Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

Announcements • March 30, 2013

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Friday Sunset: 7:39 PM (ET), 7:28 PM (R)

Sabbath Services

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

Song Leader – Mark Benton Pianist – Wesley Johnson Sermonette – Ed Weiss Sermon – Steve McNeely

Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston – 1 PM

Song Leader – Steve Barnette Pianist – Johna Barnette Split Sermon – Gordon McCarty Split Sermon – Johnny Callender

LDUB Services

10:30 AM-East Texas: Maude Cobb, Longview

Song Leader – Daniel Elliott Pianist – Wesley Johnson Offertory – Preston Buchanan Sermon – Ken Treybig

10:30 AM-Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston

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

2:30 PM-East Texas: Maude Cobb, Longview

Song Leader – John Flynn Pianist – Ardith Weiss Sermonette – Rod Gehrke Sermon – Jim Franks (video) 2:30 PM-Ruston: Holiday Inn

2:30 PM-Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston

Song Leader – John Ivey Pianist – Vicky Morton Sermonette – Chris Teague Sermon – Jim Franks (video)

General Announcements

Location for Services

Services for East Texas will be at the Boys & Girls Club, 504 W 32nd Street in Tyler, on April 6th, 20th and 27th. We will meet at Orr Elementary, Pine Haven Road in Tyler, on April 13th.

Sabbath School

Sabbath School will meet this week. Please come down to the second floor conference room after getting a snack.

Holy Day Offerings

Holy Day offering envelopes are available on the Information Table. Please pick up two envelopes for the spring Holy Days as these envelopes make donation processing much easier. Be sure to put your name and address on the front of the envelope as well as your Donor Envelope Number below the date in the space provided. It can be found on your 2012 year-end receipt.

Checks should be made payable to COG-East Texas, as we will process the offering locally before sending the funds to headquarters. Please do not include other items (tithes, notes, etc.) as that greatly complicates the local processing.

Camp Website & Registration

This year's camp information, including the Challenger Grand Canyon Trek, is available on the camp website. Remember that staff applicants must complete a background check, done via a self-service portal at the end of your online registration. We pay for the service so we ask that staff applicants only run the background check once per calendar year. If you apply for more than one camp we do **not** need a separate background check since it will only give us the same information again.

Submit your application at http://camps.cogwa.org.

Men's Leadership Club

Our next meeting will be next Sabbath, April 6, at 5 PM at the Boys and Girls Club of Tyler.

Teen Bible Study

There will be a teen Bible study after services on April 20.

Second Passover

Please be sure to contact Mr. Treybig if you need to take the second Passover on Tuesday night, April 23.

Church Picnic

The time has come to plan for the annual church picnic! This year it will be at Lake Gladewater on Sunday, April 28,

Elders - Here to serve you

Ken Treybig, Pastor – (903) 844-9246 Frank McCrady – (903) 845-6882 Melton McNeely – (903) 769-3394 John Trotter – (903) 636-4515 Scott Hammer – (903) 845-5189 Les McCullough – (903) 636-5585 Leroy Neff – (903) 636-5248 Leon Walker – (903) 636-4928 from 8 AM to noon. We will be setting up foods and table games in the pavilion. There will be softball and horseshoes outside. We are also planning children's activities and boat rides.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the breakfast potluck last time, so we would like to plan it again this year. Coffee, tea and lemonade will be provided. We would like to ask everyone to bring breakfast-type casseroles, fruits, breads and juices.

There will be a sign-up list on the Information Table this Sabbath. Please sign up under the headings and indicate how many will be attending with you.

If there are any questions please direct them to either Rod and Violet Gehrke or Jim and Harriet Walding.

We would appreciate prayers for good weather Thank you all for your help!

Coin-Roll Fundraiser

The coin-roll fundraiser will be Sunday, May 5, at Rochelle Boyce's house. Please begin collecting coins and coin rollers, which your local bank can provide you, to help us raise money for Foundation Outreach International

(http://www.foundationoutreach intl.org/). If you have any questions, please contact Rochelle Boyce. Thank you for your help!

FOI Service Project

Foundation Outreach International is planning educational projects in the African countries of Ghana and Zambia in early August. There is room for only four young adults. If you are

interested, see the facts sheet on the Information Table.

Prayer Requests/Updates

Mark and Carl Goodchild appreciate your prayers after their head-on traffic accident on the way home from services last Sabbath. Both are grateful not to have any serious injuries.

Please continue to remember **Mr. Les McCullough** in your prayers. He is making progress and hopes to be released to go home soon.

Jon Johnson would appreciate continued prayers for the staph infection on his back to heal up.

Jacob Smith is still having pain around his right knee and would appreciate your prayers.

The Darts are grateful for your prayers. **Mr. Dart** was happy to be able to go home last week from the rehab center.

Linda Foster's mother, **Iva Brantley**, was moved to a rehab center last week and they would appreciate prayers for her hip to heal after the surgery.