

Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

Announcements • November 3, 2012

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Friday Sunset: 6:31 PM (ET), 6:20 PM (R)

East Texas: Boys & Girls Club, Tyler – 2 PM

Song Leader – Wesley Johnson

Pianist – Ardith Weiss

Sermonette – Rod Gehrke

Sermon – Ken Treybig

Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston – 1 PM

Song Leader – Johnny Callender

Pianist – Vicky Morton

Sermonette – Chris Teague

Sermon – Larry Salyer

General Announcements

Announcing FI-Online

Over 650 people have registered for the Foundation Institute Online Bible class on Wednesday nights, beginning November 14. If you register, you will be able to ask questions after the class. If you don't register, you can watch the archive video, available starting on Thursdays.

You can register by going to <http://foundationinstitute.org/> and clicking the FI Online button on the top right.

Service Location & Time

We are at the Boys & Girls Club of Tyler this Sabbath, but we will be back at The Broadway for the rest of November. Services for East Texas will be at 2 PM for the remainder of the winter.

Snacks

We will not have snacks today due to the Be Our Guest social. Coffee will be served before services but not after.

Sabbath School

We will have Sabbath School today in the room adjacent to the meeting room.

Be Our Guest Social

We are looking forward to a fun evening of food and fellowship TONIGHT!

All hosts/hostesses know who is coming to dinner. All guests have been contacted about their contributions and arrival times. Please see Nancy Worthen for a map to your host/hostesses' home. The maps will be made using the Boys & Girls Club as a starting point.

This year we would like to send an article to One Accord about the Be Our Guest Dinner. If you are participating in this event, please share pictures and comments with Nancy Diraison to be included in her write-up by next Sabbath, November 10. Anybody who makes a submission will have a chance to review the draft before it is sent in to check for accuracy. Thank you in advance!

Elders – Here to serve you

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Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time ends tomorrow. Don't forget to set your clocks **back** one hour tonight.

Volleyball Practice

Volleyball practice will be tomorrow, November 4, from 9-11 AM at the Big Sandy Middle School Gym. We will practice next Sunday as well. You can check the calendar on the easttexas.cogwa.org website for other practice dates.

We will be hosting a regional volleyball weekend here in East Texas, November 17-18. If you can help by providing housing for members, please sign the list on the Information Table. On Saturday night the teens will have a sock hop at the Middle School gym while adult games are being played in the High School gym.

Teen Garage Sale

The last day for the Teen Garage Sale is Sunday, November 4, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Vital Earth facility on Hwy. 80 in Gladewater. Come out and see what we have! Special thanks to Nanette Ditto for organizing the sale, Rochelle Boyce and the family of Charles Black for their generous donations, all the donors, those who

worked the sale, and especially Scott Hammer for the use of his facility. We appreciate your support! Proceeds go toward offsetting the costs for the teens to attend Winter Family Weekend in December in Louisville, Kentucky.

Men's Leadership Club

Our next meeting will be November 10 after services at 5 PM in the second floor meeting room.

Teen Bake Sale Fundraiser

Gobble, gobble...it's nearing Thanksgiving and time for the **Teen Bake Sale** on Friday, **November 16**. Please sign the list on the Information Table if you would like to donate baked goods or help work the sale. We appreciate your support! Any leftover items will be sold at concessions during the Regional Volleyball Weekend here in East Texas. If you have any questions, please contact Nanette Ditto.

Transcribers Needed

Greetings from Media Operations. We need to put together a team of volunteers who can transcribe sermons (and perhaps occasionally other audio/video projects) for posting on the member website. Everyone can benefit from having transcriptions, of course, but they help in particular those who are hearing impaired. In addition, we've had requests for transcriptions for those who don't have Internet access in order to provide them with a greater level of spiritual food.

We simply don't have the time or resources at the office to devote to filling this need, but we know that there are probably

a number of members who would be delighted to serve in this project. The following are the general requirements for a transcriber:

- Basic computer and word processing skills.
- Good typing skills.
- Good knowledge of language and grammar rules. We will provide basic style guidelines, but you still need to have a good grasp of proper punctuation, capitalization, subject-verb agreement, etc.
- An attention to quality control, which is mainly the ability to carefully proofread and self-edit your work before sending it in.
- Free transcription software is available, but you may want to purchase a foot pedal.
- Previous dictation and transcription experience is not essential, but it is certainly a plus.

The time required would vary, of course; but we would adjust the assignments to fit each person's schedule. If this strikes your interest, please email me at clyde.kilough@cogwa.org, by Thursday, Nov. 1. We plan on organizing the transcription team as soon as possible, and further information will be provided at that time.

Houston Family Campout

Attention: All campers! Your brethren in the Houston area are once again pleased to invite you to join them for their fourteenth annual **Houston Family Campout** at the scenic Lake Livingston State Park – **November 9-11**. The park is located about 75 miles north of Houston out US hwy 59 in Livingston, Texas. There is a partial map and directions on the [camping form](#). We have reserved Premium lakefront

campsites, RV sites, and screened shelters (all sites have electricity & water. RV sites also have gray water hookups & 50/30 amp service). A "Welcome Dinner" is provided for arriving campers on Friday evening from 6 to 9 pm at the Activity Center. [A hymn-sing and Bible Study are scheduled for the Sabbath](#). The park offers horseback riding, fishing, hiking, playground for kids, and more. Come and enjoy the great outdoors!

The deadline for making your reservations is Monday, November 5th.

Camping reservation forms are on the Information Table today.

Winter Camp

Remember Winter Camp will run from Dec. 27 to Jan. 1. **The camper application deadline is 15**. For more information and to register online, please visit the COGWA Youth Camps section of our website at <http://camps.cogwa.org>.

Boot Scoot - Save the Date

Howdy, Partners. Mark your calendar for Saturday, February 9, 2013 for the Boot Scoot and BBQ Fundraiser benefiting COGWA Youth Camps! It will be held at the new North Richland Hills Centre beginning at 7 PM. Where else can you get a Texas size beef rib dinner and dancing for only \$20? PLUS, there will be an auction for shopping AND all of the funds raised from the evening go toward the camp fund. Please go to www.bootscoot.org for registration and more information!