Ancient City Baptist Church

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Sanctity of Human Life Sunday (SoHLS) is a day for Americans to focus on the value of each and every human life. It is celebrated every year on the Sunday closest to the anniversary of the 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decisions, Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton, which legalized abortion in every state for any reason through all nine months of pregnancy. R.C. Sproul said, "It was a day whose infamy overshadowed December 7, 1941 in the memory of the church in America." On that day all unborn children in America lost their most basic, and first right, the right to life. Since that date the lives of 57 million children have been lost!

President Ronald Reagan issued a proclamation creating the first National Sanctity of Human Life Day in 1984. He said that it was fitting that on this day that we should "reflect anew on our responsibility to guard with care the lives and freedoms of even the weakest of our fellow human beings."



A short presentation will be made during our morning service by Rev. Roger Phillips who is Executive Director of Life Services. Life Services provides pregnancy testing and counseling to women without charge. It is located in our church facilities and was begun as a ministry of Ancient City Baptist Church and is now supported by a growing number of local churches and community groups. The short Sunday morning presentation will be followed by a tour of Life Services facilities at Ancient City Baptist on Wednesday night, January 18 at 6:30 pm. All are welcome to come.

Picture Gallery







Sanctity of Life Sunday

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Christmas Giving

Adult Bible Fellowship & Sunday School for children 9:40 on Sundays

Worship 11:00 am Sundays

Get Acquainted Time following worship every Sunday in the Fellowship Hall

Prime Time Singers Tuesdays 10:30 am

Soup, Salad and Scripture resumes Jan 10 @ 11:30

Wednesday Night Bible Study & Prayer 6:30 pm Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Upcoming Events



January 5 Keenagers Meet at 10:30

January 10
Prime Time Singers
10:30
Soup Salad &
Scripture
11:30

<u>January 10</u> ACCA Committee M



Presentation of Christmas Cantata by the Sanctuary Choir



St. Augustine High School Choir Presented their Annual Christmas Concert at ACBC



Pastor Larry presents a patriotic picture frame to Col. James Olsen, Ret.



Minister of Music, Curtis Powell, conducted the choir and Stringed Quintet for Christmas

Nursery Schedule for December

Date	9:30-10:45	10:45-12:15
Jan. 01	Betty Lee Dot Barnes	Dottie Rice Joanie Steele
Jan. 08	Cindy Athanaseas Sandra Caraway	Terri Wampler Holly Wampler
Jan. 15	Jeanette Booth Louise Meade	Ruth Mull Mary Perry
Jan. 22	Brad Burnsworth Linda Crosby	Linda Parrish Polly Burnsworth
Jan. 29	Betty Lee Joanie Steele	Sandra Caraway Dot Barnes

Greeters for January

Cindy Athanaseas

Cindy Lewis

Marion Porter



10:00 am

January 15 Sanctity of Life Sunday 11:00 am

<u>January 17</u> Trustees Mtg. 5 pm

<u>January 18</u> Life Services Prayer Walk at 6:30 pm

Church Staff

Clarence Hackett Interim Pastor

Larry DuBose Associate Pastor <u>Email Larry</u>

> Mark Hall Church Administrator <u>Email Mark</u>

Cutis Powell

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Pat Hampton Office Manager <u>Email Office</u>

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Join Our Mailing List!



January 01 Bob Booth Jimmy Meade

January 08 Joe Blewett Brad Burnsworth

January 15 Rod Hampton Mike Doyle

January 22 Larry Sheaffer Nick Athanaseas

January 29 Ken Green Bob Blake

Ancient City Christian Academy News

The Academy had a great month this December. Janice Treadway worked with the children and teachers to prepare for the Christmas program. 100% of the families attended and it was great to see the sanctuary filled with young adults and their children who are students at ACCA and others who are siblings. Thanks to all who made it such a great success.













Approximately 50 young adults with their children visit after the ACCA Christmas program

Christmas Giving

Christmas is a special holiday as we remember and celebrate the birth of Christ. There are many traditions associated with Christmas. Many people put up Christmas trees, visit with family and friends, decorate their homes, and exchange gifts. Children get caught up in the excitement and look forward to receiving gifts. There were families at The Webster School that needed help with buying presents. Through the generous giving of our church to the Benevolence Fund we were able to help twenty-one children. Items on their "wish list" included: shoes, shirts, pants, body wash, books, puzzles, dolls, doll houses, cars, and other toys. A Christmas card was included with the gifts which presented the true meaning of Christmas. Thank you for being a loving and giving church!



