



# The Contact

**Mission Statement: Colonial Hill is committed to loving God supremely by making disciples of Christ through loving people, witnessing, and teaching.**

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## FIFTH SUNDAY

## CHILI LUNCH

Sunday, January 30

Fellowship Hall —  
immediately

following  
morning  
worship

service



**VOLLEYBALL  
TOURNAMENT**

*Sunday Nights  
following evening  
service*

*Family Life  
Center*



**LOTTIE MOON  
CHRISTMAS OFFERING  
CHBC GOAL — \$17,000.00  
GIVEN TO DATE —  
\$12,794.17**

# Pastor's Perspective



Dr. Tommy J. Culwell

My Dear Friends in Christ,

It is thrilling to get to be a part of such a wonderful fellowship! On my recent vacation, we visited the church where our daughter is a member, and came away so thankful for the warm, friendly fellowship we have here. What we have here is actually quite rare. It is something for which I am thankful, and for which I pray every day. I believe we live in a city where people are hurting for that friendly touch, and many of them could be reached if we would take the first step.

I hope that you will plan to be a part of our GROW training that will be coming up Feb. 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We had a wonderful experience with GROW a few years ago, but in the last few months of it, Clay and I were the only ones coming.

I don't think we really intended to stop reaching out, maybe we just got too busy. You may have been a part of GROW, or you may have no idea what I am talking about, but I hope you will consider being one of those who helps to put a face to our church. We will make visits to prospects, to those who have not been here in awhile, and to those who need a ministry visit. Call Clay and tell him you want to be a part of GROW. I believe that great things are in store for this church, so let's tell folks about it.

We are coming to the close of our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering time, but we are still quite far from our goal. Maybe you have not given to support this vital mission offering yet, and if that is true, I hope you will pray about giving to support the work of missions around the world.

Remember, I love each of you and I am glad that I am your pastor,

In Him,  
Bro. Tommy

## MEN'S RALLY AT CIRCLE 6

Monday, February 7

Speaker -- Dr. Duane Brooks

Program -- Singing Men of West Texas

*We will take a bus that will leave the church at 4:30 p.m.*

### Sunday Summary

#### Sunday School Report

	<u>1/16</u>	<u>1/23</u>
Enrolled:	806	806
Attended:	272	241
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#### Budget Offering

	<u>1/16</u>	<u>1/23</u>
	\$16,434.85	\$11,573.73

#### Designated Offering

	<u>1/16</u>	<u>1/23</u>
	\$2,943.00	\$1,506.25
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### MUSICAL NOTES

The Hallelujah Chorus will travel to Lueders for the Big Country Choir rehearsal on Thursday, January 27. We will take the church bus and will leave the church parking lot at 8:30 a.m.



Handbell rehearsals will start back up on Monday, January 31.

Alpha Choir -- 6:00 p.m.

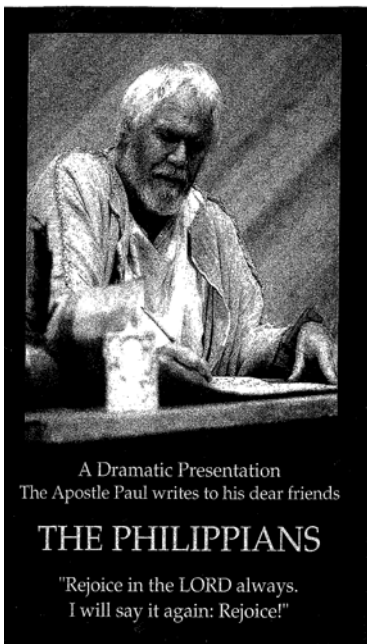
Omega Choir -- 7:00 p.m.

## LADIES' SUPER SOUP SUPPER

*"Free Child Care Provided"*

Come join us on Thursday, February 10 in the fellowship hall at 6:30 p.m. for soup and fellowship.

(Sponsored by the Women's Ministry)



## SENIOR ADULT APPRECIATION BANQUET

Wednesday,  
February 16, 2011  
6:00 p.m.  
Family Life Center

*Come and enjoy the  
presentation of "The  
Philippians", performed by  
Philip Smith, brother of  
Carolyn Cox.*

Please sign up on the sheet on the table outside the office if you plan on attending.

*Reid... ALL ABOUT YOUTH*

Minister of Youth — Reid Johnson

Community 40 is February 18-20, and we are still in need of host homes, co-hosts (i.e. cooks), and snack food. If you would like to host a home, you would be responsible for housing approximately 10 students and one college leader for Friday and Saturday nights. You DO NOT need beds for all 11, but we do ask that you provide one bed for your college leader who will facilitate the discussions in your home. If you would rather cook than keep, you could "co-host" someone else and provide meals for approximately 15 for breakfast Saturday, supper Saturday, and breakfast Sunday (Saturday lunch is taken care of). We will partner each co-host with the host home closest in proximity to them. If you will not be able to participate on that particular weekend but would still like to contribute, you could always donate snacks or money (to buy snacks at our discretion based on what is most needed), as we have to keep 200+ students' stomachs full! Please let me know if you'd like to serve in any of the aforementioned roles. Until we meet again, I will leave you with this thought: I want to launch a globe into outer space just to mess with astronauts. "Captain, we are further away than we thought."

Reid

## Speegle's Catalog

David Speegle  
Minister of Music

### NEED BELL RINGERS

The Alpha Handbell Choir is in need of two ringers to fill vacancies left at the end of the year. So if handbell ringing has been something you have thought about trying let me know. This group rehearses at 6:00 on Monday evenings. Some experience reading music would be beneficial but not an absolute requirement.

### SENIOR ADULT BANQUET

I hope you have signed up for the banquet on February 16<sup>th</sup>. It is always a great evening of fellowship, good food, and entertainment. Our program is "The Philippians" a dramatic presentation of the book of Philippians presented by Philip Smith. Philip is Carolyn Cox's brother. An excerpt from the program says "During the dramatic presentation, please consider yourself a Philippian. We are all recipients of Paul's simple but profound message. My prayer is that Paul's inspired words will come to life and you may experience the love, joy, hope and peace that flows from Christ who lives in us." I know you won't want to miss this inspiring evening.

David

### THANK YOU NOTES

Dear Colonial Hill Baptist Church,

I just wanted to say thank you for the Christmas gift that you gave my mother and I.

Sincerely,  
Frank White

We want to express our humble thank you for those who expressed their sympathy to us at thi time of my sister, Betty Stork's passing in Ft. Worth and 1 week later, my neice, Kay Rene Murphree's passing in Canton. Your acts of comfort, whether it be in words, deeds or cards, were so comforting to each of us. We will miss both of theses ladies, but your words, deeds and cards will help us to bridge the gap and help us go foreward to console others in their time of grief. God bless you all.

David Word, Amy Hall, Carol Graves, Elizabeth Ballinger, Neilda Word and families

Colonial Hill,

Thanks so much for the wondercerful retirement party. The love and the gifts were overwhelming. It has been my privilege to serve in a custodial capacity for the past 6 years. Thanks for allowing me to be productive for as long as possible. I will still be here as a member. And will continue to serve the Lord and this loving church. I would also like to thank the staff for their support and encouragement.

Thanks,  
Terry Duncan

Our dear church family at Colonial Hill Baptist Church,

We are reminded at this time of God's faithfulness through His church. Thank you for the food, prayers, and love.

The Harlan Amox family

**Clay's Column**

Clay Giddens  
Minister of Education

**Baby "Face"-Lift**

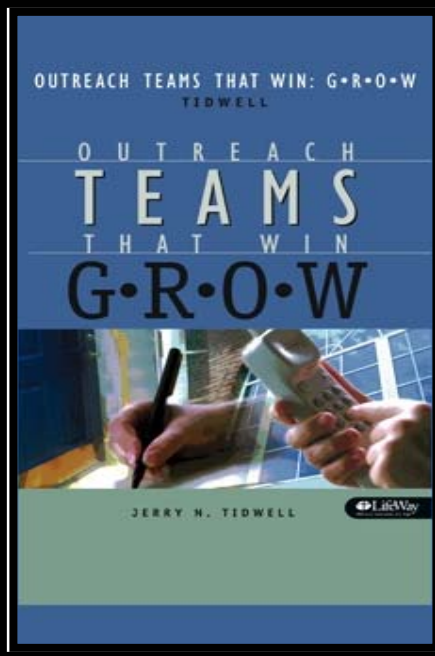
We have had three additional contractors bidding on our Nursery Project, so the Lord is opening these new doors of opportunity for us. Please continue to give toward our remodeling. We presently have 40% of what we need to complete the project.



The construction project consists of:

1. Preparation and painting of all the walls in 8 rooms and 4 bathrooms. (All of our preschool rooms on the south side of the east/west hallway)
2. Replacing light fixtures, adding a hand-washing sink, & water heater
3. Removing & Replacing carpeting with carpet squares
4. Removing & Replacing vinyl tile
5. Replacing countertops & laminate
6. Painting all wood work
7. Removing one toilet

Additional needed items will be requested in a "Nursery Shower" as the project nears completion.



**G.R.O.W. Training**  
February 13 @ 6:45 p.m.  
Following the Worship Service  
Fellowship Hall

We are going to kick-off a new year with a re-vamped G.R.O.W. Program of weekly Outreach. Lack of interest and confusion leads me to believe we need a training session and a new format. We will continue our Outreach Blitz Nights until we complete the training for G.R.O.W.

We will have multiple visitation options each week and restructure how we divide the rotation. Your Bible Study classes will still be responsible for making sure your team visits and that they bring several absentee or inactive names with them.

Bible Study classes must keep up with people or they will drop through the cracks.

**C.H.I.P. Night Outreach Blitz**  
Tuesday, February 1  
6:30 p.m.

Each class needs to have a two persons visiting potential prospects and absentees. Meet in the classroom across from the Choir room.



**Welcome New Member**  
**By Baptism**  
**Kaden Alarcon**  
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