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CINDY'S CHALKBOARD







Mission Sunday Luncheon!!













Eureka! - A Class on Revelation

Have you ever wondered about the beast from the sea; the fall and desolation of Babylon; or the new heaven and earth mentioned in the Book of Revelation? The Adult Education Council, in conjunction with the Journeys Sunday school class, is hosting a ten-week study surrounding the Book of Revelation. Nancy Gunter will facilitate the discussion beginning October 19th. Come join with the Journeys Class during Sunday school to learn more about the end times. The Journey Class is located on the second floor in room 205.

HALLOWEEN CHILI DINNER FOR OUR **BROTHERS & SISTERS WHO ARE HOMELESS**

On Friday, Oct. 31st, we have another opportunity to serve and share a meal with our extended family. Our menu will be chili pies with all the trimmings and for dessert we'll have cupcakes. If you plan to make chili, please have your warmed chili in the main kitchen of the church by 4:00 pm. If you plan to help serve, please meet us in the kitchen by 4:45 pm.

Music will be offered by John and Paula Manuel. We also will have goodie bags filled with lots of treats for our sisters and brothers. Please stop by the Outreach table to sign up.

> God's Speed, Adriaan

UMPTEENAGERS NEWS

Dust off your 10 gallon hat and shine your cowboy boots! We're going to the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City on Tuesday, October 21st. We will leave the church (transportation provided) at 10:00 am and should return by 5:00 pm. We'll have lunch there, then take a guided tour. The cost of the tour is \$9.25 per person. If you plan to go, please call Sue Duncan (918-491-6126) so that she can let the museum know how many will be there for the restaurant and the tour. Hope you can go!!!



PLEASE PRAY FOR.



Members:

Bob Durkee Jim Followell Paul Mabrey Bob Schwartz

Paula Fox

Friends & Family of New Haven UMC

Dodie's son-in-law, Mark Baggetto; Mark Nicholson, Mary Ann Cunningham's mother and sister: Danny Hall's sister, Lillie; Linda Gregory's daughter-in-law, Lea; Elizabeth Havlik; 6 yr. old McKinley with cancer; Bill Mote; Regina LaGrone's grandmother, Lonie Evans; Melba Turner's sister; Family of Len Eames; Tammy Johnson's parents; the homeless; our world, our country, city, and leaders.

Covenant Care (prayers & visits appreciated) Maxine Loyd, Fran Palm, Marjorie Stewart, Rosemary Tarr, Vetus Vanderwiele; Dot and Kelly Haynes; Bob Schwartz; Bob & Dorothy Thacker; Laurie & Mahcoe VanDyke

A Thank You From the **Ambassador Christian Center**

Dear New Haven Congregation, What a delight it was to work alongside our Christian brothers and sisters on Mission Sunday. Your joy made us want to give back to you and serve next year helping someone else. The send off was especially moving. Yes, we are the hands and feet of Christ! Sincerely,

Larry & Carolyn Ingram

NEW HAVEN'S NEWEST MEMBER!

We are so happy to welcome SUSAN SAVAGE into our membership! Susan has been visiting here for several months and has decided to make NHUMC her



church home. She joined at the 11:00 worship service on October 12th

If you haven't already met Susan, please seek her out and get to know her and let her know how happy you are to have her for a new friend and church member!

TICKETS AVAILABLE SUNDAY FOR OCT. 24TH HAPPY CHILDREN'S HOME OF CHINA BENEFIT

PAUL MABREY'S FORMER STUDENT OF BROADWAY FAME, KINGSLEY LEGGS, IS A FEATURED MUSICIAN

Tickets will be available this Sunday for the Oct. 24th dinner. This is one event not to be missed! You've heard in previous Spires about New Haven UMC members to be featured as musicians. The latest news is Paul Mabrey's former voice student who has a glowing career on Broadway, regional theatre and TV will be featured as well! Former New Haven UMC pastor, Rev. Shannon Davis, will be the master of ceremonies, and he and his wife will perform on the violin and piano. Doors open at 6:15 with a 7:00 p.m. sharp start time. The New Haven UMC youth will serve, among others. Tickets are \$40.

Next In-Service Sunday - November 9th

The next in-service Sunday will benefit the veterans living at Bryce House at 12th and Baltimore in Tulsa. Bryce House is a specialized transitional living facility for homeless veterans who've undergone treatment for drug or alcohol addiction. Veterans can live at Bryce House for up to two years as they continue rehabilitation and progress toward independence.

On Sunday, November 9th, we will be packing items after both the 8:45 and 11 o'clock services for the thirty-one occupants at Bryce House. We will be released a few minutes early from Worship. This allows plenty of time to pack the designated items and provides an opportunity to "do worship". Please join us in worshipping God through this in-service ministry!

In addition, we are asking that if you have a gently used (or new) men's coat (any size) that you bring it to the church. The veterans can use a coat for the upcoming colder weather. The Committee will add hats and gloves to your coat donation. We will have clothes racks in the hallway to hang the men's coats. Everyone will be packing dopp kits with toiletries and various other items. Thank you for caring for others in need.

ALLYSON'S ANNOUNCEMENTS



In case you haven't heard, Fall Festival is coming October 26th! There will be Trunk or Treat from 4:00-4:30, so you'll want to decorate your trunks and bring some goodies for the kids! Then, from 4:30-6:00, there will be inflatables, carnival games, and a silent auction. We'll also have a "Snack Walk" instead of a cake walk, so we need lots of individually packaged snacks (cookies, candy, chips, etc.) and I will be collecting them right up to the morning of the 26th. All of the proceeds will go to our Day School. It is such a blast every year! If you would like to help in any way, please don't hesitate to let me know!



ELECTION WEEK HOSPITALITY

New Haven UMC will once again be a polling site for a big election on Tuesday, November 4. Our church decided years ago to practice radical hospitality and one way we do this is by providing snacks and beverages to all the voters who vote here!!! It has been hugely appreciated by all who come here to vote and this November 4th will most likely bring out many voters once again! PLEASE help by bringing mini-muffins, cookies, brownies, etc. to offer to our voters. They may be left in the parlor kitchen on Sunday, November 2nd or brought to the church on Nov. 3rd or 4th. We also need people to sign up in the hallway to be "greeters" at the refreshment table. You may sign up for any amount of time you can spare that day. We really APPRECIATE all of you who have so generously helped in the past!

Opportunities of the Week October 19—26

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19 COMMITMENT SUNDAY

8:45 am Contemporary Worship and Children's Church

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Traditional Worship and

Children's Church

1:30 pm 3:30 pm 4:30 pm 4:30 pm Eible Experience (Children)

5:00 pm Jr. High Bible Study 5:00 pm Disciple II/Parlor 5:15 pm Children's Choir 6:00 pm Youth Fellowship Dinner

7:00 pm Sr. High Bible Study

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

6:00 pm Writer's Group/18

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

11:00 am Umpteenagers/Parlor 6:00 pm Day School Council/Parlor 7:00 pm Boy Scouts/Gym

7:30 pm Boy Scouts/Gym 7:30 pm AA/ 185,205,209,210

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

6:00 pm Youth Group

6:30 pm Financial Peace University/

Parlor

7:00 pm Chancel Choir 7:00 pm ACOA/206

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

6:00 pm Praise Band 7:15 pm Yoga/210

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

7:30 pm AA/Gym

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

10:00 am Men's Brunch Bunch

6:00 pm Tulsa People First Dance/Gym

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26 LAITY SUNDAY

8:45 am Contemporary Worship and

Children's Church

9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Worship and

Children's Church

4-6 pm **FALL FESTIVAL** 5:00 pm Disciple II/Parlor



October Birthdays

- 2. Richard Jaeger Betty Hodge
- 3. Dorothy Thacker
- 5. Brett Hensley
- 6. Bill Ford

George Stevenson

- 7. Paula Fox Kate Scruggs
- 9. Nancy Gunter
- 10. Mark Morgan
- 11. Teresa Hughes
- 13. Emily Hughes
- 14. Janet Hopkins
- 20. Kent Toalson
- 22. Diane Kaufmann
- 25. Quentin VanDyke
- 26. Greg Gotcher Sam Puryear Teresa Roberts
- 27. Fran Palm Sue Duncan Kala Morgan
- 29. Emily Painter
- 31. Virginia Kingsolver



ATTENDANCE

OCTOBER 12, 2014

8:45 am— 70 11:00 am— 100 TOTAL— 170

SUNDAY SCHOOL—47

Adult Sunday School Come join us at 9:45 am!

Room 185: Discovery Class Galatians

Room 209: Fellowship Class Adult Bible Study Curriculum

Room 210: New Friendship Class "Ancient & Medieval Religions"

Parlor: Christian Living Class Adult Bible Study Curriculum

Room 161 Interlude Class

"Making Sense of the Bible" by Adam Hamilton

Room 205: Journeys Class

"God is Closer Than You Think" by John Ortburg. A study on Revelation begins October 19th.

You may email articles for the Spire (no later than Sunday evenings, please.)
Sending your article on a "Word"
document as an attachment works best.
Please email your article to
pat.bates@newhavenumc.org. Please
note "Spire Newsletter" on the subject
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include your request, we reserve the right
to edit or delete articles due to space

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