

This Week's News (cont.)

Youth and adult leaders will be headed to Bastrop, Texas, for Christmas U.M. ARMY, December 18–21, to help with disaster relief due to the recent wildfires.

The cost of the event is \$150. Forms and money are due on November 20. Please let Cody Cruise know if you want to go. You can download forms at cmlyouth.com.

Let us give thanks to God at an upcoming service on Sunday, November 20, at 4:00 pm, at St. John's Presbyterian off W. Belfort. The Agape Youth Choir and the Sanctuary Choir will join their voices with the youth and adult choirs of other Braes Interfaith Ministries congregations in an annual Service of Thanksgiving. Rev. Tommy Williams will be preaching.

Your whole family is invited to Family ADVENTure Night, an evening of Christmas crafts and caroling on the first night of the Advent season, Sunday, November 27, from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Everyone can make Christmas crafts, play Wii games, nibble on popcorn, and sip hot chocolate. After dark, families take turns riding in one of two covered wagons lit up with Christmas lights. Each wagon has a karaoke machine so that families can sing Christmas carols while they ride around the neighborhood. This event is free and open to the public, so invite someone!

For the past several years, Westbury UMC has displayed nativity sets from around the world during the Advent season. Some have been donated to the church, but many are on loan from church members each year. Do you have a unique nativity set that you might be willing to loan to be part of our display? If so, please contact the church office or Becky Grinstead at 713-721-5576 to make arrangements by November 25.



All submissions to *The Weekly Word* must be received no later than Wednesday at noon. Email Martha Upton at martha1@westburyumc.org.

Calendar of Events

Week of November 6 – November 13, 2011

Sunday, November 6, 2011, Daylight Saving Time Ends		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)	All Classrooms
9:30 am	Confirmation Class	H22
10:45 am	Worship Service (all ages)	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Adoración en Español	Chapel
2:00 pm	6 th Graders Return from Retreat	
4:00 pm	Agape Youth Choir Rehearsal	200
5:00 pm	Children's Council	Café
5:00 pm	Youth: Juicy Fruit	Humphrey Hall
6:00 pm	Disciple I Bible Study	W203
Monday, November 7, 2011		
7:30 am	Day School Extended Care (M-F)	Children's Wing
8:15 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
9:00 am	Day School (M-F)	Children's Wing
9:00 am	Kroger Health Fair	Humphrey Hall
9:30 am	Mother's Day Out (M,F)	Children's Wing
7:00 pm	Lay Leadership	103
Tuesday, November 8, 2011		
9:00 am	Handymen	101
9:15 am	Day School Chapel	Sanctuary
9:30 am	Crafters	W201
6:30 pm	Pack 705	105
6:30 pm	Community Ministries	102
7:00 pm	The 7:14 Project (Prayer)	Chapel
7:30 pm	Troop 455	Servery
Wednesday, November 9, 2011		
7:00 am	Men's Breakfast Bible Study	Servery
8:15 am	Exercise Class (M,W)	106
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M,W)	106
10:00 am	Staff Meeting	Parlor
1:00 pm	Day School Danse des Enfants	Children's Wing
1:30 pm	Senior Adult Hang Out	105
2:00 pm	Clergy Session with Bishop Huie	Humphrey Hall
6:30 pm	Laity Session with Bishop Huie	Humphrey Hall

6:30 pm	Collide (Youth Bible Study)	H22
7:00 pm	Piecemakers Quilters	W201
7:00 pm	Exercise Group	106
7:00 pm	Al-Anon	105
7:00 pm	Young Adults Bible Study: Parables of Jesus	203
7:30 pm	No Youth Worship Band	
Thursday, November 10, 2011		
9:15 am	Community Bible Study	Parlor
1:00 pm	Day School Gymnastics	Humphrey Hall
6:30 pm	Master Ringers	200
7:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal	200
Friday, November 11, 2011		
Church offices closed		
9:30 am	Mother's Day Out (M, F)	Children's Wing
Saturday, November 12, 2011		
No Basketball all day		
8:00 am	DAR Meeting	Humphrey Hall
5:00 pm	Parents in Fellowship	Parlor
Sunday, November 13, 2011		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)	All Classrooms
9:30 am	Confirmation Class	H22
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Adoración en Español	Chapel
Noon	Beans and Cornbread Lunch	Humphrey Hall
4:00 pm	Agape Youth Choir Rehearsal	200
4:30 pm	Pack 455 Committee Meeting	105
5:00 pm	No Youth: Juicy Fruit	
6:00 pm	Disciple I Bible Study	W203

NOTE: Calendar items, locations and times are subject to change.
To confirm an event, please call the church office at 713-723-0175.

Let Us Pray

This list is provided by the Living Water Caring Ministry. Let us know your prayer requests by calling the church office at 713-723-0175.

IN THE HOSPITAL

Audric Beaulieu, Texas Children's

FAMILY CONCERNS

Kathlyn Fowler
Deborah Liggan
Dot Dickson
Fran Cheadle
Richard Cheadle
Jane Doerr
Naomi Schobelock
Cherie Schobelock
Wava Fick
Billie Hollingshead

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Anne Bell
Rosemarie Brown
Charles, Mary Jo Farwell
Evelyn Houghton
Marvin, Alta Hamilton
Lucendia White

U.S. ARMED FORCES

Robert Behrman, Army
Ibim Briggs, Jr, Navy
Clint Caughman, Marine Corps
Caleb Crosby, Army
Dale Dumo, Marine Corps
Benjamin Goodhart, Navy
Toni Coleman, Air Force
Sean Neufeld, Navy
Michael Palazzotta, Marine Corps
Richard Pennard, Navy
Daniel Smith, Marine Corps
Ayodele Sokoya, Navy
Ben Steves, Navy
Eric Swearingen, Army
Paul Turk, Navy

MISSIONARIES SUPPORTED

Rev. Daniel Wilcox
Bill and Jerry Savuto


OUR STUDENTS

EXTENDED FAMILY CONCERNS

Edyce Dean, mother-in-law of Sevie Dean
Eric Kiel, son of Phyllis Kiel
Sandy Kuntzman, friend of Kathlyn Fowler
Mary Wilkerson, friend of Kathlyn Fowler
Ed Gottlob, friend of Brenda Hallmark
Anna Hale, sister and brother-in-law of Betty Phelps
Sue Lipe, sister of Nina Crawley
Sharon Kann, visitor
Jonathan Phillips, grandson of a friend of Loralva Lakey
Pat Pollard, mother of Linda Korb
Danny Doerr, brother of Ted Doerr
Kelli Babin, daughter-in-law of Donna Babin
Lorraine Sindelar, mother of Linda Tollefson
Billie Jo Chappell, sister of Jackie Rundstein
Emily Fenlon, daughter of Susan Edge, Day School Director

LIVING IN A CARE FACILITY

Virginia Breedlove, Heartland Health Care @ Willowbrook
Charlene Chatfield, Clarewood House
Pat Curtis, Legend Oaks (Copperfield)
Kay Francis, Clarewood House
Beverly Garton
Meriana Gee, The Oasis
Katie Griffin, University Place
Bill Hazlett, Colonial Oaks @ Braeswood
Norma Larks, Emeritus Sugar Land
Monette Miller, Belmont Village West University
Gwynn Molzahn, Clarewood House
Ann Owens, Garden Terrace
Dennis Rabalais, Lumberton, TX
Gayle Sailor, Emeritus Sugar Land
Ruth Sledge, Friendship Haven, Friendswood, TX
Della Sloan, Richmond Health Care
Evelyn Smith, Colonial Oaks
Marjorie Smith, Treemont Rehab Hospital
Sallie Taggart, Seven Acres
Marie Tutten, Clarewood House
Ardith Watson, Clarewood House



Health Fair

Monday, Nov. 7
9:00 am–4:00 pm
Humphrey Hall

Free health screenings
and health coaching

Flu shots for \$25
or free with Medicare B

On Monday, November 7, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, in Humphrey Hall, health professionals will be offering free screenings at the Kroger Health Fair. Members of Westbury UMC are invited to participate! Health screenings include testing for blood glucose, cholesterol, blood pressure and BMI (Body Mass Index). Flu shots will be available for \$25 or at no cost to individuals with Medicare Part B. Booths with health coaches and information about Weight Watchers will also be set up. For more details, call the church office at 713-723-0175 and ask to speak with Cindy Parker.

PASTORAL STAFF

SENIOR PASTOR Rev. Tommy Williams

ASSOCIATE PASTOR Rev. Romonica Malone-Wardley

MUSIC & WORSHIP PASTOR Rev. R. DeAndre Johnson



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After four weeks of studying Advent Conspiracy, we will finish out the series by joining in a simple lunch on Sunday, November 13, at noon. The entire church is invited to a Beans and Cornbread Lunch, hosted by Global Ministries and the Pathfinders Sunday School Class. This is an annual lunch when we remember together all the people around the world who have little to eat and learn ways to support the efforts of feeding and caring for others. What better way to prepare for the Advent season than being together in community and prayerfully considering how God wants us to support missions! Beans, vegetarian beans, cornbread and fruit will be served.

The monthly Parents in Fellowship group will meet in the Parlor on Saturday, November 12, from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Adults will enjoy a potluck dinner and social time where everyone can get to know one another and informally discuss parenting issues. Childcare will be provided in the Children's Wing for \$5/child. Parents should pack a separate dinner for their children. Single parents and married couples are all welcome to come fellowship together!

On Monday, November 14, the PrimeTimers will meet in Humphrey Hall. Come join the group for board games and fellowship at 9:30 am, general meeting at 11:00 am, and a potluck luncheon at 11:30 am. At noon, entertainment will be provided by Celtic Dancers, along with a drummer and bagpiper, from St. Thomas Episcopal School.

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