# Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

### Announcements • April 21, 2018

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Web sites: http://cogwa.org, http://easttexas.cogwa.org Friday Sunset: 7:53 p.m. (ET), 7:43 p.m. (R)

## East Texas: 24345 County Rd 3107, Gladewater – 2:30 p.m.

Song Leader – Wynn Worthen Pianist – Kathy Treybig Sermonette – John Flynn Sermon – Ken Treybig

### Ruston: Country Inn & Suites, Ruston – 1 p.m.

Song Leader – Chris Teague Pianist – Johna Barnette Sermonette – Chris Teague Sermon – John Trotter

#### **General Announcements**

#### **Construction Area**

Due to safety concerns, we ask that parents be sure to keep your children out of the old kitchen area behind the auditorium. The cabinets are gone and all the electrical outlet covers were removed so the sheetrock can be repaired. We have pulled the partition doors most of the way closed, but the sound crew needs access to their equipment so we had to leave a small opening. Please note that area is not safe at this time and will be undergoing renovation and construction for a number of weeks, so consider that area off limits until further notice. Thanks so much for your cooperation.

#### **Lost and Found**

There are quite a few items that have accumulated in our lost and found. Please take a moment to check the box in the entryway to claim any items that are yours. We will leave the box out a few weeks, and all items that are not picked up will be donated.

#### Men's Leadership Club

Men's Club will meet **tonight** about 45 minutes after services.

#### Picnic Brunch & Yard Games

We look forward to seeing everyone tomorrow at 10 a.m. for our picnic brunch and yard games. The sign-up list is still on the Information Center if you'd like to come, and there is still time to sign-up to help. Feel free to bring a blanket to sit and eat out on the lawn. We will also set up some tables and chairs on the porch and sidewalk.

#### Mother's Day Meal

On Saturday evening, May 5, our congregation is planning a meal honoring mothers. The meal will begin shortly after Sabbath services.

If you would like to participate, please put your name on the sign-up list at the Information Center and give the total number (include yourself) of family attending. There is also a sign-up list for dish selections

(meat, vegetable, salad, bread or dessert).

#### **Branson Feast Site Change**

The White House Theatre, the location we have used for the Feast of Tabernacles the past seven years, will not be available for our use this year. The owners of the theatre decided to lease it for the rest of the year to another production company. We were just recently informed of this change. The new company was not interested in subleasing it to us for the Feast. We beseeched God to take care of us and reached out to some influential friends in Branson. God intervened and provided for us once again. The Feast of Tabernacles in Branson will now be at The Starlite Theatre, 3115 W. 76 Country Blvd. (You can see pictures of this beautiful facility by searching "The Starlite Theatre, Branson, MO.")

God has blessed us with another fine facility for the Feast in 2018 (and possibly future years). The Starlite Theatre is one of the newer theatres in Branson with seating for 840 people. There is a side street that allows entry and exit from the theatre without getting on Highway 76. The theatre has a large lobby with a diner attached. There is plenty of space

### Elders – Here to serve you

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#### **Camp Deadline Extended**

Howdy, parents and preteen campers! **GREAT NEWS!** The Camp Lone Star application deadline has been extended to **April 23.** (Camp runs from June 10-13, 2018, and staff members arrive June 10.) You can submit your application online by going to <a href="www.camps.cogwa.org">www.camps.cogwa.org</a>, navigating to the Camp Lone Star page and clicking the Apply button. We are looking forward to seeing y'all soon!