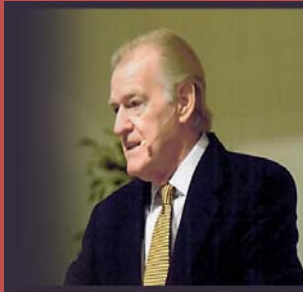


# Keeping In Touch

April 19, 2013



## Dr. Harold Rawlings to Preach



Dr. Harold Rawlings will preach at The Church at Lake Cherokee this Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, speaking about his collection of English Bibles sharing "fascinating and little known history of how the English Bible came to be."

A native of Arkansas, Dr. Rawlings grew up and graduated from high school in Tyler. He holds degrees from Baptist Bible College, Bob Jones University, California Graduate School of Theology and Louisiana Baptist University. He is married and father of five.

He served as pastor in St. Louis and Landmark Baptist Temple in Cincinnati, Ohio. He is now associated with The Rawlings Foundation preaching and teaching in churches, conferences and seminars worldwide.

He is especially in demand for his lecture, "Trial By Fire," a presentation that details fascinating and little known biblical history.

Rawlings is author of *Trial By Fire: The Struggle to Get the Bible into English*, which grew out of his lecture; *Basic Baptist Beliefs: An Exposition of Key Biblical Doctrines* and *The Words of This Prophecy: Messages on the Book of Revelation*.

Along with his preaching, he has a display of old and rare copies of the Bible.

Dr. Rawlings' visit is arranged through a contact made by Mak Hale.

## WOW! Whata' Spaghetti

What a chicken spaghetti luncheon! Thanks to all who helped the youth raise money for a summer mission trip and camping. Along with the lunch, The Church at Lake Cherokee T-Shirts went on sale too! The youth's goal is to raise half of their expenses. SPECIAL THANKS to Elaine Hale, who organized the luncheon, Sue Johnson, Tina Eustace, Jennifer Calk, Jaydean Roberts, Elise Frigon and Elise McIntyre and Bill Smythe who helped with the meal and to the youth who served.

T-shirts are STILL available for \$12.00.



## Free Dance Lessons

Tuesdays, April 16 & 23, 6:30 pm in the gym; Lynda Maxwell, instructor

## Matters of Stewardship

Sunday, April 9, 2013

Meal and T-Shirt Sales	2078.00
General Fund	3403.00

~ Attendance – 145 ~

## Kid's Kount Korner

Hey, thanks so much, "kids," for a great and busy weekend.

1. We had 32 "kids" (we think) on our "Mystery Kamp Out." Thanks to the Bixbys for hosting and to Mr. Patrick and Ms. Terri and Ms. Sharon for chaperoning.
2. The Spaghetti Lunch was great. You did a tremendous job setting up, serving and clean-up.
3. Can you believe that we register 28 kids (Well, 4 adults to Grand and Discovery Camp) for Church Camp! Treee-mendous.
4. Chime Chord will play once before school's out.
5. **IMPORTANT!** There will be no Kids Kount Sunday because so many of our Kids and families will be competing at a tumbling event!

## Samaritan Center Needs Peanut

Martin Luther once identified one of the causes of martyrdom in Christianity as "familiarity." Is he right?

Many of us are "familiar" with the yellow wagon in Fellowship Hall for food donations. Some of us have grown so "familiar" with it that we ignore it.

It's there for a purpose. Staple food items placed there go to Hiway 80 Rescue Mission and The Samaritan Center Pantry in Tatum, both to help folks in need.

The Samaritan Center is particularly in need of peanut butter. Now, in a 'jiffy' run out and buy a jar to place in the wagon. Thanks!



## Domino Night at

### The Church at Lake Cherokee

Put it on your calendar! All-Church *Domino Night* at The Church at Lake Cherokee, Friday, May 1. Tacos, bean, rice and dessert will be served at 6:45. Donations will be accepted for the meal. Games begin at 7:15.

Five *different* domino games will be offered:

1. Draw Dominos or "Regular Dominoes"
2. 42
3. Mexican Train, one large table
4. Chick Foot, and
5. For those who play none of the above, there will be a table where players can "stand them up in rows and knock 'em down."

Come enjoy an All-Church *Domino Night*.  
*Players may provide their own beverages.*

The [Church Calendar](#) is maintained on the church website at [www.thechurchatlakecherokee.com](http://www.thechurchatlakecherokee.com). Be sure to note members' birthdays and anniversaries. Yours isn't there? Email Jeanne Irwin at [jeanneirwin2@gmail.com](mailto:jeanneirwin2@gmail.com). A monthly "Activities Calendar" is emailed monthly.

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## Joys and Concerns

(April 16)

*"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." Philippians 4:6*  
**Please pray for the following**

### Joys:

**Birthdays:** Tim Ford 15<sup>th</sup>, Jimmy Lee 15<sup>th</sup>, Susan Gage 17<sup>th</sup>, Kim Lake 20<sup>th</sup>

**Anniversaries:** Paul & Nita Bryan 14<sup>th</sup>, David & Donna Nichols 19<sup>th</sup>, Don & Karen Nimmo 19<sup>th</sup>

### Concerns:

Barbara Hurlbut, hospice care (Pat Williams)

Barry Matthews (Robert Dragisic)

Brad DeRosia, his wife and children as he is deployed to the West Pacific (Mike and Lori Hendrick's son)

Bradford Maddox, deployed to Spain (Johnny & Karen Taylor's son)

Brenda McGinnis (Alisha Bixby, Mary Wade)

Brian Cooper, cancer (Sheri Whittington)

Camryn Noll, 8 mo old, chemotherapy (Billie Jordan)

Carol Melendy Feather (Marilyn Mould's cousin)

Chuck Conrad

Company B, 3rd Battalion, 144 Infantry, TX US National Guard, Kilgore, 1 year in Afghanistan (Woody Johnson)

**Destry Holcolm (Linda James)**

**Dirk Miller, Jr.'s family on his death (son of Kelly Ward's co-worker)**

Don Hessler (Alice Miller's son)

Dubois Family on death of LuLu, wife of Ray Lee & mother of Brian and Lindsey and also the death of Eleanor Ann, Ray Lee's mother (Anne Abbott)

Duke Welch (Jane and Darrell Wolven)

Dustin Russell (Tucker Dudley)

Gaynell Bragg, (Sheri Whittington)

Greg Lamon (Ronald William's nephew)

J. D. Dillon, (Lynda Maxwell's grandfather), rehab

Jack Lee Speer (Jane and Darrell Wolven)

Jenna Grace Vestfals (Josh & Julie Vestfals' daughter)

Josh Vestfals

Jim Crouch (Dave Clark)

Jim Lackey (Jane Wolven)

Jim Lockart (Donna Reader)

**John Hernandez (Lynda Maxwell's Dad)**

Johnnie Reeves (Tammie Evans)

Joe and Terri Kurlan (Jerry Cargill/Mike Maxwell)

Jonette Reyes, Kay Marling's mom, hospice (Sharon Graves Elise Frigon / Alisha Bixby)

Kathy Harkins, surgery, (Linda Poindexter)

Katy Gukich, Camilla Simmon's mother (Johnny & Camilla Simmons)

Judy Ellard and her family following her suffering a stroke (Dona Reader / Betty Cole)

Kyle Gage

Larry Greenson (Lori Hendrick)

Laura Skinner, Graham's grandmother (Jaxon Evans)

Linda Haskins and family, son diagnosed with cancer (Kelley Ward)

Linda Henderson, Tammy McConnell's mother (Anne Abbott)

Luke Guerro, 3½ yr old, leukemia (Darla Martin)

**Marilyn Benson**

Marlynn Verdugo (Mary Irvin)

Mary Conway (John Wolven)

Michael Vassallo (Linny Ramsey)

Nana (Cora)

Paula Allison, Elise Frigon and Sharon Graves' neighbor (Elise Frigon)

Pat Sweeney (Steve Ramsey)

Patricia & Alan Sims – Patricia had a stroke – improved and in rehab (Ann Mowery)

**Patrick Whittington, surgery pending June 4 (Sheri Whittington)**

Raymond James (Carolyn James' husband) – pending aneurysm surgery (Patty Clark)

**Pete Peerenboom (Peerenbooms)**

Rosemary Persa, cancer (Marilyn Moulds)

Scott Cole

Sheila Brandon (Tammy Evans)

Sherry Roling (Gregg Williams)

Slayton Smith (Steve Ramsey)

Steve & Jane Paine (Anne Abbott)

Vicky White (JoAnne Jordan)

Zane Wright (Sue Johnson)

### Extended Family / On-going concerns:

Bonnie Johnson (Cherise McIntyre's aunt); Betty Cole (Donna Reader's mother); Brandy Parker (Monica Jastrow); Deana Colvin (Jadean Robert's mother); Diane Vermersch (Linda James); Dot Maxwell (Mike Maxwell); Flo Parker (Monica Jastrow's grandmother); Glenda Owen-Jay (Karla Smith's mother); Hazel Taylor (Cherise McIntyre's mother); Community Service Personnel; U.S. Military; Woody & Linda Malone; Jeannie Walker (Vicki Clayton's mother); Lillian Irwin (Garland & Ronnie Irwin & Elaine Hale's mother); Mabel Clark (Dave Clark's mother); Marie Taylor (Johnny Taylor's mother); Mary Nell & Duane James (Ted James' parents); Mary Jane Frezea (Cherise McIntyre's cousin) Nita & Kenneth Lindsey (Sherry Boatman's mother & step-father); Norma Barrilleaux (Sandy Kalmus' mother); Pam Swift (Sherry Boatman's sister); Pauline Howle (Karla Smith's grandmother); Pauline Richardson (Karen Nimmo's mother); Reba Reader (Mike Reader's mother); Karla Smith