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**Thanksgiving**



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# THANKSGIVING BLESSINGS to All!

## Crosses, Arkansas

Hello from the beautiful hills of Arkansas! It has been some time since we have written a news letter but that doesn't mean the Lord hasn't been blessing. Our Sunday morning attendance has been up and we are thankful for that. Several in our church family have expressed a desire to draw closer to the Lord.

We have had a lot of visitors over the past several months and we are always thankful to anyone that can visit our services.

We had 12 from our community attend youth camp in Baxter Springs, Kansas and our pastor was able to attend camp meeting in Laverne, Oklahoma. In August we had our Kids Crusade and everyone seemed to be blessed and had fun also.

Billie and Karen Head, along with Josh, Matt and Amanda moved to our community and we are certainly thrilled to have them in our church family.

Oct. 30th Alvin and Mozell Diehl celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary and we congratulate them. They have been a firm and faithful foundation in the Crosses church from the beginning of it and their faithfulness has truly been a blessing to the pastor and congregation.

We also welcome the newest addition to our church, Benjamin Mark Dorris, son of Joel and Tammy. We are so thankful to God that he arrived 100 percent healthy.

At this time we are praying for revival and we feel sure one to be just around the corner. Visitors are always welcome in our services so please come by if you are in the area.

Joel Dorris-Pastor

## Webb City, Missouri

Our enthusiasm grows with each passing day as the finish work on our new church in Joplin progresses. We should be moving into it around Thanksgiving time or there about. The new pews and carpet have been ordered and we are anxious to get everything ready for them to be installed. We cannot thank the men of our church enough for all their faithfulness to work after coming from their regular jobs tired already from a full days labor. The ladies of our group have been furnishing delicious meals and also doing what physical work they can to help the project along. Our present church is in the process of being sold to another church group in the Webb City area. We are amazed at how God's hand has been working behind the scenes, timing things perfectly and working on both ends of the line. Our hearts are full of Praise to our Wonderful Lord.

We are announcing the dedication of the new church for Sunday, December 28, 1986. A Convocation will begin that day and run through the Watch Night Service on Wednesday, December 31. We extend an invitation to all our friends to attend these services and worship with us. Convocations used to be held annually but are now almost a thing of the past. We are looking forward to an old time outpouring of the blessings of the Lord. Our new address is 45th and South Main, Joplin, Missouri-right next to 144. There are plenty of Motels close by and Baxter Springs is only about 15 or 20 minutes away. Make your plans now to be with us.

O.A. Busch, Pastor

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## Union Chapel, Anderson, MO

As I sat down to write this I realized that it would be in the November Report and of course Thanksgiving came to mind. Our church has much to be thankful for. The last few years we have been blessed to have Bro. Wapel Ferguson as our pastor, but in June he decided to leave. We had a birthday and farewell dinner for him. Both of his daughters and some of his grandchildren and other family members were there. His son-in-law had made a banner showing the start of his ministry up to Union Chapel. We hope Bro. Ferguson is enjoying his semi-retirement, but he is missed and we really enjoy seeing him everytime he makes it back.

Once again God has richly blessed our church by sending Bro. Frank Arnall and his family to us as pastors. We have come to love and appreciate this family so much. We have been blessed abundantly by their ministry and we pray God's richest blessings and care over their lives.

We are still sorrowed when we think of the loss of Sis. Jesse Keller in May. She was a very special lady to our church and to her family. Her family wanted to do something in her memory so in August they presented the church with a P.A. system. As we use it and see the empty place where she always sat it does remind us of our loss but it reminds us to stay true to the Lord and serve him everyday of our lives just as Sis. Keller did. We say a special thank you to this family and may God richly bless each of them.

Remember us in your prayers and come by and visit anytime you can. Our prayers are with you. God bless you.

Frank Arnall-Pastor  
Beth Williams-Reporter

## Pattison, TX

We are praising the Lord for all the things that are happening here. The addition to the kitchen has been finished and it sure is nice. We have had several visitors that we have enjoyed very much. Bro. Herbert Brannon was with us on Aug. 31st. He is with the underground evangelism. it is always interesting and sad to see the film he has about what goes on behind the iron curtain. I thank the Lord for this free country and a place to worship.

Br. and Sis. Jimmy Murrell were with us twice, once when Bro. Brannon was here and then on Sept. 28th to bring the message and dedicate the new addition. We enjoyed their singing and the message. Also during the month of Sept. Debbie, Chet and daughter April Murrell came and brought two visitors with them. Pam and Jeff Winders of Magnolia, Texas. We welcome visitors all the time.

Debbie and Chet are part of the singing group "The Gates of Praise". They sang for us and Chet brought the message. We always enjoy having them. We are glad to have Pat and Ben Phillips back with us. They have moved back recently from the state of Nevada.

We are looking forward to the months ahead for we know there are many more blessings to come.  
May God bless each and everyone.

John Scruggs-Pastor  
Ruth Ellis-Reporter

A.F. Report

## GALENA, KANSAS

"He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty." Psalms 91:1

Praise the Lord, He is still the head of our church family. God is bringing in new people and also some of our precious families who have been away for awhile. The Holy Spirit is still on the job doing his wonderful work. It is so amazing to stand still and see the salvation of the Lord. I am so glad God gives a little bit of heaven to go to heaven in.

We were glad to have Bro. and Sis. Lee Nelson and daughters from A.F.B.C. in services on Sept. 21st. Oct 5th Bro. Ronald Day brought the message and Bro. and Sis E.K. Cornell held services Oct. 9-12. We also enjoyed Bro. Whiteley's niece, Peggy Martindale in a recent service to visit. We are planning a water baptismal service soon. Thank God for souls moving up in the things that God requires of Christians.

Pray for our church family. We are striving for higher heights and deeper depths. Remember our shutins in prayer and please come by and worship with us any time.

Howard Whiteley-Pastor  
May Rowland-Reporter

**Therefore I say unto you, what things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.  
Mark 11:24**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

There are really no words that we could say or write to express our thankfulness that we feel toward you the family of God, but we thought the Apostolic Faith Report would be the best way of letting you know that God heard your prayers and answered them with victory.

During my time spent in the hospital waiting for the birth of our second child, we received phone calls, letters, cards, visits and most of all of a lot of prayer from all across the country from people who cared. Psalms 34:19 says "Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all." It was during one of these afflictions that the family of God pulled together and believed with us that God would hear and answer our prayers. It is so wonderful to know that God's people can work and believe together and see victories won. Thank you for carrying the burden. God has truly blessed us with a healthy baby boy, Benjamin Mark.

In His Service,  
Joel, Tammy, Charity and Benjamin Dorris  
Crosses, Arkansas

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## Obituary of Sam E. Ames 1913-1986

Sam E. Ames Sr. 72, died at 10:21 p.m. Sept. 1, 1986 after a sudden illness. Mr. Ames was born Oct. 11, 1913 at Bellville, Mo. He moved to Baxter Springs in 1940. He worked for Eagle Picher for 41 years retiring in 1972. He operated the Ames Laundry in Baxter Springs for 20 years and he had operated Ames Car Wash since 1973.

He was a member of the Apostolic Faith Church in Baxter Springs. He had attended the church before the present chapel was built and he helped build the church.

He married Corrine Rush on Nov. 5, 1938 at Joplin, Mo. She survives. Additional survivors include a son, Sam E. Ames Jr., Baxter Springs and two grandchildren, six brothers; Bill Ames, Harry Ames, Clarence Ames, Earl Ames, all of Carl Junction, Mo., Dan Ames, Shawnee Mission, Kansas, and Lester Ames of Raytown, Mo.

Services were held Sept 5 at the Apostolic Faith Church in Baxter Springs, Kansas. Rev. Paul Clanton and Rev. Danny Mack Robinson officiated. Joan Cooper and Shari Cook sang I The Garden and The Old Rugged Cross. Shari Cook accompanied. Pallbearers were Bill Hollis, Clem Winfrey, Jim Ames, Charles Ames, Sidney Ames and Kevin Ames. Burial was in Osborn Memorial Cemetery in Joplin, Mo.

You Are Invited  
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60th Anniversary Reception  
for

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Hosted by their children  
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Mrs. Eugene (Elmagene) Stump  
Bill Brock

No gifts, please



## Let every heart give thanks

Real thanks comes from the heart. Thanks from the lips may be polite, but it is the heartfelt thanks that rings true and warms the one who receives it.

Moreover, gratitude is the test of character. Shakespeare tells us that the winter wind is not so unkind as man's ingratitude. The wind may chill the body but ingratitude chills the soul.

Of course, some may say, "I have nothing for which to be thankful." Such a one is poor indeed, for these words flow only from a poverty-stricken heart-unhappy, bitter, jealous, covetous.

Did you ever notice that the poor are often more thankful than the rich?

If, when we are offered a gift, we snatch it out of the hand of the giver and say, "That's mine; it belongs to me anyway," we show no gratitude. How often a child does that, and "a thankless child is sharper than a serpent's tooth." Yet that is what countless thousands do toward their Heavenly Father-they count every earthly blessing plus all the beauty of this world as theirs by right.

Robert E. Speer told of a very young boy brought up in a Christian home where family worship and grace at meals were the common order. On being invited to a pal's house for dinner where everyone pitched in and ate as soon as they were seated, the lad looked up and said, "Around our house we always give thanks and then eat. But you are just like my dog Fido. He just eats!"

Once again our nation is summoned to observe its national day of Thanksgiving. We do not thank a thing, nor a law of nature, nor luck; we thank a Person. We do not thank America; we thank God for America. Whether it be on the bleak New England shore of the Pilgrims, or in the dark days of the Civil War when Abraham Lincoln called our nation to give thanks, or today, how much there is to thank Him for! Yet when our God looks down upon this nation which we want Him to bless, I wonder if He sees us snatching everything out of His hand and boasting of our own sufficiency; or does He see us in His courts giving thanks? How much do we warm His heart? How much can we expect His mercy and blessing?

Then above all this we hear the clear call, "Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift," the Lord Jesus Christ (2 Corinthians 9:15). We can't be thankful for that which we refuse to accept. Our hearts will never know the thrill of that joy if we have not accepted Him. Christ has come, the gift of God's love, freely offered to all; and if our hearts are not warmed with gratitude, it is because we have not received Him.

If you have not accepted Christ as your Saviour, do it now. As you confess your sins and forsake them, Christ will come into your life as Lord and Saviour. You cannot earn this; it is a gift, and all you can do is accept it. When you have accepted God's most precious gift, the gift of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord, you will find true thanksgiving welling up in your heart.

"Thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ!"

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### Mr. M.T. Bench

Mr. M.T. Bench is an unwelcome visitor, but he always attends church-except on Easter Sunday and maybe Mother's Day. He likes to sit up front, which is more than you can say for most of our church members.

On wet, cold, or hot Sundays-and especially at evening services-he brings all his relatives and at some of our special meetings he even brings his neighbors.

His favorite place is near the pulpit. With never a change of expression, he tries to stare the preacher out of the pulpit. He is as responsive as a tombstone.

He is apparently deaf, for he hears nothing the minister says. I am sure he is mute, for he doesn't sing or pray or speak to his neighbor in a friendly manner.

What can we do with him. He doesn't like crowds, so he stays away from church when our members fill the pews. Let's get rid of this embarrassing fellow. Maybe if you come to church, Mr. M.T. Bench will stay home!

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### Thanksgiving-in the right direction

A preacher driving through Iowa noticed a billboard advertising pig starter. It pictured a row of piglets chomping away in a trough. But there was this one little pig whose head was out of the trough, and he was looking the car drivers right in the eye.

The preacher couldn't help laughing at the expression on that piglet's face. He looked as if the traffic had startled him. He wasn't so busy that he couldn't be bothered to look up.

For the next 500 miles the preacher couldn't stop thinking about that silly pig and the expression on his face as he looked up. What makes one pig look up out of the trough?

Then something happened-the words of the Psalmist came to him- "In the morning I will look up." it was nearing Thanksgiving, and so the preacher put together a sermon which he titled, "Have You Looked Up From the Trough Lately?"

Thanksgiving is one of the most important attitudes a person can have. Indeed, a person can't spend much time in the Bible before this is impressed on him: "In everything give thanks."

Everybody agrees that we should be thankful. But to whom? To luck? To the forces of the universe?

"Bless the Lord, O my soul," says the Psalmist. And Paul says, "Thanks be unto God." This is thankfulness in the right direction.

Only to the degree that we believe that our blessings come from God can we be truly thankful. If health and plenty and happiness come by chance, there is little to be thankful for. But if we believe that God is the giver of every benefit, then we have ample reason to praise Him.

Try waking up each morning with some expression of gratitude for the hundred and one things you usually take for granted. It'll be good for you to look up from the trough-to look up to the One who "daily loadeth us with benefits"

(Ps 68:19).

And don't make the mistake of tying your thanksgiving only to material things. Begin by saying, "Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift."

M.P. Horban

Reprinted from the Pentacostal Evangel

**Dedication - Convocation**  
**December 28 - December 31**  
**Dedication**  
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**Trinity Apostolic Faith Church**  
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II Cor. 9:15 Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift.

Many are the gifts of God to us everyday. He has made his grace abound toward us by giving sufficiency in all things to we can abound in our work. He has ministered bread for our food and enriched us with spiritual bountifulness. We are in subjection to the gospel of Christ and to you for your liberal distribution. We do give all thanks and praise to the eternal God-Jehovah for life, strength, health and happiness.

Shari Cook	Evelyn Adams
Andrea Sims	Lyn Turner
Anita Malone	Twyla Martin
Denise Carnegay	

### From the Superintendent:

This months correspondence will focus upon the Alumni project. The letter below is to all graduates of the Apostolic Faith Bible College. In it, you will find information concerning the Alumni Association of which we are so excited about. At the conclusion of the letter is an Alumni Information section. Please fill this out and mail back to us as soon as possible.

Following the Alumni Association Newsletter, there will be a partial listing of past graduates as shown in our records. We realize there are many name and address changes over the years. There are also some that are deceased. Please help us in updating our files. If you know of corrections for any of these names, send response to A.F.B.C. Alumni P.O. Box 110 Baxter Springs, Kansas 66713. Also, if you are a student for a year not listed, or a former faculty member, we would appreciate hearing from you. Be sure to include the year(s) attended and the Superintendents' name. Thank you!

### Alumni Association News

To all graduates of the Apostolic Faith Bible College...NOTICE: The office staff at A.F.B.C. has been busy compiling names and addresses of all former students. Our intentions are to contact as many as possible in order to reunite them with the school. But, we need your help! Many names and addresses have changed over the years and we need this new information. If you are one of the many who have a different address and or different last name please take the time to fill out the information sheet below and mail it back. Also, if you have additional information concerning any of your classmates with which we may have lost contact, send it as well.

We have high expectation for the Alumni program and want to be able to share of them with all the graduates. The number of students who have passed through the school is too many to calculate at this time. However; we plan to have an accurate number of graduates and it broken into divisions soon. In doing this, we will be able to inform by newsletter the upcoming events at the school. One such event in the planning stage is the end of the year Alumni Banquet. This is scheduled for the close of school in May of 1987. At this banquet we will become reacquainted with one another and share in the common bond we have, the Lord. We will conduct business to get the Alumni Association underway and be entertained by stories and ministered to by Alumni singers.

Please pray for our efforts. We feel it is the Lords will to reach out to these people who were led here at one time or another to study God's Word.

If we can be blessed together; if we can be encouraged together; if we can be strengthened together, it will be worth it all!

Lyndel Arnall

### STUDENTS - 1946

Phyllis Bachler	Mrs. Anna Mahan
Harold N. Cooper	Naomi Ruth Mahan
Bonnie Jean Bard	Dorcas Mahan
Lorraine Barker	Marsena Mahan
Paul Bollinger	Paul O. Mahan
Odesa Bollinger	Neola Moore
Lenard Carlson	Juanita Murray
Betty Jo Carlson	Doris Nelson
Opal Carmack	Juanita Nelson
Bettye Crawford	Earl Neilsen
Dorcas H. Crouse	Lula A. Parham
Hallie F. Chitwood	Pauline E. Parham
Leota Chitwood	Bob Palmer
Betty Lou Clay	Twanda Palmer
George Clay	Mrs. Irene Palmer
Lawrence Clay	L. Fred Peter
Cleo L. Cooper	Patsy Peterson
Ralph Denton	F.G. Petzoldt
J.W. Depew	Henry Pletcher
Ida Drachenberg	Harry Powers
James H. Eaken	Mrs. Harry Powers
Mrs. James Eaken	Doris Inez Rees
Geneva Eaken	Rex Russell
Thelmer Eiland	Fred Saulter
Myrtle Fullbright	Edna Schultz
Ethel Fullbright	J.M. Scott
Ethel A. Gilmore	Belle Stewart
Donna Jane Gilmore	Ed Stork
Peggy Gilmore	Frances Stork
Frank Lealand Grimmer	Odesssa Summerford
Carroll Heller	Mrs. Ticia L. Taber
Jewel Hickman	Frances Taylor
Wayne H. Huff	Eula Mae Taylor
Julianna Huff	Edward H. Tucker
Marie Jay	Dona Tucker
Hattie Boulware Jones	Mrs. T.B. Tucker
Lola Kinser	Frances Weaver
Grace LaMunyon	Mrs. S.M. Whites
Mrs. Amber Lilly	Cleta Pearl Willes
Charles O. Mahan	Jack Wilson

### STUDENTS - 1947

Alberta Barker	Ida Drachenburg
Euteva Barker	Joseph A. Faries
Winston Barker	Wilbur D. Fullbright
Robert C. Beydler	Mrs. Wilbur D. Fullbright
Mrs. Robert Beydler	Dorothy Fuller
Charles B. Bowen	Mrs. Blanche Gilmore
Billie Brock	Donna Gilmore
Elmagean Brock	Peggy Gilmore
Iona Brock	Donna Jo Girouard
Leota Chitwood	Mrs. Jo Girouard
Stella Clanton	Robert Wayne Girouard
George Clay	Nelda Grant
Wilma Clay	Lealand Grimmer
Chas. R. Dale	Grant E. Hall
Dovie Dale	Mrs. Fern Hunt

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Ted Jackson  
 Walter C. Jacobs  
 Naomi LeCrone  
 Marsena Mahan  
 Virgil McCorkle, Jr.  
 Herbert L. Moser  
 Juanita Nelson  
 Mrs. Birdie Noe  
 Don Ogden  
 Mrs. Goldie Palmer  
 Mrs. Pauline Parham  
 Mrs. Virgie Parham  
 Ruby Peterson  
 Patsy Peterson  
 Paul Pletcher  
 Carl Pitts  
 Mrs. Eva Pitts  
 Florence Polvado  
 Lorene Polvado  
 Doren Roten  
 Don Russell

Mrs. Don Russell  
 Rex Russell  
 Mrs. Edna Schultz  
 Jack Shandley  
 Hazel Shepherd  
 Harry Lee Shollenburger  
 G. Wesley Spencer  
 Mrs. Ticia L. Taber  
 Ronnie Taber  
 Mrs. Arthur Townsend  
 Walter Trumbo  
 Mary Trumbo  
 H.L. Watkins, Jr.  
 H.L. Watkins, Sr.  
 Robert Wakoty  
 Corene Wakoty  
 Frances Weaver  
 Paul Harbin  
 Fred Saulters  
 Ralph Denton

Myra Fern Dickson  
 C.W. Eaken  
 Clydean Echols  
 Silas B. Echols Jr.  
 A.W. Ferguson  
 Arel Ferguson  
 Janice Ferguson  
 Martha Lou Ferguson  
 Malolah Fullbright  
 Orlene Fullbright  
 Orville Fullbright  
 Jo Girouard  
 Imogene Graves  
 George Gregory Jr.  
 Paul Gregory  
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 Bill Handley  
 Irene Humphries  
 Madelyn Handley  
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 George Hintergardt  
 Geneva Inez Jowers  
 Greene Kerr

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 Grace LaMunyon  
 Earl Mansee  
 Neola Moore  
 Eula Owens  
 Ouida Mae Pipkins  
 Max Y. Pennington  
 Leon Pugh  
 Lois Pruitt  
 Neil Ragan  
 Wyona Roosa  
 Carl Sanders  
 Iva Marie Sanders  
 Anna Ruth Scott  
 Vera Scott  
 Margie Shallenburger  
 Hazel Taylor  
 Mary Louise Taylor  
 Bobby Glen Taylor  
 Olimpa Torre  
 Albert (Hap) Watkins  
 Norine Watkins

STUDENTS - 1948

James W. Arnce  
 Alvin Lee Barker  
 Winston Barker  
 Alberta Barker  
 Euteva Barker  
 Erma Curtis  
 Reba Clingon  
 Cecil Clingon  
 Dorcas Crouse  
 Archie N. Crouse  
 Gilbert Cowart  
 Earl Davidson  
 Ida Drachenberg  
 Jessie Dibbens  
 Lewis LaVaughn Evans  
 Arel Ferguson  
 Waple Ferguson  
 John L. Fortner  
 Pauline Fortner  
 Jessie Green  
 Opal Fay Harold  
 Walter C. Jacobs  
 Leota Jacobs  
 Charlse L. King  
 Rosemary King  
 Densel LaMunyon  
 Naomi Ruth Mahan  
 Marsena Mahan  
 Paul Mahan  
 Eva Modrick

Loren Lee Meek  
 Mitchell Modrick  
 Ramona Modrick  
 Don Ogden  
 Ouida Mae Pipkin  
 Patsy Peterson  
 Ruby Peterson  
 Henry Pletcher  
 Carl Pitts  
 Neil Ragan  
 Wyona B. Roosa  
 Bill Sparks  
 Calvin Springer  
 Belle Stewart  
 Edna Scroggs  
 Clay Stewart  
 Anna Ruth Scott  
 Eula Mae Taylor  
 Roy O. Townsend  
 Wanda Townsend  
 Charles Vest  
 L.F. Weaver  
 Opal Whitley  
 Howard Whiteley  
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 Mrs. Travis Flowers  
 Mrs. Lewis Ott

STUDENTS - 1949

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 Esther Barker  
 Alvin Lee Barker  
 Lola Belle Barnes  
 Roberta Fay Barker  
 Sara Buschman  
 James W. Bingham  
 Doris Bingham  
 Madeline Ella Briles  
 Virgil L. Buchner  
 Grace Buschman  
 Raymond Christenson

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 Bertilla Conley  
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 Jesse L. Couley  
 Dorothy Daugherty  
 Alfred Ray Decker  
 George Decker  
 Ruby Decker  
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 Winston Denker  
 Lucille Denton  
 Ralph Denton

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 Lillian Alsup  
 Irene Adams  
 Ruel Barber Jr.  
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 Frances Bishop  
 Dorcas Bishop  
 Doris Bingham  
 James Wallace Bingham  
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 Grace Buschman  
 Sara Buschman  
 Gerald Clanton  
 Doris Ann Clanton  
 John W. Clanton  
 Betty Clanton  
 Betty Clay  
 George Clay  
 Wilma Clay  
 H.D. Chitwood  
 Ray Christenson  
 Opal Christenson  
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 Charletta Dale  
 Lois Daniel  
 Howard Daniel  
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 George Decker  
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 Jimmie Fox  
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 Ruth Graves  
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 Jerry Bowling  
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 Burl Roberts  
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 Charles Robinson  
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 Lois Woodrum (Mrs. Robert)  
 Robert Woodrum

Additional names will be listed  
 in the next issue.

Alumni Information Sheet

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 street or P. O. Box      City      State      Zip

Name as student (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Year (s) attended \_\_\_\_\_

Superintendent \_\_\_\_\_

P.S. We are trusting the Lord to provide a computer system  
 to aid in this project.

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## Bylaws of the Apostolic Faith Bible College, Inc.

### ARTICLE VII Doctrine

It is recognized that the true church of Jesus Christ consists of all believers in the saving grace of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ who have accepted him as their personal Saviour. It is recognized and agreed that no organization or man has been granted authority by the Lord to exclude from or accept anyone into the Kingdom of Heaven, as this is done by Jesus Christ only. It is further recognized and agreed that we as Christians are to love all members of the Body of Christ (Christians), and this love and fellowship derives from the unity instilled by the Holy Spirit. Although differences in doctrinal beliefs and interpretations should not influence our love for one another, adherence to similar doctrinal beliefs and modes of worship have bonded together those of the Apostolic Faith Movement as founded by Charles F. Parham in the early 1900's. The scripture teaches us to adhere to the truth and proper doctrine. These common doctrinal beliefs are essentially as follows:

Triune God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
Creation and Formation

Man is basically sinful and in need of Salvation

Salvation by Grace upon repentance toward God and acceptance of Jesus Christ as one's personal Saviour, which is the conception of Spiritual Life.

Sanctification of the Spirit, Soul and Body. A second definite work of Grace by the Lord Jesus Christ.

Baptism of the Holy Spirit; evidenced by speaking in other languages.

Water Baptism (of all believers) by immersion in water in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Washing of Feet.

Divine Healing through Jesus Christ for all believers.

Do not condone divorce and remarriage. Matthew 19:8-9

Destruction of the Wicked.

Conditional Immortality.

Rapture of the Man Child Class.

Return of Jesus Christ to earth again; bodily and visibly.

A Ministry supported by tithes and offerings.

These basic doctrines shall be adhered to in the teaching of the Apostolic Faith Bible College, which in addition to other doctrinal teachings approved by the Board from time to time if they are not inconsistent with the above listed basic doctrines.

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**Deadline!**

Copy must be in by the 15th of the month to be in the next month's issue.

## Thanksgiving Warms The Heart

Thanksgiving does the nicest things,  
It warms the heart and gives it wings.  
It silver lines the darkest cloud  
And pushes back the woes that crowd.

Thanksgiving values little joys  
The happy play of girls and boys,  
The colors of the sunset glow,  
The sparkle of the fresh new snow,  
The smile upon the baby's face,  
The tender words that grief erase.  
Thanksgiving warms the heart.

Thanksgiving is a state of mind  
That bubbles from a heart that's kind  
It has its roots in gratitude,  
Its fragrance perfumes every mood.  
It takes some thoughtful working for  
But pays you blessings rich and more.  
Thanksgiving warms the heart.

Thanksgiving's much like happiness,  
The more you search, you have it less.  
Try giving some of it away  
And you'll have more from day to day.  
There's so much to be thankful for  
If you'll just count your blessings o'er.  
Thanksgiving warms the heart.

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