

Keeping In Touch

JULY 6, 2016



Sunday, in worship, we were grateful for folks who volunteered:

- *Lori Hendrick, accompanied the service;*
- *Ryan Gibson, trumpet accompaniment; and*
- *Madison Peerenboom, assisting with sound and video.*

*Weekly, volunteers include: **Music**, Dee Kennel, Cindy Dragisic, Marilyn Moulds, Sharon Graves, Scott Cole, Kim Lake; **Sound & Video**, Chuck Conrad, Gregg Williams, Chuck Grant, Ryan Gibson; **Property**, Gregg Williams, Dustin Bates; **Garden**: Tressie Grant; **Greeters**, Bette Slade, Jane Wolven; **Worship Preparation**, Darla Martin, Sue Wilson; **Finances**, Garland Irwin, Gregg Williams; **Joys & Concerns and Membership Data**, Jeanne Irwin; **Youth & Children's Ministries**, Sharon Graves, Karen Cart, Kim Lake, Randy Graves, Terri Peerenboom; the "faithful crew" who dependably "set up" and "clean up" for Sunday meals; and the vast number of folks who respond to families in times of need.*

THANK YOU.



Vacation Bible School

This year's VBS is weeks away, Sunday — Wednesday, July 17—July 20. The event is 6:30—8:30 PM for children Kindergarten through 5th grade. Come celebrate with the theme,

"Surf Shack,

Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love."

Remember that Sharon Graves, director, still needs volunteers to assist! Call Sharon.

Also, Lori Hendrick is recruiting volunteers to prepare and serve supper and snacks.

What? You'll help? Great! Call Sharon, 903 235-4144 or Lori Hendrick.903 235-8684.

Matters of Stewardship

Sunday, July 3, 2016

General Fund	\$5,223.00
"The Market" Booth Fee	52.00
Worship Attendance—	127

Sunday, July 10, 2016

The Church at Lake Cherokee

- + 10:00 AM Sunday School for all ages
- + 11:00 AM Sunday Worship
- + 12:00 PM Fellowship Meal

There's NO Kids Kount this Sunday.

Child Care is provided Sunday School—Lunch. After Lunch "Cleanup" is by members with last name G-L.



> **The Market.** Fall seems so far off; but “now’s the time” to put this date on your calendar: “The Market” is November 19th. If you wish to have a booth for “The Market,” please reserve your space now.

> **Food and Personal Need Donations.** An on-going ministry of DOCK —Daughters of Christ the King— is the collection and distribution of food and personal care items to be distributed locally. You’ll notice a big yellow wagon for food and a containers to accept your gifts of personal care items in Maxwell Hall.

Highlights of Italy

November 4–15, 2016

Image yourself traveling the waterways of Venice; standing at the entrance of the Roman Coliseum, viewing the famous “Leaning Tower of Pizza,” stepping toward the altar of St. Peter’s Basilica at the Vatican! Each of these experiences are yours during a twelve day trip to Italy this fall. If interested, speak to Bill Smythe. The trip is planned with religious, cultural, and artistic interest in mind. The cost includes airfare, lodging, tours, ground travel, admissions, guides and most meals. The trip departs from and returns to Dallas.

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Leaning Tower, Pizza

Kids Kount Korner 7

With youth and adults out of town and involved in Christian Youth Leadership Seminar and Vacation Bible School, there is **NO Kids Kount** for a Kouple of weeks, resuming Sunday July 24. Youth Bible Study, offered on Tuesdays, is also suspended until **Tuesday, July 26th, 6:30 PM. More information to follow.**

Thanks to a passel of youth who are helping with Vacation Bible School, July 17-20.

Two youth, Brandyce Smythe and Madison Peerenboom —leaders in regional and area youth activities— will attend **Christian Youth Leadership Seminar at Disciple Oaks Camp & Retreat near Gonzales, Texas, Monday—Saturday, July 25—30.** Wish them well in this leadership event!

Mission Trip #2 is Friday—Sunday, August 12-14 as youth and adults “head to Dallas” to work with an organization, “Feed My Starving Children.” More information to come. If interested in participating please contact Patrick Peerenboom, 903-431-0818 or email Patrick@thechurchatlakecherokee.com.

Just a reminder: remaining youth events this summer are:

> **Christian Youth Leadership Seminar, Monday-Saturday, July 25-30;**

> **Junior Youth Fellowship Camp, Monday-Friday, August 1-5; and**

> **Mission Trip 2, Friday-Sunday, August 12-14.**

Here’s a **BIG** shout-out to Kids Kount volunteers: Sharon Graves, Randy Graves, Karen Cart, Kim Lake and Terri Peerenboom. **Thank you!**

Help “Cart Off” Hunger

Please place staple food items the Yellow Wagon in Maxwell to be distributed to persons in need in the Greater “Lake Cherokee Area.”

