

ANNOUNCEMENTS Week of September 21, 2008

Sunday September 21
Prayer Warriors for Children & Youth
12:15 pm Visitors Lunch with Pastor in Gym
5:00 pm Puppets Meet
6:00 pm Fusion (Youth)

Monday September 22
7:00 pm Boy Scouts
7:00 pm SPRC Meeting

Tuesday September 23
9:45 am Staff Meeting
6:00 am Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm Women's Bible Study

Wednesday September 24
5:15 pm WFN
5:30 pm Confirmation Class
6:00 pm Youth Life Groups
6:30 pm Wesley Writers
7:30 pm Praise Team Rehearsal

Thursday September 25
9:30 am Piece Makers

Friday September 26
6:30 pm Women's Time Away/Dinner & Movie



Welcome our Guest Pastor, Rev. Doug Miller, who is preaching at both services, 8:30 & 11:00 and will also be leading a combined Adult Sunday School Class at 9:45 in the Gym.



Condolences to the Hollingsworth Family on the loss of Ken's Mother, Wyvonne Hollingsworth.

Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming Events

September 28 Bible Presentation
October 5 Worship Team Meeting
October 5 The Pony Express Begins (see Insert)
October 5 Youth Parent Meeting
October 5 Co-ed Volleyball begins (see ad in insert)
October 6 Trustees Meeting
October 14-17 WCP Book Fair
October 16 Prime Timers
October 18 UMW Meeting
October 20 Church Council
October 25 Women's Time Away/Brunch & Dallas Museum of Arts
October 27 SPRC Meeting
October 30-31 WCP Fall Parties & Dress up days



A Granite Monument has been placed in the Prayer Garden due to the efforts of Carol Boston and Mike Michaels. This is a beautiful memorial dedicated to the Saints of Wesley. Take a moment to visit the Prayer Garden and see this beautiful monument.

SADDLING UP FOR STEWARDSHIP

Sept. 21 "Are You Ready to Ride?" Matt:6:25-33
Sept. 28 "How Much Riding Are We Talking About" Matt: 23:23; Malachi 3: 6-10
October 5 "It's a Joy Ride" 2 Cor. 9: 6-11



OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDY



The Koinonia Sunday School Class meets in Room 107 at 9:45 a.m. every Sunday under the leadership of Rev. Barry Smith. Soon we will be looking back on General Conference 2008 and we should be assessing the state and direction of our denomination as determined by policies formulated and confirmed and by resolutions considered and adopted or lost. Over the next eight weeks we will be studying the words of our Lord to the SEVEN CHURCHES in The Revelation of John Chapters 2 and 3 and what He is saying to the Church today. Everyone is welcome.

The Oasis Class meets on Sunday morning in Room 106A, expressing their love for Christ and Christian care and concern for others through acts of kindness, giving, and lively round table discussion facilitated by various class members. We are beginning a new series, What's So Amazing About Grace, by Phillip Yancey. It will be facilitated by Chuck Boston and Gregg Dupree. Come, join us!

The Quest Sunday School Class meets in Room 106 in the Education Annex. Quest is currently studying the book of James

The Fellowship Sunday School Class meets at 9:45 in Room 104 A. The lessons for the fall quarter will look at the New Testament through the eyes of the community. We discuss the core values and teachings of this new community and conclude with a focus on a community of servants. This study explores how the community members were equipped for ministry, how they handled conflict, their witness in the world and the persecution they faced because of their witness.

For Children, ages 0 thru 5th grade: Nursery is available for children up to age 3. We have Sunday School for children ages 2 years thru 5th grade in our Education Building across the breezeway. Children's Worship is for children 3 years thru 3rd grade. They begin in the sanctuary with their families and are dismissed after Children's Moments or the Gloria Patri. (Note: Children's Church does not meet on Communion Sundays.) The children are divided into two groups: Promise Kids, for children ages 3 thru 5 years, meets in the Nursery. Children's Church, for children in grades K thru 3rd grade, meets in Room 108A; straight down the hall, the last room on the right. WFN—Wesley Fellowship Night is on Wednesday evenings from 5:15—7:30 for children ages 4 years thru 5th grade. The children have Bible Study time, eat dinner (parents/guardians are invited) and have choir practice. We look forward to nurturing your children through any or all of these ministries.

Jr./Sr. High Youth—known as "Fusion". The name for the group is based on Romans 6:5, which says, "If we have been united with Him like this in His death, we will certainly also be united with Him in His resurrection." (NIV). Fusion means coming together or uniting. Join us on Sunday mornings and evenings and Wednesday evenings.

Women's Bible Study meets Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. in the Oasis SS Classroom. Our new topic is John 3:16 Led by Shirley Clark. Contact any of the following members for more information: Carol Boston, Yvonne Campbell, Shirley Clark, Joann Cook, Dana Dupree, Sandra Graham, Liz Jones, Pat Salas or Terry Young.

United Methodism—101 seven week study gives a brief overview of the history, beliefs and ministries of the United Methodist Church. Sunday mornings 9:45 am to 10:45 am from October 5-November 16 in the Library. Sign up in Narthex.