

# Spring Revival



**March 16 at 10:30**  
for one combined worship service  
**and nightly**  
**March 16-19,**  
**At 7:00 p.m.**

Kerry Allen, director of Person to Person Evangelism, will be our guest evangelist



March 23 at 6:30 a.m.

**Celebrate  
our Risen  
Savior!**

**Worship Services**  
**Sunday March 23**  
**at 8:30 & 10:30**



## 2008 Facts and Figures

	A. M.	P. M.	SS.	General Fund	Faith Promise
2/3/08	222	92	113	\$4,309.00	\$1,450.00
2/10/08	254	98	117	\$5,536.00	\$542.00
2/17/08	268	84	148	\$5,569.39	\$135.00
2/24/08	243	SNOW	105	\$4,4872.75	\$240.00

Faith Promise to Date: \$4,815.00

## Our Elders

Dean Colson, 428-2445, Willie Dale Lawrence, 824-5186  
Donald Pennington, 391-2229, John Linder, 428-1291  
Ellis Pennington, 428-0276 David Sechrest, 428-1954  
David Simpson, 824-6847, Eddie Simpson, 428-2168



Dear church,  
The fruit basket was much appreciated also all the cards and visits from the women. Love,  
Helen Antrobus

The fruit basket was so nice. I want to thank the ones that came and sung to me. It was really nice. Rosetta

## New Church Directory



We will begin taking pictures for the new church directory, April 10-12. Sue Pennington will be the coordinator for this project. For those of you who were involved in the last directory, it will be done by the same company.

Mark your calendars for VBS 2008

**June 22-26**

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SHERMAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Senior Minister: Tim Seevers  
Youth Minister: Scotty Simpson  
Secretary: Angie Knair

A.M. Worship : 8:30 & 10:30  
Sunday School 9:45  
Sunday Evening Worship: 7:00  
Sunday Evening Bible Study : 6:30



## Tim's Thoughts

The story of Beth Anne DeCiantis's attempt to qualify for the 1992 Olympic Trials marathon is a story about heart and determination. A female runner must complete the 26-mile, 385-yard race in less than two hours, forty-five minutes to compete at the Olympic Trials.

Beth started strong but began having trouble around mile 23. She reached the final straightaway at 2:43, with just two minutes left to qualify. Two hundred yards from the finish, she stumbled and fell. Dazed, she stayed down for twenty seconds. The crowd yelled, "Get up!" The clock was ticking—2:44, less than a minute to go.

Beth Anne staggered to her feet and began walking. Five yards short of the finish, with ten seconds to go, she fell again. She began to crawl, the crowd cheering her on, and crossed the finish line on her hands and knees. Her time? Two hours, forty-four minutes, fifty-seven seconds.

WOW! We are reminded in Hebrews 12:1 that we are to run the race of the Christian life with perseverance and never give up. I wonder what God could do through us if we had the same kind of courage, faithfulness and determination that Beth Ann DeCianti showed in running her race. Revelation 2:10 says, "Be faithful even unto death and we'll receive a crown of life." We have the promise of Isaiah 40:31 to hang on to as well. "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint." Let's develop that "Never Quit" attitude when it comes to running the race of the Christian life. Winston Churchill's most famous speech had only 6 words. They were: "Never, never, never, never give up." Let's make that the goal of our Christian race. Let's never give up and quit!

I am looking forward to spring. How about you? I am also excited that brother Kerry Allen will be with us here at Sherman on March 16-19 for our spring revival. I hope that you will take advantage of being here each service. Kerry will challenge you in your race.

Mark your calendars for April 10-12 as well. Please sign you and your family up to have your pictures taken for our new church directory. It's been several years since we have done a directory here at Sherman. It is important that each family has their photo taken so that we will have a functional directory. Sue Pennington will be setting up the times along with the company phoning you to encourage you to participate.



*I wonder what would happen if we treated our Bible like we treat our cell phone?  
What if we carried it around in our purses or pockets?  
What if we flipped through it several times a day?  
What if we turned back to go get it if we forgot it?  
What if we used it to receive messages from the text?  
What if we treated it like we couldn't live without it?  
What if we gave it to our kids as gifts?  
What if we used it when we traveled?  
What if we used it in case of emergency?  
This is something to make you go....hmm...where IS my Bible?*

*Oh, and one more thing.  
Unlike our cell phone, we don't have to worry about our Bible being disconnected because Jesus already paid the bill.*

*And no dropped calls!*



If you didn't get to attend the annual Valentine's Banquet this year, I think it would be safe to say, "you missed it". What a wonderful evening it was, the meal, the service, the worship, and the very generous offering given by those who attended. Many thanks need to be expressed to those who worked so hard to make the evening so great. I would like to start by thanking Janice Stone, Terri Pennington, Linda Winger, and Patsy Simpson for the delicious meal. Second, I would like to thank Todd Maurer and his friend Kevin for leading us in song and the personal testimony of their Christian walk. Thirdly, thanks to those of you who came and gave such a generous offering, (1,403.00). The money will be put to good use to help pay the expenses for this years mission trip. Lastly, I need to thank the mission team for all of their hard work that evening, everybody really pitched in and did a great job.

Parents please remember to fill out, have notarized, and turn in a parental consent form for your child. When we take trips outside of the county, the parental consent form will be very helpful if there is ever a need for the information provided on these forms.

Starting March 20th we will be offering Financial Peace University (FPU). FPU is a thirteen week study that will enable you to be a better steward of the monetary blessings God has blessed you with. It will teach you how to budget your money, "When you budget your money, you tell your money where to go instead of trying to figure out where it went". It will also teach you how to start an emergency fund, save for your children's education, and reveal the truth about a lot of money myths. The cost for the members kit (one kit per family) is \$100.00, that may sound like a lot but the information provided will pay for itself many times. If you have already been to FPU and would like to revisit, the cost is free. However if you would like to have a new book the cost is \$21.00. I would like to take the time to emphasize the importance of signing up for this course, it is very critical that we know how much material to order. If you have any questions about FPU, or you if you need financial assistance please give me a call at the church or on my mobile phone 859-393-1889. Hope to see you there! Scotty



### Children's Ministry (5th Grade and under)

### Jr. High Ministry (6th, 7th, and 8th Graders)


### Sr. High Ministry (9th-12th Graders)

  
**March 22nd**  
**Easter egg hunt @ church.**  
**10:00am-12:00pm**

**April 19th**  
**Laser Craze**  
**10:00am-12:00pm**

  
**March 14th**  
**Laser craze**  
**9:00pm-12:00am**  
**Leave church @ 8:00pm**  
**Cost is \$15.00**  
**April 25th**  
**Galactic Bowling**  
**Georgetown, Ky**

**March 22nd**  
Dinner and a Movie @ Scotty & Johnelle's  
Be there @ 6:00pm  
**April 26th**  
Creation Museum



## Unbearable mockery ended at maul!

Local youths learn a lesson they'll not soon forget. Making fun of an older bald man, the punks soon found themselves face to face with the man's bodyguard...a bear!

The grizzly event ended with a rapid retreat by the youngsters.

You can read all about it...2 KINGS 2:23-25