

# Ladies Fellowship

A ministry of the Plainfield Bible Church

Dear Ladies,

January 2009

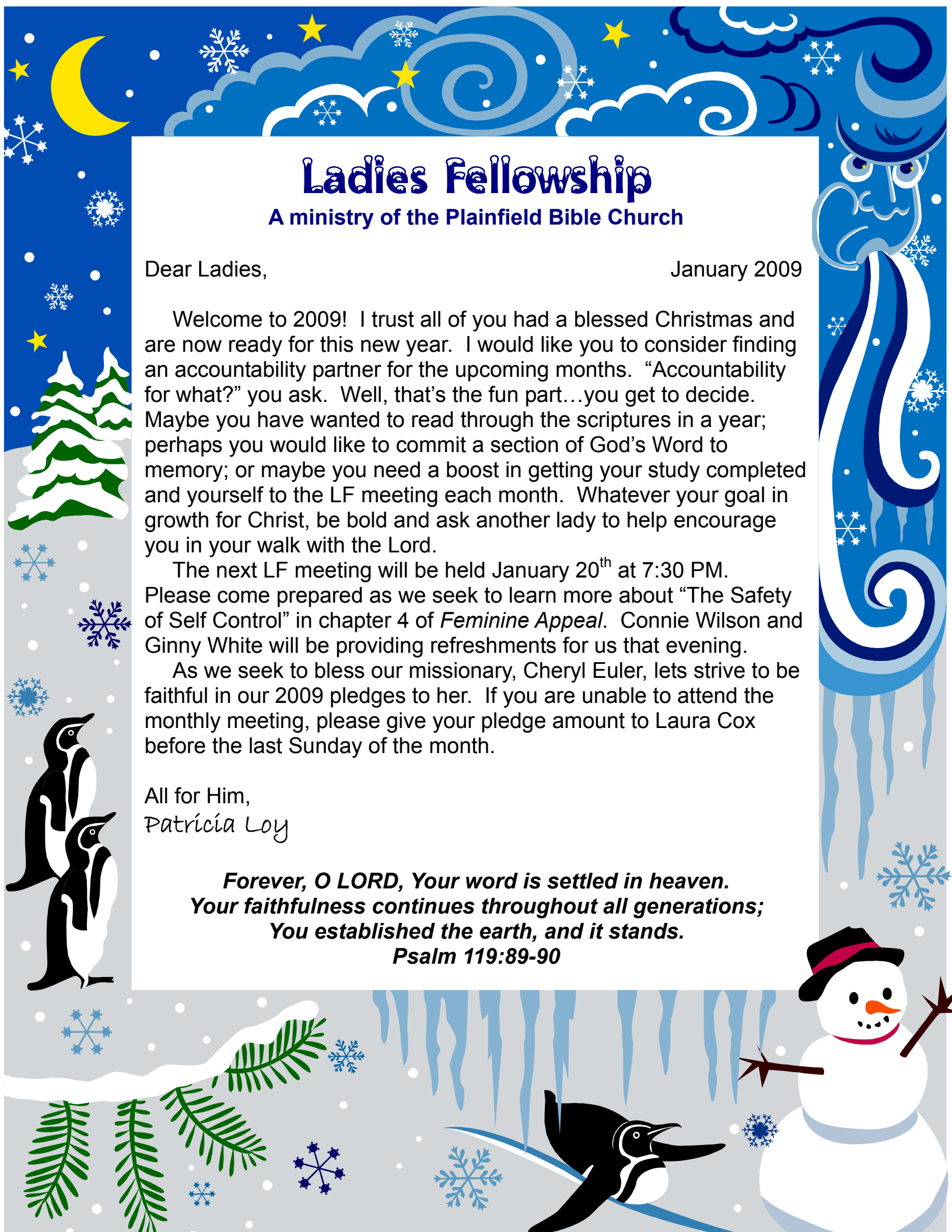
Welcome to 2009! I trust all of you had a blessed Christmas and are now ready for this new year. I would like you to consider finding an accountability partner for the upcoming months. "Accountability for what?" you ask. Well, that's the fun part...you get to decide. Maybe you have wanted to read through the scriptures in a year; perhaps you would like to commit a section of God's Word to memory; or maybe you need a boost in getting your study completed and yourself to the LF meeting each month. Whatever your goal in growth for Christ, be bold and ask another lady to help encourage you in your walk with the Lord.

The next LF meeting will be held January 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM. Please come prepared as we seek to learn more about "The Safety of Self Control" in chapter 4 of *Feminine Appeal*. Connie Wilson and Ginny White will be providing refreshments for us that evening.

As we seek to bless our missionary, Cheryl Euler, let's strive to be faithful in our 2009 pledges to her. If you are unable to attend the monthly meeting, please give your pledge amount to Laura Cox before the last Sunday of the month.

All for Him,  
Patricia Loy

***Forever, O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven.  
Your faithfulness continues throughout all generations;  
You established the earth, and it stands.  
Psalm 119:89-90***



# Reports for December

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## MINUTES SUMMARY

(Norah Lough)

Despite the icy cold weather we had 8 ladies for our December candlelight meeting. Our theme for the evening was mercy. Thanks to Edith Newlin for the festive goodies and to Laurie Scheurich who shared what God's Word has to say about mercy.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

(Laura Cox)

Beginning Balance General Fund	\$	409.22
Income:		
Monthly Offering		5.00
From Missionary Fund		(20.00)
Ending Balance General Fund	\$	394.22



## MISSION REPORT

(Theresa Paschall)

Remember the virtual baby shower we had for Heather Stutzman (Philippines)? (Thank you, Grimes Ladies, for hostessing this event!) Well, the real recipient has arrived! Samuel Joseph Stutzman was born on Friday, December 12th. Although he weighed in at only 5lb 15oz, the doctor declared him healthy and both he & Heather went home right on schedule. We are so thankful for this new little life and pray for wisdom for both Heather and Jeff through the next few months of learning and adjustment.

Cheryl Euler (New Tribes-Florida) is leaving the sunshine of Florida for snowy Kansas this Christmas. She sends her thanks to each of you for your continued prayers & financial support. Cheryl does have a few specific requests she would like each of us to remember:

- For a married couple moving into the Latham Center
- For those at the who recently lost loved ones
- For her daily walk with the Lord & relationships with other staff
- For the winter volunteers & God's timing in starting the Multi-Purpose building
- For her Christmas plans & for her to remember to always put God's will first

Don't forget to hang up your 2009 PBC Missions Calendar!

## CHURCH FUNCTION MEALS

(Donna McKnight)

No Report Submitted.

## CARDS AND FLOWERS

(Jill Byers)

Flowers were delivered to the Loys to celebrate their newest blessing.

## CHURCH DECORATIONS

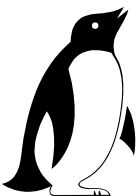
(Erica Reed)

The decorating committee would like to thank Christy Faulkner for the donation of the 15 ft. Christmas tree and the nativity scene, they are a beautiful addition to our Christmas decorations! Hopefully by the time this newsletter goes out all the Christmas decorations will have been put up for next year!

## ADULT SECRET PALS

(Linda Cowin)

We are starting a new year and do not know what lies ahead, only the LORD knows. Continue prayer for your secret pal, I know that she appreciates it and needs it. Psalm 66:8, "Oh, bless our God, you peoples! And make the voice of His praise to be heard, who keeps our soul among the living, and does not allow our feet to be moved."





## IN-HOME MEALS

(Cheryl Hughes)

We provided meals in December for Rex and Lee Hathaway following Rex's stroke. Thank you ladies.



## HOSPITALITY

(Trisha Rowe)

No Report Submitted.



## PRAYER SUPPORT

(Melissa Phillips)

### Open Requests for our immediate church family & missionaries:

1. **Rex Hathaway**, comfort following the "home-going" of his wife, Lee, and continued recovery from recent stroke (12/23)
2. **Merle Buchholtz**, health issues including kidney failure (12/18)
3. **Kristin McConnell**, recovery from fall (12/18)
4. **David Shaw**, currently at Rehabilitation Hospital of Indiana after hospital stay due to Parkinsons (12/13)
5. **Shirley Shaw**, health issues (12/13)
6. **Rex Hathaway**, home recovering from stroke which affected his vision and strength (12/8)
7. **Jill Moraga**, continued recovery from recent surgery & hospitalization (11/22)
8. **Rocky Reynolds**, health issues including Hepatitis C (11/11)
9. **Betty Poynter**, health issues (10/14)
10. **John Russell & Family**, comfort following the "home-going" of his mother, Peggy (9/18)

### Open Requests for extended family members, previous church members & friends

11. Dave, Jeff Livingston's father, recovery from open-heart surgery (12/23)
12. Melody Culver (45), Janie Farrington & Rita Stedman's niece, Stage 4 cancer (1/2/09)
13. Bill Hammons, Ray Hammons' brother, hospitalized with double pneumonia
14. Marie Euler, former member of PBC, health issues (12/4)
15. Vicky Whitehead, Angie Watson's best friend's mother-in-law, ovarian & stomach cancer (12/4)
16. Jim Seamon, Carroll & June Rance's good friend, cancer (12/3)
17. Bob Lawson, Ray and Barbara Hammons' son's father-in-law, accident damaged feed (12/2)
18. Marino, Kay Moster's niece's husband: cancer surgery (11/24)
19. Craig, Hugh & Betty Poynter's grandson: blood clot in lungs and leg (11/6)
20. Carol Gillespie, pray for strength, grace and mercy as she faces squamous cell carcinoma (12/17)
21. Chris Johnson, Gayle Lindley's brother, cancer (10/20)
22. Dorothy Anderson, Pat Connell's mother, health issues (10/18)
23. Tom, and his wife, Brenda, Connie Wilson's brother & sister-in-law, as they care for Brenda's sister, Leigh Ann (42, down syndrome) in their home (9/21)
24. Don Calhoun, Connie's step father, diagnosed with prostate cancer (9/21)
25. Myles, Virginia Ford's great grandson, lymphoma in his lungs (9/14)
26. Sandy, John & Linda Huizenga's daughter, God's invention in a situation & His will (9/11)

