

Teen News

We would like to say thank you to all that attended our Chili Cook-off last Sunday night, we really appreciate all the donations. This helps a lot with our LTC trip.

All of our LTC participants will be headed out to Dallas this week to compete in their events. Please keep all our teens in your prayers during this trip.

IN THE VALLEY

God puts us in the valley
 For the trials of the day,
 That's when we find His strength
 To face what may.
 He gives us shelter from the storms
 That life throws our way.
 We go to Him in prayer
 And get the answers there.
 God is in every tomorrow,
 Therefore I live for today
 Certain of finding at sunrise
 Guidance and strength for my way.
 Power for each moment of weakness,
 Hope for each moment of pain,
 Comfort for every sorrow,
 Sunshine and joy after rain.

Dot Rash

The "Singles Again" group went to the Olive Garden in Tyler on Thursday night, April 2. Thanks to all who went along and to Larry Baskin for driving the bus. Everyone had a great time.

Thanks to those who attended Monday Night for the Master last Monday. So many participate in this special outreach ministry and we are grateful for your help in accomplishing all that we do. So many give of their time. THANKS

Garden of Eatin'

One of the preacher's favorite pre-martial jokes is this one:

Adam and Eve had an ideal marriage. He didn't have to hear about all the men she could have married, and she didn't have to hear about the way his mother cooked.

Church Nursery Sign

1 Corinthians 15: 51 "We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed."

DOOR GREETERS— April 12, 2009

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class
 10:30 AM Worship
 6 :00 PM Evening
Wed: 7:00 PM

HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW YOUR HYMNS?

Dentist's Hymn.....Crown Him With Many Crowns
 Weatherman's Hymn.....There Shall Be Showers Of Blessing
 Contractor's Hymn.....The Church's One Foundation
 The Taylor's Hymn.....Holy, Holy, Holy
 The Golfer's Hymn.....There's a Green Hill Far Away
 The Politician's Hymn.....Standing on the Promises
 Optometrist's Hymn.....Open My Eyes That I Might See
 The IRS Agent's Hymn.....I Surrender All
 The Gossip HymnPass It On
 The Electrician's Hymn.....Send The Light
 The Shopper's Hymn.....Sweet Bye and Bye
 The Realtor's Hymn.....I've Got a Mansion Just Over the Hilltop
 The Massage Therapists Hymn.....He Touched Me
 The Doctor's Hymn.....The Great Physicians

AND for those who speed on the highway—a few hymns:
 45 mph.....God Will Take Care Of You

65 mph.....Nearer My God To Thee

85 mph.....This World Is Not My Own

95 mph.....Lord, I'm Coming Home

100 mph.....Precious Memories

Give me a sense of humor, Lord,
 Give me the grace to see a joke,
 To get some humor out of life,
 And pass it on to other folk.

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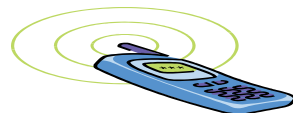
Great Chili and Cake cook-off last Sunday night.



From Dan's desk:

As you read this publication, Audrey and I, along with Bob and Mary Stech will be in the state of Missouri . Audrey and I will both be speaking in Kennett , MO. The lectureship started last Friday and will complete today. We will be back home this week. Thanks to Darrin Stapleton for speaking for us this morning and tonight. He is a student at the Brown Trail School of Preaching in Bedford. We have been supporting this family over the last several months while they complete their work there. I really appreciate all those who went to Buffalo to support the meeting there. It was a wonderful evening. I always appreciate opportunities to be in fellowship with each other and others as well. I understand that the fellowship last Sunday night went well and everyone had a great time. The chili was good and the cakes were delightful. I know, because I tasted the chili before we left for the meeting and Amanda and Billy bought samples of the cakes also. Thanks to all who helped with this effort. I know that the youth appreciate your kindness. The youth will be leaving next week to go to L.T.C. competition in Dallas. They have worked hard. Thanks also to those of you who had your picture taken for the new church directory. It was a busy weekend, but much was accomplished. Continue to pray for those who are ill and those who have lost loved ones in death. See you next Sunday. Thanks to all our visitors who are in attendance this morning. Do come back to visit with us.

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES
OR PUT THEM ON VIBRATE.



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

ANN FULFORD had hip surgery at East Texas Medical. She is in rehab now.

DON FULCHER underwent surgery in Dallas last Tuesday in Dallas. Continue to pray for Him.

GARY OLIVER continues to undergo Chemo treatments for cancer.

DARRYL DOUGLASS has recently learned that he has cancer and will be undergoing additional tests and treatment.

TINA ATTAWAY, daughter-in-law of Fred and Beth Freeman, had surgery this last week. She is doing better.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:

Jim Hahn, Ed Furman, Donna Freeman, Ida Lee Parkman, Edith Lamb, Cecil Stanaland, Glenda Wilson, Harlan Cook.

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

John Hail, III, Michael Harding, Walt Smith, Jeffery Oden, David Grubbs & David Sims

The chili supper and cake cook-off went great last Sunday night. DENNIS ELLISON won first place with his chili and JAN TODD won first place in the cake division. It was great to be with each other and the food was really delicious. Thanks to all who attended.

BEWARE OF "MY" WAY

The Lord wants us to desire to obey and serve Him. His plan is for us to "seek first the kingdom of God..." (Matthew 6: 33). But man has a problem and that problem is self. Self too often gets in our way and instead of following the Lord's way, we follow our own way. The Lord's way becomes "my" way instead of "His" way. Beware of "my" way! It often follows these paths.

My idea of salvation:

Working out my salvation according to my feelings and thoughts instead of following the Lord's plan found in the New Testament.

◆ **My idea of a sinner:**

The man for whom I have a personal dislike.

◆ **My idea of working for the Lord:**

Attending worship services every now and then. Doing as little as I can and still feel good about it.

◆ **My idea of visitation:**

Everyone coming around to see me.

◆ **My idea of a wise man:**

The man who listens to nobody but me.

◆ **My idea of unity:**

Everyone agreeing with me.

◆ **My idea of sympathy:**

Everybody suffering for and with me.

◆ **My idea of the church going forward:**

The church doing what I want it to do and doing it the way I want it done.

Don't let any of these ways be your ways in the Lord's work. Strive to put on this attitude, "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" Seek always to do the Lord's will as it is recorded in His word. Make this your daily aim and goal.

Dan Gibson