



This Sunday is the kick-off for our youth programs for middle school (Chi Rho) and high school (CYF.) Both groups will have a regular meeting time from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. and we will be serving a snack supper about 5:00. No charge, but there is a free will offering box.

Our youth groups will generally meet at the same time, but separately. The format is the tried and true "games, group building and teaching, food, and worship" format. However, our curriculum is new to us this year – it's called Orange. It's based on the idea of blending the love of the home (represented by the color red) and the light of the church (represented by the color yellow) and it provides a new perspective in partnering with parents in the spiritual growth of our youth. You can check out Orange at <u>https://thinkorange.com/</u>

Since we have newer electronic options to communicate, we will be exploring what works to keep parents and our youth informed of program and events.

Fall '19 schedule:

Sept 8 – Kicks off "Goals" – a 5 week study of Galatians for Chi Rho. The High School study on Galatians is called "Free People." Both will use a short teaching video format.

Sept 15 – Meetings

Sept 22 – Meetings Program on identity theft and dinner at 6:00. We will have pizza at 5:00 in rooms.

Sept 29 – Meetings There will also be a FAMILY FUN TIME for elementary ages as the same time in the gym. Snack supper all together.

Oct 6 – Meetings First studies conclude

Oct 13 – No Meeting (School breaks)

Oct 20 – Kicks off "The Beginner's Guide to Connecting with God" - A series about spiritual habits for Chi Rho and "Rhythm" a series looking at worshiping God with our whole lives for CYF.

Oct 27 – Meetings DIA DE LOS MUERTES dinner with Hispanic Ministries starts at 5:00

Nov 3 – Meetings

Nov 10 - Meetings

Nov 15-17 Regional Retreat for Chi Rho and CYF - FALL FANDANGO at Camp Couchdale – Hot Springs

Nov 17 - No Meeting (recover from retreat)

Nov 24 - No Meeting (Thanksgiving)

Dec 1 – Kicks off "This Christmas" for Chi Rho and "All I Want For Christmas" for CYF. These are three- week studies on generosity.

Dec 8 – Meetings

Dec 15 – Meetings CHURCH CHRISTMAS DINNER at 5:00

Dec 22, 29 - No Meetings

Jan 5 - YOUTH RETURNS!



All ladies of Kings Highway! Please join us in the Keystone classroom on Monday, September 9th at 10 am. Snacks, devotion and just good fellowship with each other. Hope to see you!



Mark Your Calendar Wednesday Bible Study will begin September 11th at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. Led by Rev. Dwight Bailey & Rev. George Latimer.



We collected 149 boxes of corn muffin mix for the Noel Food Pantry. Thank you for your contribution!



Great River Region is offering an informational trip to the Texas – Mexico border directed by Charlie and Ruth Wallace of Little Rock.

This trip begins in McAllen, Texas on Saturday October 26 and ends Wednesday October 30 and will visit the following agencies in Texas:

- La Posada Providencia Catholic (refugee dorms) in San Benito
- · Catholic Charities in McAllen
- · Central Bus Station in McAllen
- · The border in Brownsville
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- · Good Neighbor Methodist ministries in Brownsville
- · Ebenezer Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Los Fresnos, (refugee dorms)

- · Southwest Good Samaritan Ministries Disciple partner in Bayview
- Team Brownsville in Brownsville, TX (volunteer group that takes weekly relief supplies to border bridge)

Due to safety concerns the group will not cross the Mexican border. This will be an opportunity to see the work currently being done by ministry groups in the Rio Grande Valley. Please contact the office if you would like more information.

Esperanza Ministry

Our church's house at the corner of Kings Highway and Thorhill served as Casa Esperanza from 2006 to 2018. This was a ministry that provided housing for children and their parents who were treated at Shriners Hospital for Children and were from out of state or the country. Sadly by the end of 2018, due to a financial cut, Shriners Hospital for Children informed us that they wouldn't be receiving as many overseas patients as before and therefore they could house the few patients and families at the Hospital building. This lead to us sadly closing this wonderful ministry.



Nevertheless, the overseas families staying at Shriners Hospital still need our assistance, support, and help. Therefore our Casa Esperanza ministry changed its purpose and name to ESPERANZA MINISTRY. A ministry to assist little patients in the Shriners Hospital; which means we do not offer the house any more, but we continue helping the children and their families with their needs.

No budget was given to Esperanza Ministry this year, 2019. Consequently, we had to build our budget. We held a Garage Sale this summer and in the Fall we are going to have our "Día de Los Muertos" fellowship dinner. Collections from this activity will benefit our Esperanza Ministry.

We still need your help, donations and love.

Ellie Bulnes

Casa Esperanza

What is going on at the house that used to function as Casa Esperanza?

It is being used for a good cause. Jose Zambrano is a Venezuelan man who resides in Miami, Florida and works as a mechanic. He and his wife Katy have 3 wonderful boys. He came to Shreveport for work and unfortunately had a work accident. While he was working under a big truck, it fell on him, consequently his right leg was amputated and doctors are fighting to save his left leg. He has a long recovery process ahead of him that includes rehab, prosthesis and a couple more surgeries. Our KHCC has the blessing of offering this home to Jose and his wife Katy during his recovery time.



And we want each one of our church's members and friends to feel a part of this wonderful deed we are doing to bless the Zambranos.

Thank you so much again for your interest, love and support to bless the needy.

Ellie Bulnes

Epiphany Project Retreat September 14-15

The next step in KHCC's focus toward a renewed vision will be a retreat experience Saturday, September 14th and Sunday, September 15th. We invite congregational leaders (formal or informal), young potential leaders, and those interested in the future of the church to be present. Through the guidance of our guest facilitator, we will be working to rethink KHCC's vision and mission and re-orient our leadership styles from "managing a church" to "transforming our community."



This event will be held in our fellowship hall. Saturday's schedule runs from 8:30 a,m, to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday's from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. This is a big block of the weekend, but we have important

work to do and need to give this process the time and energy needed to let God help us revision our mission as a congregation.

Lunch will be provided on Saturday. If you are interested in attending this retreat and have not talked with Clint Snell or George Latimer about participating, please contact one of them or the church office by Sept. 8^{th} . (Clint – 207-0752, Geo – 417-848-6776, KHCC – 222-3684.)

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Sunday, September 29th 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. Games - Crafts - Singing - Food for children and parents in the Family Life Center

Reservations wanted

We are taking reservations for a membership dinner and program on Sunday,

<u>September 22nd at 6:00 p.m</u>. in the family life center. Following dinner (free will offering) Don Kimmel will present current facts about the current problem of wide-spread Identity Theft and how you can best recognize it and protect both your assets and your name.

Sign up sheets are in the office and both entries to Sanctuary.



NEXT STEP SEMINARS

GET THE INSIDE INFO ABOUT IDENTITY THEFT.

Learn how to protect your hard-earned money and good name.

Regions strives to provide you with the guidance and tools to help you accomplish your unique financial goals. With this seminar, learn how you can break down your financial goals and gain more control over your money. It's all provided by your employer and presented by Regions at no cost.

What you'll learn:

- Common forms of identity theft
- How to recognize identity theft and prevent it
- What to do if you are a victim of identity theft
- How and where to report fraud

To sign up to attend this seminar please contact:

Contact church Office 318-222-3684 Dinner provided with RSVP by noon 09/13/2019

Date: September 22, 2019
Time: 6:00pm to 7:00pm
Location: KHCC Family Life Center
Presented by Don Kimmell Financial Wellness Coordinator Regions Bank

Great River Region Disciples Women Retreat September 27-29, 2019

Please join us at the Great River Region Disciples Women Retreat at the Wesley Center in Woodworth, Louisiana (just outside Alexandria/Pineville). You can find the registration and Pickering scholarship application on the Disciples Women page at <u>www.grrdisciples.org</u> or you may pick up a copy from your church office.



Saturday, September 7 10:00AM - NA Meeting (KC)

Sunday, September 8

- 9:15AM Traditional Worship
- 10:15AM Sunday School
- 11:00AM Sunday School in Spanish
- 11:11AM Contemporary Worship
- 11:30AM Worship in Spanish

4:00PM - 5:30PM - Youth Group Kick-Off (FLC)

Monday, September 9

- 7:00AM Elders' Meeting (FH)
- 10:00AM DWM Meeting (KC)
- 12:30PM AA Meeting (KC)
- 6:00PM Cabinet Meeting (CP)
- 8:00PM AA Meeting (FH)

Tuesday, September 10 7:00PM - Choir Rehearsal 7:00PM - Doctors' AA (KC)

Wednesday, September 11

- 10:00AM Bible Study (FH)
- 12:30PM AA Meeting (FH)
- 6:30PM Contemporary Band Practice

Thursday, September 12 7:00PM - NA Meeting (KC)

Friday, September 13

12:30PM - AA Meeting (FH) 8:00PM - AA Meeting (KC)

Saturday, September 14 8:30AM - 4:00PM - Epiphany Retreat (FH) 10:00AM - NA Meeting (KC)

Sunday, September 15 National Back To Church Sunday! Invite A Friend! 9:15AM - Traditional Worship 10:15AM - Sunday School 11:00AM - Sunday School in Spanish 11:11AM - Contemporary Worship 11:30AM - Worship in Spanish 12:30PM - 3:00PM - Epiphany Retreat (FH) 4:00PM - 5:30PM - Youth Group Meeting (FLC)

*You can view the KHCC monthly calendar on our website at www.khcc.org.

FLC - Family Life Center FH - Fellowship Hall KC - Keystone Classroom CP - Church Parlor HC - Hispanic Chapel

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

9:15 Traditional Worship 10:15 Sunday School 11:00 Sunday School in Spanish 11:11 Contemporary Worship 11:30 Worship in Spanish

THE RIVER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Kindergarten - Fifth Grade This Sunday we will continue the story "The Five Books of Moses". We have lots of great activities planned. We hope to see you there.

Teachers: Linda Dame, Carol Peyton, Barbara Peyton

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Chi Rho (Middle School) Class

SERVING SCHEDULE Sunday, September 8 9:15 Greeters Mary Anne Bowie & Thomas Butler 9:15 Table Jimmy & Jessica Monk 9:15 Deacons - Irene Butler, Larry Bell, Jim Bodenheimer, Allison Bushnell, Russell Elliot, Carol Pabst, Ken Shively, Betty Wise 9:15 Soundboard - Thomas Butler 9:15 Communion Preparation Carolyn Brewer 9:15 Counters Betty McCain & Sandra West

CHILDREN'S CHURCH Preschool - Second Grade

Following the Children's Moment in our 9:15 & 11:11 worship service the children from preschool age through second grade The Chi Rho class meets on the second floor across from the River Sunday School. In this class we listen to and discuss Bible passages that help us to understand how God wants us to treat other people and make good decisions in our life.

Teachers: Trish Krippner, Carol Pabst

CYF (High School) Class Our CYF class meets on the third floor of the Education Building across from the archive room. In this class we study Bible passages that help us to better understand the Good News of Jesus Christ and how we can be good disciples of Jesus. are invited to follow their teacher to Children's Church. This special program takes place in the preschool room on the first floor across from the nursery. During Children's Church the kids will hear a story from the Bible, share a snack, and have some guided playtime.

Sunday, September 8 9:15 Teacher - Sheryl Nelson 11:11 Teacher - Debra Burns

Teacher: Kathy Elliott

Online Giving Option

If you are interested in giving electronically, go to our website <u>Kings Highway Christian Church</u> and click on "online giving" in the upper right hand corner. Another page will pop up and will take you through the steps to set this up. You will need to provide bank routing and account number and a password – the password must be at least 8 characters and contain 3 of these elements: upper case letter, lower case letter, a number, a symbol. (That sounds complicated, but you should only have to do it once.)



Once you set up your account, you may choose to give automatically (the amount and frequency can be easily changed) or as a onetime gift. You may also use your phone to *give by text* (instructions are on the website and in the worship bulletins). If you give electronically and would like to continue to place something in the offering tray, there are "I gave online" cards available in the pews.

Celebration

We celebrate our successful Skate Nights here at KHCC. Last Friday at our Back To School Skate Night we had 26 kids skating and celebrating a birthday.

Prayer Concerns

Our Senior Minister Search Committee *Larry Bell* – Serious health concerns *Dolores Sherrer* – Recovering at home *Toni Bratlie* – Health concerns Sonny Brown – Health concerns (Son of *Helen Hoffman* & Friend of *Linda DeMann*) Adam McCollough – Car accident, hospitalized serious skull injury (Grandson of *Louise & Ed Fedrick*) Chris Wilson – Prayers (Friend of *Patsy Moore*) D.R. Smith – Rehab (Friend of *Linda Dame*) Jose Zambrano – Recovering from serious work place accident Cathy Houser – Health concerns (Friend of *McCains*) Please keep Elders updated on prayer request made. Names will be removed after 2 weeks if no update is given.

MILITARY PERSONNEL & THEIR FAMILY MEMBERS

All members of our armed forces *Mitch Pabst* – Deployed, Iraq *Adam Jarratt* – Marine Corps Reserves *Daniel Jester* – Air Force Reserves *Jay Shaw* – Marine Corps

ON-GOING PRAYER CONCERNS

Karen Allen, *Virginia Bacon, Ione Barham, Roger Barham,* Donnie Barmore, Carol Barnes, Candice Berg, Gary Bowie, *Jason Bratlie*, Cade Brewer & Family, Robert Allen Brown, *Randy Burch, Dave Burk, Elsie Butler,* Nancy Cothern, *Frank & Nell Crane*, Edinar Alves daSilva, Jacy daSilva, *Linda DeMann, Melissa Drinkard,* Susan Ewing, Sally Falkenrath, Jonn France, *Kent France, Kim Fricks, Mona Lisa Garrett,* Mark Gray, Esther Griffith, *Mary Ann Hallett,* Barbara L. Hebert, Fred Harrell, Mark Head, Burly Herrin, *Helen Hoffman,* Shelby Houston, *Pat Jones,* Amy Kinniard, *Mahamalea Blizzard Latterner,* Keith Lauter, *Linda Luttrell,* Emma Martin, Laura Martin, Eva Moton, John Novak, Albert Perrine, Denver Phillips, Emily Randle, Shawna Reeves, *Sue Rodenroth, Marina Rodriguez,* Mary Sistrunk, Bill Smith, Jimmy Smith, *Jerry Spearman, Peggy Taylor,* Mercedes Terry, *Marcy Tobey, Clara Williams,* Gary Willingham, *Don Zesch*

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Below is the list of KHCC Elders. Please feel free to contact an elder when you are in need.

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