

SHEPHERD COMMUNITY NEWS

SISD “A” Honor Roll List

First Grade: Alexander Aguillon, Kadence Alexander, Dawson Arnold, Abigail Arroyo, Clinton Batey, Neveah Benavides, Giselle Benitez-Lopez, Landon Blanton, Rylei Brewer, Jared Bullock, Kylea Burks, Kery Butler, Colten Cardone, Gabriel Carpenter, Bree’Anna Chamblee, Macy Chance, Jacorey Davis, Kennedy Dean, Amanda Dodge, Franchesco Gallardo, Aharon Garcia, Daniel Garcia, Bronson Gathercole, Brayden Goebel, Madalyn Gonzalez, Kaedan Gustafson, Kalynn Hall, Clayton Harris, Riley Holloway, Cutter Hues, Maddox Ihnen, Alan Infante Zavala, Adrian Iracheta, Jan Carlos Jaime, Paul Jimenez, Kaylee Kangas, Rylan Leloux, Sadie Lowrance, Idle Lummus, Estefany Martinez, Faith May, Braden McDermott, Inaki Molina, Presli Mollica, Peyton Moore, David Neal, Aliviyea’ Norris, Diego Orozco, Cristian Osorio, Lacey Papp, Kody Pippin, Ethan Plaisance, Trenton Prater, Millie Ramos, Karla Rangel, Melany Rangel Sanchez, Cameron Richardson, Caleb Russell, Annalia Salazar, Brylynnne Samuelson, Max Sanchez, Brynlie Singleton, Shelby Smith, Allison Stanley, Riley Sublett, Kyler Syracuse, Katelynn Taylor, James Tellez, Michael Thomas, Marisol Valdez, Dylan Walker, Brayden White, Maci Wilson, Mareli Zamora Garcia.

Second Grade: Jaigen Aguilar, Ruben Andrade, Brooke Bassett, Avery Burks, Taylor Burrow, Debanhi Cantera, Colton Champion, Cali Crowder, Lonel Flores, Trevor Gilbert, Victoria Gonzalez, James Hansford, Isabelle Hooper, Eduardo Jaime, Avery Keel, Hannah Lee, Ava Leutert, Jaden Lugo, Darrian Matthews, Hunter McAdams, Arnold McDaniel, Charles Myers, Alexander Osorio, Avianna Patterson, Ty Phillips, Jazilyn Richardson, Kaci Roberts, Grace Semar, Ashtyn Simon, Lora Sweeten, Aniyah Walker, Torianna Wyatt.

SISD “A-B” Honor Roll

First Grade: George Alford, Jasmin Almazan, Valentin Arres, Danielle Barrackman, Harley Brown, Trevin Burton, Helen Chavez-Luquin, Ayden Clark, Nathan Cooper, Angel Cruz Perez, Peyton Eggert, John Fuller, Ruby Garcia, Taylor Griffin, Elizabeth Hansen, Brooklyn Harrell, Robert Hibler, Kay-Dee Hinden, Elizabeth Jaimes, Michael “Bodie” Jones, Zachary Lee, Shaylon Lewis, Ruben Lugo, Khloey Mabry, Rylan Main, Zoey McAnally, Hector Medina, Morgan Novitski, Taylin Page, John Pennington, Linda Risner, Joseph Saintes, Pablo Santiago, Abbagaile Siddall, Caysia Simmons, Dillon Somers, Nicholas Stanley, Bryce Stott, Hayden Taylor, Aliyah Thomas, Mallery Velez, Pamela Warner, Sierra Williams, Robert Wylie, Trace Yarbrough.

Second Grade: Hagen Adams, Jacie Anderson, Steven Austin, Hayden Berger, Hadyn Blaskey, Burl Bunting, Isabella Cabera, Kobie Cheek, Dakiyah Clark, Allie Davis, Justin Davis, Maraya Davis, Crystal Flores, Brayden Gibson, Isabella Gonzalez, Emily Gonzalez, Bryson Goodman, Makenzie Green, Madison Hickman, Ayden Lee, Hailey Leon, Abriana Lunsford, Lia McCallum, German Morales, David Najera, Leah Phillips, Syaera Reed, Marshall Reeves, Yandel Reyes, Angel Rivera, Phoenix Rushing, Cayden Salvador, Tyler Scifres, Maryssa Searles, Francisco Silva, Nicholas Singletary, Harmony Smith, Zachary Stowe, Zachary Thomas, Jose Tovar, Dakota Walker, Destiny Warner, Alexis Wiese, Jayci Wilson, Jacob Wright.

SISD Perfect Attendance

P-K: Ibeth Andrade, Kaitlin Barrackman, Hailey Blanton, Kinsler Corbridge, Keyla Espinoza, Chloe Floria, Matthew Fuentes, Dustin Fuller, Cali Fulson, Melissa Garcia, Michael Gilbert, Heaven Glenn, Latiya Hadnot, Tyler Harrison, Samantha Hernandez, Levi Herrod, Camden Maciel, Aileen Martinez, Taylor McIlvain, Cesar Medina, Aiden Morales, Brianna Pena, Preston Price, Hugo Ramirez, Ami Reyes, Kinsley Rhodes, Felix Rocha, Lesly Sanchez, Wendy Sibrian Alvarez, Rowdy Sosa, Kylee Stewart, LondonThomas, Alisay Rangel Sanchez, Ryan Smith, Braylin Bogany, David Shirley.

Kindergarten: Jeanette Almazan, Angela Beltran, Kora Bennett, Layton Billingsley, Angelina Conejo, Jeremy Cutaia, Caleb Deshayes, Caleb Dubois, Belinda Flores, Caius Franklin, Samantha Garcia, Sarah Garcia, Sergio Gonzalez, Chloe Griffin, Latika Hadnot, Madison Hales, Andrew Harris, Shon Lewis, Martin Lopez, Evan Luna, Nathan Maciel, Darien Mandujano Estrada, Blane McKeone, William Mendenhall, Emely Morfin, Johnny Mullenix, Mercedes Murphy, Karli Olvera, Elias Ramirez, Serenity Randall, Kaedence Rice, Natalie Rios, Destinee Samson, Teagan Schubert, Brooklynn Smith, Preston Smith, Josue Soto, Odalis Trevino Martinez, Journey-Lynn Tyler, Yasbeth Villegas, Mark Wagner.

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Red Ribbon Week



The students of Shepherd Primary have been celebrating Red Ribbon Week with a host of fun activities. Mrs. Rice’s class proclaimed “Head to Toe I am Drug Free” by wearing crazy hair and socks. *Pictured left to right are: Haylee Harris, Khloe Cerda, Joseph Franklin, Jr., Noah Chioles, Samantha Bannister, Leland Blanton. Back row: Madison Hales, and Colt Barnett.*

Donations Needed

Peoples State Bank will be collecting Non-Perishable items for the Shepherd Food Pantry from **October 19 - November 6**

Non-Perishable food items needed include but are not limited to: Cranberry Sauce, Yams, Instant mashed Potatoes, Cornbread, Gravy, Stuffing, and Broth. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated!

Retired School Personnel to Meet

The San Jacinto County Retired School Personnel Association will meet on Tuesday, November 3, 2015 at 5:00 p. m. at the Senior Center in Coldspring. Texas Ranger Brandon Bess will present the program. All school personnel retirees are invited for a covered dish dinner and are asked to join our group.

Members are reminded to bring children’s books for Care Share and Helping Hands. For further information, call President Don Leedy at (936) 377-3946.



Public Animals - Discounted Rates!

Our mobile veterinary clinic will be located conveniently near you at McClain’s Food Market on Saturday, November 7th to offer the following pet care at discounted rates!

Vaccines

Dapp: \$10

Bordetella: \$10

FVRCP: \$10

Heartworms

Heartworm Test: \$25

Heartworm Prevention TriHeart: 0-25lbs \$25 (for 6 month supply)
51-100lbs \$40 (for 6 month supply)

Deworming

Strongid: Under 50lbs \$5 Over 50lbs \$10

Fecal: \$15

Microchip: \$25

Activyl Topical Flea Preventative

1-50lbs: \$10

51-100lbs: \$15

101lbs and up: \$20

Surgery

All surgeries will include an antibiotic injection, pain medication to go home, and a medical collar.

Dog: Spay \$80 (\$65 with proof of government assistance. No females over 70 lbs.)

Neuter—\$60 under 50lbs \$80 over 50lbs

Cat: Spay—\$60 Neuter—\$40

We will schedule 30 patients for each surgery day. You will NOT be able to reschedule, as it takes up space for another animal. You MUST provide proof of current Rabies vaccine, or you will be charged a \$10 fee to provide the vaccination, as it is State Law. Please contact me at Sharon.hopkins@carecorporation.net or (936) 522-3550 to schedule your appointment. We look forward to serving your community to help with the over population of animals.

SENIOR BIRTHDAYS



Birthday Wishes to: Linda Bridges, Calvin Cowart, Eddie Ek, Mike Erwin, Carolyn Ferrell, Judson Jarboe, Clara Keller, Darlene Moore, Gwen Moren, Don Thiele, David Thrapp, Rosemary Williams and Jo Yarborough. *Pictured: Wanda Tadlock & Paul Hooker*

House of Mary Aims to Make



Generational Impact

By Cyndie Schmidt

HOM Marketing Specialist

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A new ministry has been creating a lot of buzz across social media platforms over the past few weeks. House of Mary, a future crisis pregnancy maternity home, announced their fundraising launch on August 1, and has gotten nothing but full support from every corner of Polk County. The new ministry even has supporters stretching from Kentucky, Hawaii, and the United Kingdom.

The mission at House of Mary (HOM) will be to equip, empower, and enable women and teens in crisis pregnancy situations to raise the “Timothy Generation.” This concept is based on the biblical passage of 2 Timothy 1:5, “I have been reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also.” By offering expectant mothers a Christ-centered home environment, life skills classes, and community connections, HOM hopes to create a desire in them to provide more for their baby spiritually, mentally, physically, and emotionally.

The fundraising launch is “Phase 1” of many for HOM. During this phase they hope to raise enough funds to cover the majority of their start-up budget. This includes purchasing, building, or acquiring through donation two houses. State law does not permit housing minors and adults together, therefore they will need two separate houses in order to help expectant women of all ages. Funds raised during this time will also cover organization filing fees, utility set-up, and home repairs, among other expenses. Because HOM will be a Christ-centered ministry, all of their funding must come from generous donors and fundraising. Donations can be made online or mailed to House of Mary, P.O. Box 376, Livingston, TX 77351. A full list of financial needs (along with the option to donate) can be found on the HOM website, tackk.com/hom.

HOM says their first priority is to bring glory to God and be obedient to His call. The committee members ask that the community join them in prayer and help spread the word as they launch this ministry. They believe HOM has the potential to change lives and impact generations to come. Connect with HOM on Facebook (facebook.com/houseofmaryministry) and Twitter (@homlivingston) to stay up to date on the progress of this exciting new ministry.

"McClain's Food Market"



New Releases Coming to

McClain’s DVD Kiosk This Week

Inside Out (PG) animation/adventure: After young Riley is uprooted from her Midwest life and moved to San Francisco, her emotions—Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness—conflict on how best to navigate a new city, house, and school.

Starring (voices): Amy Poehler, Bill Hader, Lewis Black

Vacation (R) adventure/comedy: Rusty Griswold takes his own family on a road trip to “Walley World” in order to spice things up with his wife and reconnect with his sons.

Starring: Ed Helms, Christina Applegate, Skyler Gisondo

McClain’s does not maintain Cajun DVD movie kiosk and therefore cannot guarantee all movie releases.

Did you know...

By Yvonne Ryba
Now that Halloween is over, we can start to look forward to Thanksgiving. Before that, on November 11, American Legion Post 629 will lead the Veteran's Day Ceremony at the Courthouse in Coldspring. If you want to be a part of this or need to ask for more information, call (936) 653-4708. The 19th Annual Christmas Town Lighting will also be held at the Courthouse Square on November 28th, which is the same day that Coldspring Trades' Day is held. Call (936) 653-8493 or (936) 653-2332 if you want to know more.

Before that 'Spirit Whispers', the new business in Shepherd, will have a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at 6:00 pm. on November 6. There will be light refreshments and everyone is welcome. 'Spirit Whispers' is at 11231, Suite F, which is across from the Agri-Tex building on Hwy 150. Come and get to know the owners and learn about their business.

Shepherd Friends of the Library will be meeting at 2:00 p.m. on November 10 in the new Chamber of Commerce office on Hwy 150. This is the building which also houses the EDC office and Mark Porter, Attorney at Law. If you are interested in being a part of a group of people who want to help our small but vibrant Library, please come to this meeting. You will hear what we have planned for the upcoming year and how to help make it happen!

I noticed in the current issue of the McClain's paper and Community News that they have their 'Pick 5' Value Pack on sale again. Pick any 5 items from the Meat Department marked with 'Pick 5' bright orange stickers for only \$19.99. You can mix or match your items. You must buy in increments of 5 to receive the discount and rain checks may not be available on all items. McClain's state 'no commercial buyers please'. This sale will end soon, so don't delay.

Director of the Small Business Deveopment Agency at Sam Houston State, Mr Bob Barragan, will be in Shepherd on November 6. He has an appointment in the morning but if you would like to talk to him on that day, call the Chamber nearest you. Bob has been helping small businesses for many years and all consultations are free. Like us on Facebook!

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Obituary

Johnny Don “Papa” Duke



May 3, 1948 - October 24, 2015

Johnny Don “Papa” Duke, 67, of Splendor, went to be with the Lord, Saturday, October 24, 2015, at his residence.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, October 30, 2015, at the Splendor Countryside UMC, in Splendor with services concluding thereafter. Visitation was held from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Thursday, at the funeral home. Services were under the direction of Pace-Stancil Funeral Home in Cleveland.

Johnny was born May 3, 1948 in Cleveland, to parents; John Duke and Mattie Thornton Yarbrough Duke, and has been a lifelong resident of Splendor. He was a graduate of the Splendor High School class of 1966, and received his Bachelors Degree in Industrial Arts from Sam Houston State in 1970. He worked as a program analyst, drove for Freight Services as a Teamster for 25 years, and completed his career as a teacher in Splendor ISD after 12 years of employment. Johnny loved and protected his family unconditionally; he could fix anything he attempted. He also enjoyed farming, fishing, carpentry, and especially his tractor time.

Mr. Duke is preceded in death by his parents, his first wife: Nelda Denton Duke, daughter: Elizabeth “Beth” Duke, brother: Glen Yarbrough, and sister: Ethel Jeffcoat. He is survived by his wife of nine years: Judy L. Campbell Duke of Splendor, son: Daryl J. Duke and wife Kelley of Splendor, stepson: Justin White of Arizona, stepdaughters: Rebecca White Lee and husband Philip of Midland, and Sandra Aborn of Memphis, brother: Earl Yarbrough and wife Zettie of Huffman, sister: Jean Chappell and husband Dick of California, sister-in-law: Barbara Yarbrough of Huffman, mother’s-in-law: Wanda Springer and Dorothy Simmons, grandchildren: John D. Duke, James Duke, Morgan Duke, Clay Aborn, Spencer Aborn, Emmalyn Lee, and Benjamin Lee, special friends: Carl and Lynda Coleman, and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

Leave your thoughts and memories for the family in the guestbook at www.pacestancil.com

Beverly Jean Bowen Hill

January 16, 1944 - October 17, 2015

Beverly Jean Bowen Hill, 71, of Cleveland, passed away Saturday, October 17, 2015, at the Feels Just Like Home care center in Cleveland.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 20, 2015, at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints with burial following at Pace Stancil Memorial Rest Gardens in Cleveland. Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., Monday, at the funeral home. Services are under the direction of Pace- Stancil Funeral Home in Cleveland.

Beverly was born January 16, 1944 in Houston, to parents; Albert Gus and Mabel King Bowen, a former resident of Galena Park, and has resided in Cleveland for the past 38 years. She was a veteran of the US Navy, homemaker, and member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. She also enjoyed painting, ceramics, crocheting, and reading. Beverly was very active in her children’s school years by volunteering as a room mother and president of the band booster club.

Mrs. Hill was preceded in death by her parents and son: Lance Howard Hill. She is survived by her husband of 48 years: Boyce Glenn Hill of Cleveland, daughters: Hayley R. Pequeno and husband Jose of Porter and Margaret A. Wedgeworth and husband Dana of Arlington, sister: Sylvia Ann Price of Brenham, daughter-in-law: Susan Hill of Utah, brother-in-law: Pete Hill of Porter, grandchildren: T. J. Murry, Justin Murry, Gracey Kaylyn Pequeno, Kimberly Hill, and Nathan Hill, great-grandchildren: Tripp Murry, Rhody Murry, and London Marie Hill, extended family members: Barbara Ann Smith, Cindy Easterling, Lisa Percy, Charles Parker, numerous other relatives, and friends.

For those who desire, donations may be made to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Missionary Fund at 1100 Southline Street, Cleveland, Texas, 77327-4647, in Beverly’s name.

Leave your thoughts and memories for the family in the guestbook at www.pacestancil.com

Senior Menu

MON 11/2: Chicken Spaghetti, Green Beans, Beets, Garlic Bread, Salad, Fruit
TUE 11/3: Stuffed Bell Peppers, Macaroni & Cheese, Greens, Cornbread, Salad, Oranges & Cottage Cheese

WED 11/4: Chicken & Dumplings, Cabbage, Tossed Salad & Dressing, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit

THUR 11/5: Breaded Pork Cutlets & Gravy, Green Beans, New Potatoes, Corn, Cornbread Muffins, Salad, Pudding,

FRI 11/6: Egg Rolls, Sweet & Sour Sauce, Fried Rice (With Snow Peas), Mixed Veggies, Salad, Fruit

Second Tuesday Of Each Month Dessert Includes Birthday Cake/
Menu's Are Subject To Change Due To Availability
Call (936) 628-3733 By 9:30 a.m. To Reserve A Meal

Senior Citizen Newsletter

We certainly needed the rain and really happy it came slow enough to soak in and do some good. It even cooled down some too! We hope everyone had a good Halloween and the kids got lots of treats! Now we start getting prepared for Thanksgiving.

Our wish is for all to gather friends and family close for hugs, kisses, joyful reunions, and good food. We are happy we could help the City of Shepherd with their food give away. We pray that this helped our citizens in San Jacinto County prepare for a better Thanksgiving Holiday. Enjoy! Thank you, Shepherd Volunteer Fire Department for helping us. A grateful Thank you, also, to SJC Pct. 2 for providing their Octoberfest/Thanksgiving Dinner to the community. Both of these organizations are a blessing to our center. Their kindness and help, as always, is greatly appreciated.

We are planning our Thanksgiving dinner here at the center on November 18. As always, lunch is served at 11:30a.m., please call (936) 628-3733 by 9:30a.m. and let us know you are coming to eat. If you want to bring a dessert, you must come by no later than November 13 and sign up by providing your name and the dessert you are bringing. Desserts need to be delivered to the center by 10:00 a.m. on November 18. We hope to see you here!

We will be having Bingo November 5 and November 19, at 9:30 a.m. until about 11:00 a.m. Come join the fun!

Plans have begun for our SILENT AUCTION to begin November 23 through December 9. You will be able to place your bids during hours of operation Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. We have some nice items that will make great Christmas gifts. Maybe you can get your shopping done early this year! This is a fundraiser for Shepherd Senior Citizen’s Center.

Our resale shop is open 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. We have bag day on November 6 and November 20.

Our Volunteers are always caring and always sharing. Volunteers are people who reach out to others and, in so doing, become extraordinary! They bring us joy and set an example, wherever they go. Thanks for all you do! You are truly a treasure and for this we are thankful you choose us to help. If you want to join this special group of individuals, please come by and see us. We can never have enough caring friends.

Mary Louise Punch



August 2, 1948 - October 21, 2015

Mary Louise Punch, 67, of Shepherd, Texas passed away on Wednesday, October 21, 2015. She was born on Monday, August 2, 1948 in Shepherd, Texas to Wilmer Punch and Jessie Punch.

Mary is preceded in death by her father, Wilmer Punch, brothers, Barry Lynn Punch, Ronnie Jay Punch, sister, Doris Faye Punch, grandmothers, Mary Charles, Lela Williams. Left to cherish her memory is her loving mother; Jessie Punch, brothers, Leroy Punch, Johnnie Ray Punch and wife Gladys, Kenneth Wayne Punch and wife Kara, Rodney Wayne Punch and wife Marilyn; sisters, Connie Scott and husband Willie, Shirley Ann Pierson and husband Kenneth; along with numerous nieces and nephews and other loving family and treasured friends.

Visitation for Mary was held at Lake Station Baptist Church on October 31, 2015 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Funeral Services followed immediately after on Saturday, October 31, 2015 at Lake Station Baptist Church at 12:00 p.m. Interment for Mary was held at Lake Station Cemetery. Reverand Richard Fontenette, Officiating; Reverand Earia Charles, Eulogists.

To My Dearest Hal,



On July 8th we were told
That you had cancer.
I tried to be strong and bold
And asked God for an answer.
Now you are gone
In just two short months
It's all so wrong
One of life's big bumps.
You loved to ride your bike
You loved to fish and swim
This just don't feel right
But I know I'll see you again.
I miss you so much
And love you even more
I long for your touch
But there's a locked door.
Until we meet again
Beyond those pearly gates
You'll always be my man
I'll just have to wait!!!
Love you forever and always,
Annetty
October 4, 2015

Community Classifieds

YARD SALE: November 6th & 7th from 8 a.m.—5 p.m. Three families! Lots of household items! Located ar 101 Kim St. Shepherd, TX.

YARD SALE: There will be a BIG multi-family yard sale on November 5th, 6th, & 7th off of Wright Blvd. down to Jamie Ln. There will be clothes, dishes, antiques, comic books/cards, new and used items. Come and check it out! Everything is cheap!

FOR RENT: 3BR/2BA mobile home. \$850 per month plus \$400 deposit, \$1250 to move in. Please call (832) 250-6154 or (979) 316-0299.

WANTED: One cord of firewood for Franklin Stove, delivered and stacked, to home four miles from Shepherd. Must be no more than 16’ long. Call Darrell or Betty at (936) 628-3114.

Community Calendar

- 11/2: Monday EDC Meeting, 7pm/EDC Building
- 11/3: Retired school personnel meeting 5PM; Senior Center Coldspring, TX
- 11/6: Senior Resale Shop Bag Day
- 11/6: Bob Brannagan’s monthly consultations with current or prospective business owners, 10am-noon/Chamber Office
- 11/9: PIRATEERS READING PROGRAM 9-10AM;Shepherd Primary Parent Center
- 11/9: City Council Meeting, 7pm/Community Center
- 11/10: First station auxiliary meeting at 7PM
- 11/20: Senior Resale Shop Bag Day
- 11/23: Shepherd Chamber of Commerce meeting, 6pm/EDC
- 11/25: Bridge of hope community church “Community Fellowship Dinner”, Shepherd Middle School, 7PM.
- 11/28: The 19th Annual Christmas Town Lighting; Courthouse Square

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Church News

HARMONY CHURCH: An independent spirit filled church with life message services—Sunday Bible class 10:00 a.m.—morning worship 11:00 a.m.—Sunday evening 6:00 p.m.—Wednesday evening 6:30 p.m. Third Sunday pot luck, men and women’s groups. Come worship with us! Rev. Ben Cartwright, Pastor
TO CALVARY MINISTRIES: A church that preaches the Message of the Cross. 793 Thomas Castleberry Rd. Shepherd (off of FM 1127) Sunday 9:30 a.m. SS Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening 6:30 p.m. Thursday 7:30 p.m. All Welcome!
SPRINGHILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Come join us for a Harvest Musical on Saturday, November 7th at 6:30 p.m. 9130 State Hwy 10 West; Theme: “We Owe Him Our Praise” We look forward to a grand old time! Pastor: Dr. Frank L. Mason & Elect Lady Evelyn Mason; Associate Ministers: Douglas E. Jackson & Prophetess Sheila A. Jackson, Evangelist Mandy Lee Anderson. MT. MORIAH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: You are invited to the Annual Workshop November 14, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. 1700 FM 945 S, Evergreen, TX. Theme: Excess Baggage. Pastor: Rev. Eric C. Burch, Sr.

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