

# OOO Tidbits -- Announcements & More for Old Orchard Church -- July 26, 2009

## Welcome to Old Orchard Church!

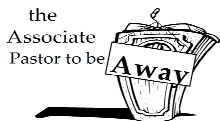
Welcome to our worship. We invite you to use our **child care services** for infants through children in kindergarten, located in the church building basement. Please see nursery details below. Also, visit our **Sunday School**, offered for all ages (9 am. on Sunday mornings). However, we will not be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

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 today and through August.



the  
Associate  
Pastor to be

Pastor Mark is on vacation  
through Thursday, July 30

### Next Parlor Fellowship.

Next one is Sunday, August 9 after worship. Sign up to bring food. Betsy Roig & Nancy Weir are hosting.

### School Supplies for Kids!

Sponsored by: The Mercy Ministry of Old Orchard Church  
**Today** is the deadline for our collection of **school supplies** for children from families served by Webster-Rock Hill Ministries. But if you forgot yours, you can still get it in! Just see Phil Patterson or Durinda Hood to make arrangements.

### Calendar Notes

**Men's Bible Study** is scheduled to meet next on **Saturday, August 1** at 7:15 a.m. at Milligan House. Group usually meets the first and third Saturdays of the month.



This week--get ready time--for **Summer's Narnia Children's Program!** It's next week: Tuesday, August 4 – Saturday, August 8, 9 a.m. to noon

**House Church** in August will be the second Wednesday in August, August 12, due to the Narnia Children's Program.

### Teen Calendar

- **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.
- **Sunday, August 2.** Rock the River Outreach Concert. After church until late.

### Address Changes & Updates

See the print copy for these updates.

**Correct your OOC Directories!**

### Safety Talk

After what happened to Jim's sister Teresa, I wanted to talk with a neighbor, who is a police officer, to find out what I can be doing to keep myself safe. Then I thought others may also want to know. So on Monday, August 3, at 7 p.m., my neighbor (police officer) will be at my house to talk about safety. If you would like to come, please let me know. Donna Knobbe

### Rummage Sale

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

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

◆ **Donations.** Last week 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. Tuesday through Friday, this week (through 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 Eisenbraun (see print copy) or Melody Perkins at 314.367.8959.

### Home Wanted for Guinea Pigs!

**Needed:** a loving home for two adorable (Free!) guinea pigs!

These cute little creatures make good first pets for children. Both are males, brothers from the same litter, and are 1 ½ years old. Since guinea pigs are social animals, it would be better to keep them together. They come with their own cage, food bowl, food, water bottles, ramp plus other extras. These guinea pigs are also used to having dogs in the household.

With a new baby on the way, I need to find a home for them soon. If you or someone you know is interested in giving these sweet little guys a new home, please call Emily Pollihan at (See print copy for phone #) or my mom, Donna Pollihan at (see print copy for phone #). Leave a message if I'm not at home.

Thanks, Emily Pollihan (submitted by Donna Pollihan)

### **Bring Food Any Sunday**

The Mercy Ministry team continues to accept donations of non-perishable 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

### **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](mailto: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, August 2) is Alyssa Santoyo. Deadline today.

### **Old Orchard Church**

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**640 Amelia/Church Building:**

314.961.6932 (no voice mail at this number)

**Ron Lutjens' (home) Study:** see print copy

**Ron's E-mail:** see print copy.

**Mark Tucker's Office:** see print copy

**Mark's E-mail:** see print copy

**Web Site:** [www.oldorchardchurch.org](http://www.oldorchardchurch.org)

### **Note & Prayer for Patrocinios**

*Jorge Patrocinio has been attending Webster University and living at the Ben & Michelle Kraft home. He is in Brazil now with his family. This includes an update regarding his mother, Vera, battling cancer, requesting prayer for them.*

July 23, 2009

*Hello All:*

We received an email today from Jorge Patrocinio, Jr., telling us that Vera was not doing well with tumors growing rapidly. She has really been living only by the grace of God for quite a while now. Jorge Sr. asked him [Jorge Jr.] not to return to Webster University this semester as he feels Vera's time is short. Fortunately, Webster will hold Jorge's scholarship for him. Please be in prayer for them all and share this with anyone you feel will want to know.

*Michelle and Ben*

### **OOC Prayer Requests**

Continue to pray for **Jim & Amy Butz**, Jim's parents, Norbert & Elaine, and the wider Butz family as they mourn the loss of Jim's sister, Teresa. Pray also for Teresa's partner, Jen, for recovery from her injuries and for comfort.

Pray for **Brianna Tamm** as she is due in August. Pray for a safe delivery and healthy child.

**Heather Sparkman**, Reformed University Fellowship at the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Give thanks for a new place to live. However, Heather needs to raise more support, as she is seriously behind (it's at about 50%).

**Narnia Children's Summer Program.** Pray for the final preparations for next week's program. Pray for **Kelli McKie** as she serves as Director, for the teachers as they prepare, and for the Lord to prepare the hearts of those children participating. Pray also that we would have good contacts with families whose children attend.

