

Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

Announcements • August 3, 2013

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Friday Sunset: 8:18 PM (ET), 8:08 PM (R)

East Texas: 708 E Broadway Hall, Gladewater – 2:30 PM

Song Leader – John Flynn

Pianist – Ardith Weiss

Sermonette – Gordon McCarty

Sermon – Ken Treybig

Ruston: Holiday Inn Express, Ruston – 1 PM

Song Leader – Chris Teague

Pianist – Johna Barnette

Sermonette – Rod Gehrke

Sermon – John Trotter

General Announcements

Location for Services

Beginning today, we will meet at the hall located at 708 E Broadway Ave (Highway 80) in Gladewater. Please note the following information about our new location:

- Both restrooms are “uni-sex” but we installed wider doors in the front one (through the kitchen) to make it more accessible. Feel free to lock the outer door (to the storage room) if needed to accommodate a wheelchair.
- The six spaces along the front of the building from the east end (by our door) are for the handicapped or those who have trouble walking longer distances. Additional parking is along the front, the east

side and the large lot on the west end of the building. Those who can park in the large lot will have an easier time getting out on Broadway.

- If you park along the front of the building, note there are no stopping blocks so don’t pull too far forward. Also be **extra** careful when you leave since there is a lot of traffic on Broadway.
- The large room across from the kitchen area will be a Mothers Room during services (for calming small children, changing diapers, nursing, etc.) and a Classroom after services (for Sabbath School, Men’s Leadership Club, etc.).
- The open room with no door beside the kitchen will be for overflow seating during services and for a “children’s room” after services (once we get some children’s activity items in the room).

Work Party

Thanks to everyone who helped last Sunday at the building. We got many items off our “to do list” to be able to meet there this Sabbath! The back

restroom is not completely re-worked, but is usable. We just ask that you overlook the portion under construction and limit your use of the back area.

Feast Children’s Choir

Preparations are being made to have a children’s choir for our children aged 5 to 12 at each of our U.S. Feast sites this fall. (Some international sites may be able to do so as well.) This year the children will be singing two selections: The first piece – “The Way It Works” – is a song about the fruit of the spirit and the principle of reaping what you sow. The second piece – “Walk Worthy of My Name” – begins with the purpose for man – becoming sons of God. Then it goes on to encourage young people (and all) to walk worthy of the name we bear. Both have been approved by headquarters. In order to make the process of obtaining a rehearsal recording and lyrics as easy as possible, mp3 rehearsal tracks and PDF copies of the songs are available to all who would like to participate.

The music is posted on the Feast website; but due to copyright issues, it is password-protected. The credentials will be sent with the August 2 Pastor’s Update. We have permis-

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sion to post the files, but not to share them with anyone who is not attend a COGWA Feast site. Your help in respecting the copyright and royalty rights of the composers is greatly appreciated.

HDO Processing

Volunteers are needed at all U.S. Feast sites to help process the holy day offerings. If you have experience locally, at the Feast or have other similar experience and would like to help this year at the Feast, please sign the list on the Information Table today. The Business Office managers would like to be able to contact you before the Feast. This Sabbath is your last chance to sign up as we need to send the list in Monday.

Summer Camps

Camp Strong Rock (GA) ends this weekend, so a lot of our families and teens will be on their way home. Thanks for your prayers.

Men's Leadership Club

Our first meeting of Men's Club will be Saturday, August 31, 45 minutes after services at the Gladewater hall, in the Classroom. We will have a topics session and all former club members will give a 5-minute ice-breaker for the benefit of our new members. Additional meeting dates will be set at that meeting. As a reminder, club is open to all men who have graduated from high school-from both Ruston and East Texas.