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JULY 1ST

COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICE

July 1st @ 9:15 am

Sunday School @ 10:30 am

A "Note" from the KHCC Music Department

NEAR TO THE HEART OF GOD



Park University in Parkville, Missouri, with thirty-eight campuses across the United States, boasts of an enrollment of over 17,000 students. It was begun in 1875 with only seventeen students, by John A. McAfee, and by Colonel George Park, the colorful founder of Parkville, who donated the land.

McAfee had five sons and a daughter who all became involved in the college. The fourth son, Cleland, graduated from what was then Park College; after studying at Union Theological Seminary, he returned to park as chaplain and choir director. Cleland's daughter, Katharine, later told how her father came to write the great hymn, "Near to the Heart of God".

"My father's father, John A. McAfee, was one of the founders and the first president of Park College in Missouri. In the last years of the past century, his five sons Lowell, Howard, Lapsley, Cleland, Ernest and his only daughter Helen, were all living in Parkville, serving the college. My father was the college preacher and director of the choir, and it was his custom, when communion services came, to write the words and music of a response which his choir could sing and which would fit into the theme of his sermon.

One terrible week, just before a communion Sunday, the two little daughters of my Uncle Howard and Aunt Lucy McAfee died of diphtheria within twenty-four hours of each other. The college family and town were stricken with grief. My father often told us how he sat long and late thinking of what could be said in word and song on the coming Sunday...

So he wrote "Near to the Heart of God". The choir learned it at the regular Saturday night rehearsal, and afterward they went to the Howard McAfee's home and sang it as they stood under the sky outside the darkened, quarantined house. It was sung again on Sunday morning at the communion service..."

"Near to the Heart of God" was published in October 1903, in "The Choir Leader." In later years, Cleland pastored in the Presbyterian denomination, taught at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago, and helped direct the Presbyterian foreign missions program. He is the author of a number of textbooks including the Greatest English Classic: A Study of the King James Version and its Influence and Ministerial Practices: Some Fraternal Suggestions, published in 1928.

Prayer Concerns

Allen Swilley – Medical tests
Billy Brewer – Recovering from surgery
Paul Frazer – Preparing for surgery
Kim Fricks – Hospitalized at WKP
Leonard Green – Recovering from a fall
Doll Burk – Recovering following surgery
Agnes Stanley – Recovering at home
Fred Traylor – Serious Health Concerns, M.D. Anderson, Houston, Tx
Pat Daron – Serious health concerns
Ava Ackerman – Health concerns (Baby daughter of Rachael Barham Ackerman)
Michael Anders – Starting treatments at M.D. Anderson (Father of *Angie Anders*)
Bill Greene – Medical tests (Brother of *Dallas Greene*)
Valerie Elliott – Recovering from surgery following auto accident (Niece of *Rick & Kathy Elliott*)
Kenny Elliott – Injured in auto accident (Nephew of *Rick & Kathy Elliott*)
Ann Partington – Preparing for surgery on June 22nd (Cousin of *Maury Hicks*)
Len Moyer – Serious Health Concerns (Friend of *Georgia Monk*)
Bill Martin – Health concerns (Neighbor of the *Renfros*)
Cathy Culbertson Smith – Serious health concerns (Friend of *Mary C. & Joe Mayeux*)
Paul Rankins – Health concerns (Friend of *JoDel Adkins*)
Norma Corbin – Recovering from surgery (Friend of *Helen Carter*)
Janie Ellis – Radiation Treatments (Sister of *Sunny Bell*)
Bob Petrus – Health Concerns (Friend of *Dave Rockett*)
Alan McAdams – Aneurysm behind right eye, upcoming surgery (Friend of *Louise Chamberlain*)
Linda Bruce – Health Concerns (Friend of *Louise & CC Chamberlain*)
Bob Graves – Undergoing radiation treatments (Son of *Reggie Graves*)
Gary Cook – Health Concerns (Friend of *Bill Robertson*)
Lee Walker – Health Concerns (Friend of *Jack Davis*)
Angel & Chloe Dixon – NICU WKS (Great-nieces of *Todd & Mary France*)
Beth Ann Ross – Preparing for surgery on June 28th (Sister-in-law of *Carolyn Brewer*)

US ARMED PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES, WHO ARE DEPLOYED:

Angie Grannis (Granddaughter of *Chuck & Marion Hinkle*) deployed to Korea, *Joshua Caleb Sisson*, *Michael Statos*, *Nick Tolisano* (Friend of the *Pierce* family), *William Key*, *Samuel Lawless*, *Lance Cpl Lane Miller* (Friend of *Elli Boyd*) deployed to Afghanistan 2nd tour, *John Graham* (Friend of the *Eakins*) deployed to Afghanistan, *Dan Dorson*

CELEBRATIONS:

Todd France made the Dean's List at Northwestern – Congratulations!

We celebrate the successful and exciting Vacation Bible School held last week!

We welcome into our church family, *Sandra Parker*, who transferred her membership during our 9:15 worship service. Welcome Sandra!

ON-GOING PRAYER CONCERNS:

Charles Michael Andrews, *Roger Barham*, *Melba Barmore*, *Camry Belcher*, *Chris Bowie*, *Braider Bel-lows*, *Evelyn Braden*, *John Brice*, *Jill Bridges*, *Miles Britt*, *Randy Burch*, *Helen Calhoun*, *James Cam-eron*, *Joyce Canizarro*, *Brock Cassell*, *Louise Chamberlain*, *Karen Cowden*, *Jack Crowley*, *Floyd Davis*, *David DeFatta*, *Bryan Dill*, *Joe & Claudine Dixon*, *Holli Duggan*, *Bill Dunchan*, *Linda Ellis*, *Kiera Elliott*, *Christy Faciane*, *Ron Fedrick*, *Darla Ferrell*, *Jackie Fields*, *Jonn France*, *Jeff Frazier*, *Shianne Fuslier*, *Betty Chloe Gates*, *Terri Graves*, *Alice Greene*, *Dallas Greene*, *June & Leonard Green*, *Bill Greene*, *Esther Griffith*, *Grigsby*, *James Guerra*, *D.C. Hall*, *Lizzy Hawthorne*, *Janis Hayes*, *Bart Haynie*, *Lorraine Hazelton*, *James Henderson*, *Wilma Henning*, *Alan Hinson*, *Jon & Jan Holley*, *Dump Holcombe*, *Harper & Holden Hardy*, *Mildred House*, *Madeline Holder*, *Bruce Holmes*, *Annie Hughes*, *Gene Jackson*, *Megan Jimenez*, *Hubert Joyner*, *Virginia Joyner*, *Robert Keating*, *Toni Lane*, *Ella Mae Lawrence*, *Teresa Prine Lemoine*, *Jane Lindsey*, *Lisa Mack*, *Taylor Mainz*, *Will Manhein*, *Trevor & Trent Manshack*, *Joe Markoch*, *Luther Mars*, *Emma Martin*, *Michael McCain*, *The McCarty Family*, *Aiden McDowell & Parents*, *Matthew McDowell*, *Justin McGoldrick*, *George McGovern*, *Rev. Chuck McInturf*, *Dan McKenzie*, *Pat Moore*, *Clyde Myer*, *Shawn and Kim McDowell*, *Lois Mile*, *Doris Nance*, *Dr. Daniel Nightingale*, *Sandie Parker*, *Mary Pendergraft*, *Winona Perez*, *Bryan Pierce*, *Kim Pullen*, *Sherlyn Riall*, *Dorothy Rivers*, *Rodney Roach*, *Patty Rodgers*, *Marina Rodriguez*, *Virginia Sa-gage*, *Jack Shelton*, *Haley Spears*, *Spiers*, *Corene Sneed*, *Josh Springer*, *Patty Stachovich*, *Agnes Stanley*, *Emily Summerville*, *Shawn Swilley*, *Marian Taggart*, *Peggy Taylor*, *Pat Tharp*, *Donn & Erabeth Thompson*, *Billy Triplett*, *E.B. Trudenak*, *Mike Tucker*, *Joan Twohig*, *Patrilla Vigil*, *Willard Williams*, *Clara Williams*, *Johnnie Wise*, *Donald & Marguerite Wright*, *Chester R. Young*

Welcome our newest member **Sandra Parker**
 who joined during our Traditional Service
 this past Sunday. Welcome Sandra!



Stewardship

Stewardship June 17, 2012

General Fund	\$ 7,287.00
Capital Campaign	252.50

Attendance, June 17, 2012

Traditional Service	174
Contemporary Service	43
Hispanic Service	34
Total	251

Sunday School	154
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Serving Schedule

Serving Schedule for June 24, 2012

9:15 - Traditional Service

Door - Allen Swilley, Terry Rodenroth

Table - Dave Rockett, Betty Webster

Sound - Robert Asher

Acolyte - Laura Hurd

Greeter - Dana Mattison

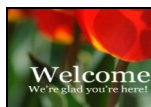
Diaconate - Mary Ann Bowie, Irene Butler, Brian Crawford, Diana Crawford, Andrea Tippet, Paul Dupont, Randy Mattison, Dennis Murray

11:11 - Contemporary Service

Door - Pete Bratlie, Elli Boyd

Acolyte - Zoë Bratlie

Servers - Katie Bradford, JoDel Adkins, Tammy Bradford, Becky Flippo



Welcome Guests

Traditional Service

Guy & Debbie Gauthreaux

The Smith Family

Mike Daron

John & Deborah Jarratt

Sandy Ricabaugh

Contemporary Service

Talicia Tarver

Dora Banks

Claire Clark



June 10	Agnes Stanley Sherrie Simpson Kay Taggart John Booras Millicent Adkins
June 11	Christina Kilpatrick
June 13	Jacob Bridges Jeyne Magee Erica Murrell
June 14	Robbie Kemper Brandi Strickland
June 15	Kamdyn Gearlds
June 17	Mary Jane Weatherman
June 19	Mike Thompson Jordan Fricks
June 20	Donnie West
June 22	Orvis Sigler Diego Chavez
June 24	June Green Pat Haynie Barbara Fanta
June 25	Bailey Monk
June 26	Jack Davis Phil Stewart Nathan Renfro
June 29	Dallas Greene

COME TO JOY FELLOWSHIP THIS SUMMER

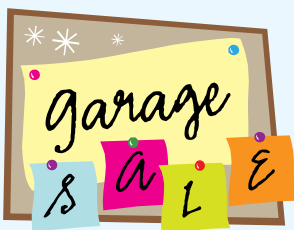
*GOOD FOOD
GOOD BINGO
GOOD FRIENDS*

JUNE 25TH
JULY 23RD
AUGUST 27TH

**9:30 AM
FELLOWSHIP HALL**



Disciples Women Ministry (DWM) is having an auction (silent) on September 9th in the Family Life Center during our Combined Worship lunch. Please contact JoDel at 868-1241 or cell 751-6292 if you have something to donate.



**CASA ESPERANZA
GARAGE SALE
June 23, 2012
7:00 AM**



**HIGHLAND
BLESSING
DINNER
VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

The Outreach Committee is in need of some volunteers to help serve at the Highland Blessing Dinner on June 28, 2012. We will need a total of 16 persons to help host and serve the meal.

If you can give a couple of hours on that Thursday evening, you will receive a blessing as well as the working poor that we help feed. Please call the church office, or contact me at 560-3901.

Allen Swilley, Chairman
Outreach Committee

KHCC Casa Esperanza

Guests at Casa Esperanza



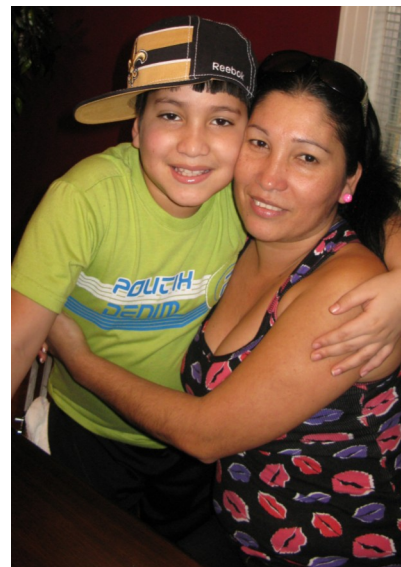
This is Abdiel and his mom Elizabeth from Panama. You may remember them from our most recent combined service on May 20th. They have been at Casa Esperanza since the end of February while Abdiel recovers from surgery. Abdiel had major surgery on his right leg to enlarge the bone. Currently he is working hard in therapy so he may return home soon.

Abdiel is a very happy and friendly 9 years old boy. He entertains himself very well. He loves playing PlayStation games on the giant TV at Casa Esperanza and playing soccer and baseball in Casa Esperanza's back yard. And even though it's so hot outside, Abdiel doesn't complain. He says, "It reminds me of the weather in my hometown."

Elizabeth said that being at Casa Esperanza has been a blessing for them. But most remarkably for Abdiel, he feels at home in the house. "We sometimes forget we are in the United States", she said smiling.

We are very blessed to have these wonderful people in our House of Hope. Thank you!

Ellie Bulnes



KHCC Children & Youth

Preschool & Children Ministries

Sunday Mornings

Sunday School

- 3-5yrs old class Teacher - Kim Lemoine, Diana Leach
- 3-5yrs old Bible Story - "Learn From the Bible: Philip's Friend Learns"
- 5yr-5th grade class Teacher - Georgia Monk
- 5yr-5th grade class Bible Story - "Learn From the Bible"

Children's Church Traditional & Contemporary Worship

- Sunday's Story - "Fall of Jericho"
- Teaching Traditional Service - Kim Lemoine, Diana Leach
- Teaching Contemporary Service - Mary Jane Weatherman

Camp Dates

CYF Conference
6/17-6/23

Discovery Camp
6/23-6/24

JYF Camp
6/24-6/27

Chi Rho Camp
6/27-7/1

Youth Ministry

Attention Senior Graduates

2012 High School Seniors that want to apply for the KHCC CMF Scholarship please submit your letter to the church office in care of CMF no later than JULY 1, 2012. The letter should detail why you deserve the scholarship. Please list any and all church and school activities you have participated in also.

KHCC Vacation Bible School 2012



Kings Highway Christian Church concluded four wonderful nights of Vacation Bible School last Thursday. Both children and adults enjoyed both the opportunity to come together in Christian fellowship and to learn about God's love. Our theme, "Babylon: Daniel's Courage in Captivity," taught about the fact that God is with us always just as He was with Daniel.

Every night each "tribe" went to the following in some order: Daniel's room, Palace Playground (Games), and the Marketplace (2 activities). Through various activities and stories, the children heard and experienced key elements to Babylonian life and finding God's presence past and present. Most children came every evening, looking forward to what was new to learn!

Our community service project was for Woody's Home for Veterans here in Shreveport. It was an amazing success with a carload of donated household items and supplies, plus \$87.12 (mostly coins!) donated through our coin-by-weight competition. Dr. Ron Key extends much thanks for the thoughtfulness of our children and their families.

Many loving hearts and hands went into the preparation and experience of VBS. We would like to recognize and thank these generous individuals:

Publicity

Christy Rushing

VBS Dinners

Mary Jane Weatherman , Kitchen Chief
Reggie Graves
Rob Latimer
Pat Oglesby
Linda Rocks
Leah Thelen
Betty Webster

Adult Bible Study

Deanna Beaubouef
Carol Pabst

Opening and Closing Celebrations

Bonnie Martin
A/V John Areno and Linda Rocks

Tribe leaders

Melanie Cockerell
Renee Eaken
Barbara Fanta
Mary France
Trish Krippner
Susie Lawless
Sara and Kenny Loftin
Erica Murrell
Carol Shively

Tribe Assistants

Zoe Bratlie
Elizabeth Brice
Elizabeth Burgess
Christian Eakin
Toby Fontenot
Katrina Harrell
Carlie Hurley
Emma Lunn
Madison Rushing
Rachael Weatherman



Market Place

Angie Anders
Tanya Culligan
Katie Martin
Dana Mattison
Carol Pabst
Jennifer Puyear
Ken Shively
Camilla Wallace

Games

Don and Patty Kimmell
Todd France, Jr
Nathan Renfro
Russell Elliott

Pre-VBS Children's Activities

Amy Avery
Diana Crawford
Becky Flippo

Storytellers: Daniel and Ashpenaz

Michael Puryear
Cameron Martin

Photographer

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VBS Set-up and Clean-up

JoDel Adkins
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David, Elizabeth and William Brice
Renee Eaken
Barbara Fanta
Becky and Joey Flippo
Trish Krippner
Rob, Cora and Cale Latimer
Bethany Loader
Emma Lunn
Bonnie, Katie and Cameron Martin
James, Bailey and Archer Monk
Carol Pabst
Carol and Ken Shively
Camilla, Hannah and Ian Wallace



Check out next weeks newsletter for more pictures of our 2012 VBS!

With much appreciation,
Lesley Brice and Jill Latimer, VBS Co-Chairs
Georgia Monk, Director of Christian Education

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UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AT KHCC

Wednesday, June 20

12:30 pm - AA, Fellowship Hall

Thursday, June 21

9:00 am - Bridge, Fellowship Hall
5:00 pm - Spanish Home Bible Study
6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting
8:00 pm - AA, Fellowship Hall

Friday, June 22

12:30 & 8:00 - AA, Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm - Discovery Class Dinner, Country Tavern

Saturday, June 23

7:00 am - Casa Esperanza Garage Sale
11:00 am - Louisiana Christian Writers, Keystone Classroom

Sunday, June 24

8:45 am - Meet N' Greet
9:15 am - Traditional Worship Service
10:15 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Hispanic Sunday School
11:11 am - Contemporary Worship Service
11:30 am - Hispanic Worship Service
No Evening Activities

Monday, June 25

6:45 am - Elder's Breakfast, Fellowship Hall
9:30 am - JOY Fellowship, Fellowship Hall
12:30 pm & 8:00 pm - AA, Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, June 26

5:30 pm - Bell Practice, Choir Room
6:30 pm - Praise Band Rehearsal
7:00 pm - Doctors AA, Keystone
7:00 pm - Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Wednesday, June 27

12:30 pm - AA, Fellowship Hall

**Discovery Class Dinner
Friday, June 22nd
@ 6:30 pm
At Country Tavern**