

# Keeping In Touch

November 14, 2012



## Ernest Bryson to Preach Sunday

The Church at Lake Cherokee welcomes Ernest Bryson as preacher this Sunday, Thanksgiving Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>.

Ernest is a student at Perkins Theological Seminary at SMU preparing for ministry as a second career. He's grateful for opportunities to preach at The Church at Lake Cherokee, and members have graciously welcomed his participation.

This Sunday, join in worship to welcome Ernest back.

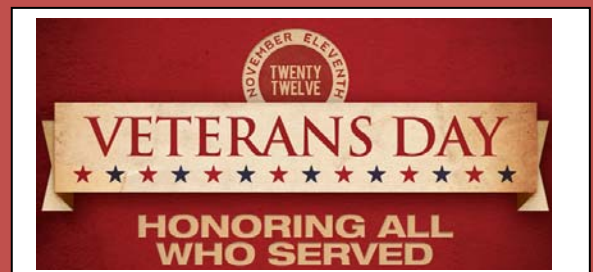
## Mother's Day Out Begins

Following months of planning a Mother's Day Out program has been initiated at The Church at Lake Cherokee. The service is available Mondays and Thursdays, 9:00 AM-2:00 PM in Fellowship Hall for ages 2-5 years old. The program provides child care, snacks, wipes, and water to drink. Participants provide lunch, a nap mat/blanket if nap is needed. The cost is \$26 per week with a \$52 registration/supply fee per "semester;" however, this fall that fee is prorated to \$26. Mother's Day Out is open to the community and follows the public school schedule.

Visit our new website,  
[thechurchatlakecherokee.com](http://thechurchatlakecherokee.com), for information,  
calendar and, updates!

## Veterans Honored

Members of THE CHURCH AT LAKE CHEROKEE who have served in the U.S. Military were recognized in worship Veterans Day. Veterans include: Albert Luepnitz, USAF; Allyn Devens, USAF; Art Suter, US Army; Charlie Whalen, USAF; Clint Dodson, USMC; Darrell Wolven, Indiana National Guard; David Nichols, US Army; Ed Arneson, USMCR, USAF; Ed Holley, US Army; Edward Steele, US Navy; Jack Ober; Jack Ward, US Army; James Allen, USAF; James Wallace, US Navy; Jimmie Knight, US Army; Jimmy Lee, US Army; Joe Reeves, US Army; Karl K. Cunyus USAF; Mark Hale, USMC; Mike Hendrick, US Army; Paul Bryan, USMC; Ray Eustace, USMC; Ronnie Irwin, US Army; Scott Cole, USAF; Thomas White, USMC; Tommy Pelton, US Navy; and Woodie Johnson, USAF, Arkansas Army National Guard.



## Men's Breakfast November & December

Thanks to cooks James Allen and Ronnie Irwin --assisted by Dave Clark-- for a great Men's Breakfast the first Saturday of November. Unfortunately, the primary program had to reschedule until after the first of the year; however, Bill Smythe presented a devotional on "Making the Right Choices," which we don't always do.

For the next Men's Breakfast, December 1<sup>st</sup>, Pete Martinez will present a program on massage therapy.

**Remember:** men of the church --and some women too-- are committed to **MISSION IMPOSSIBLE**. See are related article!

# Women's Ministries

An outreach mission of **Women's Ministries** at The Church at Lake Cherokee is the **Backpack Program** providing meals for children in the school lunch program to take home for evenings and weekends. Thanks for the congregation's generous support! Wow!

Women of the church look forward to a January **Movie Night** --date to be announced-- following a successful November event.

There will be a Women's Ministries **Leadership Meeting** during lunch November 25th.

**Morning Bible Study** ends Tuesday, November 21 to resume January 8<sup>th</sup>. Information will follow on the Evening Bible Study.



## Share Christmas Plans

As Holiday Plans are made for small groups, church classes or other organizations in the church, please share those plans by emailing the church so that dates can be placed on the church calendar and events can be publicized in "Keeping In Touch."

Email [thechurchatlakecherokee.com](mailto:thechurchatlakecherokee.com).

- **Genesis Sunday School Class Party & Dinner**, 12/14; 6:45 at the Smythes
- **Kids Kount Outing to Marshall Lights**, 12/9, 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- **Kids Kount Kristmas Karoling Party** with Dinner, While Elephant Gift Exchange and "S-more;" 12/16, 5:00 at the Smythes

## Mission Possible

**Remember:** Mission Possible is ALIVE and Well. Men of the church --and some women, too-- **have** volunteered to do any of the following for members of the church: **Carpentry:** stuck windows, repair loose siding or boards; lock repair; **Mechanical:** gates, fences, help start mowers or other motors; **Painting:** primarily small paint "jobs" / touch-up; **Pickup / Delivery:** any objects that need to be moved or transported; **Plumbing:** stopped up drains, replace toilet parts, repair faucets; **Masonry:** repair curbing around flower beds, repair drives or walkways; **Lawn care:** remove trash or limbs, small trees or shrubs, infrequent mowing, hauling trash; **Electrical:** replace light bulbs, switches or outlets, repair lamps; **Haul:** large item pickup and delivery, haul trash; **Cook:** temporary meal preparation.

**Call** Dave Clark 903-643-2833;  
Ray Eustace 903-643-8227  
or Bill Smythe, 903 643-7238 if you  
"need help around the house."



Be Kind  
to one another

Ephesians 4:32-5:1

Even if you  
disagree on  
stuff.



## Matters of Stewardship

For November 11<sup>th</sup>

General Fund                      \$ 3,477.00

Worship Attendance ~ 142

## Kids Kount Korner

Kids Kount didn't meet Sunday afternoon-because of 11 kids and 3 adults participated in Fall Rally in downtown Longview. Thanks to Mr. Randy and Ms Sharon for sponsoring along with Mr. Bill.

Regularly scheduled Kids Kount resumes this Sunday evening with N-Joy at 5:00 PM followed by N-Gest, N-Involve and N-Spire. Hope you see all 3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders.

Here's our meeting schedule through the Christmas Holidays:

- November 18: Meet at church;
- November 25: NO Meeting due to holiday weekend at church;
- November 2: Meet at church;
- December 9: Special "Outing" to ice skate, see Marshall Lights and have dinner "out;"
- December 16: KIDS KOUNT KRISTMAS (that's "CHRISTMAS") PARTY [Karoling, Dinner at the Smythes; White Elephant Gift Exchange; and lot's "s-more."]
- Weekly Meetings will resume Sunday, January, 6, 2013.

Welcome. Bring a friend.

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