Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

Announcements • August 25, 2012

Ken Treybig, Pastor

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Friday Sunset: 7:56 PM (ET), 7:45 PM (R)

East Texas: The Broadway, Tyler – 2:30 PM

Song Leader – Daniel Elliott Pianist – Wesley Johnson Sermonette – Gordon McCarty Sermon – David Johnson

Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston – 1 PM

Song Leader – Connor Kelley Pianist – Johna Barnette Sermonette – Johnny Callender Sermon – John Trotter

General Announcements

Camp Update

Camp Heritage ended last Sunday, completing all our summer programs. It also went extremely well. Thank you for your prayers on behalf of all our camps this summer. It is clear God has greatly blessed us with wonderful staff, enthusiastic and cooperative campers and very few injuries!

Sabbath School

Sabbath School will begin September 1st, and we will have a brief meeting immediately after church **today** for all parents of children involved this year. Please meet near the stage so we can discuss our new schedule and theme this year. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Choir Practice

We will have a short choir practice after services **today**, right after the Sabbath School parents' meeting. Please watch for the end of that meeting so we can start quickly after it ends.

Men's Leadership Club

Our first meeting will be after services **today** at 5 PM. Assignments were sent out via email and the shared Google doc, but if you have any questions, see Daniel Elliott, our club president for this year.

Excused Absence Forms

If you need an excused absence form for work or school, please sign the list on the Information Table (one name per line, please) and we will prepare them to distribute the following Sabbath.

Teen Activity

There will be one more tennis clinic this Wednesday night, August 29. It will again be from 7 – 9 PM at the Gladewater High School courts.

Volleyball Practice

Volleyball practice will begin Sunday, September 9, from 9-11 AM and will be held at the Big Sandy Middle School Gym. You can check the calendar on the <u>www.cogwaet.org</u> website for other practice dates.

Teen Fundraiser

The teens are selling calendars again this year as a fundraiser to assist in getting to Winter Family Weekend. They are selling 2013 "God's Creation" wall calendars as well as pocket calendars (each \$6). They are available from teens as well as at Granary Street stores as in the past.

Feast Activity Information

Activity schedules and descriptions for our U.S. Feast of Tabernacles sites are currently posted at http://feast.cogwa.org. Please be sure to check out the activities at the site you will be attending as soon as possible. In some cases there are early commitments or tickets that must be purchased in advance of the Feast and deadlines are coming up soon. Thank you for your help in this regard. Some sites continue to add activity information; therefore, it would be wise to keep an eye on your specific Feast site to see what is being planned.

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Deacon/Elder Meeting

There will be a Deacon/Elder Meeting Wednesday, September 5, at 7 PM at Hillcrest.

FOT Children's Choir

The music for Children's Choir at the Feast is now available online. If you need help with the file downloads, please contact Mr. Treybig.

Kerryille Feast Information

Sabbath services WILL be held on September 29th at 3 PM at the Inn of the Hills in the Bluebonnet Room. Please bring your hymnals for this service. We are planning to project hymns during the Feast.

We do request registration and prepay for some activities. All this is available at the Kerrville Site Description page.

Houston Music Festival

The Houston Music Festival will be held on Sunday, September 2nd at IncrEdible Delights restaurant at the Atascocita Country Club, located at 20114 Pinehurst Drive, Humble Texas. Bands consisting primarily of our church members will provide a variety of music including soft ballads, country, blues, rock and metal. Members can sign-up by providing the total number of people in their party to David Buchanan at Buchananenvironmen-

tal@embarqmail.com. Sign up quickly as the size of the event may be limited.

Because the restaurant is using our information to determine how much food to purchase for concessions, please do not sign the list unless you will attend. For liability reasons

no outside food or drinks can be taken onto the grounds, however, the restaurant will provide hamburgers, beef hot dogs soft drinks, water, beer and mixed drinks at reasonable prices. The restaurant offers an excellent Sunday morning brunch from 10:30 AM to 2 PM for \$16.99 - for more information about the brunch call 281-812-2030.