

Work Day

A COMMUNITY... CREATED... CALLED... LED... RESPONDING TO GOD'S LOVE

SOUTHWEST CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST



Thanks for all your hard work!!

Building Progress

Thank you to Glenn Harper, Earl Linder, Ed and Brenda Pennington, K Pipes, Richard Pittser, Sara and Will Pybus, Steve and Chelsie Sargent, and Brent Spivy for the help with Work Day last Saturday. We discovered all sorts of teaching supplies and other things in the unlabeled boxes upstairs. Sara and K had especially big smiles on their faces as we unearthed materials that they feared had been lost in the storm.

Work on the Gathering Place (my term, nothing official, just wanting you to think) has been going full speed.



Fill is complete, rebar is in place, and assuming it passes inspection the concrete will be poured this week. In a week or two we will have a wor-

ship service in it to test out acoustics before making decisions about the floor covering. Our chair group has ordered some sample chairs so we can have a "sit in."

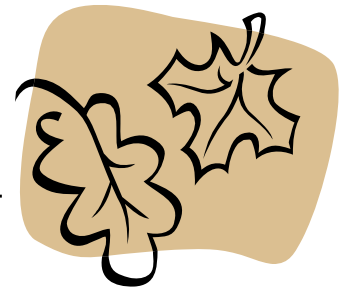
Finally things are happening, and we may be able to complete that room and the Foyer before the end of the year.

-Steve Sandifer



Join the Keenagers on a trip to Rockport and surrounding area, **November 9 through November 12**. Please pick up a brochure or sign up on the bulletin board near the kitchen.

Take the chill out of fall by dishing up some chili for the U of H students on **Wednesday, November 4th!** If you would like to help in cooking or serving, please call Laure at 713-806-9584 or email at



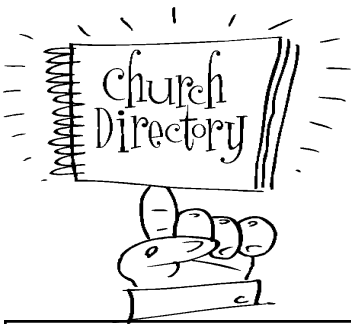
COUPLE CHECKUP FOR DATING AND ENGAGED COUPLES

Memorial Church of Christ will be presenting a seminar in both English and Spanish, is entitled, "Couple Checkup for Dating and Engaged Couples," and will be held on **Sat., Nov. 14, from 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.** There is no fee for the seminar. At the completion of the workshop, each engaged couple will receive a voucher for \$60 to pay for a Texas Marriage License. Harold and Beth Wade will facilitate the English speaking group, while Larry and Lou Ann Phillips will conduct the Spanish speaking class. A light breakfast and lunch will be served. Couples who attend must pre-register by calling Carolyn at 713-464-0463. Child care will not be provided.

Treats from the Trunk

On **Saturday October 31st**, we'll be hosting our annual Treats from the Trunk. Our whole neighborhood will be invited once again for food, fun, and fellowship in the courtyard between our fellowship hall and the main building. We hope that many of you can plan on joining us, dressed in full costume. You will be given a card table for your set up and decoration.

We are asking that this congregation bring unopened and individual wrapped bags of candy (fun sized snickers or suckers, for example) or healthy snacks (pretzels, animal crackers, etc.) to the office before **October 30**.



updates

We are updating the Church Directory. Please let us know if you have any new information that you would like us to include.

Men's Prayer Luncheon

Join the men of SWC for a luncheon directly after services on **Sunday, November 1**.

Prayer Team Meeting

The next meeting of the Prayer Team will be **Sunday, November 1**. Contact Novelene Booker for more information.

Ladies' Bible Class

The Ladies' Bible Class is studying the book of Hebrews and is led by Andrea Engle and Laure Tucker assisted by readers Dawn Henson and Roiana Powell.

Class begins at 10 a.m. on **Thursday**.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25
Table Service

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31
Treats from the Trunk

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1
Daylight Savings
Prayer Team Meeting
Men's Prayer Luncheon

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Bridge Night

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9
Keenagers trip to Rockport. Returning November 12.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13
Outback Group

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26
Office Closed.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27
Office Closed.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

October 19.....	Mark 12, 13
October 20.....	Mark 14, 16
October 21.....	Luke 1
October 22.....	Luke 2,3
October 23.....	Luke 4,5
October 24.....	Luke 6,7
October 25.....	Luke 8
October 26.....	9
October 27.....	10,11
October 28.....	12,13

Family Matters

Wendy Rassbach is visiting her son Eric and his family... **Barbara Rice** is in Denver visiting Katie and going to an ADA convention... **Buddy Pierce** was visiting from Nashville..



MY SOUL WAITS,
AND IN HIS WORD
I HOPE.

Psalm 130:5, NRSV

Remember in Prayer...



Michael Greenwood, receiving treatment for cancer... **Evelyn Guinn**, is beginning chemotherapy... **Carol Lewis**, having a heart procedure.. **Wendy Rassbach** diagnosed with cancer.. **Winnie Short**, for prostate cancer.. **Beth White**, receiving cancer treatment... **Nathan Womack**, stationed in Afghanistan... **Richard Womack**, pulmonary fibrosis... **Donna Young**; recovering ...

Continue to Remember:

Mary Drehsel... Ginger Hanning...
Lee Hayden.. Cary Leonard.. SWC
friends & family in the US military...
SWC families who are grieving.

Just for the Record October 18, 2009

Class	73
AM Assembly	118
Budget Gifts	\$9,494.99
Designated Gifts	\$150.00
Year-to-Date	
Planned Giving	\$26,100.00
Actual Giving	\$25,340.25
Giving OverBudget	<\$759.75>
Other Gifts	\$2,350.00
Special Contribution	0

Elders

Dick Darroh	David Pipes
Michael Tucker	Larry Watson

Staff

Mike McAlister	Interim Pulpit Minister
Steve Sargent	Youth & Family Minister
Steve Sandifer	Pastoral Minister
Robyn Albright	Secretary
Antonio Zapata	Maintenance
David Louis	Keymaster

Assembly Times

Bible Class	9:00 a.m.
Worship Assembly	10:15 a.m.
Evening Assembly	6:00 p.m.

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