



Burning News

RESERVE VOLUNTEER
FIRE DEPARTMENT

SEPTEMBER

Firefighters R Hot!

WE FIGHT WHAT YOU FEAR

STATISTICS of FIRE CALLS for JULY

FIRE CALLS: 8

EMS CALLS: 20

TOTAL CALLS: 28

NOTE: TRAININGS CHANGED TO
WEDNESDAYS! LSU CLASSES SCHEDULED

Winner of the
Oil-Less Fryer was
Chief Glenn Bourg



Happy
Anniversary!
None

SEPTEMBER SPECIAL ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBER

Replacing
**Phillip Vicknair,
Jr.**

who resigned



"REKINDLES"

INSPIRATIONAL THOUGHTS

A joyful heart is like a sun-
shine of God's love.

—Mother Teresa

Take the first step in faith. You
don't have to see the whole
staircase, just take the first
step.

Martin Luther King, Jr.



Gordon Tamplain

Joe Brasington

Danny Aucoin

Phillip Vicknair



Think About It...

Work consists of whatever a
body is obliged to do, and
play consists of whatever a
body is not obliged to do."
Mark Twain

If you can't fix it with a ham-
mer, you've got an electrical
problem. Then again, what
about duct tape?

An expert is somebody who
learns more and more about

PATRIOT Day 9/11...Let Us Not Forget

less and less.

BOSS

The thing that mother allows
father to think that he is!

The younger we are, the
more we try to change the
world. The older we get, the
more we want to change it
back!

Wealth can be a curse—
especially if your neighbors
have it!

WORLD

A big ball that revolves on its
taxes!

Gratitude is the heart's
memory!

ALL ABOUT SMOKE ALARMS—The Single Most Effect Means of Preventing Fire Fatalities

The two most common type of household smoke alarms are known as **ionization** and **photoelectric**. An **ionization** smoke alarm ionizes air in the sensing chamber by using a small amount of radioactive material creating a conductive environment between two charged electrodes also in the smoke alarm. Smoke entering the chamber decreases the air in the chamber; after this reaches a predetermined level the alarms sounds. Most smoke alarms in homes are ionization smoke alarms. A **photoelectric** smoke alarm is made up of a light-sensitive sensor and a light-emitting diode. Smoke entering the chamber fractures the light beam, and the alarm will sound. Neither alarm is necessarily more effective than the other. Each operates and responds differently to various conditions and principles. Some advantages to each are listed below, from information found online:

Ionization

- Fastest type to respond to flaming fires
- Lowest cost and most commonly sold
- Some models have a hush or temporary silence feature that allows silencing without removing the battery
- Some models are available with a long life battery

Photoelectric

- Fastest type to respond to slow smoldering fires and white or gray smoke
- Less prone to nuisance alarms from cooking

The [U.S. Fire Administration](#) (USFA) recommends that all homes or places where people sleep be equipped with either both ionization and photoelectric smoke alarms or dual sensor smoke alarms.

Smoke alarm batteries must be changed; pick a time once a year that is easy for you to remember (birthday, seasonal time change, etc.) to change your batteries. If your smoke alarm begins to make a chirping noise, replace the batteries.

Important Smoke Alarm Information Links: [CPSC: Why, Where, and Which](#) [FMPSC: Smoke Alarm Fact Sheet](#) [CPSC: Test All Smoke Alarms \(Detectors\) and Annually Replace Batteries, Develop and Rehearse an Escape Plan](#) [NIST: Home Smoke Alarm Tests](#) [UL: Smoke Alarm Safety Tips](#) The [Fire Marshal's Public Safety Council](#) has an easy-to-understand guide with colorful sketches that is recommended for printing out and keeping as a constant reminder and quick reference; please see the [Facts About Smoke Alarms](#) page for more information. Importantly, the [National Fire Protection Association](#) (NFPA) also has information on alarms and escape plans for those that are [deaf or are hard of hearing](#).

Please see the USFA Fire Safety Administration website for more important information on smoke alarms:

_____ Taken from the State Fire Marshall's Web Site. _____

And, the Moral of the Story...

Two robins were sitting in a tree. "I'm hungry", said the first one. "Me too," said the second. "Let's fly down and find some lunch." They flew down to the ground and found a nice plot of plowed ground full of juicy worms. They ate and ate until they could eat no more. "I'm so full, I don't think I can fly back up to the tree," said the first robin. "Me either. Let's just lay here and bask in the warm sun for awhile," said the second robin. The first robin agreed and they plopped down, basking in the balmy weather. No sooner than they had fallen asleep, a big, fat Tomcat sneaked up and gobbled them up.

As he sat washing his face after his meal, he thought, "I just love baskin' robins!"

A beggar walked up to a well dressed woman shopping on Rodeo Drive in California and said, "I haven't eaten anything in four days." She looked at him and said, "My God, I wish I had your will power!"

The residents of a small Pennsyl-



vania town woke up one morning as the river overflowed and flood waters literally rose to the rooftops. Sitting atop their chimney, two little boys were surveying the scene. Cars floated by, a doghouse and a dog drifted past, and suddenly one of them noticed a beret moving first one way in the water, then the other. "Hey did you see that hat? First it goes this way, then that way, then back again!" "Oh" answered the other, "that's my dad. Last night he said that come hell or high water, he was going to cut the lawn today."



Church Bloopers 😊

≈Our next song is:

“Angels We Have Heard Get High”.

≈Don't let worry kill you—let the Church help.

≈Remember in prayer the many who are sick of our church and community.

≈For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

≈Weight Watchers will meet at 7:00 pm at the First Presbyterian Church. Please use large double door at the side entrance.

≈The rosebud on the altar this morning is to announce the birth of David Alan Belzer, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Julius Belzer.

≈This being Easter Sunday, we will ask Mrs. Lewis to come forward and lay an egg on the altar.

≈This afternoon there will be a meeting in the South and North ends of the church. Children will be baptized at both ends.

≈The service will close with Little Drops of Water. One of the ladies will start quietly and the rest of the congregation will join in.

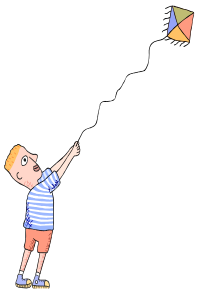
≈Next Sunday, a special collection will be taken to defray the cost of the new carpet. All those wishing to do something on the carpet should come forward and do so.

≈The ladies of the church have cast off clothing of every kind. They can be seen in the church basement Saturday.

≈The Senior Choir invites any member of the congregation who enjoys sinning to join the choir.

≈At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be “What is Hell?” Come early and listen to our choir practice.

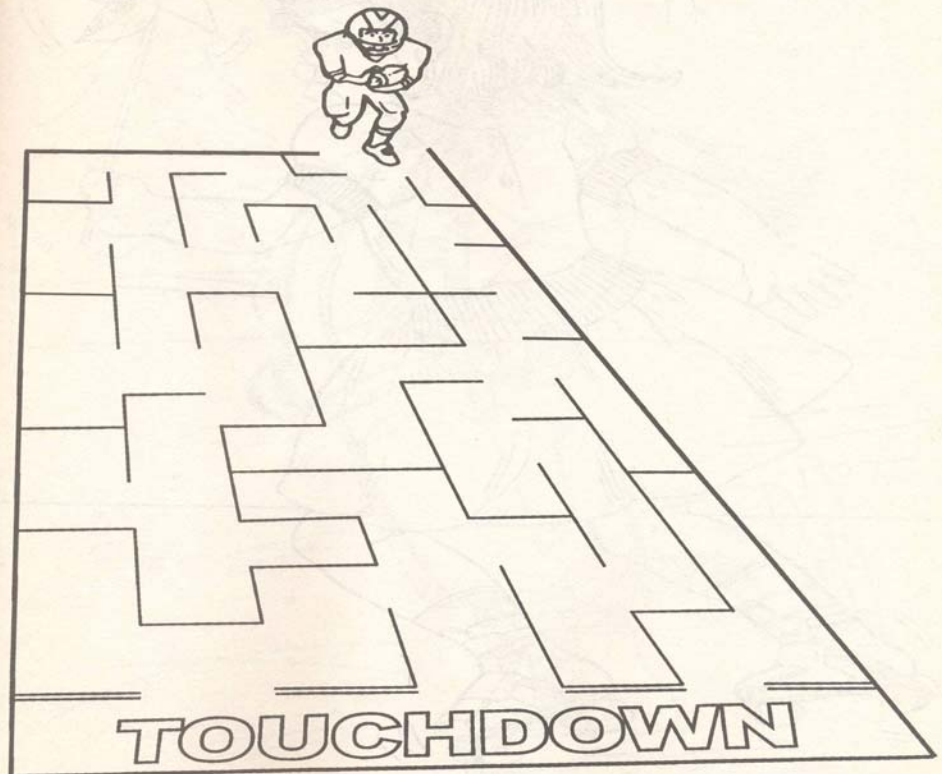
≈The eighth graders will be presenting Shakespeare's “Hamlet” in the church basement on Friday at 7 p.m. The congregation is invited to attend this tragedy.



Children's Corner

FOOTBALL MAZE

Help the running back get to the end zone without crossing any lines.



Question:

Did you hear about the Alabama fan who went shopping at the Mall for the very first time?

Answer:

The power went out and he was stuck on the escalator for 3 hours!

Gary:

A man just sold me the Nile River!

Larry:

Egypt you!

Question:

What do you call a polar bear wearing ear muffs?

Answer:

Anything you want; he can't hear you!

Question:

Did you hear that a steamroller ran over Batman and Robin?

Answer:

Now they're known as:

“Flatman” & “Ribbon”!



WHAT SHE SAYS....	WHAT SHE MEANS...
You want	You want
We need	I want
It's your decision	The correct decision should be obvious by now
Do what you want	You'll pay for this later
We need to talk	I need to complain
I'm not upset	Of course, I'm upset you moron
This kitchen is inconvenient	I want a new house
You need to learn to communicate better	Just agree with me
No	No
Maybe	No
Do you like this recipe?	It's easy to fix, so you better get used to it!
John's wife Linda sure looks nice in that new dress...	Give me the credit card, and don't look at the bill!



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