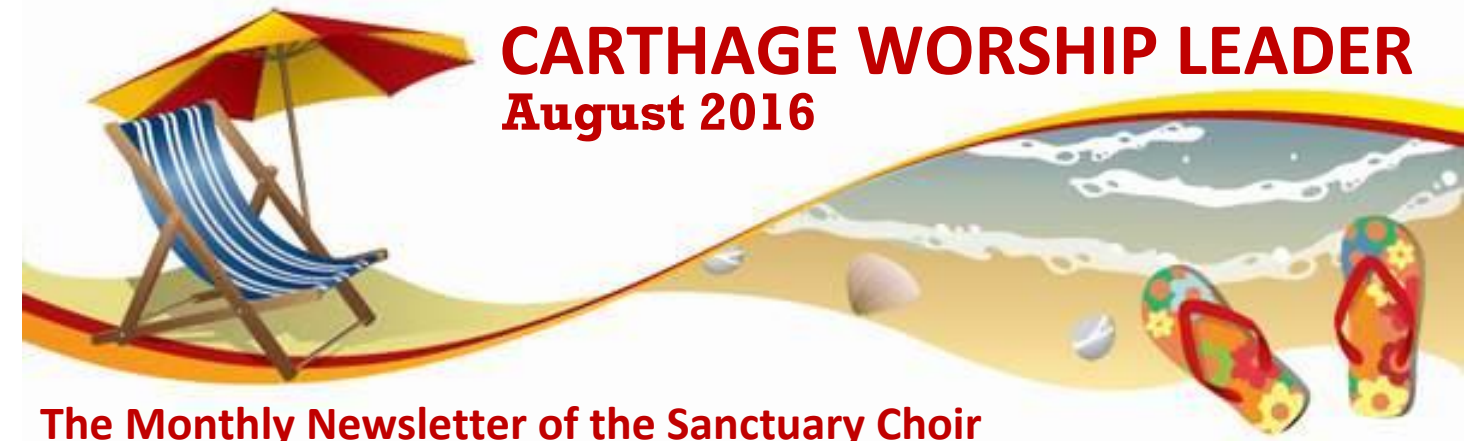


**GREAT HEAVENLY HIGHWAY SINGING!  
THANK YOU FOR FILLING THE LOFT TO CAPACITY.**



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**ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR JULY**

The average for Sunday morning was 57. The average for rehearsal was 45. These numbers include choir, instrumentalists, and audio/visual team. We presently have 68 active choir members. Sopranos lead with members and in percentage.

	SOPRANOS	ALTOS	TENORS	BASS
Members	23	21	9	15
Avg Attendance	17	12	6	10
Percentage	74%	57%	67%	67%

**Birthdays  
of the  
Month**

- 1<sup>ST</sup> DAN BRUNER**
- 1<sup>ST</sup> CHRISTI COX**
- 15<sup>TH</sup> SUSIE YARBROUGH**
- 16<sup>TH</sup> DONNY HONEYCUTT**
- 24<sup>TH</sup> DONNA KUSHNER**

**SPECIAL MUSIC FOR AUGUST – WE WILL NOT WEAR ROBES IN AUGUST**

**7<sup>TH</sup> IN CHRIST ALONE - CHOIR**

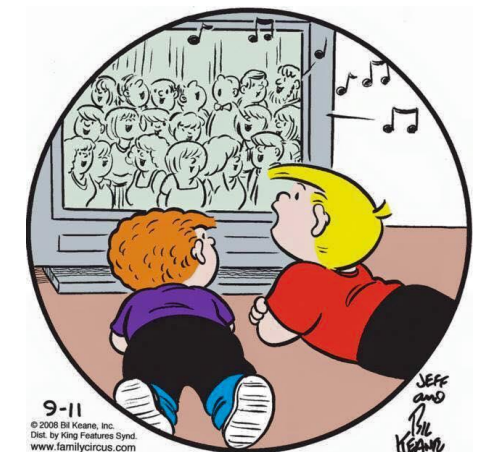
**14<sup>TH</sup> NIKKI CAUSEY – SPECIAL MUSIC**

**21<sup>ST</sup> NO CHOIR  
DARREN MELTON – SPECIAL MUSIC**

**28<sup>TH</sup> O HAPPY DAY – CHOIR WEAR YOUR CARTHAGE BULLDOG SHIRT OR OTHER RED SHIRT  
HANDBELL ENSEMBLE & HANDBELL SOLO  
FULL CHOIR BOTH MORNING SERVICES**



**Welcome New Member  
Shelby Almeida  
Soprano**



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**2016 CHRISTMAS CD PROJECT**

**SAVE THE DATES**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 12**

**RECORDING SESSION IN STUDIO FOR THOSE WITH GUITAR SPECIALS AND SOLOISTS**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**

**CHOIR & ORCHESTRA RECORD IN THE SANCTUARY**



Save the Date! Kaylie Smith, daughter of Roane & Jill Smith, is getting married October 8, 2016.

David will be on vacation August 15-21. There will be no choir rehearsal on August 17. There will be no choir on August 21.

We had a wonderful time in Waco. You were a blessing to the Salvation Army and the Veteran's Center. Thank you for serving. We were all saddened by Pam's accident. Pam is now home recovering. A special thanks to Marilyn Wilson, Pat Nail, and Janet Humber for going the extra mile to care for Pam.



**2016 CHOIR COUNSEL**

Dean Jeffress      Shannon Bush      Zac Gomez      Julie Stewart  
 Dwayne Ferguson      Sandra Jones      Darren Melton      Brenda Hillin

The choir counsel exists to help with planning, give advice, share opinions and suggestions. Please share your suggestions and comments with a choir counsel member.



Congratulations to Zac & Emily Gomez on the birth of their baby boy. Jett Hudson Gomez. Born July 29. 6 lbs 9oz. 19.5 inches.

**EARLY WORSHIP TEAMS**

The following are teams that will lead in the 8:30 a.m. service. You will be dismissed during the offering. Each month you will be notified through this newsletter your assigned Sunday. Remember, even though you sing in the early service. I am asking that you still stay for the entire 10:30 a.m. service. Your participation is strictly volunteer, at any time anyone can have their name added to a team or removed from a team.

PLEASE NOTE THAT BOTH TEAM BARNABAS AND TEAM ABRAHAM WILL FILL THE LOFT FOR EARLY SERVICE ON AUGUST 7

**AUGUST 7**

**TEAM BARNABAS**  
The Encouragers!

Pianist Debbie Miller

Glynis Ritter  
 Jane Jeffress  
 Mendy Henry  
 Jenice Fitts  
 Loretta Simmons  
 Richie Honeycutt  
 Judy Foster  
 Tracie Pirtle

Jennifer Stacy  
 Rebecca Smith

Billy Brady  
 Dean Jeffress  
 Don Honeycutt

Bob Gober  
 Gena Burris

**AUGUST 7**

**TEAM ABRAHAM**  
Full of Faith!

Pianist Terri Hudson

Brenda Beasley  
 Marylou Smith  
 Joyce Tilley  
 Patti Rushing  
 Paula Sepaugh  
 Shelby Almeida  
 Kim Bogs

Susie Yarbrough  
 Shannon Bush

Dan Bruner  
 Christi Cox

Darren Melton  
 Jesse Rushing  
 Ron Roquemore

**AUGUST 14**

**TEAM MARY**  
The Worshipers!

Pianist Ginger Cook

Joyce Sullivan  
 Sandra Jones  
 Pam Morris  
 Elizabeth Peters

Julie Stewart  
 Pat Nail

Betty Wiegman  
 Kim Turner

Charles Sullivan  
 Ted Mauritzen

Marty Stewart  
 Jason Jones  
 Steve Godwin



Come sing with our special friends on Tuesday, August 2 at 10:00 a.m. Located across from the Civic Center.

June 30	June ending Balance	(\$491.57)	\$630.00	\$1,072.82
July 20	Check #1188 – Minnie Lee (Refund: Overpaid choir trip)	(\$125.00)		
July 27	Cash – (Thank you gift card for David)	(\$75.00)		
July 29	Regular Deposit		\$200.00	
July 29	July ending Balance	(\$350.00)	\$350.00	\$1,072.82