

Let's Celebrate! On Sunday evening, December 14th at 6:00pm, beginning in the Worship Center, we will be celebrating Bro. Phil's and Jody's 25th anniversary at Ridgecrest (12/01/89). Let's show them how much they mean to us. A sheet cake, pulled pork and drinks will be provided by the church. We need some of your amazing goodies to go along with it. Sign up to provide at perfectpotluck.com; *Coordinator last name:* Ridgecrest Baptist Church and *Password:* rcbc. Or, call Vicky in the church office at 601.853.1090 x25 and let her know.

Annual Angel Tree for Word of Christ Ministry – Choose a child from the Angel Tree binder at the Christmas tree kiosk in the education building walkway. Follow the instructions on the child's wish list card and return your gift(s) to the kiosk no later than December 14th. That's all there is to it, and you will surely be blessed by blessing a family. We still have 42 "angel" children who need gifts.

Fill a Food Box – In the spirit of giving, we can show God's love and honor Him by filling a food box for those less fortunate (we'll provide the box). You can pick up a list of the food items needed on the Christmas tree kiosk in the walkway and then return the purchased items by December 14th. It costs less than \$50 to fill a box, so if you would rather donate the money, we'll shop for you.

STARs Family Christmas Dinner Party will be this Saturday, December 6th from 5:00 – 8:30pm in the gym. We need volunteers to help serve dinner and help with games and crafts. If you are over the age of 14, you are needed. We'll have dinner with the families and then give parents a break to go Christmas shopping while we have fun with the participants. For more information or to volunteer, contact Charlane Wall at 601.906.7651 or Beth Bennett at 601.278.0493.

20's & Single - Join us for our Ugly Sweater Christmas Party this Saturday at 7:00pm. For location and details, contact Charla Faries at cfaries@rcbc.org or 601.853.1090 x33 or Rebecca Davis at rdavis@rcbc.org or x65.

KEENAGERS – Tuesday, December 9 – 11:00am in the gym – Let's kick off the Christmas season together with entertainment by Song of Grace, a ladies quartet from Florence, MS. We'll feast on the traditional turkey and dressing, yams, green beans, salad and dessert. If you are age 60+, please join us. The cost at the door is still only \$7.00/person.

Ministry at Ridgecrest is open to the community – Gamblers Anonymous (GA) meets Tuesdays from 7:00pm – 8:00pm in Room 105. This is an opportunity for anyone who is struggling with a gambling problem or any type of addiction to share with others who can be trusted. This is totally confidential. Our focus is on the 12 Steps just as an AA group. For more information, contact Danny Walker at 769.798.7697.

Poinsettias for Christmas – Order your Poinsettias for Christmas at the kiosk across from the Coffee Corner until December 7th. The poinsettias will adorn the Worship Center during the Christmas season and support the many ministries of Faith InDeed Foundation. You may purchase them as gifts for family and friends and take them home in plenty of time for Christmas. The large poinsettia plants are \$15.00 each or \$12.00 each for 3 or more.

Cornerstone Women on Mission (WMU) – Thursday, December 4th at 1:30pm in Room 105. Our December theme is International Missions and the 2014 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. We'll have a speaker who has done mission work in India. All women of Ridgecrest are encouraged to attend.

Weekly Opportunities: November 30 – December 6

- Sunday:** 7:30am Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
 9:00am Life Groups
 10:30am Morning Worship
What Jesus Thinks about Perception of Life
- NO PM ACTIVITIES**
- Monday:** 5:45pm NO Precept – Holiday Break until January
- Tuesday:** 9:00am Ladies Bible Study (Rm 106)
 7:00pm Metamorphosis (Chapel)
 20's Bible Study (Rm 100)
- Wednesday:** 4:45pm Fellowship Supper (Gym);
 5:45pm Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
 6:00pm REFRESH: Midweek Worship (Gym) – ESL (Rm 301)
 Ladies Bible Study (Rm 105) – "Boundaries with Kids" (Rm 205)
 Preschool Choir (The Ark) – Worship KidStyle (Choir Rm)
 Sign Language (Rm 106) – Middle School ONEIGHTY (Chapel)
 6:30pm College Bible Study at the Kelly's
 7:00pm Worship Choir (Choir Rm)
 7:15pm High School ONEIGHTY (Chapel)
- Saturday:** 9:00am Madison Christmas Parade (Begins at Gym Breezeway)
 5:00pm STARS Christmas Dinner Party (Rm 105 & Gym)
 7:00pm 20's Ugly Sweater Christmas Party

For details on activities, go to www.ridgecrest.net