

Keeping In Touch

JULY 13, 2016



Vacation Bible School Is NEXT Week!

VBS is Sunday — Wednesday, July 17 — July 20. The daily event is 6:30—8:30 PM for children Kindergarten through 5th grade with each evening beginning with a light supper. Come celebrate **"Surf Shack, Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love."** VBS Director, Sharon Graves, still needs volunteers to assist! Call Sharon at 903 235-4144. Also, Lori Hendrick is recruiting volunteers to prepare and serve supper and snacks. Lori's number is .903 235-8684.

Catch the wave! See you at Surf Shack!



Matters of Stewardship

Sunday, July 10, 2016

General Fund \$5721.00

"The Market" Booth Fee \$50.00

Worship Attendance — 113

Money is like time. Time management is not learning how to save it or to get more of it. The secret of time management is knowing how to use it.

Sunday, July 17, 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 M—R.



During the summer months, there are two on-going programs of DOCK:

> **The Market.** It's now 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 Needs 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

It's a "GO." Individuals continue to indicate their interest in traveling to Italy this fall! Join us! We will accept reservations through "early August" to visit the waterways of Venice; stand at the entrance of the Roman Coliseum, view the famous "Leaning Tower of Pisa," stand at the altar of St. Peter's Basilica at the Vatican in Rome! Each of these experiences can be yours during a twelve day trip 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.



Michelangelo's Pieta

Animal Care and Adoptions Center

The Longview Animal Care and Adoptions Center is asking citizens to donate items listed below to help in the operation of the Center. The center needs, feeding bowls, metal and plastic crates, cat and dog toys, leashes, collars, bird cages, supplies, food, and toys; aquarium supplies, and MORE.

A complete list is posted on the bulletin board in Maxwell Hall. Thanks to Nita Bryant for coordinating this effort.



Kids Kount Korner ¶

There's NO Kids Kount until Sunday July 24. Youth Bible Study will resume Tuesday, July 26th, 6:30 PM. More information to follow.

Again, a BIG thanks to youth helping with Vacation Bible School. July 17-20.

Remember that two youth of The Church at Lake Cherokee, Brandyce Smythe and Madison Peerenboom—regional and area youth leaders—will attend **Christian Youth Leadership Seminar at Disciple Oaks Camp & Retreat** near Gonzales, Texas, Monday to Saturday, July 25–30. Wish them well in this leadership event!

Here's what's ahead:

> **Mission Trip #2** is Friday to Sunday, August 12-14. More information to come. If interested in participating, contact Patrick Peerenboom, 903-431-0818 or email Patrick@thechurchatlakecherokee.com.

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

> **Junior Youth Fellowship Camp,** Monday to Friday, August 1-5.