

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES** are extended to: Ray Byington - December 30th and Betty Evans - January 1st.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY WISHES** are extended to Tommy and Delores Gilstrap who were married on December 31st.

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS:** Michael Abowd, Carroll Anthony, Edith Branham, Tracy Champion, Connie Cox, Don Everett, Vivian Frasier, Catherine Gilstrap, John Hendrix, *Alvin Hill*, Dot MacMillan, Jana McMahan, Homer Miller, Helen Reynolds, *Hortense Searcy*, Marie Whitmire and Perri Whitmire. Names are kept on the Prayer List for 4 weeks. If you wish to keep a name on the list after 4 weeks or to add a new name, please notify the office.

**From Steve Vaughn, Chairman, SPRC:** Today is the last day to make a donation for a Christmas bonus for the Staff of Saint Paul UMC. You may place your gift in the offering plate with a note on your check or envelope.

Please call the Office with any information for the **January Newsletter** by Tuesday, December 29th.

**NOTE:** If you have not turned in your pledge forms for 2009, it is not too late to do so. They may be placed in the offering plate, mailed to the office or placed in Jere's mail slot. Thank you for your continuing prayers and support for Saint Paul and its' ministries and its' people.

The **CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS and WORSHIP LEADERS** for next Sunday, December 27th, are Annette Bostic (SSH, WH) and Edna Patterson (SSH). NURSERY Workers are Taunja Pool and Edna Patterson (WH) and David Pool is scheduled for the TODDLERS (WH). Volunteers are needed for the Nursery and Toddler Class during SSH.

The **YOUNG ADULTS** will be hosting a Soup Lunch on Sunday, January 10th, immediately following the Worship Service to honor Taunja and David Pool on the upcoming arrival of their baby girl. Also, the Young Adults will be collecting money for the Epworth Children's Home for their January Mission Project.

The Greenville District Leadership Training Workshop will be at Buncombe Street UMC on January 10, 2010 from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. New church officers might be interested in attending some of the sessions. You can find more information at the Saint Paul Web Site, [www.saintpaulumc.net](http://www.saintpaulumc.net).

There will be a meeting of all **CHILDREN'S TEACHERS AND NURSERY WORKERS** in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the Worship Service on Sunday, January 17th to sign Covenant Agreements for 2010.

The **AD/COUNCIL** will meet on Tuesday, January 19th at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

The **ADULT LUNCHEON** will be Tuesday, January 26th at 12:00 Noon.