all those years. She loved hearing from you.  
Sincerely,



Since our Fellowship Hall is being used as a Regional Collection Center for Operation Christmas Child, SBC's annual Thanksgiving Church-Wide Potluck will be moved a couple of weeks later into the month of December. This could be the beginning of a new tradition of having a combined Thanksgiving/Christmas Celebration Potluck between the two holidays. **Please mark Sunday evening, December 14th, 5:30 p.m.** as a time for our church family to come together for a great time of fun, food, and fellowship. More details will be announced later.



YTD as of 10/26/2008

Budget Rec. 423,374  
Budget Req. 396,718  
Over/(Short) 26,656

Building Rec. 112,709  
Building Req. 119,067  
Over/(Short) (6,358)

Operation Christmas Child

The collection week for the Relay Center (in our fellowship hall) is November 17-24. Specifically, we need volunteers to staff the Relay Center (receiving boxes from other churches & organizations and packing cartons for shipment to Little Rock). The Relay Center hours will be Mon-Fri 3pm-6:30pm; Sat 9-12noon; 1pm-5pm. And we need volunteers to drive the cartons to Little Rock throughout the week and on Monday the 24th. For more information and to volunteer see the foyer display and Welcome Center.



To My Church Family,  
Aren't we blessed to have such a wonderful church with loving, Godly people in it? There is nothing I can say to express how deeply I feel about what all has been done for my family during this difficult time. Not only are we blessed with Godly friends, but with people who carry on the work of our church such as Bro. Stan, Randy and Cody. Thanks to all of you for everything you've done and may God bless you.  
Jo Casey & Family



Boys in the 6th grade to 17 years of age are invited to check out Second Baptist Church's Boy Scout Troop 75 each Monday night at 6:30 pm in the Scout room located upstairs in the Youth building. Come check out the new look!

Kids News...

Join us for Sunday School @ 9:15 a.m.  
Join us for Sunday evening @ 5:30 p.m.  
Join us for Children's Choirs on Wednesday evening @ 6

Youth News...



Mature News...

(for our 55 plus youngsters)

