OOC Tidbits -- Announcements & More for Old Orchard Church -- July 12, 2009

Welcome to Old Orchard Church!

Welcome to our worship. We invite you to use our **child care services** for infants through children in kindergarten, located in the church building basement. Please see nursery details below. Also, visit our **Sunday School**, offered for all ages (9 am. on Sunday mornings). However, we will not be having Sunday School during the month of July.

If you would like to find out more about Old Orchard and what we are about, please fill out one of our visitor forms.

- ◆ Nursery is offered for infants & children through kindergarten age. Our nurseries are in the church building basement.
- ♦ Infant nursery for babies, crawlers, & very early walkers.
- ◆ **Toddler nursery** for children who are walking up to three years of age. Children who turn three from January-August are invited to attend preschool worship starting September 1. Children who turn three from September-December are invited to attend preschool worship starting January 1.
- ◆ Preschool worship for age 3 through Kindergarten. Three-year-olds (see above) and four-year-olds are welcome in the preschool room during the whole service. Five-year-olds remain upstairs in the worship service until dismissed at 10:50.
- ◆ No Children's Worship for the summer. We will resume in the fall.

Sunday School News

No Sunday School through July.

Parlor Fellowship.

Please join us today after worship. Maryann Kohl & Jan Rau are hosting.



Baby Shower for Brianna Tamm Saturday July 25th

10am - noon at Milligan House Please come in joyful anticipation of the birth of the

Tamm addition. Bring some treats to share! Brianna is registered at Target. Hostesses are Dot Branson & Maryann Kohl. Anyone wanting to donate to a group gift, please give it to Maryann Kohn today (Dot Branson is out of town July 10 - 14).

Women's Ministry Crafty Saturday

Saturday, July 18, 2009 at Milligan House 10 am to 1 pm

Ladies, come join us for a time of crafting and fellowship! Bring your knitting, crocheting, sewing, scrapbooking, origami or other projects! Or, if crafting is not your thing but you still want to visit with friends, you can bring any other work you need to catch up on, or just bring yourself. Tables, chairs will be provided. Bring snacks for yourself or to share if you want to nibble on something while you craft. And feel free to invite friends from outside Old Orchard! Questions, call or email Amy Butz.

Prayer Requests/Overture Clarification

Please note, clarification: In the July Foreign Missions Prayer Requests, under #4. L'Abri Fellowship, there is a prayer request for "Prisca." This is Priscilla Sandri in Switzerland, not our Prisca Rice in Rochester! Sorry for any confusion.

Bring Food Any Sunday

The Mercy Ministry team continues to accept donations of nonperishable food throughout the year to be passed on to a food pantry. Grace & Peace Fellowship's Food Pantry continues to be in need of food. --Durinda Hood for the Mercy Ministry



Volunteers for this Summer's Narnia Children's Program Wanted!

When: Tuesday, August 4 - Saturday, August 8, 9 a.m. to noon

Greatest needs:

- --Teachers. We currently have 5 teachers and need 12 (need 7 more)
- --Nursery Workers. We need at least 2 more nursery volunteers.
- -- **Prayer Team.** We currently have two Prayer Team volunteers. More welcome!

More Information about

<u>Teachers</u>. They are responsible for leading about 30 minutes of Bible teaching during the day, as well as directing the class to the various centers (crafts, storytelling, music, and recreation). **Nursery Workers**. we provide childcare for our volunteers who have little ones ages three and under.

We also need

- --Classroom Assistants. We need <u>at least</u> one more classroom assistant. We currently have 5 classroom assistants. We need a minimum of 6 to have one per class, but would prefer to have 2 helpers, especially in our younger classes.
- --Decorating Help. We need more volunteers to help with decorations. Cayce Zavaglia is heading this up.
- --Craft Helpers. We need 1-2 more craft helpers who will help Susan O'Neal set up and clean up for each class as they come to crafts, as well as helping students as needed during the craft time.

Want to volunteer? Have questions? Contact Kelli or Mark Tucker.

Volunteer for the 2009 Narnia Children's Program!

Pick Up Your Directories, Please!!

The directories are in the parlor. One per household. Please sign-up on the clipboard if you want a second copy. Your first copy (and binder) is free; we ask for a donation toward the cost of your second copy (\$1.20 without binder; \$4.35 with binder). I am willing to e-mail a PDF copy of the directory to anyone who requests it at office@oldorchardchurch.org.

Calendar Note

Men's Bible Study is scheduled to meet next on Saturday, August 1 at 7:15 a.m. at Milligan House. See Hal Pendergrass to confirm this & for questions. Group usually meets the first and third Saturdays of the month.

A small out of town youth group will be staying in Milligan House July 20-morning of July 25.

Teen Calendar

- Sunday, July 12. No Teen Fellowship.
- Tuesday, July 14. 2 to 6 p.m. Pool Party at Garrett's place. Details coming.
- Friday, July 17. Friday morning at Einstein's, 9 to 10 a.m.
- Friday, July 24. 6 p.m. Lost and Found #4.
- Sunday, July 26. 6 to 8 p.m. Lost and Found #5.
- Friday, July 31. Friday Morning at Einstein's, 9 to 10 a.m.

Rummage Sale

For Grace & Peace Fellowship's Winter Shelter 5574 Delmar 63112

Fri., August 14 (5 to 8 p.m.) & Sat., August 15, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

- ◆ Donations. They're looking for donations in excellent condition (others really don't sell). Use side entrance at 622 Clara Avenue (at Delmar) between 12:30 and 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays, July 7 – July 31 or by appointment. Please call Deb Eisenbraun (314.241.4202) in advance to donate large items, or with any other questions.
- ♦ Helpers Welcome! If you want to help with the sale—before. during or after—contact Deb Eisenbaun or Melody Perkins at 314.367.8959.
- ◆ Letter from Team Leader Melody Perkins is posted on the Mercy Ministry bulletin board.

Overture Submissions

You are invited to write for any issue of our newsletter, the Overture! We welcome submissions of articles, art, short essays, poetry, etc. All submissions should be signed by the person submitting them. You can submit articles to office@oldorchardchurch.org or you can place your signed articles in the Overture box (in the coat room). The editor for the next issue (out next Sunday, July 19) is Susan O'Neal. Deadline today.

School Supplies for Kids!

Old Orchard Church is collecting school supplies through Sunday, July 26, 2009 for children from families served by Webster-Rock Hill Ministries.



You can participate in one of two ways:

1. purchase items from the suggested list below and bring them to church. Place them in the box in the foyer.

- 2. donate money by dropping into the offering plate:
- a check to Old Orchard Church (put in the memo "school supplies")
- cash in an envelope designating it "school supplies"

Suggested Supplies:

(\$10 pocket style)

Narrow rule filler paper Wide rule filler paper

Scissors (Fiskars) Rulers

2 " & 3 " ring binders Pencil pouches/boxes Colored markers 24-Count Crayons Glue sticks Colored pencils Spiral notebooks Hand sanitizer Broad tip highlighters #2 Pencils

Pocket folders Pocket dictionaries Scientific calculators

Blue, black and red pens Payless Shoe Certificates

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The Mercy Ministry of Old Orchard Church He has showed you, O man, what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. (Micah 6:8)

Summer Sessions @ Avante

Sunday evenings, 7 p.m. at 7225 Manchester, Maplewood 63143. Hosted by Crossroads Fellowship (PCA). Began June 28. Full schedule is posted. For more information contact Mark Ryan or Crossroads at 314.644.0030)

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Just a reminder to include in the Tidbits that Maryann Kohl is also hosting the Tamm baby shower. Donations for a group gift can be given to either of us. The deadline should be the Sunday beginning that wk. (I don't have a calendar with me!)