

# Keeping In Touch

January 16, 2014



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## Sunday Worship

10:00 Sunday School for All

11:00 Morning Worship

12:00 Fellowship Lunch

## Game Day" to Resume

In February 2014, "Game Day" will resume at The Church at Lake Cherokee. In an attempt to determine the preferred times and day, please speak to Bill Smythe if interested in participating.

"Game Day" will consist of mid-week table games such as Mexican Train, dominoes, Scrabble, other word games or 42 with lunch. The opportunity is open to all in the Lake Cherokee area. What are your preferences?



## Matters of Stewardship

Sunday, January 12, 2014

General Fund	5928.00
Youth Mission Trip	360.00
Cookbook Sales	49.00
Worship Attendance ~	154

DOCK: Daughters of Christ the King



WELCOME TO THE DOCK --Daughters of Christ the King—Women's Ministries at The Church at Lake Cherokee welcoming all women of the church

Important reminder: **DOCK** Planning Meeting, Saturday, January 18th, 9:00 AM, Fellowship Hall. Breakfast will be served. Please call or email Lori Hendrick at [lori.hendrick@hotmail.com](mailto:lori.hendrick@hotmail.com). Areas to plan: **Backpack Program** [volunteers to shop and deliver]; **Dinner and Movie Nights** [dates, movie ideas, volunteers to decorate and cook a light supper for the event]; **Clothes Swap** [dates, people to help]; **Bible Study** [topic, dates, times]; **Fall Bazaar** [evaluate 2013, set date for 2014]; Sunday School Teachers; Child-care; and other new ideas, programs, projects, mission projects.

We're excited about the first Dinner and Movie for 2014, Tuesday January 21, 6:00 PM. Dinner is \$5.00; movie is "PS I Love You." Eleven have "signed up." Please contact Tressie Grant if you plan to attend or want to share a ride: [twoaggs@gmail.com](mailto:twoaggs@gmail.com) or call 318-780-0620.

## Kids Kount Korner

As an update, we have four young people and sponsors to register for JYF (Junior Youth Fellowship) Mid-Winter which is January 24-26. Great news! This is a new area of Kids Kount Youth Ministry, Grades 3-5! At this count, 22 youth and sponsors have "pre-registered" for Mid-Winter for Grades 6-12! Wow. Great going, folks! The official deadline is the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in February. Both events are at Disciples Crossing near Athens.

Now, get this: to date, 26 youth and adults have expressed a serious interest in summer mission trip to work in Oklahoma in an area affected by tornadoes! We have to make a final commitment and deposit by mid-February. That's thrilling!

Information about the dates for summer church camp is now available and provided to parents. If you have questions, see Mike Maxwell, Bill Smythe or go to the church website!

Last Sunday Kids Kount resumed weekly meetings for the spring. What a great crowd! We had "black bottom pizza" (ask a Kid if you want to know what that is); and Ms. Sharon led "N-Counter" about prayer. Thanks to Niki and Darren Groce for inviting Kids Kount to the Ellis Paul concert!

As we approach Easter, Kids Kount will have a six week N-Counter entitled "A Journey With Jesus." Each week Kids Kount "N-cludes:" N-joy (recreation); N-Gest (a light supper); N-service (something for others); N-counter (discussion); and N-Spire, (a closing devotional.) All youth – God's special creatures— are welcome!

## Mission Possible is Still Possible

During worship Sunday, worshipers reviewed mission imperatives of our church. The purpose was MORE to renew commitment to what lies ahead THAN to "thank ourselves" for what's been done.

One additional important mission of The Church at Lake Cherokee is **MISSION POSSIBLE**, an outreach endeavor costing nothing but volunteer time, commitment and a little skill.

In the final months of winter and as spring approaches we renew our commitment to **MISSION POSSIBLE** where volunteer church members are eager to "lend a helping hand" to accomplish "around-the-house" tasks for those who need "a little assistance."

Call Dave Clark, 903-643-2833; Ray Eustace 903-643-8227 or Bill Smythe 903-643-7238 for assistance.

Volunteers are eager and willing to do:

- minor electrical
- minor carpentry
- tasks in the yard, shrubs, fencing, landscaping
- pick up supplies or equipment
- paint or
- move furniture.

As always, additional volunteers are welcomed.



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