

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT MEAL INFORMATION

Please remember to make your reservations. There will be a **permanent reservation list** and a **call-in reservation list**. We are starting a new list, so if you want your name to be on the permanent list please sign up again by calling Suzette at 437-2544 ext. 18.

If your name is on the permanent list, we will prepare a meal for you each Wednesday night **unless you cancel by calling Suzette before 2:00 p.m. the Tuesday of that week.**

For those who are not on the permanent list, if you plan to eat with us **please call Suzette before 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday of that week.** If you do not make a reservation in advance, but realize after the deadline you can attend, please come anyway! We would rather you come without a reservation than not to come at all.

Meal prices will remain the same. \$6 for adults and \$4 for children ages 3 - 12. The total family price will be \$20

The regular Wednesday night meal and children's meal will not include the salad bar. That may be purchased for \$1. The Vegetarian Meal **will** include the salad bar. Dessert will not be included on most nights but can be purchased for \$1. Remember, teens have the option of choosing the children's meal and get an adult portion of the veggies on the serving line as well.

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT MENU

September 8, 2010

Country Style Steak, Creamed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Dinner Bread/Light Dessert
Salad Bar: \$1 extra

VEGGIE MEAL: Baked Potato/Assorted Veggies/Roll/Salad Bar/Rolls/Beverage

CHILDREN'S MEAL: Taco Bar/Rice and any other veggies on the serving line.

SOMETHING NEW IN CHILDREN'S WEDNESDAY EVENING PROGRAMMING!

Rather than requiring our children to come to children's choirs right after school and stay after Church Family Night supper for Discipleship training/missions, we will focus on the time right after supper. Our wonderful children's choirs will now meet at 6:00 on Church Family Nights. The younger Music Makers choir will conclude at 7:05 and the older Young Musicians choir (which includes time for handbells) will conclude at 7:15.

This schedule will continue until January when we will alternate special Discipleship & Missions experiences with choir through May.

We hope this will help busy families have time for homework (and other increasingly hectic school and sports activities) and not have to choose between coming to choir and coming to discipleship/missions on Wednesdays.

In addition, this will give us important time to prepare for special children's Christmas presentations.

We hope this will help all families make Church Family Nights a priority this year!

MISSION MORGANTON IS COMING!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE IMPORTANT DATES:

- Last Chance to signup for projects! Remember, we have more than 9 churches involved this year and they are signing up during this time also. We expect some projects to fill up, so don't wait! Choose the project you want to be involved in! Call the church office 437-2544 x 10 or sign-up at the sanctuary table this Sunday morning.
- Church partners cookout, prayer gathering, and youth event – Sunday, September 19
- Mission Morganton workday – October 2

WOMEN'S BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY

"Living Beyond Yourself"

Begins Tuesday, September 28

9:45 for fellowship

Study Begins at 10:00

Room K101

Study Books available for \$15

Call Debbie Franklin at 584-6316

for more information.



DEVOTIONAL KNITTING

Begins September 12

4:00 p.m. in room 208C

This group will meet on the second and fourth Sundays this year.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

MISSIONARY PARTNERS

Mark Hamblen - Ireland

Robert Dunlop - Ireland

Janos Katona - Romania

Nunzio Loiudice - Italy

Jana Lollis - Asia

Laura Francis - Ethiopia

SERVICE MEMBERS IN ACTION

Michael Bradley Pat Morrison

Joshua Davidson Roland Berger

P.J. Chapman Zack Maye

Johnny Franklin Nick Long

Erienne Davidson Ryan Moya

Veronica Graham Wes Shuffler

Matthew McGalliard

HOMEBOUND COMMITTEE MEETING

The 2010 - 2011 Homebound Committee will meet on Wednesday, September 22 at 4:30 p.m. in K101.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School

9:45 – Breakfast, info and prayer time

10:00 – Sunday Morning Bible Study

A great new Bible study series begins –

QUALITIES OF CHRISTIAN LEADERS!

September 5 – Having Self Discipline

Why are discipline and self-control important qualities of an effective Christian leader? – Jeremiah 31: 18-22

September 12 – Seeking Truth

What does seeking truth have to do with being an effective Christian leader? – Psalm 25: 4-10

September 19 – Leading By Example

Why is sacrifice vital to effective Christian leadership?

Hebrews 2: 10-18

September 26 – A Person of Integrity

How can I be a person of integrity and honesty, two qualities of an effective Christian leader? – Psalm 26: 1-12

Annual Lake Party!

Coming up Sunday, September 12

Water skiing, tubing, and other water recreation with hamburger & hot dog cookout supper! Plus youth outdoor worship!

Hosts: Carrie, Amy, Jody Price at their Holiday Shores home.

Here's the schedule:

2:30 - Middle Schoolers leave from church for the lake.

4:30 – High Schoolers arrive and we all eat dinner with group singing and devotion by Tyler Roach

5:30 – Middle Schoolers depart for church/home and High Schoolers have lake time recreation

7:30 – High Schoolers depart for church/home.

8:00 – Those riding the vans picked up by parents at church.

Here's what to bring:

Middle Schoolers – Chips or salty snacks
High Schoolers – Desserts or sweet treats
Attention:

1. Please contact Stacey Sholar if you have a boat you would like to add to our water recreation flotilla.

2. Parents are invited to join us to assist with chaperoning and lake watching. *Safety is our utmost concern. We want this to be a safe event and we can use all the help we can get!*



STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Offering Received Aug. 29..... \$14,752

Budget Required to Date..... \$607,005

Received to Date \$542,164

TURNING DREAMS INTO DEEDS

Pledged \$807,000

Building Fund Rec to Date \$816,328

Building Fund Expenditures \$753,240

Building Fund Balance \$63,088

MEMORIALS

Memorials have been received to honor the memory of Evelyn Berry

DEACON OF THE WEEK

September 5 - Betty Henderson

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

This year we would like to try something different that may help and simplify the collection of our OCC boxes. We would like to encourage persons or Sunday school classes to pick specific items to collect. These items will then be put into boxes. The gift ideas are: toys, school supplies, hygiene items and "other" which includes candy, mints, gum, t-shirts, socks, ball caps, sunglasses, hair clips. If you would prefer to complete your own box, please feel free to do so.

SENIOR ADULTS EXCITING NEW GROUP Organizing Just For You

What: "Getting To Know You"

Luncheon

When: September 21 - 11:30 a.m.

Where: FBC Fellowship Hall

WHO ARE WE? YOU GET TO DECIDE!

Come and help choose our name from many suggestions such as:
JOY (Just Older Youth),
GMC (God's Mature Children),
YAHS (Young at Heart),
KAs (Keen Agers), etc, etc, etc.

The luncheon *is free*, but in order for Suzette to know how many to prepare for you must call her at 437-2544, Ext. 18 and *make a reservation no later than September 17.*

As the old song goes, "*See you in September*"

WELCOME TYLER AND LAURA ROACH CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP AND "POUNDING"

We are so pleased to welcome Tyler and Laura Roach as part of our church family as he begins his tenure as Minister of Youth and Family Life. We are planning a **church-wide continental breakfast on Sunday, September 12, from 9:00-9:45 a.m. in the fellowship hall** where you can visit with them if you have not had the opportunity to do so.

This event will include a "pounding" for them. This is where you bring a contribution of boxed, packaged, or canned food in the weight of a pound or so. You might rather contribute a gift card to Walmart, a grocery store, or elsewhere that they can use to set up their household needs.

If you are unable to come to the breakfast, there will be a box in the narthex that Sunday as you enter the church in which to place your pounding gift.

We'll see you on the 12th!

COMING NEXT WEEK

◆ **Sunday, Sept. 5**
NO DEACONS' MEETING
A.M.
9:45 - Sunday School
10:55 -Worship
P.M.
NO Youth Super Session

◆ **Monday, Sept. 6**
OFFICE CLOSED FOR
LABOR DAY



LABOR DAY

◆ **Tuesday, Sept. 7**
7:00 p.m. - Men's Prayer
Senior Singers

◆ **Wednesday, Sept. 8**
10:00 a.m. - Senior Singers
**CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT
BEGINS!**
5:30 p.m. - Serving Line Opens
6:00 p.m. - Children's Choirs
Note time change
6:05 p.m. - Blessings &
Celebrations
6:15 p.m. -
Senior Singer Follies
6:25 p.m.
•Middle School Grapple - 300
•High School Spectrum - 306A
7:15 p.m. - Chancel Choir
Rehearsal

◆ **Friday, Sept. 10**
10:00 a.m. - Women's Prayer

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT

Begins this Wednesday, September 8
Great new things are happening on Wednesday
nights this autumn for all ages and life stages!
New activities, studies, special fun & fellowship
programs, and unique dining experiences!

Don't Miss This!



SENIOR SINGERS FOLLIES

6:15 p.m. in the fellowship hall

What a way to start our brand new Church Family Night! Our dynamic Senior Adult Singers have been working all summer to entertain us with some great popular standards from days gone by! There will even be some special appearances by "famous" guest stars!

This "blast from the past" will perk up your present!

See Inside for Reservation Information, New Schedule, and Menu

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS!

Sunday, September 12 'officially' begins our new year of
Sunday morning Bible Study!

This year we will have a continental breakfast from 9:00 to
9:45 in the fellowship hall to start the new year and to
welcome Tyler and Laura Roach! (See back box)

CELEBRATE THIS NEW YEAR OF BIBLE STUDY!

- ♥ **Decorate your rooms in a special way**
- ♥ **Make a special effort to invite prospective members and inactive class members**
- ♥ **Send out information about the new studies coming up over the next few months**

Let's Do All We Can To Make It A Great Year!